APPENDIX XXX.

(See Chapter III, Rule 9.)

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, Tamluk subdivision, in the district of Midnapore, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on 5th day of January 1906, corresponding with the 3rd Magh 1312, in the Subdivisional Office of Tamluk.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district and subdivision.	Name of mauza and pargana.	Number of mile on which the land is situated.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	A. R. P. YD.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Midnapore, Tamluk subdivision.	Babua, pargana Mandalghat.	35	South side of Bengal-Nagpur Railway.	115 14 0·44	38 0 39 22·47	.....	...	.....	*North*—By Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company's lands. *East*—By the bed of Rupnarain River. *South*—By the relinquished lands of Bengal-Nagpur Railway in mauza Denan and jotes of Chandra Dolui, Gobind Mondal and Sadanando Dolui in mauza Babua. *West*—By the jotes of Haroo Maita and others of Babua.
	Ditto ...	Denan, pargana Mandalghat.	36	Ditto ...	74 5 0·66	24 2 8 11·33	...	...	.....	*North*—By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company's relinquished lands in mauza Babua. *East*—By the mal jotes of Pankristo Dolui, Tarini Sant, Koylas Manji, Sham Manji, Mia Jan Shaik, Akbar Khan in mauza Babua. *South*—By mal jotes of Choku Mollick, Chhoto Kuyem Mollick, Ramnath Manji and Mia Jan Shaik in mauza Denan. *West*—By mal jotes of Dhon Patra, Gopal Patra and others of mauza Babua and of Koreem Mollick, Bhogi Manji, Mia Jan Bhua and Danis Bhua of mauza Denan.

Countersigned.

Midnapore, the 30th November 1905. D. Weston, Collector. Chandra Nath Ghose, Subdl. Officer, Tamluk.

No. 2632T.R.—The 25th September 1906.—Whereas an application has been made under section 18 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1882 (Bengal Act II of 1882), for the construction of a sluice at Lokenathpur in mile 4 of Embankment No. 94 in Schedule D to the Bengal Embankment Act, VI of 1873, on the left bank of the Bhagirathi, in the district of Murshidabad, and the Collector of the district, after holding an enquiry under section 10 of the said Act, has submitted a report in favour of the proposal, and whereas the Collector's report has received the support of the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and of the Board of Revenue, by whom it has been submitted for the consideration of the Lieutenant-Governor: Now, therefore, the Lieutenant-Governor, having considered the said report and the Board's recommendation, is pleased to order, under section 14 of the said Act, that the said sluice shall be constructed, at an estimated cost of Rs. 2,295, in accordance with the plans prepared by the Executive Engineer, Nadia Rivers Division, and approved by the Superintending Engineer, South-Western Circle.

Murshidabad.

No. 2633T.R.—The 25th September 1906.—Whereas an application has been made under section 18 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1882 (Bengal Act II of 1882), for the construction of a sluice at Lowjola in mile 14 of the Bhagirathi Embankment No. 94 in Schedule D to the Bengal Embankment Act, VI of 1873, on the left bank of the Bhagirathi river, in the district of Murshidabad, and the Collector of the district, after holding an enquiry under section 10 of the said Act, has submitted a report in favour of the proposal; and whereas the Collector's report has received the support of the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and of the Board of Revenue, by whom it has been submitted for the consideration of the Lieutenant-Governor: Now, therefore, the Lieutenant-Governor, having considered the said report and the Board's recommendation, is pleased to order, under section 14 of the said Act, that the said sluice shall be constructed, at an estimated cost of Rs. 1,769, in accordance with the plans prepared by the Executive Engineer, Nadia Rivers Division, and approved by the Superintending Engineer, South-Western Circle.

Murshidabad.

No. 2674T.R.—The 28th September 1906.—Government Notification No. 1291T.R., dated the 16th June 1905, published at page 1119, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem, issued under section 14 of the Bengal Embankment Act, II (B.C.) of 1882, ordering the construction of an embankment from Kalikapur on the Panchannogram Government Embankment to a point on the Diamond Harbour Railway line between Garia and Jadabpur stations, is hereby cancelled.

24-Parganas.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2591T.R.—The 24th September 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the site of the Dowlatabad police-station, in the village of Goraipur, pargana Rajpur, zilla Murshidabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas and 12 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the Kaladanga road, on the east by the tenanted land of Mr. Stenhouse and pond, on the south by the khas land of Mr. Stenhouse and waste land and houses of Sris Pandary and Hari Pandary, and on the west by road to Sadipur, is required within the aforesaid village of Goraipur.

Murshidabad.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Murshidabad.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2651T.R.—The 26th September 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Inspector's in the district of Cuttack, in the villages of Patpur, Samil, Balubazar and Chandi pargana town Cuttack, zilla Cuttack, it is hereby declared that for the above purpos

Cuttack.

piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·59 pole of standard measurement, bounded on he—

North—By the khas mahal land belonging to Babu Nagendra Nath Ray Choudhury;

South—By the road from Chandni Chuk to Balubazar;

East—By the confirmed lakhraj land of Babu Behari Lal Pundit and Sadar thana;

West—By the khas mahal land belonging to Babu Nagendra Nath Ray Choudhury and a lane;

required within the aforesaid village of pargana town Cuttack.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Officer, Irrigation Branch, Cuttack.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Shahabad. *No. 2652T.R.—The 26th September 1906.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Sasaram Municipality, viz., for Muhammadan burial-ground at Sasaram, in the village of Asifpur, pargana Sasaram, zilla Shahabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 3 cottahs 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

1st plot.—North by the garden of Mir Rahat and waste land of Hafiz Amir Khan, south and east by the field of Hafiz Amir Khan, west by the burial-ground of Chura and Bande Ali;

2nd plot.—North by Sasaram-Chapan Shaheed Road, south by land of Hafiz Amir Khan, east and west by land of Mir Rahat—

required within the aforesaid village of Asifpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom may concern.

The plan of the land to be acquired may be inspected at the office of the Collector Shahabad.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas. *No. 2653T.R.—The 27th September 1906.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Baranagore Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for extending the existing trenching-ground of the Municipality, in the village of Matkole, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 10 bighas 11 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north and east by the village land of Matkole, on the south by the existing trenching-ground and on the west by Matkole Road, is required within the aforesaid village of Matkole.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Baranagore.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Nadia. *No. 2662T.R.—The 27th September 1906.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for station and staff quarters at mile 42, E section, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the villages of Harbuttypur and Gopalpur, pargana Pajnour, zilla Nadia, it is hereby declared that for the

above purpose two plots of land measuring, more or less, 10 bighas 9 cottahs 12 chitaks and square feet of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

Plot No. 1.—On the north by the village road of Gopalpur; on the east by the Eastern Bengal State Railway's land; on the south and west by the village land of Parbuttypur;

Plot No. 2.—On the north by the village road of Gopalpur and the Eastern Bengal State Railway land; on the east by the village land of Gopalpur and Parbuttypur; on the south by the village land of Parbuttypur and Eastern Bengal State Railway land and on the west by the Eastern Bengal State Railway land—

re required within the aforesaid villages of Parbuttypur and Gopalpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Calcutta istrict, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Burdwan.

No. 2663T.R.—The 27th September 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction f a retired embankment with a small drainage cut in the sixth mile of Schedule D, No. 29, t Dangapara, in the village of Dangapara, pargana Gopebhum, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby eclared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 13 bighas l cottahs and 13⅓ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

Plot No. 1.—On the north by Government embankment of Schedule D, No. 29, and waste land; on the south, east and west by khaspatit or waste land;

Plot No. 2.—On the north by Government embankment of Schedule D, No. 29, and waste land; on the south, east and west by the khaspatit or waste land—

required within the aforesaid village of Dangapara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Northern rainage and Embankment Division, 13 Kyd Street, Calcutta.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Champaran.

No. 2671T.R.—The 28th September 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Rampur Branch istributary in the villages of Karmaha, Dudhaura and Rampur, pargana Majhowa, zilla hamparan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, ore or less, 25 bighas 5 cottahs 2 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the oresaid villages

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran ivision, at Motihari.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Ben

SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION No. $\frac{6}{E19}$

The 27th September 1906.

Mr. J. C. Lears, Sub Assistant Superintendent, 1st grade, [illegible]ey of India, is granted ivilege leave for 1½ months, with effect from 6th September [illegible] under article 260, Civil

CHTON, MAJOR, I. A.,
R[illegible]*ident of Provincial Surveys, Bengal.*
Super

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3396A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3142A.D.—The 21st September 1906.—Babu Phanindra Mohan Chatarji, Munsif, is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif in the district of Bankura.

Bankura.

POWERS.

No. 3201A.D.—The 24th September 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Mr. R. B Bainbridge, a Magistrate of the first class in the district of Burdwan, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Burdwan.

Mr. Bainbridge is also vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 3206 A.D.—The 25th September 1906.—Babu Amrita Lal Gupta, Deputy Magistrate, Balasore, is vested with powers under sections 110, 133 and 524 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Balasore.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3389J.D.—The 26th September 1906.—Babu Iswar Prasad Pain is re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Barrackpore Independent Bench in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

POWERS.

No. 3390J.D.—The 26th September 1906.—Babu Iswar Prasad Pain, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Barrackpore Independent Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the 2nd class. He is also empowered under section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, to record evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

24 Parganas.

JAILS.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3379J.D.—The 24th September 1906.—The gentlemen named below are re-appointed to be non-official visitors of the Ranchi Jail:—

Babu Sarodh Kumar Aikat.
Revd. E. H. Whitley.

Ranchi.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATION

2756P.D.—The 26th September 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Rama Nath Bhattacharji, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of the Borodon-gal Union in Arambagh, in the district of Hooghly, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 124 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Hooghly.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Rama Nath Bhattacharji for a period of three years only from the date of this notification.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 2217P.D.—The 24th September 1906.—Maulvi Saiyid Hatif Ali-ul Husaini, Rural Sub-Registrar, Jhargram, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave for 14 days, under Article 339, Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 25th June 1906.

Midnapore.

No. 2219P.D.—The 24th September 1906. The following promotions in the grades of Rural Sub-Registrars are sanctioned :—

Promoted to grade I.

Maulvi Ala-ul-Hakk, with effect from the 1st February 1906, *vice* Babu Baidya Nath Basu, promoted to be a Special Sub-Registrar

„ Muhammad Kasim, with effect from the 16th March 1906, *vice* Babu Jagadananda Patnaik, deceased.

Promoted to grade II.

Babu Sarada Charan Gan, with effect from the 1st December 1905, *vice* Babu Bhagabati Charan Chaudhuri, retired.

„ Beni Madhab Ghosh, with effect from the 24th December 1905, *vice* Maulv Danish Ali Jawardar, deceased.

„ Mahim Chandra Ray Chaudhuri, with effect from the 1st February 1906, *vice* Maulvi Ala-ul-Hakk.

„ Pratap Narayan Ray, with effect from the 1st February 1906 *vice* Maulvi Shah Muhammad, deceased.

Maulvi Ali Kasim Khan, with effect from the 16th March 1906, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Kasim.

Babu Abhay Charan Ray, with effect from the 16th March 1906, *vice* Babu Naba Kishor Das, promoted to be a Special Sub-Registrar.

„ Srikanta Ray, with effect from the 6th June 1906, *vice* Babu Ram Sundar Banarji, retired.

Promoted to grade III.

Babu Binod Bihari De, with effect from the 1st December 1905, *vice* Babu Sarada Charan Gan.

„ Anukul Chandra Chatarji, with effect from the 24th December 1905, *vice* Babu Beni Madhab Ghosh.

Maulvi Saiyid Ali Riza, with effect from the 1st February 1906, *vice* Babu Mahim Chandra Ray Chaudhuri.

„ Habib-ul-Husain, with effect from the 1st February 1906, *vice* Babu Pratap Narayan Ray.

Babu Nabin Chandra Mallik, with effect from the 16th March 1906, *vice* Maulvi Ali Kasim Khan.

Maulvi Khalil-ur-Rahman Khan Chaudhuri, with effect from the 16th March 1906, *vice* Babu Abhay Charan Ray.

Babu Gopi Krishna Banarji, with effect from the 6th June 1906, *vice* Babu Srikanta Ray.

Promoted to grade IV.

Babu Mahendra Lal Maitra, with effect from the 1st October 1905, in an existing vacancy at the time of the grading.

Maulvi Saiyid Ibu Murtaza, with effect from the 1st December 1905, *vice* Babu Binod Behari De

Babu Girindra Nath Ray, with effect from the 3rd December 1905

„ Satindra Nath Sen, with effect from the 24th December 1905, *vice* Babu Anukul Chandra Chatarji.

„ Ashutosh Mukharji, with effect from the 1st February 1906, *vice* Maulvi Saiyid Ali Riza.

„ Narayan Prasad Chaudhuri, with effect from the 1st February 1906, *vice* Maulvi Habib-ul-Husain.

„ Krishna Dhan Mallik, with effect from the 16th March 1906, *vice* Babu Nabin Chandra Mallik.

Maulvi Saiyid Abul Kasim, with effect from the 16th March 1906, *vice* Maulvi Khalil-ul-Rahman Khan Chaudhuri.

„ Saiyid Musharaf Ali, with effect from the 6th June 1906, *vice* Babu Gopi Krishna Banarji.

„ Khwaja Seraj-ud-din Husain, with effect from the 15th June 1906.

Babu Akshay Prasad Das, with effect from the 28th June 1906

No. 2242P.D.—The 26th September 1906.—Babu Gopal Lal, Rural Sub-Registrar, Araria, in the district of Purnea, is allowed leave for one month, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from, the 22nd September 1906, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Purnea.

No. 2244P.D.—The 26th September 1906.—Babu Baladeb Sahay Barma, Rural Sub-Registrar, Chapra, is appointed to be Rural Sub-Registrar, Araria, in the district of Purnea, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Gopal Lal, or until further orders

Saran. Purnea.

No. 2247P.D.—The 26th September 1906.—Babu Dhiraj Mukharji, fifth grade Rural Sub-Registrar, Krishnagar, is appointed to be Joint-Sub-Registrar of Manirampur at Rajganj, in the district of Jessore, with effect from the 30th August 1906, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Kali Prasanna Mukharji, or until further orders.

Jessore.

No. 2256P.D.—The 26th September 1906.—Kabiraj Girija Nanda Sen, Rural Sub-Registrar, Purbasthali, in the district of Burdwan, was on leave from the 1st to the 30th November 1905, under Article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Burdwan.

No. 2260P.D.—The 26th September 1906.—Babu Nagendra Nath Banarji acted as Rural Sub-Registrar, Purbasthali, in the district of Burdwan, from the 1st to the 30th November 1905, during the absence, on leave, of Kabiraj Girija Nanda Sen.

Burdwan.

No. 2288P.D.—The 2nd October 1906.—Babu Nanda Prasad Barma is appointed to be a probationer in the Registration Department and is posted to Chapra in the district of Saran.

Saran.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 28th September 1906.

No. 181.—Rai K. C. Banarji Bahadur, Officiating Superintending Engineer, Central Circle, is granted privilege leave for two months and 23 days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th October 1906, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 28th September 1906.

No. 183.—The following extract from a notification, issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

No. 125, dated the 18th September 1906.—The undermentioned passed students of the Royal Indian Engineering College, Coopers Hill, have been appointed Assistant Engineers, 3rd grade, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India and are posted as follows :—

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To Bengal.

Mr. Kusum Kumar Chatterjee.
„ Leslie Morris Priday.
„ Frederick Archibald Betterton.

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No. 184.—The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

No. 126, dated the 20th September 1906.—Mr. F. C. W. Dover, Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, is appointed Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Bengal.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 28th September 1906.

No. 182.—The following promotions are made in the Upper Subordinate Establishment with effect from the 29th August 1906:—

NAME.	From	To	Nature of promotion.	Division in which employed.
Marchant, C. A. ...	Sub-Engineer, 2nd grade.	Sub-Engineer, 1st grade.	Permanent	Brahmini-Byturni.
Mukharji, Rajendra Nath (Sr.).	Sub-Engineer, 3rd grade.	Sub-Engineer, 2nd grade.	Ditto ...	Champaran.
Banarji, Krishnadhone.	Supervisor, 1st grade	Sub-Engineer, 3rd grade.	Ditto ...	South-Western Circle.
Mukharji, Kshirod Chandra.	Superview, 1st grade, temporary rank.	Supervisor, 1st grade	Ditto	Chota Nagpur.
Bhaduri, Hari Madhab.	Supervisor, 2nd grade, temporary rank.	Supervisor, 2nd grade	Ditto ...	Balasore.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3397A.

No. 3275A.D.—The 29th September 1906.—Babu Nanda Kishor Jain, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Kandi, Murshidabad, is transferred to the head-quarters station of that district.

Murshidabad.

No. 3277A.D.—The 29th September 1906.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2, of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Rudra Prasanna Chatarji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Manbhum, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Manbhum.

No. 3279A.D.—The 29th September 1906.—Babu Brajasundar Mardaraj, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Kendrapara subdivision of the district of Cuttack.

Cuttack.

No. 3281A.D.—The 29th September 1906.—Babu Ambu Nath Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Orissa Division, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Balasore district.

Balasore.

No. 3292A.D.—The 29th September 1906.—Babu Chandra Sekhar Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Burdwan Division, on being relieved of his settlement duties in the Birbhum district, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Burdwan Divn.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 9207, dated Calcutta, the 29th September 1906.—Deputy Magistrate Jogindra Nath Sarkar made over charge of the Daltonganj Jail to Senior Assistant Surgeon Ram Chandra Mazumdar on the forenoon of the 12th September 1906.

E. W. PAYNE,
Offg. Inspr.-Genl. of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

Examination of Compounders at the Orissa Medical School.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notifications Nos. 4042Medl, dated 2nd November 1896, and 337T.—M., dated 9th June 1897, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will begin at 10 A.M. on Friday, the 19th October 1906, at the Orissa Medical School, Cuttack.

2. Every candidate must produce a certificate of training and a certificate of age and previous education, as required by Rule 9—*vide* Government of Bengal Notification No. 4042-Medl., dated 2nd November 1896, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th November 1896, and circulated by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal, to all Civil Surgeons, Superintendents of Medical Schools, Lunatic Asylums and Calcutta Hospitals, with his Circular No. 60, dated 5th December 1896.

3. Male candidates must forward to the Superintendent of the Orissa Medical School, Cuttack, at least one week before the 19th October 1906, an examination-fee of Rs. 5. Female candidates will be examined free of charge. No. certificate or fee will be received on Sundays or public holidays.

4. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination, he will forfeit his fee.

NOTE.—The attention of candidates is drawn to Rules 9, 10 and 12 (*a*) and (*b*) and of the persons granting the certificates to Rules 11 and 12 (3) and (4) and to the Certificate Forms C and D, in the Schedule of the Government of Bengal's aforesaid Notification No. 4042 Medl., dated 2nd November 1896.

CUTTACK, *The 5th September 1906.*

C. R. STEVENS, M.D., F.R.C.S., MAJOR, I.M.S., *Superintendent, Medical School, Cuttack.*

Sheriff's Office, the 26th September 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1906 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the 26th day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

A. A. APCAR, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৬ সাল তারিখ ২৬শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৬ সালের ২৬শে নবেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

এঃ এঃ আপকার, সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTICE.

SREEGOPAL BASU MALLIK FELLOWSHIP.

THE following scheme for the Fellowship which has been finally adopted by the Syndicate and the Trustees of the donor is published for general information:—

I.—In the first instance, a Fellow shall be appointed for a term of three years, whose duty it shall be—

(*a*) To give tutorial assistance to students of Sanskrit generally and students of Vedanta Philosophy in particular.

(*b*) To deliver a course of lectures on Vedanta Philosophy.

(*c*) To carry on research in Vedanta Philosophy, with a view to enable him to discharge his duties under heads (*a*) and (*b*) satisfactorily.

II.—With a view to give effect to the object mentioned in I (*a*), the Fellow shall hold lasses not less than three times a week during at least thirty-six weeks in the year. To such class only such students will be admitted as may have satisfied the Fellow either by submitting to a test to be imposed by him or otherwise that they are qualified by previous training and attainments to profit by his teaching. The name of any student may be removed by reason of irregularity in attendance. The course of tutorial instruction shall include not only the Vedanta Philosophy but also such preliminary branches of study as may be determined by the Fellow from time to time in consultation with the Syndicate. Twelve of these students will be entitled to a monthly stipend of Rs. 10 (rupees ten) to be paid during good conduct and upon satisfactory progress made in their studies. An annual examination shall be held upon the result of which the best student will be awarded a gold medal of the value of one hundred rupees and also a prize of Rs. 500. The annual examination shall be open to graduates and to holders of certificates at the Sanskrit Title examination of such standing as the Syndicate may approve.

III.—With a view to give effect to the object mentioned in I (*b*), the Fellow shall annually deliver a course of public lectures on Hindu Philosophy in general and Vedanta Philosophy in particular. These lectures must not be less than twelve in number to be delivered not more than once a week. The substance of these lectures, as also the result of any original research or investigation made by the Fellow under I (*c*) above shall be published in a volume at the close of every year.

IV.—The remuneration of the Fellow shall be as follows:—

(*a*) A stipend of Rs. 125 a month.

(*b*) A lump sum payment of Rs. 1,400 at the end of the year, out of which the expenses of printing 500 copies of the lectures shall be met, 100 of which shall be placed at the disposal of the University and 100 at the disposal of the founder's representatives for free distribution.

V.—The Fellow must submit a quarterly report to the Syndicate as to the manner in which he has been discharging his duties.

VI.—The mode of election shall be as follows:—

Persons who have made a special study of the subject shall be invited by notices and advertisements in the newspapers to send in their names together with a synopsis of the proposed lectures to the Syndicate, who shall select at least three persons out of the applicants and send their names to the Trustees, who shall within one week thereafter notify their choice, which will be accepted by the Syndicate.

In accordance with the above scheme, applications are invited for the Sreegopal Basu Mallik Fellowship for 1907, which must reach the undersigned not later than the 1st of January 1907.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 22nd September 1906.

C. LITTLE,
Registrar, Calcutta University.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM BY THE INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS, BURDWAN DIVISION.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 1907.

PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. *Private students* are those who do not appear from any recognized High English school, or who have been transferred from one such school to another after the 31st August without the consent of the Inspector. The term "private students" includes *school-boys*.

2. Private students must appear at the Test examination of one of the following institutions on the dates mentioned against it:—

Those from the		At the Test examination of		Date of commencement of Test examination.
1. Howrah district	...	Howrah Zilla School	...	17th December 1906.
2. Bankura „	...	Bankura ditto	...	2nd January 1907.
3. Birbhum „	...	Birbhum ditto	...	17th December 1906
4. Midnapore „	...	Midnapore Collegiate School	...	2nd January 1907.
5. Hooghly „		Uttarpara Government School	...	Ditto.
		Hooghly Branch School	...	Ditto.
6. Burdwan „	...	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School (with the Principal's permission).		17th December 1906.

Each private student will pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the Head of the institution at which he appears for the Test examination. The balance, after payment of expenses (stationery, etc.), will go as remuneration to the examiners. No private student will be admitted to the Test examination, unless he is accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known to the Head-master of the institution at which he appears.

3. Applications for permission to appear must be sent in time to reach *this office* not later than the 15th November. The information to be given and the documents to be appended in original are the following :—

(*a*) The name of the school in which the candidate last studied.

(*b*) The transfer certificate (in original) granted to the candidate by the Head-master of the school in which he last read; or

(*c*) in the case of a candidate who previously appeared at the Entrance examination, the Registrar's receipt (in original) for the fee paid.

(*d*) Age of the candidate.

(*e*) In the case of school-masters, a certificate of good conduct from the Secretary or proprietor of the school in which the candidate is serving.

4. The Inspector on being satisfied will countersign and return the application, which will then be the candidate's passport for admission *to the Test examination.*

5. The Head-master of an institution (one of those named above) should direct private students who satisfy the test to appear before him not later than the 8th January with their applications for admission to the Entrance examination; and to sign them in his presence. He will then grant the necessary certificates, and forward the applications to this office for countersignature, after which they will be sent by the Inspector *direct* to the candidates.

6. *Under no circumstances should the entrance fee be sent to this office.* It should be sent to the Registrar by the candidates themselves, together with the countersigned applications, which will be returned to the respective Head-masters for delivery to the candidates.

7. Private students will understand that the Test examination of any schools other than those named above will not be accepted by this office.

8. The address of each private student should be supplied to this office.

9. The Entrance examination in 1907 will be held on the 4th March 1907 and following days. Applications and fees for admission must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 21st January 1907.

F.A. AND B.A. EXAMINATIONS

1. Deputy Inspectors of Schools, Sub-Inspectors of Schools and *bonâ-fide* masters of English schools who have served as such for the full period of two academical years, or for a period of six months after the examination of the same class last held by the University if they were admitted to a former examination of that class, will be admitted to the above-mentioned examinations.

2. Candidates for the F.A. and B.A. examinations must produce certificates of character and length of service from the Secretaries of their respective schools. Candidates for the B.A. examination must forward with their applications their F.A. certificates, and those for the F.A. examination their Entrance certificates. Those candidates who have been admitted to a former examination must produce the Registrar's receipt in addition.

3. Under section 19 of the Indian Universities Act, the candidates for the F.A. and B.A. examinations are requested, in the first instance, to apply for and obtain the permission of the Senate. Their applications will not be accepted, unless they are supported by the permission of the Senate. Candidates who have applied for or have obtained the special permission of the Senate for the purpose are required, under section 9, Chapter XV of the Revised Regulations dealing with the registration of University students, to apply at once to the Registrar for the registration of their names as University students. No person will be deemed a "University student," unless and until his name has been duly registered, and none but "University students" will be eligible for admission to any University examination other than the Entrance.

4. The printed form of application should be carefully filled in and submitted to this office *on or before the 15th January 1907*, together with other papers as mentioned in Rules 2 and 3, after which no applications will be received.

5. By *bonâ-fide* masters of school are to be understood masters who hold regularly paid appointments in English schools, teaching at least the M.E. course.

6. The F.A. and B.A. examinations in 1907 will be held on the 18th March 1907 ing days. The applications and fees for admission must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 4th February 1907.

HOOGHLY,
The 12th September 1906.

MUHAMMAD IBRAHIM,
Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that for the ensuing half-yearly Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates, Deputy Collectors and others to be held at 11 A.M. on the 8th November 1906 and the two following days, a local Examination Committee will be convened in the office of the Commissioner, Presidency Division, 3 Charnock Place, Calcutta, to conduct the examination of candidates employed in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

E. W. COLLIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 14th September 1906.*

MEMORANDUM.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

PRIVATE STUDENTS

1. Private students are those who do not appear from any school, or who have been transferred from one school to another after the 31st August without the consent of the Inspector.

2. The term "Private students" includes School-masters.

3. Private students must appear at the test-examination of any one of the undermentioned schools on dates to be fixed by Head Masters :—

(1) Ravenshaw Collegiate School (with the permission of the Principal of the College).
(2) Balasore Zilla School.
(3) P. M. Academy.
(4) Puri Zilla School.
(5) Sambalpur.

4. Every private candidate must satisfy the following conditions :—

(*a*) That he has not failed at the test-examination of any Entrance school in the current session.

(*b*) That he has not failed to gain promotion to the first class of any Entrance school at the results of the annual examination of the second class in the last session.

(*c*) That he has left the school in which he last read with a transfer certificate, or (in case of a failed student) is in possession of the Registrar's receipt.

5. Every private candidate must pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the Head Master of the school at which he is to appear for the examination.

6. He must arrange for his identification to the officer conducting the test-examination, and he should satisfy the Head Master as to his character, if necessary.

7. The Head Masters of the abovenamed schools are requested to sign the application forms of candidates whom they recommend for presentation, and to forward with the application forms the marks gained by such candidates at the test-examination. The undersigned will use his discretion in countersigning the forms submitted to him. Private candidates should make their own arrangements to remit their examination-fees and application forms to the Registrar of the Calcutta University.

CUTTACK, *The 6th September 1906.*

L. TIPPING, *Offg. Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division.*

ORISSA DIVISION AND THE ORISSA TRIBUTARY AND FEUDATORY STATES.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM OF THE INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS, ORISSA DIVISION.

Rules for appearing at the F.A. and B.A. examinations in 1907 for candidates from the Orissa Division and the Orissa Tributary and Feudatory States who are not students of any affiliated institution.

DEPUTY INSPECTORS OF SCHOOLS, Sub-Inspectors of Schools and *bond-fide* teachers of recognized English schools who have served as such for the full period of two academical years, or for a term of six months after an examination of the same class last held by the University in the case of those only who were admitted to a former examination of that class will be admitted to the abovementioned examinations. All applications from school-masters should be accompanied by certificates of length of service from the Secretaries of the schools in which they are employed, and should reach this office not later than the 5th January 1907. The application of a school-master for permission to appear at the F.A. or B.A. examination should be signed by him in the presence of the Secretary or a member of

the Managing Committee of the school in which he is employed. The application should be forwarded to the office of the Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division, for countersignature, together with the Registrar's receipt to prove, if this be the case, that the candidate has appeared at the examination in a previous year, and the certificate in proof of his having passed the Entrance or F.A. examination as the case may be. Such papers will be sent back to him (the candidate) who will have to send them, together with the examination-fee, to the Registrar of the University direct.

2. Candidates should read carefully the form of the certificate which the Inspector of the Division will sign, and should be careful to supply all information and documents required, including the Registrar's receipt, in the case of those who have been admitted to a former examination of the same class, without which the Inspector must decline to sign the certificate applied for.

3. By *bonâ-fide* teachers of schools are to be understood teachers who hold regularly paid appointments in English schools teaching at least the Middle English course.

4. Under section 19 of the Indian Universities Act, candidates who intend to appear at the F.A., B.A., or M.A. examination of the University of Calcutta, other than as regular students of some affiliated college, are requested in the first instance to apply for and obtain the permission of the Senate. Their applications cannot be accepted unless they are supported by the permission of the Senate.

CUTTACK, L. TIPPING.

The 6th September 1906. *Offg. Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division.*

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College :—

I.—Engineer Department.

A four-year course leading to the Engineering Degrees of the Calcutta University. Admissions made yearly in June. Admission qualification, the First Arts examination of the Calcutta University or its equivalent.

II.—Apprentice Department.

The full course of study covers five years. There are special classes in Mining and in Electrical Engineering.

After 1½ years the Sub-Overseer examination is held.

After 3½ years the Final or Overseer examination is held with special modification for Mining students.

After a further 1½ years' practical training the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate is given.

Admissions are made yearly in June to 1st year and in March to 2nd and 3rd years. Admission qualifications—

To 1st-year class, Entrance examination of Calcutta University or equivalent, to the Middle School.

To 2nd-year class, the Final examination of B Course of zilla schools.

To 3rd-year class, the Sub-Overseer examination of affiliated Technical schools.

III.—Workshops.

Artisan classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine,
Blacksmiths';	Turners;	and Foundry.

IV.—Agricultural Department.

Admission made by nomination of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor. Application to be sent to the Principal. A two-year course leading to the Agricultural Diploma of the College. Admission made yearly in November.

Admission qualifications—

As general student, B. A., B Course, of Calcutta University or equivalent.

As special student, satisfactory evidence that the candidate can benefit by the instruction.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

SIBPUR, B. HEATON,

The 7th June 1906. *Principal.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 6072B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1904-1905 will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Tuesday the 6th November 1906, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,400 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of ...	2,200
Ditto ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of ...	2,200
Total ...	4,400

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 28th November 1905, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 12th and 21st November 1906, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 12th November 1906, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 21st November 1906.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 4th December 1906 ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
Total ...	2,200	2,200	4,400

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
S. R. HIGNELL, for *Offg. Secretary*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 19th September 1906.*

No. 5752B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1904-05, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 8th October 1906, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,400 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of ...	2,200
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of ...	2,200
Total ...	4,400

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 28th November 1905, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 13th and 23rd October 1906, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 1-30 P.M. of Saturday, the 13th October 1906, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 23rd October 1906.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates

specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 6th November 1906	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 4th December ,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
Total	4,400	4,400	8,800

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA, *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 3rd September 1906.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Colgong, in the district of Bhagalpur:—

1. The Civil Surgeon of Bhagalpur, *ex-officio.*
2. Babu Hari Charan Ganguly.
3. ,, Bhudar Mal Marwari.
4. ,, Ami Chand Chaudhri.
5. ,, Hardeo Das Marwari.
6. ,, Devi Proshad.
7. Babu Bizbal Sahu.
8. ,, Sarada Proshad.
9. ,, Jado Proshad.
10. ,, Baijnath Ram Marwari.
11. ,, Bhageband Ram Marwari.
12. Munshi Mohamed Ibrahim Hossein
13. Babu Sirdhar Proshad Chaudhuri.

D. J. MACPHERSON, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, CAMP. DARJEELING, *the 25th September 1906.*

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PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 29th September 1906.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 25th September 1906.

No. 1128.—The services of Babu Lalit Mohan Pal, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

EXAMINATIONS.

The 28th September 1906.

No. 642.—The Government of India have obtained the sanction of the Secretary of State to the institution of a new literary examination in Urdu intermediate between the higher standard and the high proficiency tests to be called the "Proficiency" examination. The following rules for this examination are published for general information. They will have effect from the 1st July 1907:—

I.—The examination will be open to the following classes of officers who can under the existing regulations appear at the high proficiency examination in Urdu:

(*i*) Members of the Indian Civil Service employed in Madras, Bengal, the United Provinces, the Punjab, Burma, Eastern Bengal and Assam and the Central Provinces.

(*ii*) Members of the Indian Educational Service employed in Madras, the United Provinces, the Punjab and Eastern Bengal and Assam.

(*iii*) Gazetted police officers (not being statutory natives of India) and chaplains employed in the United Provinces and the Punjab.

(*iv*) Members of the Burma Commission who have passed by the higher standard in Urdu.

II.—A reward of Rs. 500 will be granted to successful candidates other than members of the Burma Commission, who will be eligible for a reward of Rs. 750.

III.—No officer will be permitted to appear more than three times as a candidate at the examination.

IV.—No officer will be eligible for the reward unless he passes the examination before the completion of ten years counted from the date of his first arrival in India, or, in the case of police officers and chaplains, from the date of his first appointment to the Police and Ecclesiastical Departments, respectively. In the case of educational officers the time-limit will be seven years counted from the date of an officer's first appointment to the Indian Educational Service. No exception to this rule will be made on account of leave or any other cause.

V.—The examination will be held quarterly on the first Monday in January, April July and October of each year by the Boards of Examiners at Calcutta and Madras. Officers will be examined each in his own presidency: officers serving in Burma will be examined in Madras.

VI.—Officers desirous of attending the examination must apply through the usual official channels for leave to do so to the local Government at least three months before the date of the examination. Officers attached immediately to the Government of India must apply for leave to the Home Department through the Department of the Government of India under which they are serving. The applications should be forwarded in sufficient time to reach the Boards of Examiners a month before the date of examination. They must be accompanied by a certificate from the Accountant-General of the province to which the applicant belongs of his eligibility under rule IV to appear at the examination.

VII.—The following are the subjects of examination:

(*a*) Written translation from English into Urdu.

(*b*) Written translation into English of passages from the prescribed text-book (Kalam-i-Urdu).

NOTE.—The text-book is obtainable either from the office of the Board of Examiners or from Messrs. Thacker, Spink & Co., Calcutta.

(*c*) An easy paper in grammar.

(*d*) Reading and translating an Urdu manuscript of moderate difficulty.

(*e*) Conversation, including a paper of short idiomatic sentences in English to be translated into Urdu orally at sight.

SANITARY.

The 28th September 1906.

No. 1749.—The Governor-General in Council has been pleased to abolish the system under which pilgrims proceeding to the Hejaz are detained under observation for five days in Bombay, and the Haj will be open during the ensuing pilgrim season to any resident in India subject to the regulations hereinafter prescribed.

2. The orders contained in the Home Department Notification No. 1440, dated the 30th August 1905, are hereby cancelled.

3. The Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct—

(1) that no person shall be permitted to embark with the object of making a pilgrimage to Mecca except at the port of Bombay in the presidency of Bombay;

(2) that before the pilgrims embark the ships chartered for Jedda shall be thoroughly cleansed and freed from rats by means of the Clayton process under the personal direction of the Port Health Officer;

(3) that ample hospital accommodation shall be provided on board;

(4) that before embarkation pilgrims shall be medically inspected, and their clothes and baggage disinfected as in the case of third-class passengers on ordinary steamers;

(5) that the ships shall undergo further medical inspection both at Aden and at Perim;

(6) that if plague is found to be present on a pilgrim vessel arriving at Aden, telegraphic information shall be sent to Perim, where the persons attacked shall be landed and placed, pending the erection of a fully-equipped observation camp, in the existing plague camp there, and that cases occurring between Aden and Perim shall be similarly dealt with at Perim, the ship being allowed to proceed to Kamaran.

4. A fully equipped plague observation station for pilgrims will as soon as possible be established at Perim and furnished with a Clayton machine for rat destruction and an adequate medical staff, so as to be capable of receiving an entire shipload of pilgrims from a plague-infected vessel for treatment under article 21 of the Paris Convention of 1903.

JUDICIAL.

The 28th September 1906.

No. 1319.—The Governor-General in Council has accepted the resignation tendered by the Hon'ble Sir Chunder Madhub Ghose of his office of Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, with effect from the 13th November 1906.

H. H. RISLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Departme..., are republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 26th September 1906.

No. 3845E.C.—Mr. A. Bell, of the Indian Civil Service, is appointed to officiate as Political Officer in Sikkim, with effect from the 6th September 1906, *vice* Mr. J. C. White, C.I.E., on deputation to England, or until further orders.

The 28th September 1906.

No. 2254G.B.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. Walter Lomax as Acting Vice-Consul for Spain at Calcutta.

L. W. DANE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department are republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 28th September 1906.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 492.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

BENGAL.

Captains to be Majors.

29th July 1906.

Arthur Gwyther, M.B., F.R.C.S.E.

John Archibald Hamilton, M.B., F.R.C.S.E.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

No. 495.—Second-Lieutenant Neill Dinning resigns his commission. Dated 4th August 1906.

2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 501.—Lieutenant Samuel Charles Gethen resigns his commission. Dated 1st August 1906.

A. W. L. BAYLY, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Murshidabad Branch, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Saturday, the 10th November 1906, corresponding with the 24th Kartic, 1313 B.S., at village Barasat.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the lands nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres, B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Nadia ...	Mauza Barasat, pargana Mamjoan.	7 to 8	Right side	0 7 1·33	0 0 15·059	.....	..	Between 41 and 42 chains.	*North, East* and *West*—Fallow land of village Barasat. *South*—Land acquired for Murshidabad Branch Railway.

Krishnagar, the 20th September 1906.

N. AHMAD, *for* Collector.

List of unclaimed documents of the Calcutta Registry office and Joint Sub-Registry office for the year 1903 liable to destruction under section 85 of Act III of 1877 after one month.

Serial No.	Names of Parties. Claimant.	Executant.	Nature of documents.	Number of documents in register.	Book.	Volume.	Page.	Date of— Completion of registration.	Refusal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
								1903.	
1	Pataki Charan Biswas	Nilratan Das	Lease ...	10	I	1	4	10th Jan.	
2	Radha Krishna Mukherji	Chandi Charan Ghose	Do. ...	610	I	32	83	27th April.	
3	M. M. Crawford	Kilburn & Co and Macneill & Co.	Do. ...	648	I	22	100	4th May.	
4	W. Steinhouse	Ditto	Do. ...	649	I	43	101	6th ,,	
5	C. Lichtenstein	Nanda Lal Mullick and another...	Do. ...	794	I	17	184	25th ,,	
6	Mackintosh, Burn & Co.	E. C. C. Haythorne	Do. ...	1065	I	29	223	7th July.	
7	Ganga Narayan Pal	Gosta Bihari Pramanik	Do. ...	1260	I	34	66	30th ,,	
8	Rama Nath Roy	Nanda Lal Niyogi	Sale ...	1280	I	37	283	5th August.	
9	Braj Nath Ghose	Bhuban Mohan Rudra	Do. ...	1391	I	26	195	11th ,,	
10	Abhaya Dasi	Gopal Chandra Basu	Annuity Bond and Agreement.	1348	I	37	283	17th ,,	
11	R. W. Barlow	O. M. D. Bell	Lease ...	1363	I	15	262	21st ,,	
12	Jugal Kisori Dasi	Rakhal Das Adhya and others ...	Mortgage ...	1400	I	43	287	7th Sept.	
13	Abdul Hakim	A. F. H. Williams	Lease ...	1456	I	56	91	28th Oct.	
14	Fakir Chand Gorai	Sasoda Mayi Dasi	Sale ...	1472	I	46	297	5th Sept.	
15	Dwarkanath Das	Virginia Allen & another	Lease ...	1477	I	27	296	9th ,,	
16	Col R. Jung	A. Force and another	Do. ...	1512	I	61	19	10th ,,	
17	Azeeza Joseph Solomon Joseph ...	P. G. Pole and others	Do. ...	1598	I	32	294	21st ,,	
18	Giridhari Lal Roy	A. C. Lawrie and another ...	Surrender of Lease.	1787	I	73	19	28th Oct.	
19	C. Caltopoulo	T. Bashford and another	Lease ...	1808	I	74	13	31st ,,	
20	J. F. Madan	R. R. Griffith and another ...	Do. and Agreement.	1937	I	60	112	25th Nov.	
21	W. Bryant	N. G. Pritchard and another ...	Lease ...	1946	I	67	146	25th ,,	
22	Hon'ble C. E. Buckland, C. I. E., and others.	A. C. Lawrie and others	Do. ...	1970	I	74	103	28th ,,	
23	Rabian Haq	Tabrej Mandal and another ...	Do. ...	2022	I	56	171	10th Dec.	
24	Ganga Prasad	Muhammad Jan and another ...	Sale ...	2150	I	65	210	28th ,,	
25	J. B. Watling	Kathleen Watling and another ...	Release and Agreement.	92	IV	8	56	2nd April.	
26	Jogindra Nath Das and another	Jogindra Nath Das and another	Partnership ...	176	IV	5	109	26th May.	
27	.....	R. N. Prasad	Declaration ...	293	IV	5	178	10th Aug.	
28	J. Nahapiet	Annada Mohan Roy	Power-of-Attorney.	376	IV	3	157	12th Oct.	
29	G. R. Grant and another	A. J. Gange and another	Partnership ...	398	IV	6	180	3rd Nov.	
30	I. A. Vetriano	Shaik Aboo	Power-of-Attorney.	445	IV	4	221	21st ,,	
									1903.
31	Azeeza Joseph Solomon Joseph ...	R. Pfieffer	Lease ...	1	II	...	...	.....	16th May.
32	Ditto ...	J. F. Shaunon and another ...	Do. ...	3	II	...	...	.....	6th July.
33	Ditto ...	S. Tomick	Do. ...	4	II	...	...	.....	7th August.
34	Upendra Nath Das and another ...	Raj Kumar Banerji and others ...	Reconveyance	1	II	...	...	.....	17th Jan.
35	Gour Charan Law and others ...	Kedar Nath Tamsuk Roy ...	Lease ...	2	II	...	...	.....	26th ,,
36	Nirode Behari Adhikari	Akshay Kumar Nandi	Sale ...	4	II	...	...	.....	14th Feb.
37	Ram Chandra Sikha	Bhairab Chandra Mukherji ...	Do. ...	8	II	...	...	.....	4th May.
38	Dina Nath Ghose	Surendra Nath Sur	Further charge	15	II	...	...	.....	3rd August.
39	Jogemaya Dasi	Satish Chandra Sarkar and others	Mortgage ...	17	II	...	...	.....	3rd ,,
40	Raj Kumari Dasi Choudhurani and another.	Jogendra Chandra Sen	Release ...	23	II	...	...	.....	3rd Nov.
41	Kesab Lal Das and others	W. S. Gasper and others	Lease ...	23	II	...	...	.....	17th ,,
42	Dhirendra Nath Datta	Surath Kumari Dasi and another	Agreement ...	28	II	...	...	.....	19th Dec.

Registered at the Calcutta Joint Sub-Registry Office.

								1903.	
1	Hafez Abdul Aziz	Haji Ersad Hossein	Lease ...	138	I	3	81	11th Feb.	
2	Purna Chandra Chakrabarti ...	Haradhan Mukerji	Mortgage ...	206	I	1	130	25th ,,	
3	Radasubini Dasi	Behari Lal Kalwar	Lease ...	214	I	4	70	25th ,,	
4	Nural Hussain	Nural Hossein and others ...	Do. ...	257	I	5	102	7th March.	
5	Purna Chandra Chakravarti ...	Mir Elahi Buksh	Sale ...	327	I	2	215	23rd ,,	
6	Lakshmi Narain Set	Saroja Moyi Dasi	Mortgage ...	505	I	4	297	7th May.	
7	S. C. Biswas	S. C. Biswas and another	Lease ...	569	I	15	28	21st ,,	
8	Kunja Lal De	S. C. Biswas	Do. ...	570	I	8	144	21st ,,	
9	Nabin Kali Debi	Lakshmi Narayan Datta	Release ...	576	I	14	38	21st ,,	
10	Kamini Mani Dasi	Girish Chandra Das and others ...	Reconveyance	588	I	14	117	10th June.	
11	Umesh Chandra Bandapadhya ...	Akshaya Kumar Addy	Lease ...	692	I	13	177	15th ,,	
12	Jogendra Nath Sadhukhan and another.	Sheik Mazahar Midda	Do. ...	710	I	11	142	19th ,,	
13	Protap Chand Jahury	Bihari Lal Rakotgy	Do. ...	730	I	14	151	22nd ,,	
14	Atul Kristo Saha	Brudoy Nath Das	Sale ...	842	I	15	231	25th July.	
15	Upendra Nath Basu	Kali Mani Dasi	Mortgage ...	1040	I	20	13	28th August.	
16	Charan Manjari Dasi and another	Gokul Chandra Khetri	Lease ...	1318	I	23	65	13th Nov.	
17	Ditto ...	Kishori Lal Khetri	Do. ...	1351	I	17	191	18th ,,	
18	Annapurna Dasi	Sarat Chandra Boral	Mortgage ...	1404	I	22	294	30th ,,	
19	Gopal Das Bairagi and others ...	Panchkari *alias* Panchan Das ...	Sale ...	1435	I	24	110	9th Dec.	
20	Janaki Nath Abartha	Ganga Shaw	Lease ...	1452	I	17	252	18th ,,	
21	Purna Chandra Mukerji and others	Lakshmi Mani Dasi and others ...	Reconveyance	1492	I	26	127	24th ,,	
22	Gobinda Nath Saha Chowdhuri and others.	Gobinda Nath Saha Choudhuri and others.	Agreement ...	32	IV	1	75	27th Feb.	
23	Nural Hossain and others	Nural Hossein and others ...	Partnership ...	47	IV	1	101	7th March.	
24	Bithul Das Kshetri	Tajaj Ahirun	Mortgage ...	83	IV	2	101	30th April.	
25	Shama Sundar Khetri	Rash Behari De	Ditto ...	166	IV	2	220	21st August.	
26	Jatish Chandra Samajpati	Annada Charan Mitra	Agreement ...	198	IV	2	276	12th Oct.	
27	Annada Charan Mitra	Jatish Chandra Samojpati ...	Ditto ...	199	IV	2	279	15th Oct.	
28	Panch Kari De	Makhada Debi and others ...	Sale ...	217	IV	3	59	15th Nov.	
				Serial No.					1903.
29	Chandi Charan Baral	Munni Lal Guzrati	Lease ...	612	I	...	...	.....	13th Oct.
30	Kishori Lal Khetri	Sohan Dai	Sale ...	1013	I	...	...	.....	3rd Sept.

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31	Chandi Charan Baral	Munni Lal Guzrati	Lease ...	613	I	2	...	.....	13th Oct.
32	Bijoy Narayan Bojpie	Matt Lal Barmon and others ...	Do ...	1392	I	...	...	.....	6th Nov.
33	Pran Kristo Basu	Sowdamini Dast ...	Agreement ...	1269	I	...	...	.....	2nd Dec.
34	Kedar Nath Datta	Ram Chandra Barman ...	Lease ,,	445	I	...	...	.....	16th July
				No.					Date of authentication.
35	Mirza Kazim Mirkhy	Fatima Khanum	General Power	185	for 1898		...	.....	2-9-1898.
36	Har Narain	Shegoraun and others ...	Special ,,	19	,, 1899		...	.....	14-1-1899.
37	Bhutnath Mazumdar	Adhar Chandra Datta and another	General ,,	282	,, 1899		...	.....	2-12-1899.
38	Asaini Kumar Mullick and others	Ambika Charan Mullik	Special ,,	38	,, 1900		...	.....	9-7-1900.
39	Giridhari Lal Sinha	Jeetmul Singha	General ,,	196	,, 1901		...	.....	2-10-1901.
40	Isan Chandra Chakrabarti and others.	Surendra Nath Roy	Special ,,	215	,, 1901		...	.....	21-11-1901.
41	Kali Kanta Ghosh and others ..	Bhupendra Bala	General ,,	257	,, 1902		...	.....	13-12-1902.
42	Siddik Hajee Hossein	Culegaboi	Ditto ,,	... ..	,, 1903				
43	Mahammad Saleh Abdul Satter ...	E. Wallace	Lease ...	.....					
44	Lakshmi Narain Mullik	Guru Charan Mullik ...	Agreement ..	.....	,, 1903				
45	Hazera Bibi	Niamatullah	Lease ...	.....					
46	Debendra Nath Pal	Brindaban Ch. Pal	Do. ...	.....	,, 1902				
47	Panchanon Singha	Binod Behari Nandan ..	Agreement ..						
48	Hira Lal Bhutra	Sarat Chandra Datta	Ditto ...						

Calcutta, the 14th September 1906.

A. C. MITRA, Offg. Registrar.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at 12 noon for the said arrears :—

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Pauti No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
35-4	Mondleghat, pargana Mondleghat.	2,23,423 3 8	Nil	5g. 11k. 3t. 6il share of the estate.	Jubur Lal Seal ...	3,970 5 2	Nil	89 7 5	Arrears of March 1906.

M. A. KADIR, Dy. Collr. in charge, for Collector.

NOTICE.

Bank of Bengal.

THE Directors have made the following changes in the Bank's European Establishment :

Mr. C. A. Croft to officiate as Cashier *vice* Mr. W. A. Gibbs, granted short, leave from 3rd to 16th October inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

HENRY GRAY,

Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

Calcutta, 22nd September 1906. (1064—1)

Treasure Trove.

IT is hereby notified, under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that on 9th July 1906, treasure consisting of the undermentioned articles and valued at Rs. 15-9 was found by Koragadi and Pakira Pujari while digging earth in Government Hill, Survey No. 4 of Kadoctu village, Mangalore taluk, South Canara district, in the Madras Presidency.

	Value. Rs.	A.
15 whole rupees	15	0
1 Silver Urku (talisman) weighing ¼ of a tola	0	4
1 gold earring weighing ½ Hana'uka ...	0	5
	15	9

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of South Canara at his office at Mangalore on Monday, the 4th March 1907, in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

M. AZIZ-UD-DIN, Collector.

South Canara Collector's Office, Camp Puttur, 15th September 1906.

Wanted

FIVE Theodolite Surveyors on Rs. 50 each per month for main circuit for a period of four months.

Fifteen Theodolite Surveyors on Rs. 35 each per month for village circuit for a period of five months.

One Head Computor on Rs. 40 per month for Traverse Calculation Work for a period of one year.

One Assistant Head Computor on Rs. 35 per month for Traverse Calculation Work for a period of one year.

Ten Computors on Rs. 30 each per month for Traverse Calculation Work for a period of six months.

Applications with copies of testimonials should reach the undersigned before the 15th October 1906. Preference shall be given to candidates having practical experience.

D. BHADURI,

In charge Settlement Officer, Mourbhanj (Orissa).

Baripada, the 18th September 1906. (1062—2)

Wanted

AN experienced and passed Accountant for the District Road Committee, Sonthal Parganas, on a salary of Rs. 75 per month, the post having fallen vacant temporarily at present, with prospect of service for three or four years. Applications will be received by the Chairman, District Road Committee, at Dumka, Sonthal Parganas, till the 10th October 1906.

N. N. GUPTA,
Vice-Chairman.

Dumka, the 13th September 1906. (1047—3)

Wanted

A SUB-INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS for the district of Khulna on Rs. 50 a month, excluding travelling allowance admissible under Civil Service Regulations. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th October next.

Preference will be given to a Muhammadan graduate. The selected candidate before being confirmed must undergo a period of probation for six months.

P. MUKERJI,
Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

Calcutta, the 21st September 1906.

Wanted

A TEMPORARY SURVEYOR for two months on a salary of Rs. 80 per mensem and a consolidated conveyance allowance of Rs 30 per month. An Upper Subordinate having experience of road works will be preferred.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to 10th October 1906. The selected candidate will have to join within 20th October 1906.

S. CHAKRABARTI,
Executive Engineer, Akhoyapada-Jajpur Divn.

Cuttack, the 19th September 1906.

Wanted

TEMPORARILY from November 1906 one Surveyor on Rs. 50 per month, one Surveyor on Rs. 40 per month, four Amins on Rs. 35 each per month and fifteen Amins on Rs. 20 each per month.

Applications will be received by the Deputy Commissioner of Jalpaiguri up to the 16th October 1906.

W. U. AHMED,
Deputy Collector and Settlement Officer.

Jalpaiguri, the 20th September 1906.

WANTED a Bihari Graduate to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Hazaribagh, on an initial pay of Rs. 50 a month. Applications with testimonials and statement of age to be sent in to the undersigned at once.

SASI BHUSHAN DUTT,
Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division.

Purulia, the 21st September 1906.

WANTED a Bihari Graduate for the Assistant Head Mastership of the Hazaribagh Zilla School on a monthly salary of Rs. 30 a month. Applications with copies of testimonials and statement of age to be sent in to the undersigned at once.

SASI BHUSHAN DUTT,
Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division.

Purulia, the 21st September 1906.

WANTED a Blacksmith on Rs. 40 a month, for the Industrial School at Ranchi. The principal duty of the blacksmith will be to train the pupils. He will also be expected to turn out work himself when required. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received up to the 15th October 1906.

SASI BHUSHAN DUTT,
Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division.

Purulia, the 21st September 1906.

Notice.

WANTED immediately a Superintendent for the Hindu Hostel of the Sibpur Engineering College. Salary Rs 45 with prospects. Security to the extent of Rs. 1,000 will be required. Apply stating age by letter enclosing copies of testimonials before 20th October.

P. BRÜHL,
Professor in charge,
Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

The 20th September 1906.

Notice.

WANTED an experienced Overseer under the District Board of Hooghly on a monthly pay of Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 80 by an annual increment of Rs. 5 *plus* Rs. 15 as conveyance allowance per month, to look after the Government civil works as well as District Board's works. None need apply who has not passed the Upper Subordinate Examination of the Sibpur Engineering College. The selected candidate will have to join at once. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received up to the 10th October 1906.

K. K. BISWAS, *for* Chairman.

Hoogh'y District Board's Office, Chinsura, the 19th September 1906. (1060—2)

Notice.

WANTED two Bengali-knowing Inspectors on a monthly salary of Rs. 35 each and twenty Bengali-knowing Amins on a monthly salary of Rs. 25 each for survey and settlement work in the Sundarbans during the cold weather of 1906-1907.

Applicants must either have served in the Survey of India Department or have certificates of their acquaintance with off-set cadastral work.

Wanted also four Clerks on Rs. 25 each and twenty Muharrirs on Rs. 20 each per mensem for settlement work. Applicants must know English and Bengali and their handwriting must be good.

Applications should be sent to the undersigned, and applicants should attend personally at the Sundarbans Settlement Office on Monday, 15th October 1906.

D. SUNDER, Settlement Officer, Sundarbans.

Alipur, the 19th September 1906.

Notice.

WANTED a Tahsildar for employment in the 24-Parganas Sundarbans on a pay of Rs. 30 per mensem with free quarters. He must know English and Bengali thoroughly and have experience in the management of a Tahsil Office and collection of revenue and his age should not exceed 30 years. His handwriting should be good. He will have to furnish a certificate that he is in sound health and physically fit for Government service. He will also have to furnish security in the sum of Rs. 1,500 in cash or in Government Promissory Notes.

Applications should be sent to the undersigned, and applicants may appear in person at the Sundarbans Settlement Office on the 15th October 1906.

D. SUNDER, Settlement Officer, Sundarbans.

Alipur, the 19th September 1906

Notice.

WANTED a Sheristadar for the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Singhbhum on a salary of Rs. 80 per mensem with every prospect of this being raised to Rs. 125. None need apply who has no previous experience of the work of a Magistrate's and Collector's office. Knowledge of Bengali, Kaithi-Hindi and Uriya languages necessary. Preference will be given to one having a knowledge of the laws, etc., applying specially to Chota Nagpur and of the Mundari or Ho language.

Applications with copies of testimonials and statements of age, pay of the present post, if any, held by the candidate, and his relationship with officers employed in this district will be received by the undersigned up to 15th October 1906.

R. C. HAMILTON,
Deputy Commissioner, Singhbhum.

Deputy Commissioner's Office, Chaibassa, the 15th September 1906.

Notice.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Overseer in the Alipur Duar subdivision, under the Jalpaiguri District Board, on Rs. 60 per mensem, *plus* horse allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem, for a period of six months, with the prospect of being made permanent after approved service.

No one need apply unless qualified under Government Notification No 5334 L. S.-G., dated 20th December 1901, paragraph 7, clause (1).

Every candidate for the post is also required to produce a medical certificate, together with certificates showing that he is able to ride and is of active habits.

Applications should reach undersigned on or before the 10th October 1906.

J. A. BEALE, District Engineer, Jalpaiguri
Dated Jalpaiguri, the 12th September 1906. (1044—3)

ANILENDRA NATH ROY CHOUDHURY intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court.
(1036—4—873)

GIRISH CHANDRA BASU, B.A., B.L., Pleader Judge's Court, 24-Parganas, intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.
(1061—4—888)

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 28th September 1906

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water sounded ings. Ft.	in.	REMARKS
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	19	6	
	Thence to Geriah ...	16	0	Mowntola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	15	0	Alampur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	12	0	Amanigunj.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa...	13	0	Giridharipur.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	18	0	Hajrapota.
Bhairab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	28	0	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	25	0	Khamardiar.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	17	0	Harbaria.
	Thence to Patkabari	22	0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	19	0	Sonatola.
Matha-bhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...	12	3	
	Thence to Dewanganj ...	16	0	Dewanganj.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	12	6	Dharmada.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	12	6	Kadipur.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...	21	3	Taltola.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissen-ganj and Hanskhali ...	21	0	Nootungram.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level	REMARKS
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges ...	Sahebganj ...	29-9-1906	6	17·00	85·00	Fall.
	Rampur Boalia...	.....	...	...	...	...
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah ..	30-9-1906	A.M. 7	18·60	63·60	Fall.
	Entrance of Bhairab Jalangi, Akriganj ..	30-9-1906	A.M. 7	17·25	55·20	Do.
	Entrance of Matabhanga ..	.....	...	...	...	...
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	30-9-1906	A.M. 8	37·50	64·30	Fall.
	Berhampore ...	1-10-1906	A.M. 7	21·00	54·75	Rise
	Katwa ...	29-9-1906	P.M. 5	28·75	38·91	Fall.
Jalangi	Krishnagar ...	29-9-1906	...	26·33	...	...
	Sarupganj ...	30-9-1906	Noon 12	24·90	24·90	Fall.
Matha-bhanga.	Hanskhali ...	29-9-1906	P.M. 4	23·40	54·25	Rise.

U. P. BAGCHI, *Asstt.*,
for *Offg. Exe. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.*

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office Calcutta		Route by which despatched.
	1906.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	Oct. 4	At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	3	Parcels, 5 P.M.; M.-O., 4 P.M.	Ditto ditto
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Memoirs of the Indian Meteorological Department, Vol. XX, Part I. By J. H. Field, Esq. Quarto. Paper cover. Re. 1.

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Monthly Weather Review, December 1905 and January 1906. (Illustrated by 8 plates.) Quarto. Paper cover. Re. 1 per month.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1906.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 29th September 1906.*

INDIA, SOUTH—CEYLON COAST.

Caution—A newly discovered shoal off Point de Galle.

No. 363 (first publication).—A telographic communication, dated 26th September, has been received from the Master Attendant, Colombo, stating that a four-fathom shoal has been discovered, with Galle light-house bearing N. 53° E. Edwards pillar N. 73° E. Whale rock N. 18½° W. Gindurah buoy N. 41½° W. Mariners are hereby warned.

The above bearings are true.

BAY OF BENGAL—HUGHLI RIVER ENTRANCE.

Intermediate light-vessel—Intended alteration.

No. 364 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 944 of 1906) that on or about 15th January 1907, the Intermediate light-vessel, river Hughli entrance, exhibiting a white fixed light, will be replaced by a light-vessel exhibiting a *white group flashing* light *every twenty seconds*, thus:—flash, *four seconds*, eclipse, *two seconds*, flash, *four seconds*, eclipse, *ten seconds;* it will be elevated 35 feet above the sea and visible in clear weather from a distance of 11 miles. A riding light elevated 12 feet above the sea will also be exhibited. The vessel, which is painted red and marked "Intermediate," will have no masts or day marks, and carry no crew; the light will therefore be unwatched. A bell will be sounded by the ship's motion.

Approximate position, lat. 21° 14′ N., long. 88° 11′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bay of Bengal, No. 70: Cocanada to Bassein river, No. 829: the Sandheads, No. 814: Also, List No. 348; and Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, pages 223, 224.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—KANGAROO ISLAND.

Port Kingscote—Alteration in lighting.

No. 365 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 947 of 1906) that the lighting of port Kingscote has been altered as follows:—

a. A *fixed* light, elevated 13 feet above high water, showing *red* to seaward, and *white* landward over the jetty, and visible from a distance of 4 miles, is exhibited from a post on the outer end of the jetty.

b. A *white fixed* light, visible from a distance of 8 miles, is exhibited from a house painted white, erected on the rise at the inner end of the jetty.

Approximate position, inner light, lat. 35° 39′ S., long. 137° 38½′ E.

These two lights in line mark the position of the telegraph bell buoy.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Gulf of St Vincent, &c., No. 2389a: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 1252; Australia Directory, vol I, 1897, page 315; and Supplement, 1900, page 14.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, WEST COAST.—TAMPAT TUAN BAY.

Tuan point—Intended light.

No. 366 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 954 of 1906), that it is intended to establish *a white group occulting* light, showing groups of three occultations *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *fifteen seconds;* eclipse, *three seconds;* light, *three seconds;* eclipse, *three seconds;* light, *three seconds;* eclipse, *three seconds;* from an open ironwork frame support, 45 feet high, and painted white, erected on Tuan point, Tampat Tuan bay: the light, which will be of the 4th order, will be elevated 203 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 13 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 14¾′ N., long. 97° 10′ E.

Further Notice will be given when this light has been established.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern archipelago, No. 941a; China Sea, No. 1263; Acheh head to Tyingkok bay, with plan, No 2760: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 75; China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 275; and Supplement, 1899, page 17.

CHINA SEA—SINGAPORE STRAIT.

Raffles light.—Date of alteration in character.

No. 367 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 3, dated 8th January 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No 960 of 1906) that the character of Raffles light, Coney island, will be altered from white fixed to *white group flashing*, showing groups of three flashes in quick succession *every ten seconds*, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 16 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 10′ N., long. 103° 44½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Malacca strait, No. 1555; cape Rachado to Singapore, No. 795; Banka straits to Singapore, No. 2757; approaches to Singapore, No. 3543; Singapore strait, Nos. 3403; 2704: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906 No. 437; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 201.

PACIFIC OCEAN—THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, EAST COAST—(ALBAY GULF.)

Legaspi—White light discontinued.

No. 368 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 207, dated 15th June 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 961 of 1906) that on or about the 20th July the white fixed light, elevated 67 feet above high water, formerly exhibited at a short distance to the northward of the town of Legaspi, would be discontinued. The *red fixed* light, which was subsequently established below the above light, would remain as before.

Approximate position on chart No. 3368, lat. 13° 9¼′ N., long. 123° 45½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bates island to San Bernardino island, No. 3368: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 689; Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1903, page 383; and Supplement, 1906, page 33.

AFRICA, SOUTH-EAST—Madagascar, west coast—Minow islands.

Nosi Mitsio—Shoal off the north end.

No. 369 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 966 of 1906) that a shoal, with a depth of 2½ fathoms over it, is reported to exist in Little sound, between Nosi Fisaka and the Northern extremity of Nosi Mitsio; it has been placed on the chart at a distance of 7 cables, West from mount Ankarana and marked P.D.

Approximate position, lat. 12° 50′ S., long. 48° 38′ E.

(Variation 7° Westerly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Plan of the Minow islands on chart No. 705: Also, islands of the Southern Indian Ocean, 1904, page 159.

The 29th September 1906.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Fuchan.

Min river entrance—Position of Fairway buoys altered.

No. 352 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 485, dated the 12th December 1905, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 910 of 1906) that the positions of the fairway buoys over the outer bar of the river Min have been altered as follows:—

1. Buoy No. 1 has been moved 5 cables N. 19° E. from its former position, and is now situated at a distance of $7\frac{1}{10}$ miles, S. 74° E. from Sharp peak ▲.
2. Buoy No. 2 has been moved 6 cables N. 13 W. from its former position, and is now situated at a distance of $5\frac{1}{10}$ miles S. 68° E from Sharp peak ▲.

Approximate position, Sharp peak ▲, lat. 26° 8′ N., long. 119° 40′ E.

(Variation 1° Westerly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—River Min, No. 2400: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 271.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Red sea, eastern shore.

Khor Ghuleifaka—Shoal in approach.

No. 353 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 912 of 1906) that the Master of the S.S. *Africa* reports having obtained a sounding of 1½ fathoms in the approach to Khor Ghuleifaka in a position from which the extremity of Ras Mujamela the northern point of "Low sandy island" bears N. 30° E., distant 4½ miles, and the southern extremity of the same island S. 75° E. Between this position and the coast to the eastward, the depths gradually increased to 4 and 5 fathoms.

Approximate position, lat. 14° 33¼′ N., long. 42° 51¼′ E.

(Variation 3° Westerly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Red sea, No. 8c; Jebel Teir to Perim Island, with plan of Khor Ghuleifaka, No. 143: Also, Red Sea, etc., Pilot, 1900, page 337.

JAPAN, SOUTH COAST—Volcano islands.

New island disappeared.

No. 354 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 364, dated 18th September 1905, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 915 of 1906) that the rocky island, about 2½ miles in extent, and 480 feet high, reported to have been thrown up by volcanic action, and situated at a distance of about 3 miles north-eastward from Minami Iwo jima (San Augustino), Volcano islands, is reported to have totally disappeared; it has therefore been erased from the charts.

Approximate position on chart No. 781, lat. 24° 20′ N., long. 141° 30′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Pacific ocean, No. 781: Also, Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 269.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—GILOLO, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Galela—Shoal in approach.

No. 355 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 917 of 1906) of the existence of a shoal, with a least depth of 2 fathoms over it, in the approach to Galela, situated in a position from which Salmudi point bears S. 62° E., distant 2 miles, and Loario point S. 3° E.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 57¼′ N., long. 127° 56½′ E.

(Variation 1° Easterly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—The Philippine islands, No. 943: Also, Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 441; and Supplement, 1906, page 41.

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND, WEST COAST.

Manukau bar—Signal when unsafe for outward-bound vessels.

No. 356 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 918 of 1906) that when the bar Manukau harbour is unsafe for outward-bound vessels, a *red* light will be exhibited by night from the signal station on the South head, or a signal to anchor made during the daytime. When the bar is passable the signal to proceed will be made during the daytime from the same station. These signals will be visible after passing Puponga point.

Approximate position, South head, lat. 37° 3′ S., long 174° 34′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Manukau harbour, No. 2726: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 250; and Revised Supplement, 1906, page 66.

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND, EAST COAST—AHURIRI ROAD.

Napier harbour entrance—Buoy established—Colour of buoys altered.

No. 357 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 919 of 1906) that a red conical buoy has been established to mark the foul ground extending south-eastward from Auckland rock, entrance to Napier harbour, in a position situated at a distance of 4¾ cables N. 5° E. from Napier or Ahuriri bluff flagstaff.

Approximate position, lat. 39° 27¾′ S., long. 176° 57′ E.

The colour of the buoy marking the breakwater foundations, situated at a distance of 4½ cables N. 13° E. from Napier bluff flagstaff, has been altered from white to black, and the buoy marking Auckland rock, situated at a distance of 5½ cables N. 1° E. from the same flagstaff, from black to red.

(Variation 14° Easterly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Napier port and harbour, No. 2513: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 158; and Revised Supplement, 1906, page 54.

AFRICA, SOUTH COAST—CAPE COLONY—ALGOA BAY.

Cape Recife light—Sector altered.

No. 358 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 926 of 1906) that a sector of *white fixed* light visible between the bearings of S. 39° W. and S. 11° W. is now shown immediately below the *white revolving* light exhibited from cape Recife lighthouse in place of the sector of red revolving light formerly shown over the Roman rocks in Algoa bay.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 1¾′ S., long. 25° 42′ E.

(Variation 28° Westerly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Indian ocean, No. 748a; Hondeklip bay to port Natal, No. 2095; cape St. Francis to Waterloo bay, No. 2085; Algoa bay, No. 642: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 15; and Africa Pilot, part III, 1905, page 125.

AFRICA, NORTH COAST—Gulf of Aden.

Aden light-vessel—Signals indicating depth in channel.

No. 359 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 927 of 1906) that when a vessel is entering or leaving the Inner harbour at Aden the depth for every foot between 24 and 33 feet in the Main channel will be indicated from the masthead of the inner light-vessel by means of the Numeral table given at page 421 of the International Code Signal Book, 1899, thus:—letters U. Z. are hoisted over the Code flag when there is a depth, of 24 feet in the channel, V. A. when there is a depth of 25 feet, and so on.

Letters C. and F. representing respectively flood and ebb tide will continue to be displayed from the ensign staff of this light-vessel as formerly.

Approximate position, lat 12° 47¼′ N., long 44° 58½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Aden, &c., No. 7: Also, Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1900, page 350; and Supplement, 1904, page 39.

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—Cole islands.

Ar (R) reef beacon re-established.

No. 360 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 214, dated 4th November 1899, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 942 of 1906) that the beacon on Ar (R) reef, Cole islands, in the route inside the Great Barrier reef of Australia, has been re-established.

Approximate position, lat. 14° 32′ 20″ S., long. 144° 55′ 10″ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Turtle group to Claremont point No. 2922: Also, Australia Directory, vol. II, 1898, page 362; and Supplement, 1900 page 14.

ARABIA, NORTH-EAST—Persian gulf, west coast.

Kuweit Harbour—Shoal patch reported at the entrance.

No. 361 (second publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 88 of 1906) that the Master of S.S. *Kola* reports that, on the 23rd August 1906, the vessel struck upon an uncharted shoal patch, with the Hill Fort bearing S. 83° W. (True), distant 1 to ½ mile from the shore, and that he buoyed the patch with a large cask painted red surmounted by a red flag attached to a 4 cwt. kedge anchor.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Persian Gulf, Western Sheet No. 2837b; Kuweit Harbour, No. 22; and Persian Gulf Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 155; and Supplement, 1905, page 19.

INDIA WEST—Bombay coast.

Rajpuri point light—Red Sector.

No. 362 (second publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 90 of 1906) that from the Rajpuri Point Light, the Red Sector is shown over Whale Reef between the following approximate bearings from seaward:—

N. 55° E. to N. 77° E. (magnetic).

Approximate position:

Latitude 18° 17′ N.

Longitude 72° 56′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Arabian Sea, No. 1012: Karachi to Vengurla, No. 826; Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug, No. 2736; Kundari to Boria Pagoda, No. 738; Janjira Harbour, No. 400; and West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, fourth edition, 1898, page 188; Supplement, 1905, page 15: Also, Admiralty List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 245, and List of Light-houses and Light-vessels in British India, 1905, No. 245.

The 21st September 1906.

CHINA, NORTH—YELLOW SEA—MANCHURIA.

Port Arthur or Lushan Kau—Buoys marking wreck in approach.

No. 340 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 301, dated 17th August 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 883 of 1906) that the wreck, with a depth of 10 fathoms over the hull, which sank in the approach to Port Arthur, in a position from which the 515-foot hill south-westward of Chikwan shan bears N. 15° W., distant $1\frac{1}{10}$ miles, has been marked by two conical buoys, painted in black and white horizontal bands, moored respectively at each end of the wreck.

Approximate position, lat 38° 44¾′ N., long. 121° 14½′ E.

Also, that the wreck, with a depth of 12 fathoms over it, which sank in a position situated at a distance of $1\frac{3}{10}$ miles S. 37° E. from Port Arthur light, has been marked in a similar manner.

(Variation 4° Westerly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of Pechili, No. 1798; Kwantung peninsula, No. 1392; Port Arthur, No. 1236: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 592.

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA.

Port Phillip entrance—Fairway channel widened and deepened.

No. 341 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 107, dated 4th April 1905, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further Notice (No. 886 of 1906) that the depth on the leading line in the channel abreast point Lonsdale, in the entrance to port Phillip, has been increased by blasting to 37 feet at low-water ordinary springs, this depth being maintained for a distance of nearly 3 cables to the eastward of that line.

Approximate position of channel, lat. 38° 18′ S., long. 144° 38′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Port Phillip entrance, Nos. 1171a and 2747: Also, Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897, page 432.

CEYLON, WEST COAST—COLOMBO HARBOUR APPROACH.

Nilkete rocks—Wreck disappeared.

No. 342 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 223, dated 26th June 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 891 of 1906) that the wreck of the S.S. *Kasan*, on the Nilkete rocks in the approach to Colombo harbour, has now totally disappeared.

Approximate position, lat. 6° 41′ N., long. 79° 52¾′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Ceylon, No. 813: Also, Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 77; and Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1898, page 93.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—MALAY PENINSULA, SOUTH COAST.

Singapore strait—Wreck in western approach.

No. 343 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 896 of 1906) that a wreck, with two masts above water, is reported to have sunk in the western approach to Singapore Main strait, situated in a position from which Raffles light bears S. 73° E., distant 8¾ miles, and Pulo Merambon N. 2° E.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 12½′ N., long. 103° 36½′ E.

(Variation 1° Easterly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Cape Rachado to Singapore, No. 795: Singapore strait, No. 2405: Also, China Sea Directory, Vol. I, 1896, page 206.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—BALI ISLAND.

Buleleng road light—Character altered.

No. 344 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 157, dated 12th May 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No 897 of 1906) that the character of Buleleng road light has been altered from fixed to a *white quick flashing* light visible in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles. The light, which is of the 6th Order, is produced by acetylene gas.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 5½′ S., long. 115° 5¾′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Indian ocean, No. 748b; Australia, etc., No. 2759a; Eastern Archipelago, No. 941b; Java island, No. 1654; plan of Buleleng road on Chart No. 934: Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 511; and Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 194.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA—MADURA STRAIT.

Meinderts reef light—Character altered.

No. 345 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 247, dated 5th July 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 898 of 1906) that Meinderts reef light has been altered from white fixed to *white occulting every ten seconds*, thus:—light, *five seconds*; eclipse, *five seconds*; the light, which is of the 4th Order, is produced by acetylene gas.

Approximate position, lat. 7° 40½′ S., long. 114° 26′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Indian ocean, No. 748b; Australia, No. 2759a; Eastern Archipelago, No. 941b; Java island, No. 1654: Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 506; and Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 140.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES, WEST COAST—MAKASSAR STRAIT.

Mampya road—Decreased depth on bank—Beacon erected.

No. 346 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 905 of 1906) that there is only a depth of 5 fathoms over the position of the 7 fathoms in Mampya bay, shown on the chart at a distance of $2\frac{5}{10}$ miles S. 79° E. from tanjong Mampya.

Also, that a beacon 16 feet high, surmounted by a white ball, has been erected on the extremity of the reef extending westward from Battowae, in a position situated $3\frac{3}{10}$ miles S. 42° E. from tanjong Mampya.

Approximate position, tanjong Mampya, lat. 3° 27′ S., long. 119° 17′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Strait of Makassar, No. 2637; plan of Mampya road on chart No. 3209: Also, Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 316.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Otago harbour entrance—Newly dredged channel—Buoyage altered

No. 347 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 110, dated 20th March 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No 906 of 1906) that a channel, having a least depth of 21 feet in it at low water, has been dredged to the northward of Middle bank, Otago harbour entrance; the north-western edge of this channel is marked as follows:—

a. A red pile beacon, exhibiting a *white fixed* light, established at a distance of $3\frac{3}{10}$ cables N. 61° W. from Maori Kaika jetty (Black head).

b. A red pile beacon, exhibiting a *white fixed* light, established at a distance of $3\frac{5}{10}$ cables N. 12° W. from Maori Kaike jetty.

c. A light buoy, painted red, exhibiting a *white fixed* light, moored at a distance of 4 cables N. 2° E. from Maori Kaike point.

The light-buoy exhibiting a red fixed light, formerly situated 50 yards to the eastward of No. 1 beacon on the Middle bank, has been withdrawn, and the white fixed lights, formerly exhibited from Nos. 2 and 3 beacons on the southern edge of the Middle bank, have been discontinued.

Approximate position, Maori Kaike point, lat. 45° 48¼′ S, long. 170° 44¼′ E.

(*Variation 16° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Otago harbour, No. 2411: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, Nos. 1681, 1681a; New Zealand Pilot, 1901, pages 293, 295; and Revised Supplement, 1906, page 69.

NEW ZEALAND—North island, west coast.

Kaipara harbour—Pouto point—Light established.

No. 348 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 907 of 1906) that on 27th June 1906, a *white fixed* lantern light visible from a distance of 5 miles would be established on Pouto point, Kaipara harbour entrance.

Approximate position, lat. 36° 21½′ S., long. 174° 11½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Maunganui bluff to Manu Kau harbour, No 2543; Kaipara harbour, No. 2614: Also, Light of Lights, Part VI, 1906, page 277; New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 246; and revised Supplement, 1906, page 65.

CHINA—SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Port Swatau—Shoals in approach.

No. 349 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 908 of 1906) of the existence of a shoal with a depth of 11 feet over it at low water, in the approach to port Swatau, situated in a position from which Squat rock bears N. 40° W., distant 3½ cables, and Green island summit S. 16° E.

Approximate position on chart No. 854, lat. 23° 16½′ N., long 116° 47¾ E.

There is another shoal with a depth of 16 feet over it at low water, situated at a distance of three-quarters of a cable N. 30 E. from the above.

(*Variation Nil in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Namoa island, No. 1957; port of Swatau, No. 854: Also, China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1904, pages 148, 153.

The 15th September 1906.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Rangoon river—Fairway buoy to be replaced by a lighted Oil buoy.

No. 350 (third publication).—The Principal Port Officer, Burma, has given notice, dated 12th September 1906, that the present Fairway buoy at the entrance to the Rangoon river will shortly be replaced by a lighted Oil buoy showing a fixed white light. The buoy will be painted in the same way as the present one, viz., with white and black horizontal bands. The change will be effected about the end of September.

The 17th Sepember 1906.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Bombay floating light replaced.

No. 351 (third publication).—A telegraphic communication has been received from the Port Officer, Bombay, stating that the Bombay floating light will be replaced by a white fixed light, which will be exhibited from the pilot schooner from the 21st to the 28th September inclusive.

The 18th September 1906.

ST. L. S. WARDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

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WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 1st October 1906.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	12·64	7¼	8	Rainfall scanty in Kalna, Katwa and Raniganj. Weather hot and cloudy. Harvesting of jute going on. Prospect of standing crops not bad in the Sadar subdivision. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	0·35	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	1·04	10	10	Weather seasonable. *Bhadoi* being harvested. More rain wanted. Condition of crops good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	0 65	10 to 12*	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospect of winter rice fair, but a little more rain is wanted. Price is gradually falling. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. * Common rice (old) sells at 9 seers a rupee at Sadar.
5	HOOGHLY ...	3·40	7	6½	Rainfall general. Weather cloudy. Prospects of jute, *aus* and *aman* paddy fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	3·08	8	7¼	Harvesting of *aus* paddy is going on. Jute is being cut and steeped. The outturn of the crop is expected to be normal. Winter rice and other standing crops are doing well. The recent rain has benefited the standing crops. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
7	24-PARGANAS	1·61	7	...	Rainfall general. Weather cloudy with slight showers. More rain wanted. Transplantation of *aman* finished. Harvesting of *aus* and jute continues. State of standing crops good. Condition of paddy fair and of jute good. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Number of persons in different thanas under relief are as follows :—Sonarpur 1,593, Tollygunge 282, Vishnupur 2,346, Behala 149, Canning 330, Mahestala 592, Baruipur 855, Falta 878, Magrahat 1,624, Diamond Harbour 184, Mathurapur 182, Dum-Dum 32, Kulpi 179, Jaynagar 1,081.
8	NADIA ...	3·88	8	7½	Prospects of standing crops favourable. Harvesting of *aus* and jute nearly complete. Sowing of *mung* and *kalai* going on. Recent rain has done good to *aman* paddy. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
9	MURSHIDABAD	1·55	8	7	Recent rain has done much good to *aman* paddy. Prospect of sugarcane and jute good. Jute is being cut and steeped in places. Recent rise of the Bhagirathi river damaged *kalai* and gram seedlings to a great extent in Lalbagh. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* New *aus* rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
		Inches.			
10	JESSORE	4·01		6½	Weather cloudy with heavy showers. Fall general. Much damage caused by flood in Narail, Jhenida and Magura. Flood subsiding. Harvesting of *aus* and jute continues. Prospect of *aman* paddy good. Fodder and water sufficient. High prices and slight distress.
11	KHULNA	·21			Rainfall general. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter rice estimated at 84 per cent. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
12	PATNA	1·01	9 14*	9 13*	Rainfall general. Weather hot in the day and slightly cold in the night. Harvesting of *aus* paddy commenced in places. Sugarcane doing well. The recent rain has done some good to the paddy crop. More rain wanted. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
13	GAYA	6·75	$8\frac{3}{16}$ $14\frac{5}{16}$	$8\frac{3}{16}$ $13\frac{13}{16}$*	Rainfall general and very beneficial to paddy crops. Weather hot and cloudy. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops over. Sugarcane doing well. Preparation of land for *rabi* sowing commenced. Flight of locusts passed through the Sadar station on 26th ultimo. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
14	SHAHABAD	0·72	9 12*	9¼ 13*	Rainfall general. This week's rain has much benefited the paddy crop, but more rain urgently wanted. Sugarcane doing well. Harvesting of *bhadoi* continues. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* sowing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Maize sells at 16 seers a rupee at Sasaram.
15	SARAN	1·40	8½ 14*	9 14*	Weather hot and cloudy. Fields being prepared for *rabi* sowing. Harvesting of *bhadoi* paddy almost finished. Prospect of sugarcane good. Rainfall of the week has done much good to the *aghani* paddy. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Number of persons receiving gratuitous relief is as follows:—at Siwan, men 32, women 129 and children 24; at Gopalganj, men 74; at Hathwa, men 166, women 317, children 473. Number of persons employed on test-work in the Siwan subdivision on 28th:—men 11 children 7.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	1·56	9½ 11½*	9¼	Weather hot and cloudy. Reaping and threshing of *bhadoi* crops going on. Fields are being prepared for *rabi* sowings. Rain badly wanted for winter rice. Sugarcane doing well. Prices almost stationary. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	0·40		9 13*	Weather cloudy and hot with light showers of rain in Sadar and Hajipur. More rain is required for winter rice. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Tobacco is being transplanted in the Hajipur subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient in Sadar and Hajipur. Report from Samastipur not received. Gratuitous relief for week ending the 26th September:—22 out of 32 centres have submitted weekly reports, giving daily average of 6,468.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
18	DARBHANGA ...	0·93	$8\frac{3}{4}$ 11*	$8\frac{1}{2}$ $10\frac{3}{8}$*	Weather hot and at times cloudy. More rain urgently wanted. Fields are being prepared for *rabi*. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease reported. Agriculturists' loans being given. Numbers of persons relieved at kitchens on the last day of the week are—Darbhanga 4,472, Bahera 14,123, Rosera 19,575, Samastipur subdivision 5,358, Madhubani subdivision 1,992. Number of persons on test-works for the latest day available are—Manihar 34; Saphul 69; Ayah 55; Bathasari 74; Shakar, Tablaund, Gandah 96; Rampatta 24; Chakmeasi nil; Rewara 185; Sreepur 121; Dasaut 118; Bhatha 182. Rosera test-work not yet properly opened.
19	MONGHYR ...	...	$6\frac{1}{2}$ 13*	$6\frac{1}{2}$ 13*	Rainfall at Sadar not reported. Weather cloudy for most part of the week. Prospect of standing crops fairly good, but rain urgently needed. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	0·42	$7\frac{9}{16}$ $12\frac{2}{5}$*	$7\frac{5}{8}$ 13*	Weather cloudy. There was light shower on the 30th evening. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops nearly finished. The outturn is good. Rain wanted for *aghani* paddy. Cattle-disease reported from four villages in the Madhipura thana. Many cases of cholera reported from all parts of the Supaul subdivision. A sanitary inspector has been deputed on cholera duty. Fodder and water sufficient.
21	PURNEA ...	0·62	7 12*	$6\frac{3}{4}$ 12*	More rain wanted for *aghani* paddy. Harvesting of jute and *bhadoi* nearly finished. High price of food-grains still prevails. Locusts passed through the district from west to east. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
22	DARJEELING ...	1·69	6 11*	6 11*	Weather seasonable. Hills—Maize and potato being harvested. Winter rice, *bhadoi* paddy and *marua* in fair state. Terai—*Bhadoi* paddy and jute being harvested. Sugarcane thriving. *Aman* paddy promising.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	1·59	7 22*	7 22*	Weather seasonable. Rain is urgently needed in outlying subdivisions. Prospect of sugarcane good and that of winter rice still fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
24	CUTTACK ...	2·80	$10\frac{1}{2}$	$9\frac{3}{16}$	*Biali*, *marua* and jute being harvested. *Saradh* being transplanted and weeded. Sugarcane growing. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	3·32	$10\frac{1}{2}$	10	Weather cloudy. Rainfall general. Weeding of *saradh* and harvesting of *asha* and jute continue. Sugarcane and vegetables doing well. Prospect fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
26	ANGUL ...	2·44	11	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crop and sowing of *rabi* crops continue. Cotton, sugarcane and winter rice doing well. Fodder and water-supply sufficient.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
27	PURI ...	1·54	10½	10½	Rainfall general. Weather seasonable. Sugarcane coming up well. Cotton thriving. *Bieli* and *marua* being harvested; expected outturn 70 per cent. Weeding of *saradh* going on. Miscellaneous crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	1·95	10½	12	Rain equally distributed throughout. Weeding of winter paddy approaching completion. Sowing of *mung* still continues. *At* crop is being cut in Bargarh tahsil. Harvesting of *bhadai til* finished and of maize and *aus* paddy in progress. The outturn being 14 annas in Sambalpur tahsil. Prospects of standing crops good and favourable in Bargarh. Condition of autumn paddy fair in Sambalpur tahsil. Cattle-disease prevalent in 34 villages. Fodder and water-supply sufficient.
29	HAZARIBAGH ...	...	10	9½	Prospects of standing crops good. *Bhadoi* being harvested Fodder and water sufficient. Rice sells at 8 seers at Giridih.
30	RANCHI ...	3·33	11½	11	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *gora* continues. Cattle-disease reported from three thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	3··8	9	8½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall general and beneficial to winter rice. Fodder and water sufficient. A few cases of cattle-disease reported.
32	MANBHUM ...	2·10	9	10½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. Transplantation of tobacco over. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Puralia thana.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	1·36	9	9	Weather cloudy and rainy. Harvesting of *aus* paddy going on. Prospect of harvests good. Damage to crops none. State of standing crops good. Cattle-disease reported from Kalikapur outpost and thana Chakradharpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice sells at 10 seers a rupee at Khaswan and at 12 seers at Seraikella.
34	COOCH BEHAR	9·34	5 4/7	5 4/7	Rainfall general. Weather stormy and rainy for the first part of the week. Transplantation of winter rice finished. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Mathabhanga and Dinhata.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—Rain was fairly general, the fall being light in Bihar except in Gaya, where it was heavy; it was also heavy at Cooch Bihar and the sadar station of Burdwan; in the rest of the Province the fall was for the most part moderate. The rain of the week has done some good to the *aman* paddy, but more rain is needed in Bihar districts, and also in some of the districts of the Burdwan Division. Damage by flood is reported from Murshidabad and Jessore. Distress continues in Darbhanga and also in Saran, Muzaffarpur and the 24-Parganas. Number of persons on gratuitous relief is—Darbhanga 45,520, Saran 1,215, Muzaffarpur 6,468, and the 24-Parganas, 10,307, total 63,510. Number of persons attending test-works is 18 in Saran and 958 in Darbhanga. Cattle-disease is reported from seven districts. Fodder and water are sufficient. The price of common rice has risen in seven and fallen in sixteen districts.

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for Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 23rd to 29th September 1906.

1906.		Mean Rain.	Mean Solar Radiation.	Temperature. Mean at 8	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Range.	Hygrometry. Mean at 8	Hygrometry. Mean at 14	Hygrometry. Vapour Tension.	Hygrometry. Mean Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction	Wind. Movement.	Rains.	Weather.
		Inches.								Inche	%			Inches.	
Sept.	23rd	147·1	3·6	29·635	86·2	92·3	11·6	80·7	80·5	0·983	78·7	81	E and E by N.	42	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, o.
	24th	141·4	1·0	·630	84·6	89·4	9·1	80·3	79·6	·991	79·0	91	E by N, NNE and Calm.	46		Cloudy, o, g, d, p, t.
	25th	129·5	1·6	·678	81·1	85·5	8·2	77·3	78·6	·957	77·9	91	E by S and SE	115	0·41	Cloudy, o, p, ☽.
	26th	110·7	8·6	·603	85·1	91·4	12·1	79·3	80·7	·993	79·0	82	SE and SW by W	83	0·61	Chiefly clear.
	27th	131·4	0·2	·624	81·3	85·9	8·7	77·2	76·8	·885	75·5	87	ENE, SSE and N by W.	48	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, o, g, d, p.
	28th	95·9	Nil	·661	79·8	82·9	5·7	77·2	78·1	·916	77·5	93	N by W, E by N and SE	43	0·36	Cloudy, o, g, d, p.
	29th	112·7	„	·705	82·6	85·9	6·0	79·9	79·8	·983	78·7	87	S.W and S by W.	139	0·15	Cloudy, o, g, d, p.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29.612
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·733
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	15·0
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	84·0
The mean temperature of the seven days	83·0
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	83·1
The extreme variation of temperature	15·1
The maximum temperature	92·3
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	11
The mean relative humidity	87
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	85
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 23rd to 29th September 1906	1·53
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	1·71
The total fall from 1st January to 29th September 1906	51·30
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	58·59

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; g, gloomy; d, drizzling rain; p, passing temporary showers; t, thunder; ☽, lunar corona.

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for *Director-General of Observatories.*

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA;

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th September 1906 on 1,271 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including steam-boat).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	346,620	1,50,610 0 0	22,73,670 0	3,90,590 0 0	23,380 0 0	5,64,580 0 0	57,765	63,128	120,893
Or per mile of railway ..	273	119 0 0	1,789 0	307 0 0	*2 0 0	428 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 10 weeks of half-year†	3,589,939	14,49,795 0 0	1,73,61,908 0	26,40,830 0 0	2,44,115 0 0	43,34,2?0 0 0	605,627	515,153	1,120,780
Total for 11 weeks ..	3,936,559	15,99,905 0 0	1,96,34,678 0	30,31,429 0 0	2,67,495 0 0	48,94,829 0 0	663,392	578,281	1,241,673
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	270,233	1,15,796 0 0	14,32,937 0	3,00,754 0 0	17,080 0 0	4,33,630 0 0	54,709	54,405	109,114
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,230 miles)	220	94 0 0	1,165 0	244 0 0	1 0 0	339 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	3,554,655	14,32,382 0 0	1,64,43,352 0	27,13,013 0 0	2,04,773 0 0	44,10,168 0 0	609,745	486,354	1,096,099

* Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 20,450.
† Audited up to week ending 4th August 1906.
Increase is due to jute and food grains traffic.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th September 1906 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	35,040	10,300 0 0	58,910 0	6,890 0 0	130 0 0	17,320 0 0	3,598	2,232	5,830
Or per mile of railway	414	120 0 0	685 0	80 0 0	1 0 0	201 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 10 weeks of half-year*	333,156	93,233 0 0	4,62,831 0	42,757 0 0	2,599 0 0	1,38,589 0 0	42,621	20,005	62,626
Total for 11 weeks ...	368,796	1,03,533 0 0	5,21,741 0	49,647 0 0	2,729 0 0	1,55,909 0 0	46,219	22,237	68,456
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	28,210	8,313 0 0	59,517 0	4,888 0 0	81 0 0	13,282 0 0	3,048	1,992	5,040
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	328	96 0 0	692 0	57 0 0	1 0 0	154 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year . ..	344,911	95,502 0 0	5,25,870 0	40,163 0 0	1,068 0 0	1,37,333 0 0	36,578	18,796	55,374

* Audited up to week ending 4th August 1906.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th September 1906 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
otal traffic for the week ...	2,910	1,090 0 0	17,670 0	1,570 0 0	10 0 0	2,670 0 0	509	843	1,352
r per mile of railway ...	87	32 0 0	526 0	47 0 0	.....	79 0 0	.....	.....	.....
or previous 10 weeks of half-year*	24,518	8,683 0 0	2,85,768 0	11,328 0 0	194 0 0	20,205 0 0	3,511	8,527	12,038
Total for 11 weeks ...	27,428	9,773 0 0	3,03,438 0	12,898 0 0	204 0 0	23,875 0 0	4,020	9,370	13,390
COMPARISON.									
otal for corresponding week of previous year	2,706	955 0 0	13,608 0	1,204 0 0	4 0 0	2,143 0 0	511	409	920
er mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	82	28 0 0	405 0	36 0 0	.....	64 0 0	.....	.....	.....
otal to corresponding date of previous year	31,753	11,317 0 0	1,14,027 0	9,994 0 0	96 0 0	21,407 0 0	5,454	4,370	9,824

* Audited up to week ending 4th August 1906.
† Includes Ballast train-miles, 500.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th September 1906 on 50·69 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	11,240	3,230 0 0	50,180 0	3,070 0 0	60 0 0	6,360 0 0	1,094	534	1,628
Average per mile of railway	222	64 0 0	990 0	60 0 0	1 0 0	125 0 0			
Total for previous 10 weeks of half-year*	87,668	26,548 0 0	2,20,464 0	11,627 0 0	315 0 0	38,490 0 0	12,001	4,899	16,900
Total for 11 weeks	98,908	29,778 0 0	2,70,644 0	14,697 0 0	375 0 0	44,850 0 0	13,095	5,433	18,528
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,997	2,157 0 0	22,697 0	1,025 0 0	23 0 0	3,205 0 0	1,092		1,524
Average per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	156	42 0 0	442 0	20 0 0		62 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	95,006	26,888 0 0	3,79,827 0	18,761 0 0	253 0 0	45,902 0 0	12,810		17,672

* Audited up to week ending 4th August 1906.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 15th September 1906 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	47,044	27,125 0 0	4,48,117 0	59,222 0 0	5,361 0 0	91,708 0 0	11,331	17,505	28,836
Average per mile of railway	61·26	35·32	581·22	76·81	6·95	119·08	14·75	22·70	37·45
Total for previous 10 weeks of half-year	418,716	2,44,532 0 0	32,06,378 0	4,71,242 0 0	65,397 0 0	7,81,171 0 0	114,012	166,404	280,416
Total for 11 weeks* ...	465,760	2,71,657 0 0	36,55,495 0	5,30,464 0 0	70,758 0 0	8,72,879 0 0	125,343	183,909	309,252
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	33,659	21,520 0 0	2,66,385 0	44,041 0 0	4,562 0 0	70,126 0 0	9,641	19,976	29,617
Average per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	45·67	29·20	359·08	59·52	6·16	94·88	13·08	26·99	40·07
Total to corresponding date of previous year	394,312	2,37,811 0 0	23,50,581 0	4,24,489 0 0	51,279 0 0	7,13,579 0 0	113,207	165,735	308,942

* Includes Noakhali Railway earnings Rs. 18,115 and train-mileage 9,594.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 15th September 1906.			Receipts for week ending 16th September 1905.			Total receipts from 1st April 1906 to 15th September 1906.			Total receipts from 1st April 1905 to 16th September 1905.			Total increase in 1906.	Total decrease in 1906.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
771	91,708	119·08	740	70,126	94·88	771	18,04,711	...	740	14,14,558	...	3,90,153	

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 22nd September 1906	Coaching ...	13,052	0	0	23,529	0	0
	Goods	10,287	0	0			
	Other earnings	190	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1905 ...	Coaching	7,661	0	0	16,690	0	0
	Goods	8,968	0	0			
	Other earnings		0	0			
		Increase			6,839	0	0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 22nd September 1906					461	5	8
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905					327	4	1
		Increase			134	1	7
Receipts from 1st July to 22nd September 1906					1,90,063	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905					2,00,671	0	0
		Decrease			10,608	0	0

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PART I.

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ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 34 O A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3385 A.D.—The 8th October 1906.*—Mr. Manmatha Krishna Deb, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Midnapore, is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the first grade, with effect from the 4th October 1906.

Midnapore.

No. 3387 A.D.—The 8th October 1906.—Babu Mathura Nath Banarji, whose service have been replaced under this Government in Home Department Notification No. 946, dated the 15th August 1906, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to be a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the eighth grade.

No. 3389 A.D.—The 8th October 1906.—Babu Banka Bihari Singh, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of this Government in Home Department Notification No. 1163, dated the 3rd October 1906, is appointed to be a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the fifth grade, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Bhagalpur district.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3404A.D.—The 9th October 1906.—The order of the 17th September 1906, appointing Mr. E. H. Berthoud, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, on leave, to act, until further orders, as Deputy Commissioner of Hazaribagh, *vice* Mr. C. A. Radice, on leave, is cancelled.

Hazaribagh.

No. 3406A.D.—The 9th October 1906.—Mr. J. A. L. Swan, I.C.S., Private Secretary to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Deputy Commissioner of Hazaribagh, *vice* Mr. C. A. Radice, on leave,

Calcutta.
Hazaribagh.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 3317A.D.—The 5th September 1906.*—Mr. Stanley George Lawrence Platts is appointed to be Lieutenant of the Volunteer Reserves attached to the 2nd Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles, with effect from the 1st March 1906.

POLICE.—*No. 3399A.D.—The 9th October 1906.*—The sanction of His Majesty's Secretary of State for India to the reorganisation of the Police Department in Bengal having been received, the following appointments are made with effect from the 1st April 1906 :—

To be Inspector-General of Police on Rs. 2,500—100—3,000.

Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore.

To be Deputy Inspectors-General of Police (2)—on Rs. 1,800.

1. Mr. A. V. Knyvett, C.I.E.
2. „ R. F. Guise.

To be Deputy Inspectors-General of Police (2)—on Rs. 1,500.

1. Mr. T. C. Orr.
   „ *A. B. Barnard, but seconded while on deputation.*
2. „ C. W. C. Plowden.

To be Superintendents of Police—First grade (2)—Rs. 1,200.

1. Mr. G. W. S. Cox.
2. „ P. A. Sandilands.

To be Superintendents of Police—Second grade (6)—Rs. 1,000.

1. Mr. W. D. Aberorombie.
2. „ W. C. Fasson.
3. „ R. C. Castle.
4. „ S. N. Walker.
5. „ J. Cowie.
6. „ R. T. Dundas.

To be Superintendents of Police—Third grade (10)—Rs. 900.

1. Mr. H. B. St. Leger.
2. „ K. B. W. Thomas.
3. „ H. C. L. Bamber.
4. „ F. C. Daly.
5. „ R. F. G. Godfrey-Faussett.
6. „ C. E. Briscoe.
7. „ A. R. G. Hampton.
8. „ J. R. Berington.
9. „ F. N. Warden.
10. „ C. B. Drake-Brockman.

To be Superintendents of Police—Fourth grade (10)—Rs. 800.

1. Mr. J. V. Ryan, B.A., LL.D., Barrister-at-Law.
2. „ W. H. Cornish.
3. „ R. E. Bradley.
4. „ F. D. Savi.
5. „ C. E. Ezechiel.
6. „ R. B. Hyde.
7. Lord Terence Browne.
8. Mr. H. A. Kelso.
9. „ F. C. T. Halliday.
10. „ W. Swain.

To be Superintendents of Police—Fifth grade (12)—*Rs. 700.*

1. Mr. J. E. Armstrong.
2. „ H. A. S. Burt.
3. „ T. C. Simpson.
   „ *J. A. Stevens, but seconded while on Deputation.*
4. „ E. H. Corbett.
5. „ F. L. Peters.
6. „ R. S. F. Macrae.
7. „ A. O. Johnstone.
8. Babu Janaki Prasad Tiwari.
9. Mr. J. D. Boylan.
10. „ R. Clarke.
11. „ W. Y. Reily.
12. Babu Girindra Chandra Mukharji.

To be Assistant Superintendents of Police—First grade (10)—*Rs. 500.*

1. Lt. F. S. McNamara.
2. Mr. R. J. Hirst.
3. „ C. A. Tegart.
4. „ W. A. Knyvett.
5. „ H. H. Duff.
6. „ L. H. Burton.
7. „ J. F. Dickinson.
8. „ T. J. A. Craig.
9. „ G. C. Denhan.
10. Vacant.

To be Assistant Superintendents of Police—Second grade (10)—*Rs. 400.*

1. Mr. J. E. Bown.
2. „ J. V. B. R. Bromage.
3. „ J. P Feeny.
4. „ F. P. Walker.
5. „ C. H. M. Horne.
6. „ W. A. P. Sealy.
7. „ C. H. Waterworth.

These officers will draw Rs. 300 until they have passed the Departmental Examinations completely.

8. Vacant.
9. Vacant.
10. Vacant.

To be Assistant Superintendents of Police—Third grade (4)—*Rs. 300.*

1. Mr. F. C. Swaine.
2. Vacant.
3. Vacant.
4. Vacant.

No. 3408A D.—The 9th October 1906.—Mr. W. A. Knyvett, Assistant Superintendent of Police, in charge of the School for the training of constables, Bhagalpur, is transferred to Purnea, and is appointed to hold charge of the district Police of that district.

Bhagalpur. Purnea.

No. 3410A.D.—The 9th October 1906.—Rai Dinabandhu Bhaumik Bahadur, Deputy Superintendent of Police, is posted to Purnea, on being relieved of the charge of the District Police of that district.

Purnea.

No. 3412A.D.—The 9th October 1906.—Mr. J. P. Feeny, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, in charge of the District Police Darbhanga, is appointed to be Principal of the School for the training of constables, Bhagalpur.

Darbhanga. Bhagalpur.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3334A.D.—The 6th October 1906.*—The order, dated the 21st August 1906, granting privilege leave for fourteen days, with effect from the 8th September 1906, to Mr. S. R. Hignell, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Palamau, is cancelled.

Palamau.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 3323A.D.—The 5th October 1906*—Captain Arthur George Pritchard, Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for six months with effect from the 1st October 1906.

POWERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3331A.D.—The 5th October 1906.*—Babu Bhabataran Chatarji, Deputy Collector is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894 in the districts of Murshidabad and the Sonthal Parganas.

Murshidabad. Sonthal Parganas.

No. 3282A.D.—The 8th October 1906.—Mr. Manmatha Krishna Deb, Covenanted Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Midnapore.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of the 6th October 1906:—

No. 10054C.—The 29th September 1906.—Mr. H. E. Stapleton, Officiating Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, is granted privilege leave of absence for two months and twenty-four days, under articles 272 and 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 4th October 1906.

No. 10057C.—The 29th September 1906.—Babu Joy Gopal De, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, is appointed to act as Inspector of Schools, Surma Valley, during the absence, on deputation, of Rai Sahib Promoda Kumar Basu, or until further orders.

No. 10058C.—The 29th September 1906.—Babu Mahim Chandra Basu, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Dacca, is appointed to act as Assistant Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Joy Gopal De, or until further orders.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Patna, Ranchi, Singhbhum, Sonthal Parganas, 24-Parganas and Khulna.

No. 2714T.R.—The 2nd October 1906.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B. C.) of 1875, the following officers of the Survey of India Department are appointed to be Assistant Superintendents of Survey in the districts noted against their names:—

Name.	Official rank.	District or districts in which appointed.
Mr. C. A. O'Donel ...	Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India.	Monghyr and Patna.
„ N. Bedford ...	Ditto ...	Monghyr.
„ T. W. Babonau ...	Ditto ...	Monghyr and Bhagalpur.
„ C. S. Kraul ...	Ditto ...	Ranchi, Singhbhum and Sonthal Parganas.
„ C. H. G. Johnson ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ditto.
„ H. A. Hardless ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ditto.
„ P. F. Delaney ...	Sub-Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India.	24-Parganas and Khulna (Sundarbans).

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2705T.R.—The 1st October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for improving the sanitary condition of Bankipore in the villages of Bankipore Jaibar and Muharrampur, pargana Azimabad, zilla Patna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 9 bighas 8 cottahs and 3·42 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Patna.

North—By the main road to Patna City and Post-office;
South—By the wall of the Bank of Bengal;
East—By the lawn and Post-office;
West—By the house of Mr. Pirris and a public lane—

is required within the aforesaid villages of Bankipore Jaibar and Muharrampur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Patna.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2706T.R.—The 1st October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the residence of the 3rd Munsif of the Satkhira Civil Court in the village of Kattia, pargana Booran, zilla Khulna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land are required within the aforesaid village of Kattia—

Khulna.

Plot No. 1—Measuring, more or less, 15 cottahs 8 chitaks of standard measurement, is bounded on the north by the road to Satkhira, on the south and east by the land of Babu Girija Nath Roy Choudhury and others, and on the west by the 1st Munsif's residence.

Plot No. 2—Measuring 1 cottah 4 chitaks, more or less, is bounded on the north by the Satkhira Road, on the south by Babu Girija Nath Roy Choudhury and others' land, on the east by the 2nd Munsif's residence, and on the west by the municipal road-side land.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Collector of Satkhira.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2709T.R.—The 2nd October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for new grid at Goalbathan, in the village of Khadimpur, pargana Vanderdaha, zilla Nadia, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 15 bighas 16 cottahs 7 chitaks and 25 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the River Ganges and Eastern Bengal State Railway's land, on the east by Eastern Bengal State Railway's land, on the south and west by the village land of Khadimpur, is required within the aforesaid village of Khadimpur.

Nadia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Rajbari Section, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2710T.R.—The 2nd October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for gang hut at mile 49, Murshidabad Branch, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the village of Putcha Chandpur, pargana Bagwan, zilla Nadia, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 cottahs 13·77 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows—

Nadia.

North—Land acquired for Murshidabad Branch Railway and the land of Elahi Biswas,

South—Land of Jhapu Mandal and Madhu Biswas and Elahi Biswas,

East—Land acquired for Murshidabad Branch Railway and the land of Madhu Biswas—

West—Land of Jhapu and Elahi Biswas,

is required within the aforesaid village of Putcha Chandpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Nadia.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2747 T.R.—The 8th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal and North-Western Railway for a public purpose, viz., for a road diversion, in mile No. 44 of the Mansi-Bhaptiahi extension of the Tirhut State Railway, in the village of Bakhtiarpur, pargana Farkia, zilla Monghyr, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 1 cottah and 10·66 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Monghyr.

North—By the Garden of Bibi Azimonnissa Choudhrani;

South and East—By the land being acquired for the Bengal and North-Western Railway as per trenches;

West—By the Zirat land of Bibi Azimonnissa Choudhrani;

is required within the aforesaid village of Bakhtiarpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2748T.R.—The 8th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Rohua Nulla Diversion, in the village of Daruabari, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 34 bighas 3 cottahs and 10 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Champaran.

North—By the Canal and Daruabari Forest;

South—By the waste land of Bettiah Raj and Daruabari Bazar village;

East—By the cultivated land on edge of Tal;

West—By the Canal and waste land of Bettiah Raj;

is required within the aforesaid village of Daruabari.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2749 T.R.—The 8th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Diversion channel of Kanghusari Acqueduct in the village of Bherihari, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 24 bighas 2 cottahs 13 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north, south, east and west by the parti land of Bettiah Raj, is required within the aforesaid village of Bherihari.

Champaran.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division at Motihari.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2750 T.R.—The 8th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Gaya District Board, for constructing approaches of proposed bridge over the Poonpoon river, in the village of Kinjur, pargana Urwal, zilla Gaya, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 7 bighas and 4 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Gaya.

North—By orchard land of Mr. Solano of Arwal and houses of Radha Kissun, Tilak Koeri and Koer Koeri of Kinjur;

South—By orchard land of Mr. Solano and houses of Goga Sonar and Fouzdar Dusadh, etc., of Kinjur;

East—By the road land of Kinjur-Sanda road;

West—By the road land of Jehanabad-Urwal road and land of Kinjur;

is required within the aforesaid village of Kinjur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, Gaya.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2751 T.R.—The 8th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal and North-Western Railway for a public purpose, viz., for repairing flood damages caused to the Eastern branch of the Tirhut State Railway at mile No. 71 in the village of Majhari, pargana Naridigar, zilla Bhagalpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land measuring, more or less, 19·73 acres of standard measurement, bounded as follows—

Bhagalpur.

PLOT A.

North—Land already acquired for the Eastern Branch of the Tirhut State Railway,

South—Jote lands of Anand Lal Thakur, Chintaman Thakur, Ambica Prasad, Bhagiruth Jha, Gobind Koery, Hurdyal Raot, Kokan Gope, Babu Lal Raot, Khudan Gope, Jangal Gope, Gobind Gope, Hurdyal Raot, Chua Gope, Kokan Gope, Jahuri Kauria, Chua Gope, Pirthi Gope, and Debi Kunjea of Majhari,

East—Land already acquired for the Eastern Branch of the Tirhut State Railway,

West—Jote lands of Bachkun Khutwa and Audh Lal Thakur of Majhari;

PLOT B.

North—Jote lands of Nand Kishore Thakur, Massamat Bhaia Thakurani, Chintaman Thakur, Nand Kishore Thakur, Jiban Raot, Kamal Narain Jha, Janki Raot, Jahuri Kawria, Chooni Kunjea, Jhoomak Mulka, Soman Kunjea, Kanchan Kunjea, Bunni Kunjea, Hussaini Kunjea, Soman Gope, Parsi Mulla, Abdul Kunjea, Soman Gope, Beni Kunjea, Kanchan Kunjea, Tali Mean, Khudan Gope and Gobind Sohnager of Majhari,

South—Land already acquired for the Eastern Branch of the Tirhut State Railway,

East— Ditto ditto ditto,

West—Jote lands of Kamal Narain Singh, Bachkun Dhobi, Pyari Dhobi, Parmeshwari Thakur, Nand Kishore Thakur and Chintaman Thakur of Majhari—

are required within the aforesaid village of Majhari.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector Bhagalpur.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3401A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No 2850A.D.—The 10th September 1906.—Babu Jogendra Nath Mukharji, No. II, Subordinate Judge, is appointed to be Subordinate Judge of Shahabad, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Arrah and Buxar Munsifs.

Shahabad

PROMOTION.

No. 3359A.D.—The 8th October 1906.—The following promotions, confirmations and appointments are sanctioned in the Judicial branch of the Provincial Civil Service after consultation with the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam :—

Promoted to the first grade of Subordinate Judges.

Babu Lal Bihari Dey, with effect from the 14th July 1906, *vice* Babu Lal Gopal Sen, retired.

„ Tej Chandra Mukharji, with effect from the 20th July 1906, *vice* Babu Srigopal Chatarji, retired.

Promoted to the second grade of Subordinate Judges.

Babu Purna Chandra De, with effect from the 14th July 1906, *vice* Babu Lal Bihari Dey, promoted to the first grade.

„ Purna Chandra Ghosh, with effect from the 20th July 1906, *vice* Babu Tej Chandra Mukharji, promoted to the first grade.

Confirmed in the third grade of Subordinate Judges.

Babu Tarak Chandra Das, with effect from the 8th July 1906, the date on which the sanction of His Majesty's Secretary of State for India to the permanent addition of one appointment of Subordinate Judge for employment in the 24-Parganas district was received in India.

Appointed to the third grade of Subordinate Judges.

Babu Ashwini Kumar Basu, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 25th June 1906, in the temporary appointment sanctioned for the Additional Subordinate Judge, Darbhanga, and substantively, with effect from the 14th July 1906, *vice* Babu Purna Chandra De, promoted to the second grade.

„ Jogendra Nath Chakrabatti, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 14th July 1906, *vice* Babu Ashwini Kumar Basu, appointed substantively to the third grade.

Confirmed in the first grade of Munsifs.

Babu Surendra Nath Ghose, with effect from the 8th July 1906, *vice* Babu Tarak Chandra Das, confirmed in the third grade of Subordinate Judges.

Promoted to the first grade of Munsifs.

Babu Umesh Chandra Chakrabatti, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 25th June 1906, and substantively, with effect from the 14th July 1906, *vice* Babu Ashwini Kumar Basu, appointed to the third grade of Subordinate Judges.

„ Lalit Mohan Das, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 14th July 1906, *vice* Babu Jogendra Nath Chakrabatti, appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the third grade of Subordinate Judges.

Confirmed in the second grade of Munsifs.

Babu Girindra Lal Ray, with effect from the 8th July 1906, *vice* Babu Surendra Nath Ghose, confirmed in the first grade.

Promoted to the second grade of Munsifs.

Babu Manmatha Nath Bose, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 25th June 1906, and substantively, with effect from the 14th July 1906, *vice* Babu Umesh Chandra Chakrabatti, promoted to the first grade.

„ Charu Chandra Mitra, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 14th July 1906, *vice* Babu Lalit Mohan Das, promoted substantively *pro tempore* to the first grade.

Confirmed in the third grade of Munsifs.

Babu Bipin Bihari Mukharji, with effect from the 8th July 1906, *vice* Babu Girindra Lal Ray, confirmed in the second grade.

Promoted to the third grade of Munsifs.

Mr. Saiyid Nasir-ud-din Ahmad, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 25th June 1906, and substantively, with effect from the 14th July 1906, *vice* Babu Manmatha Nath Bose, promoted to the second grade.

Babu Naravan Chandra Ghose, substantively *pro tempore*, with effect from the 14th July 1906, *vice* Babu Charu Chandra Mitra, promoted substantively *pro tempore* to the second grade.

Confirmed in the fourth grade of Munsifs

Babu Praphulla Chandra Datta, with effect from the 8th July 1906, *vice* Babu Bipin Bihari Mukharji, confirmed in the third grade.

„ Ramesh Chandra Basu, with effect from the 14th July 1906, *vice* Mr. Saiyid Nasir-ud-din Ahmad, promoted substantively to the third grade.

Appointed substantively pro tempore to the fourth grade of Munsifs.

Babu Birendra Kumar Datta, Officiating Munsif of Kandi, Murshidabad.

„ Kamini Kumar Datta, Officiating Additional Munsif, Madaripur, Faridpur.

„ Kunja Bihari Ballabh, late Officiating Munsif, Dacca, under orders of posting to Howrah.

POWERS.

No. 3353A.D.—The 8th October 1906. Under the authority vested in the Local Government by sub-section (2), section 8, of the Reformatory Schools Act, VIII of 1897, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to invest Mr H. C. Liddell, Officiating Joint-Magistrate, Howrah, with the powers conferred by the sub-section (1) of the said section.

Howrah.

Mr. H. C. Liddell is also vested, under section 407 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, with powers to hear appeals from convictions by Magistrates of the second and third classes and also with powers under section 435 (1) of that Code

No. 3355A.D.—The 8th October 1906.—Babu Braja Bangshi Sahay, Deputy Magistrate, Sasaram, Shahabad, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Shahabad.

No. 3389A.D.—The 8th October 1906.—Babu Banka Bihari Singh, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Bhagalpur district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, and with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Bhagalpur.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENT.

Champaran. *No. 2139J.D.—The 4th October 1906.*—Babu Ramdhari Singh is re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Motihari, in the district of Champaran.

RESIGNATION.

Purnea. *No. 2454J.D.—The 6th October 1906.*—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. V. E. Weatherall of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Purnea.

POWERS.

Champaran. *No 2140J.D.—The 4th October 1906.*—Babu Ramdhari Singh, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Motihari, in the district of Champaran, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class. He is also authorized to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him and empowered, under section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Darbhanga. *No. 2331J.D.—The 19th September 1906.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare under sub-section (1) of section 26 of the Succession Certificate Act, 1889 (VII of 1889), that so much of the Judicial Department Notification dated the 12th April 1892, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th idem, as vests the Munsif of Darbhanga with the functions of a District Court under the said Act is hereby withdrawn.

T. W RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1741P.—The 9th October 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 40 of the Income-tax Act, 1886 (II of 1886), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to invest the Political Agent, Orissa Feudatory States, with the powers of a Collector under the said Act for the purpose of granting certificates in respect of interest on Government securities in Forms B, C and D prescribed in Rule 9 of the Notification issued by the Government of India, in the Department of Finance and Commerce, No. 2763, dated the 6th June 1890, when such securities are held by persons residing outside of British India.

No. 1742P.—The 9th October 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 40 of the Income-tax Act, 1886 (II of 1886), and in supersession of the notification of this Government, dated the 8th November 1887, published at page 928, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th idem, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to invest the Commissioner of Chota Nagpur, in his capacity as Political Officer in charge of the Political States of Seraikella and Kharsawan, with the powers of a Collector under the said Act for the purpose of granting certificates in respect of interest on Government securities in Forms B, C and D, prescribed in Rule 9 of the Notification issued by the Government of India, in the Department of Finance and Commerce, No 2763, dated the 6th June 1890, when such securities are held by persons residing outside of British India.

No. 1743P.—The 9th October 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by paragraph 2 of the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 1431-I., dated the 27th April 1893, and by section 18 of the Prisoners Act, 1900 (III of 1900), and in pursuance of the general authority which has been conveyed to him in accordance with the provisions of the aforesaid section by the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the Courts mentioned below shall send their warrants for the execution of capital sentences passed on offenders in Native States within their jurisdiction to any of the jails in British territory specified against their respective names, and that the Superintendent of such jail shall thereupon execute all such sentences:—

Name of Court.	Name of Jail to the Superintendent of which warrants to be issued.
Commissioner of Orissa	Cuttack, Sambalpur, Midnapore or Balasore.
Political Agent, Orissa Feudatory States ...	Cuttack, Sambalpur, Midnapore or Balasore.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 5th October 1906.

No. 185.—Rai Sahib Annada Prasad Sarkar is appointed to be Executive Engineer of the Calcutta Special Works Division.

No. 186.—Babu Gyanesh Chandra Bhattacharji, Assistant Engineer, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the 2nd Calcutta to the Calcutta Special Works Division.

The 6th October 1906.

No. 188.—With reference to Bengal Government Notification No. 183, dated the 28th September 1906, Mr. Kusum Kumar Chaterji, Assistant Engineer, third grade, is posted to the Calcutta Special Works Division.

No. 190.—With reference to Bengal Government Notification No. 183, dated the 28th September 1906, Mr. F. A. Betterton, Assistant Engineer, third grade, is posted to the Pusa Division.

The 8th October 1906.

No. 192.—Mr. H. H. Green, Executive Engineer, first grade, is attached on special duty to the office of the Superintending Engineer, Northern Circle, from the forenoon of the 2nd to the afternoon of the 3rd October 1906.

No. 193.—Mr. B. K. Finnimore, Superintending Engineer, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India extraordinary leave without allowances for two days in extension of the six months' combined leave previously granted.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 6th October 1906.

No. 189.—With reference to Bengal Government Notification No. 183, dated the 28th September 1906, Mr. L. M. Friday, Assistant Engineer, third grade, is posted to the Champaran Division.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 26th September 1906.

No. 7.—Notification.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section VI of Act V (B.C.) of 1864, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that the following foot-note be added to the schedules of tolls notified for the Orissa Canals as No. 33, dated 15th June 1903, which was published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th June 1903, Part I, pages 808-814 :—

Launches, whether carrying cargo or passengers or not and whether plying single-handed or engaged in towing flats, shall in all cases on the Orissa Canals be regarded for the purpose of assessing tolls as empty. This will have effect from 1st October 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 5th October 1906.

No. 103 Marine.—It is hereby notified for general information that under the provisions of section 6 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, Babu Jadoo Nath Sen has been elected by the Corporation of Calcutta to be a Commissioner of the Port of Calcutta, *vice* the Hon'ble Babu Radha Charan Pal, whose term of office will expire on the 16th instant.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 5th October 1906.

No. 187.—Babu Nanda Lal De, Supervisor, is transferred from the 2nd Calcutta to the Calcutta Special Works Division.

M J. SCOBIE,
Chief Engineer.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 8th October 1906.

No. 191.—The following promotions are made in the Upper Subordinate Establishment with effect from the 29th August 1906:—

Name.	From—	To -	Nature of promotion.	Division in which employed.
Jagat Narayan ...	Supervisor, 2nd grade.	Supervisor, 1st grade.	Temporary ...	Nadia Rivers.
Mallik, Yama Charan	Overseer, 1st grade	Supervisor, 2nd grade.	Ditto	Ditto.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3402A.

No. 3337A.D.—The 6th October 1906.—Rai Brajanandan Prasad Singh, Sub-Deputy Collector, Patna Division, is posted to the Gopalganj subdivision of the Saran district.

Saran.
Shahabad.

This cancels the orders of the 21st July and the 10th August 1906, posting him to the head-quarters station of the Shahabad and Saran districts respectively.

No. 3344A.D.—The 6th October 1906.—Babu Probodh Chandra Mazumdar, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, was employed at the Giridih subdivision of the Hazaribagh district, from the forenoon of the 14th March 1906 to the forenoon of the 14th May 1906.

Hazaribagh.

No. 3357A.D.—The 8th October 1906.—Babu Madhab Chandra Misra, Sub-Deputy Collector, Angul, is allowed leave from the 15th October 1906 to the 15th November 1906, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Angul.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 9445, dated Darjeeling, the 4th October 1906.—Captain G. King, I.M.S., made over charge of the Puri Jail to Assistant Surgeon Akshay Kumar Mukharji on the afternoon of the 12th August 1906.

No. 9446, dated Darjeeling, the 4th October 1906.—Assistant Surgeon Akshay Kumar Mukharji made over charge of the Puri Jail to Captain G. King, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 31st August 1906.

E. W. PAYNE,
Offg. Inspr.-Genl. of Prisons, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

THE notification, dated 21st ultimo, placing Babu Bhupendra Nath Mukerjee, uncovenanted Deputy Collector, in charge of the Birbhum Treasury, is cancelled.

H. FOSTER, *Collector.*

BIRBHUM COLLECTORATE, SURI, *the 6th October 1906.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR MR. N. R. MISRA has been placed in charge of the Khulna Treasury and authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

KRISHNAKALI MUKHARJI, *Persl. Asstt.*, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 6th October 1906.*

Sheriff's Office, the 26th September 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1906 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the 26th day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

A. A. APCAR, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৬ সাল তারিখ ২৬শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৬ সালের ২৬শে নবেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতায় হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

এঃ এঃ আপকার, সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 6th October 1906.—Miss Hem Prabha Bose, M.A., Head Mistress, Bethune Collegiate School, and Lecturer, Bethune College (class III), having returned to duty on the 1st September 1906, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to her under the orders of the 18th August 1906, is cancelled.

Miss Hiranmoyi Sen, B.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Mistress in the Bethune Collegiate School and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service on a salary of Rs. 50 a month, with effect from the date on which she joined her appointment during the absence, on leave, of Mrs. Saralabala Mitra, or until further orders.

The 8th October 1906.—Babu Bhanonjoy Sahay, B.A., is appointed to act as Assistant Head Master of the Hazaribagh Zilla School, on an allowance of Rs. 50 a month and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Upendra Nath Banerji, or until further orders.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that upon the result of the ensuing Entrance Examination being known, the two second grade junior Scholarships attached to the Chota Nagpur Division will be awarded to the two boys who stand highest in the Divisional list, irrespective of the districts they come from, and the five third grade junior Scholarships will be distributed as follows:—

Hazaribagh	... 1	Palamau	... 1
Ranchi	... 1	Manbhum	... 1
Singhbhum	... 1		

MANO MOHAN RAY, *Pers'l. Asst*, for *Commissioner*.

RANCHI, *the 5th October 1906.*

MEMORANDUM.

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. Private students are those who do not appear from any school, or who have been transferred from one school to another after the 31st August without the consent of the Inspector.

2. The term "Private students" includes School-masters.

3. Private students must appear at the test-examination of any one of the undermentioned schools on dates to be fixed by Head Masters:—

(1) Ravenshaw Collegiate School (with the permission of the Principal of the College).
(2) Balasore Zilla School.
(3) P. M. Academy.
(4) Puri Zilla School.
(5) Sambalpur.

4. Every private candidate must satisfy the following conditions:—

(*a*) That he has not failed at the test-examination of any Entrance school in the current session.

(*b*) That he has not failed to gain promotion to the first class of any Entrance school at the results of the annual examination of the second class in the last session.

(*c*) That he has left the school in which he last read with a transfer certificate, or (in case of a failed student) is in possession of the Registrar's receipt.

5. Every private candidate must pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the Head Master of the school at which he is to appear for the examination.

6. He must arrange for his identification to the officer conducting the test-examination, and he should satisfy the Head Master as to his character, if necessary.

7. The Head Masters of the abovenamed schools are requested to sign the application forms of candidates whom they recommend for presentation, and to forward with the application forms the marks gained by such candidates at the test-examination. The undersigned will use his discretion in countersigning the forms submitted to him. Private candidates should make their own arrangements to remit their examination-fees and application forms to the Registrar of the Calcutta University.

CUTTACK,
The 6th September 1906.

L. TIPPING,
Offg. Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division.

ORISSA DIVISION AND THE ORISSA TRIBUTARY AND FEUDATORY STATES.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM OF THE INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS, ORISSA DIVISION.

Rules for appearing at the F.A. and B.A. examinations in 1907 for candidates from the Orissa Division and the Orissa Tributary and Feudatory States who are not students of any affiliated institution.

DEPUTY INSPECTORS OF SCHOOLS, Sub-Inspectors of Schools and *bonâ-fide* teachers of recognized English schools who have served as such for the full period of two academical years, or for a term of six months after an examination of the same class last held by the University in the case of those only who were admitted to a former examination of that class will be admitted to the abovementioned examinations. All applications from school-masters should be accompanied by certificates of length of service from the Secretaries of the schools in which they are employed, and should reach this office not later than the 5th January 1907. The application of a school-master for permission to appear at the F.A. or B.A. examination should be signed by him in the presence of the Secretary or a member of

the Managing Committee of the school in which he is employed. The application should be forwarded to the office of the Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division, for countersignature, together with the Registrar's receipt to prove, if this be the case, that the candidate has appeared at the examination in a previous year, and the certificate in proof of his having passed the Entrance or F.A. examination as the case may be. Such papers will be sent back to him (the candidate) who will have to send them, together with the examination-fee, to the Registrar of the University direct.

2. Candidates should read carefully the form of the certificate which the Inspector of the Division will sign, and should be careful to supply all information and documents required, including the Registrar's receipt, in the case of those who have been admitted to a former examination of the same class, without which the Inspector must decline to sign the certificate applied for.

3. By *bonâ-fide* teachers of schools are to be understood teachers who hold regularly paid appointments in English schools teaching at least the Middle English course.

4. Under section 19 of the Indian Universities Act, candidates who intend to appear at the F.A., B.A., or M.A. examination of the University of Calcutta, other than as regular students of some affiliated college, are requested in the first instance to apply for and obtain the permission of the Senate. Their applications cannot be accepted unless they are supported by the permission of the Senate.

CUTTACK, L. TIPPING,
The 6th September 1906. *Offg. Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division.*

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College.—

I.—Engineer Department.

A four-year course leading to the Engineering Degrees of the Calcutta University. Admissions made yearly in June. Admission qualification, the First Arts examination of the Calcutta University or its equivalent.

II.—Apprentice Department.

The full course of study covers five years. There are special classes in Mining and in Electrical Engineering.

After 1½ years the Sub-Overseer examination is held.

After 3½ years the Final or Overseer examination is held with special modification for Mining students.

After a further 1½ years' practical training the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate is given.

Admissions are made yearly in June to 1st year and in March to 2nd and 3rd years. Admission qualifications—

To 1st-year class, Entrance examination of Calcutta University or equivalent, to the Middle School.

To 2nd-year class, the Final examination of B Course of zila schools.

To 3rd-year class, the Sub-Overseer examination of affiliated Technical schools.

III.—Workshops.

Artisan classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine,
Blacksmiths';	Turners;	and Foundry.

IV.—Agricultural Department.

Admission made by nomination of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor Application to be sent to the Principal. A two-year course leading to the Agricultural Diploma of the College. Admission made yearly in November.

Admission qualifications—

As general student, B. A., B Course, of Calcutta University or equivalent.

As special student, satisfactory evidence that the candidate can benefit by the instruction.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

SIBPUR, B. HEATON,
The 7th June 1906. *Principal.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 6221B.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.,

Member in charge.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the limit of retail sale of methylated spirits, *i.e.*, spirits rendered effectually and permanently unfit for human consumption, having been raised from two to four imperial gallons, the following revised condition shall be substituted for the existing condition III of Form No. 13 (Form of license for the sale of such spirits) on page 44 of the Excise Manual, 1903, Volume II:—

"III.—That before selling spirits rendered effectually and permanently unfit for human consumption to any person not licensed or otherwise authorized to sell or possess them, he shall use all reasonable diligence to ascertain the quantity already in the possession of the purchaser, and shall not, at one time, sell to him (1) more than four imperial gallons or twenty-four reputed quart bottles or (2) any smaller quantity which, together with what is, or is in good faith believed to be, in the possession of the purchaser, shall amount in all to more than four imperial gallons or twenty-four reputed quart bottles."

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA, *Offg. Secretary.*

CALCUTTA, *the 6th October 1906.*

NOTICE.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Member in charge.

WHEREAS the Court of Wards has assumed charge of the estate of Babu Rai Behari Mukherji, Zamindar of Uttarpara, in the district of Hooghly, in pursuance of the orders of Government No. 2048T.R., dated the 7th September 1906, declaring him to be a disqualified proprietor, on his own application, under section 6 (*e*) of Act IX (B.C.) of 1879, notice is hereby given under sub-section (1), section 10A of the same Act as amended by Act I (B.C.) of 1906, that all creditors having claims against the said disqualified proprietor or his immoveable property shall submit the same in writing to the Collector of the district of Hooghly at Chinsura within six months from the date of the publication of this notice.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. P. YAKCHEE, for *Offg. Secretary.*

LAND REVENUE DEPT., WARDS' BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 8th October 1906.*

No. 6072B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1904-1905 will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Tuesday the 6th November 1906, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,400 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	2,200
Ditto ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	2,200
Total	...	4,400

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 28th November 1905, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 12th and 21st November 1906, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Pormissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 12th November 1906, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in fullpayment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 21st November 1906.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates

specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 4th December 1906 ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
Total ...	2,200	2,200	4,400

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
S. R. HIGNELL, for *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 19th September 1906.*

Statement showing the quantity of salt (private property) in bonded warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 30th day of September 1906, and transactions during the half month from the 16th to the 30th September 1906.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	IN BONDED WAREHOUSES IN CALCUTTA.				Quantity afloat.	Grand Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 16TH TO THE 30TH SEPTEMBER 1906, INCLUSIVE.			
	In private golas.	In Sulkea Government golas.	In Kidderpore Dock Government golas.	Total.			Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from shipboard for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—										
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	.....	5,09,304	6,09,857	11,19,161	1,05,437	12,24,598	1,09,424	4,11,995	85,950	87,615
Other European countries—										
Spanish salt	.....	4,26,096	38,034	4,64,130	1,23,879	5,87,009	41,585	1,60 039	600	48,340
Hamburg salt	.....	14,450	.....	14,450	.....	14,450	27,350	.....	.....	26,725
Do. Rock salt ...	.....	10,309	8,178	18,487	.....	18,487	100	.....	.....	100
Port Said salt	.....	1,57,664	.....	1,57,664	.....	1,57,664	6,500	.....	.....	3,300
Aden and Red Sea—										
Aden salt	.....	1,54,891	38,646	1,93,537	.....	1,93,537	33,070	.....	.....	31,170
Salif salt	.....	1,03,636	28,162	1,31,798	.....	1,31,798	73,665	7,057	1,825	46,590
Do. rock salt	.....	11,460	.....	11,460	.....	11,460	900	.....	.....	900
Rawayah salt	.....	4,042	.....	4,042	.....	4,042	950	.....	.....	1,950
Muscat and Persian Gulf—										
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	.....	.....	9,484	9,484	.....	9,484	400	.....	.....	400
Ditto ditto rock salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
British India—										
Bombay salt	.....	55,720	6,550	62,270	.....	62,270	6,630*	.....	.....	21,980
Madras salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cocanada salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vizagapatam salt ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other places—										
Madagascar salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	.....	14,47,572	7,38,011	21,86,483	2,29,316	24,14,799	3,06,274	5,79,091	88,375	2,68 900

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in private golas	Nil
Ditto in Sulkea golas	,,
Ditto in Kidderpore Dock golas ...	,,
Abandoned and destroyed	,,

* This quantity includes 5,965 maunds Bombay Karkach salt on which duty was paid at Bombay.

In transit Liverpool and other Panga salt ... 14,380 mds.
Spanish salt ... ... 2,040 ,,

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

(ILLEGIBLE),
for *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 9th October 1906.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at a bye-election held on the 8th September 1906 in Ward No. II of the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, Babu Krishna Chandra Mandal, B.L., has been duly elected to be a Commissioner for that ward in the place of Babu Gopal Chandra Chatterji, deceased.

M. N. GHOSH, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 8th October 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Khanakul in the district of Hooghly :—

1. The Civil Surgeon, Hooghly.
2. The Subdivisional Officer of Arambagh.
3. Babu Mohim Chandra Batabyal.
4. The Sub-Inspector of Schools, Khanakul.
5. The Sub-Inspector of Police, Khanakul.
6. The Head Master, Gopalnagar H. E. School.
7. Babu Nagendra Nath Batabyal.
8. „ Atal Chandra Mitra.
9. „ Amrita Lal Bose.
10. „ Preo Nath De.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Persl. Asstt.*, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 21st September 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Mondlai, in the district of Hooghly :—

1. The Civil Surgeon, Hooghly.
2. Babu Chandra Madhab Bose *Secretary.*
3. „ Monomohan Banerji.
4. „ Bankim Chandra Chatterjee
5. „ Benode Behari Kundoo.
6. „ Bhabotaron Ghosh.
7. „ Girindra Nath Banerji.
8. „ Bhagabati Charan Banerji.
9. „ Dasarathi Ghosh.
10. „ Satyendra Mohon Ghosh.
11. „ Rakhal Das Nandy.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Persl. Asstt.*, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 21st September 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Tentulia in the district of Hooghly :—

1. The Civil Surgeon, Hooghly.
2. Rai Sahib Durga Charan Chakravarti.
3. Babu Ambica Charan Mustafi.
4. „ Aghore Nath Mustafi.
5. The Sub-Inspector of Police, Balagarh ... } *Ex officio.*
6. The Head Master, Balagarh Entrance School ... }
7. Babu Gopal Chandra Mustafi.
8. „ Amrita Lal Dutt.
9. Kristo Dhan Sett.
10. Kanti Chandra Mallik.
11. Lal Behari Nandi.
12. Kirti Bahadur Sing.
13. Mohendra Nath Mustafi.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Persl. Asstt*, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 21st September 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers delegated to me by Bengal Government Notification No. 3403 L. S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I hereby direct, under section 6 of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, that the Kaliganj public ferry over the river Nagar in the Kissenganj subdivision of the Purnea district be discontinued, and that, in lieu of it, a new public ferry be established where the Aluakhoa Road (Local Board Road No. 17) meets the Nagar river, and be called by the name of Aluakhoa ferry.

D. J. MACPHERSON, *Commissioner.*

BHAGALPUR, *the 5th October 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the powers delegated to me by Bengal Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I hereby direct, under section 6 of the Bengal Ferries Act, 1885, that a public ferry, to be called Dalhanja ferry, be established over the river of that name where the Local Board Road No. 17 meets that river in Mati Khundu in the Kissenganj subdivision of the Purnea district.

D. J. MACPHERSON, *Commissioner.*

BHAGALPUR, *the 5th October 1906.*

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PART IA.

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MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 3rd October 1906.

No. 2484M.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General will arrive at Calcutta on Friday, the 7th December 1906, at 8-6 A.M. (8-30 A.M. Calcutta time). The arrival will be public.

On arrival at the Howrah Railway Station His Excellency will be received by the Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta, the Commissioner of Police for the town of Calcutta and the Magistrate of Howrah, and at Government House by His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal and Staff, the Chief Justice of Bengal, the Bishop of Calcutta, Members of His Excellency's Executive and Legislative Councils, Judges of the High Court, Secretaries and Deputy Secretaries to the Government of India, the General Officer Commanding the Presidency Brigade and Staff, all principal Civil and Military Officers and other gentlemen who are desirous of attending.

A Guard-of-Honour of the East Indian Railway Volunteers will be drawn up on the platform of the Howrah Railway Station and a Guard-of-Honour of Native Troops with Band outside the station.

The route taken will be by the Hooghly Bridge, Strand Road, Fairlie Place, Dalhousie Square North and Old Court House Street.

The Body Guard and Calcutta Light Horse will form His Excellency's escort.

A Royal salute will be fired from the ramparts of Fort William as His Excellency alights from the train.

A Guard-of-Honour of British Infantry and of the Calcutta Volunteer Rifles will be drawn up in front of the Grand Staircase of Government House.

Full dress will be worn by those entitled to wear uniform, Review order by Military Officers. Gentlemen not entitled to wear uniform will appear in Morning Dress.

The 4th October 1906.

No. 2500M.—Notice is hereby given that His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General will hold two levées at Government House, Calcutta—one at 9-30 P.M., on Monday, the 17th December 1906, and the other at 9-30 P.M., on Thursday, the 20th December 1906.

All Civil, Naval and Military Officers, Members of the Consular Body, Gentlemen whose names are borne on the Government House List, or who have already been presented at the Court of St. James, and Native Officers of the Native Regiments of the Garrison, are invited to attend one of the Levées. Gentlemen attending the first Levée are not expected to be present at the second, except Members of the Viceroy's Executive and

Legislative Councils, the Chief Justice of Bengal and the Judges of the High Court, the Bishop of Calcutta, Secretaries and Deputy Secretaries to the Government of India, Officers of the Head Quarters Staff, and such other Officers or Gentlemen enjoying the privilege of the Private Entrée as may care to attend.

The following regulations are to be observed at HIS EXCELLENCY'S Levées:

I.—Gentlemen who propose to attend His Excellency's Levées are requested to send their cards addressed to the Office of the Military Secretary to the Viceroy, Calcutta, not later than Friday, the 14th December, *after which date no cards will be received.* Gentlemen are requested to put down on the cards their address and also whether they propose to attend the first or second Levée. They are also requested to bring with them two large cards with their names *clearly written* thereon—one to be left with the Aide-de-Camp in waiting in the corridor, and the other to be delivered to the Military Secretary, who will announce the name to His Excellency.

II.—Gentlemen who propose to present others should apply to the Office of the Military Secretary to the Viceroy, Calcutta, for a "Form of presentation," which, after the necessary particulars have been filled in, should be submitted for approval *not later than Friday, the 7th December 1906.*

III.—It is requested that Gentlemen (other than those required to be present on both occasions) whose names begin with the letters A to K will, as far as possible, attend the first Levée and the remainder the second.

IV.—Gentlemen who are to be presented should attend the same Levée as the Gentlemen who present them.

V.—Gentlemen presenting others must themselves attend the Levée.

VI.—Gentlemen wearing uniform will appear in Full Dress.

VII.—Clergymen being University Graduates and other gentlemen entitled to wear robes or gowns on account of Judicial or Academical office or status and not entitled to wear uniform will appear in such robes or gowns.

VIII.—Gentlemen not entitled to wear uniform, or robes or gowns will appear in Evening Dress.

IX.—Native gentlemen who do not appear in the dress prescribed above will wear Choga, Aba or Jubba and Chapkan, Chilta, Saya or Kaba with trousers and their distinctive National head-dress, or the ceremonial dress approved for their class by the Local Government.

In the case of Bengali gentlemen the head-dress should be a pugree generally known as Shamla or Mouratta, and not a brimless cap.

In the case of Burmese gentlemen, the head-dress should be a white fillet, the hair being dressed in a top knot.

Native gentlemen who do not appear in the dress prescribed in paragraphs VI, VII and VIII should not remove their head-dress when they pass His Excellency.

At the Viceregal Court, only patent leather boots or shoes of an English pattern are allowed to be worn, except in the case of Native Military Officers, who wear the particular style of boot or shoe which forms part of their uniform.

X.—Gentlemen who had intended to be present but have found themselves unable to attend should submit an explanatory letter to the Military Secretary to the Viceroy before, or as soon as possible after, the Levée.

XI.—The carriages of Gentlemen having the Private Entrée will enter by the South Gate, and set down at the South Entrance of Government House.

All other carriages will enter by the North-East or North-West Gate, as may be convenient. These two Gates will not be closed till all Gentlemen have left Government House after the Levée.

The 5th October 1906.

No. 2525 M.—Their Excellencies the Viceroy and the Countess of Minto will hold a Drawing Room at Government House, Calcutta, on Friday, the 28th December 1906, at 9-30 P.M.

Ladies whose names are borne on the Government House List, or who have already been presented at the Court of St. James, proposing to attend the Drawing Room, are requested to send their cards addressed to the Military Secretary to the Viceroy, Calcutta, not later than Monday, the 24th December 1906, *after which date no cards will be received,* and to bring with them to the Drawing Room two large cards with their names *clearly written* thereon—one to be given to the Aide-de-Camp in waiting in the corridor and the other to the Military Secretary at the time of presentation.

Ladies who propose to present others should send in *in writing* for approval the names of such Ladies to the Office of the Military Secretary to the Viceroy, Calcutta, *not later than Friday, the 14th December*, when, if they are approved, presentation cards will be forwarded.

Ladies who present others must themselves attend the Drawing Room.

Ladies attending the Drawing Room will appear in full dress, but need not wear trains or feathers.

Ladies who had intended to be present, but have found themselves unable to attend should send an explanatory letter to the Military Secretary before, or as soon as possible after, the Drawing Room.

Gentlemen having the Private Entrée themselves, and accompanying Ladies to the Private Entrée will be admitted to the Throne Room.

Gentlemen accompanying Ladies by the Public Entrée will leave them at the Entrance to the Eastern Gallery and rejoin them in the Ball Room.

The carriages of those who have the Private Entrée will enter by the South Gate, and set down at the South Entrance of Government House.

All other carriages will enter by the North-East or North-West Gate, as may be convenient.

By Command,

F. L. ADAM, *Lieut.-Col.*,
Military Secretary to the Viceroy.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 1st October 1906.

No. 13.—Whereas the non-official Members of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal have, in accordance with the Regulations published in the Notification of the Government of India in the Legislative Department, No. 19, dated the 23rd June 1893, as amended by the like Notification No. 22, dated the 12th September 1901, recommended Sir Rameshwara Singh, K.C.I.E., Maharaja Bahadur of Darbhanga, for nomination as an Additional Member of the Council of the Governor-General for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations, His Excellency the Governor-General, under the authority vested in him by section 10 of the Indian Councils Act, 1861 (24 & 25 Vict., c. 67), and section 1 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892 (55 & 56 Vict., c. 14), has been pleased to nominate the said Sir Rameshwara Singh, K.C.I.E., Maharaja Bahadur of Darbhanga, to be an Additional Member of the said Council of the Governor-General.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 3rd October 1906.

No. 1163.—The services of Babu Banka Bihari Singh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

MEDICAL.

The 4th October 1906.

No. 841.—With reference to the Home Department Notification No. 274, dated the 16th March 1904, Major L. Rogers, M.D., F.R.C.S., I.M.S. (Bengal), is confirmed in the appointment of Professor of Pathology in the Medical College, Calcutta, with effect from the 17th February 1906.

H. H. RISLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 5th October 1906.

No. 2356G.B.—The following extract from a notification which appeared in the "*London Gazette*," dated 3rd August 1906, is republished for general information :

Whitehall, July 24th, 1906.

The King was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon the following gentlemen at Buckingham Palace :

* * * * * * *

Daniel Mackinnon Hamilton, Esquire, of Calcutta.

* * * * * * *

The King has also been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date the 30th June 1906, to confer the dignity of a Knight of the said United Kingdom upon—

Chunder Madhub Ghose, Puisne Judge of the High Court of Judicature, at Fort William in Bengal.

L. W. DANE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, are republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 509.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :

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INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Simla, the 30th September 1906.

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Herbert Wilson Pilgrim, M.B., F.R.C.S.

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Edwin Harold Brown, M.D., F.R.C.S.E.

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Charles Robert Mortimer Green, F.R.C.S.

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Frank Cecil Clarkson.
John Gregory Jordan, M.B.

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The 5th October 1906.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Behar Light Horse.

No. 514.—Sir James Austin Bourdillon, K.C.S.I., V.D., resigns his appointment as Honorary Colonel. Dated 22nd July 1906.

A. W. L. BAYLY, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2115T M.—The 28th September 1906.—Whereas a notification No. 1417M., dated the 28th March 1906, was published at page 53, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 4th April 1906, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to revise the boundaries of the South Barrackpore Municipality so as to exclude from the Municipality an area comprised therein and defined below, and whereas no valid objection was raised to the proposal within six weeks from the date of publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified, for general information, that, in exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 9(A) (2) of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the South Barrackpore Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the above proposal.

24-Parganas.

I.—Boundaries of the area to be excluded—

On the North.—The Titagarh khal.

On the East.—The western fencing of the Eastern Bengal State Railway line, leaving the Titagarh Railway station premises within the limits of the South Barrackpore Municipality.

On the South.—A line drawn from the drain on the east side of the Grand Trunk Road along the northern boundary of Nripendra Nath Bose's Garden to the western fencing of the Eastern Bengal State Railway line.

On the West.—The Grand Trunk Road

II.—The boundaries of the South Barrackpore Municipality, after the exclusion of the area defined above, will be as follows:—

North.—Mauzas Palta, Ichapur (in the North Barrackpore Municipality), and Babunpore.

East.—Mauzas Jaffarpur, Chak Katalia, mauza Ruiya, Kismat Patilia and mauza Kerulia.

South.—Punchanantolla Road, Bagdipara Road, Madhu Sudan Sarkar's Garden Road, then to north along the Grand Trunk Road, then to east along Ekford Road, then to north along the Eastern Bengal State Railway line up to the Khurda khal, then Khurda khal.

West.—The Barrackpore Cantonment, the river Hooghly, the Titagarh khal up to the western fencing of the Eastern Bengal State Railway line, then the western fencing of the Eastern Bengal State Railway line (the Titagarh Railway Station premises being included) to a point in line with the northern boundary of Nripendra Nath Bose's Garden, then along the northern boundary of that garden to the drain on the east side of the Grand Trunk Road, then southward along the drain on the east side of that road, then westward along the Khurda khal, then river Hooghly.

No. 2118T.M.—The 28th September 1906.—Under section 15 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the following statement, showing the names and boundaries of wards into which the South Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is to be divided for the purposes of election and the number of Commissioners to be elected for each ward, is published for general information in modification of the notification No. 511M., dated the 30th January 1900, published at page 21 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 31st idem:—

Name of Ward.	Boundaries.	Number of Commissioners to be elected
I. Nona-Chandanpukur...	*North.*—Mauzas Palta, Ichapur and Babanpur. *South.*—Barasat Road. *East.*—Mauzas Jafferpur and Mohanpur. *West.*—Barrackpore Cantonment.	1
II. Chanak	*North.*—Barasat Road, including that road. *South.*—Drain along the southern boundary of the Viceregal Park, the Barrackpore School Road (this road being included in ward Talpukur), then to north along the Grand Trunk Road, then to east along the Shikiripara Road continued by Hara Kissen Sarkar's Road (these two roads being included in ward Chanak), then a straight line joining the eastern extremity of Hara Kissen Sarkar's Road with the junction of the mauza boundaries of Katalia and Raiyah. *East.*—Chak Katalia. *West.*—Barrackpore Cantonment and river Hooghly.	1
III. Talpukur ...	*North.*—The southern boundary of ward Chanak, but including the Barrackpore School Road. *South.*—Titagarh Khal, including the Khal. *East.*—Mauza Raiyah. *West.*—River Hooghly.	1
IV. Musalmanpara ...	*North.*—Titagarh Khal *South.*—Southern boundary of mauza Titagarh. *East.*—Mauza Raiyah and kismut Patulia. *West.*—Fencing on the western side of the Eastern Bengal State Railway line, including the Titagarh Railway station premises.	1
V. Khardah ...	*North.*—Khardah Khal, including the Khal. *South.*—Nathu Pal's Ghat (Kulinpara) road (including that road), then to north along Pramatha Nath Mookerjee's road, then to east along Mohit Mohon Goswami's road up to the Grand Trunk Road, excluding these two roads. *East.*—Junction of Khardah Khal with the Grand Trunk Road. *West.*—River Hooghly.	1
VI. Rohra	*North.*—A straight line along Nripendra Nath Bose's Garden, then to north along the western fencing of the Eastern Bengal State Railway line, then to east along the Southern boundary of mauza Titagarh and Kismut Patulia. *South.*—Khardah Khal. *East.*—Mauza Kerulia. *West.*—Drain on the east side of the Grand Trunk Road.	1
VII. Kulinpara ...	*North.*—Northern boundary of Ward Khardah, including Nathu Pal's Ghat (Kulinpara) road. *South.*—Panchanantolla road, Bagdipara road, Madhu Sudan Sarkar's Garden Road, then to south along the Grand Trunk Road, then to east along the Ekford road. *East.*—Eastern Bengal State Railway line. *West.*—River Hooghly.	1

No. 2116T.M.—The 28th September 1906.—Whereas a notification No. 1419M, dated the 28th March 1906, was published at page 54, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th April 1906, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to revise the boundaries of the Titagarh Municipality so as to include within the Municipality an area contiguous to it and defined below, and whereas no valid objection was raised to the proposal within six weeks from the date of publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 9A (2) of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Titagarh Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the above proposal.

24-Parganas.

I.—Boundaries of the area to be included:—

On the North.—The Titagarh khal.

On the East.—The western fencing of the Eastern Bengal State Railway line.

On the South.—A line drawn from the drain on the east side of the Grand Trunk Road along the northern boundary of Nripendra Nath Bose's Garden to the western fencing of the Eastern Bengal State Railway line.

On the West.—The Grand Trunk Road.

II.—The boundaries of the Titagarh Municipality, after the inclusion of the area defined above, will be as follows:—

North.—Titagarh khal.

East.—The western fencing of the Eastern Bengal State Railway line, excluding the Titagarh Railway Station premises, and from a point in line with the northern boundary of Nripendra Nath Bose's Garden to the east side of the Grand Trunk Road, and from that point the east side of the Grand Trunk Road to the Khurdah khal.

South.—A line drawn from the Railway fencing along the northern boundary of Babu Nripendra Nath Bose's Garden to the east side drain of the Grand Trunk Road, thence the east side of the Grand Trunk Road to the Khurdah khal, and thence the Khurdah khal westward to the river Hooghly.

West.—The river Hooghly.

No. 2117T.M.—The 28th September 1906.—Whereas a notification No. 250T.M., dated the 28th April 1906, was published at page 74, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd May 1906, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to alter the number of Commissioners of the South Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, so as to raise it to ten, and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within six weeks from the date of publication of the said notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by clause 2 of section 9A of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the South Barrackpore Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the above proposal.

24-Parganas.

No. 2119T.M.—The 28th September 1906.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 85 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, to sanction the imposition by the Commissioners of the South Barrackpore Municipality, under section 85 (*b*) of the Act, of a rate on the annual value of holdings within the Musalmanpara Ward of that Municipality in lieu of the tax upon persons occupying holdings within the Municipality according to their circumstances and property which is at present in force within the aforesaid ward, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the aforesaid Municipality.

Howrah.

No. 2124T.M.—The 4th October 1906.—Under Rule 9 of the Rules framed under section 5 of the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1879, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the Lieutenant-Governor intends to sanction the following application from the Commissioners of the Howrah Municipality for a loan of Rs. 1,50,000 from Government, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, and repayable in sixty equal half-yearly instalments of Rs. 4,315-2-9 each, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this Notification within the said Municipality.

The amount which it is proposed to borrow.	The fund or funds on the security of which it is proposed to borrow.	The law or laws under which the fund or funds is or are levied, received or held.	(a) The period for which the loan is required.	(b) Rate of interest.	(c) The number of instalments, if any, in which it is proposed that the loan should be taken.	(d) The amount of each instalment.	(e) The date proposed for receiving each such instalment.	(f) Date of instalment, if any.	(g) Amount of each instalment.
Rs. 1,80,000.	Howrah Municipality.	Bengal Municipal Act, III (B.C.) of 1884, as amended by Acts III of 1899 and IV and VI of 1904 (B.C.).	Thirty years.	Four per cent.	Two instalments.	Rs. 1,00,000 and Rs. 80,000.	1st March 1907 and 1st October 1907, respectively.	1st April 1908 and 1st October 1908 and so on till the loan is cleared.	Rs. 4,315-9-9.

Revenue. Sources from which the revenue was derived.	Amount for 1903-04.	Amount for 1904-05.	Amount for 1905-06.	Expenditure. Objects on which the expenditure was incurred.	Amount for 1903-04.	Amount for 1904-05.	Amount for 1905-06.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Balance	2,14,308	2,16,515	1,41,384	General Administration and collection charges ...	50,614	44,026	39,936
Municipal rates and taxes	5,37,435	5,35,125	5,54,770	Public safety ...	79,215	80,483	91,909
Realization under special Acts	11,545	10,248	11,991	Public health and conveniences ...	3,99,604	6,18,385	3,89,648
Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation ...	51,995	57,392	46,731	Public Instruction ...	4,694	4,647	4,985
Grants and contributions for general and special purposes	1,286	1,091	2,220	Miscellaneous ...	94,480	96,982	1,07,538
Miscellaneous ...	5,328	9,513	12,547	Extraordinary and debt	3,58,878	3,51,015	3,13,105
Extraordinary and debt	3,63,125	5,07,538	3,13,915	Closing balance ...	2,16,515	1,41,384	1,36,437
Total ...	11,85,060	13,37,422	10,82,458	Total ...	11,85,000	13,37,422	10,83,458

All the existing prior charges upon the funds of the local authority.

(1) Loan of Rs. 15,00,000 for Howrah Water-works (loan repayable by instalments of 30 years), of which 20 half-yearly instalments have been paid.
(2) Loan of Rs. 40,000 for Water-works first extension (loan of 20 years), of which 17 half-yearly instalments have been paid.
(3) Loan of Rs. 50,000 for Water-works second extension (loan of 20 years), of which 12 half-yearly instalments have been paid.
(4) Loan of Rs. 21,000 for Conservancy Tramway (loan of 20 years), of which 8 half-yearly instalments have been paid.
(5) Loan of Rs. 17,000 for Market improvements (loan of 10 years), of which 8 half-yearly instalments have been paid.
(6) Loan of Rs. 75,000 for drainage of Wards Nos. VIII and XI of the town of Howrah (loan of 30 years), of which 7 half-yearly instalments have been paid.
(7) Loan of Rs. 30,000 for purchasing new engine and pumps for Water-works (loan of 20 years), of which 7 half-yearly instalments have been paid.
(8) Loan of Rs. 2,50,000 for the construction of Buckland Bridge (loan of 30 years), of which 4 half-yearly instalments have been paid.
(9) Loan of Rs. 50,000 for Water-supply third extension (loan of 20 years), of which 1 half-yearly instalment paid.
(10) Loan of Rs 60,000 for fourth Reservoir (loan of 20 years), of which 1 half-yearly instalment has been paid.
(11) Loan of Rs. 3,00,000 already sanctioned by Government for drainage, South Foreshore section, of which Rs. 2,00,000 received up to date (loan of 30 years). No instalment paid as yet.

HOWRAH MUNICIPALITY,
the 7th July 1906.

KALIDAS MUKHERJEE,
Accountant.

K. N. TAGORE,
Secretary.

MAHENDRA NATH BHATTACHARJI,
Vice-Chairman.

H. T. S. FORREST,
Chairman.

No. 2126T.M.—The 5th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Cuttack Municipality, in the district of Cuttack:—

Cuttack.

The Civil Surgeon, Cuttack ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
The Executive Engineer, Mahanadi Division ... } *Ex-officio.*
The Khas Mahal Deputy Collector ... } *Ex-officio.*
The Revd. J. Grundy.
Syed Mohmed Nurul Huq.
Kaji Nazir Mohmed.

No. 2136T.M.—The 6th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that under section 11 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the Contai Local Board in the district of Midnapore:—

Midnapore.

The Subdivisional Officer, No. 4 subdivision, Public Works Department, Contai. } *Ex-officio.*
The Assistant Surgeon of Contai ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
The Khas Tehsil Officer of Contai ... ... } *Ex-officio.*
Babu Upendra Narain Mazumdar.
Munshi Mahiuddin Muhammad.
The Revd. H. R. Murphy.
Babu Chandra Mohan Agasti.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased to appoint the following gentlemen, under section 10 of the Act, to be members of the Board:—

Babu Basanta Kumar Das Mahapatra.
Sheikh Hingan.
Babu Umaprasad Maity.
„ Koilash Chandra Gajendra Mahapatra.
„ Gyanada Charan Basu.
„ Ambica Charan Das.
„ Babu Debendra Nath Hazra.

H. J. MCINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1906.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Murshidabad Branch, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock Saturday, the 10th November 1906, corresponding with the 24th Kartic, 1313 B.S., at village Barasat.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the lands nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Courses of cut and determination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Nadia ...	Mauza Barasat, pargana Mamjoan.	7 to 8	Right side	0 7 1·33	0 0 15·59	.....	.....	Between 41 and 42 chains	*North, East* and *West*—Fellow land of village Barasat. *South*—Land acquired for Murshidabad Branch Railway.

Krishnagar, the 20th September 1906.

N. AHMAD, *for* Collector.

Notification B.

is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at 12 noon for the said arrears :— columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a unt is kept for that share.

f mahal rgana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
ıal, par- ɔudleghat.	2,23,433 3 8	Nil	5½ 11k. 3 til share of estate.	the Jahur Lal Seal	3,970 5 2	Nil		Arears of March 1905.

M. A. KADIR, Dy. Collr. in charge, for Collector.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 2nd October 1906.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
apital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
eserve Fund	1,45,00,000	0	0
ublic Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 97,48,812 13 0			
itto ditto at Branches „ 79,64,570 2 6	1,77,13,382	15	6
ther Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	13,10,01,317	3	9
ank Post Bills, &c.	7,08,067	10	4
undries	23,73,249	11	8
Rupees ...	18,62,99,017	9	3

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	96,04,806	0	0
Other authorised investments	55,87,728	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	3,85,46,579	5	0
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	3,89,86,569	6	1
Bills discounted and purchased	3,79,14,867	9	6
Balances with other Banks	11,47,767	9	7
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	18,38,035	5	5
Stamps	10,545	15	11
Sundries	6,36,370	8	10
	13,43,63,269	12	4
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 2,92,97,701 13 7			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches† ... „ 2,26,38,042 15 4	5,19,35,747	12	11
Rupees ...	18,62,99,017	9	

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 9,20,685 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 2,61,340 0 0
Rs. 11,82,025 0 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, 4th October 1906.

C. M. BASTIN, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans, 7 per cent.
Percentage 34·21.

HENRY GRAY, Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.
(1066—1)

Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty, interest, and all charges be not paid within ten days from the date of this notice on the 45 cases of whisky marked S. C. D. & Co., Calcutta imported per Steamer "Yeoman" from Liverpool and bonded by Messrs. Shib Churn Dutt & Co. on the 5th September 1903, in the Bengal Bonded Warehouse, the whisky will be sold by public auction under the provisions of section 119 of the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878, by Messrs. McKenzie, Lyall & Co., of No. 4 Lyon's Range, Calcutta.

J. M. TURING, Assistant Collector,
for Collector of Customs,

Custom House, Calcutta, the 8th October 1906.

(1069—2)

GIRISH CHANDRA BASU, B.A., B.L., Pleader Judge's Court, 24-Parganas, intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.

(1051—4—888)

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

1ST CALCUTTA DIVISION.

Notice.

WANTED an Estimator on Rs. 50 per month temporarily for this office with prospect of becoming permanent after one year. Preference will be given to passed men from the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

Applications should be received by the undersigned up to 20th October 1906.

J. ZORAB,
Executive Engineer, 1st Calcutta Division.
4 Russell Street, Calcutta, the 9th October 1906.

Notice.

SEALED tenders in Form No. 2 are invited for the following work. They will be received up to noon of 20th October 1906. The work is to be commenced as soon as ordered and completed within March 1907. An earnest-money of Rs. 50 for the work should be credited into the Howrah Treasury, and the Treasury challan should accompany it :—

(1) Construction of Masonry boundary pillars for Howrah-Jagatballabpur Road, Old Benares Road, Domjur-Jagadispur Road. Rs. 1,429.

GANENDRA NATH GANGULY,
District Engineer.

Howrah, the 8th October 1906. (1070—1)

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th September 1906.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ per cent. Loans— Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1900-01.		Total.	4 per cent. Loans— Of 1832-33.	Of 1836-36.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	4½ per cent. Loans— Of 1870.		Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.	Grand Total.
Balance of 15th September 1906	84,90,400	1,59,31,000	10,49,91,800	2,15,95,700	1,17,87,000	16,07,760	.....	15,59,13,200	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	16,44,96,933
Add—																				
Amount of transferred to in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 7th September 1906	.....	20,500	10,500	3,000	22,000	.....	.....	61,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	61,000
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th September 1906 ...	.....	4,000	11,600	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	15,600
	84,90,400	1,59,55,500	10,50,13,900	2,16,03,700	1,18,09,000	16,07,700	.....	15,59,89,800	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	16,45,73,433
Deduct—																				
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	.....	11,000	73,000	1,000	.....	23,000	.....	1,08,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	1,08,000
Balance on 30th September 1906	84,90,400	1,59,44,500	10,49,40,900	2,16,02,700	1,18,09,000	15,84,700	.....	15,58,81,800	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	..	29,500	34,500	16,44,65,433

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st July 1906—Enfaced from India 11,514 lakhs : retransferred from London, 11,233 lakhs
" 1st August 1906 " 15th August " " " " 9 " " " " 5 "
" 16th " " " 31st " " " " " 14 " " " " 4 "
" 1st September " " 15th September " " " " " 2 " " " " 3 "
" 16th " " " 30th " " " " " 1 lakh " " " 1 lakh.
11,540 lakhs 11,245 lakhs.
11,245 "
Balance against India ... 295 "

J. GRAVES,
Offg. Superintendent.

HENRY GRAY,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 4th October 1906.

(1067—1)

WANTED temporarily for a period of about one year two experienced Surveyors. Only those who have been qualified under paragraph 7 (3) (*a*) and (*b*) of Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1901, need apply. Monthly salary Rs. 35 *plus* Rs. 15 consolidated travelling allowance; and also an experienced Draftsman on Rs. 40 a month.

Applications with copies of testimonials and particulars as to age, etc., of the candidate must reach the undersigned on or before the 20th October 1906.

E. J. BULL, C.I., M.E., A.M. INST. M.E., ETC.,
District Engineer, Saran.

The 5th October 1906. (1068—2)

WANTED a Bihari Graduate to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Hazaribagh, on an initial pay of Rs. 50 a month. Applications with testimonials and statement of age to be sent in to the undersigned at once.

SASI BHUSHAN DUTT,
Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division.

Purulia, the 21st September 1906.

WANTED a Bihari Graduate for the Assistant Head Mastership of the Hazaribagh Zilla School on a monthly salary of Rs. 30 a month. Applications with copies of testimonials and statement of age to be sent in to the undersigned at once.

SASI BHUSHAN DUTT,
Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division.

Purulia, the 21st September 1906.

WANTED a Blacksmith on Rs. 40 a month, for the Industrial School at Ranchi. The principal duty of the blacksmith will be to train the pupils. He will also be expected to turn out work himself when required. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received up to the 15th October 1906.

SASI BHUSHAN DUTT,
Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division.

Purulia, the 21st September 1906.

Wanted

TEMPORARILY from November 1906 one Surveyor on Rs. 50 per month, one Surveyor on Rs. 40 per month, four Amins on Rs. 35 each per month and fifteen Amins on Rs. 20 each per month.

Applications will be received by the Deputy Commissioner of Jalpaiguri up to the 16th October 1906.

W. U. AHMED,
Deputy Collector and Settlement Officer.

Jalpaiguri, the 20th September 1906.

Notice.

WANTED two Bengali-knowing Inspectors on a monthly salary of Rs. 35 each and twenty Bengali-knowing Amins on a monthly salary of Rs. 25 each for survey and settlement work in the Sundarbans during the cold weather of 1906-1907.

Applicants must either have served in the Survey of India Department or have certificates of their acquaintance with off set cadastral work.

Wanted also four Clerks on Rs. 25 each and twenty Muharirs on Rs. 20 each per mensem for settlement work. Applicants must know English and Bengali and their handwriting must be good.

Applications should be sent to the undersigned, and applicants should attend personally at the Sundarbans Settlement Office on Monday, 15th October 1906.

D. SUNDER, Settlement Officer, Sundarbans.

Alipur, the 19th September 1906.

Notice.

WANTED a Tahsildar for employment in the 24-Parganas Sundarbans on a pay of Rs. 30 per mensem with free quarters. He must know English and Bengali thoroughly and have experience in the management of a Tahsil Office and collection of revenue and his age should not exceed 30 years. His handwriting should be good. He will have to furnish a certificate that he is in sound health and physically fit for Government service. He will also have to furnish security in the sum of Rs. 1,500 in cash or in Government Promissory Notes.

Applications should be sent to the undersigned, and applicants may appear in person at the Sundarbans Settlement Office on the 15th October 1906.

D. SUNDER, Settlement Officer, Sundarbans.

Alipur, the 19th September 1906.

Notice.

WANTED a Sheristadar for the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Singhbhum on a salary of Rs. 80 per mensem with every prospect of this being raised to Rs. 125. None need apply who has no previous experience of the work of a Magistrate's and Collector's office. Knowledge of Bengali, Kaithi-Hindi and Uriya languages necessary. Preference will be given to one having a knowledge of the laws, etc., applying specially to Chota Nagpur and of the Mundari or Ho language.

Applications with copies of testimonials and statements of age, pay of the present post, if any, held by the candidate, and his relationship with officers employed in this district will be received by the undersigned up to 15th October 1906.

R. C. HAMILTON,
Deputy Commissioner, Singhbhum.

Deputy Commissioner's Office, Chaibassa, the 15th September 1906.

Notice.

WANTED immediately a Superintendent for the Hindu Hostel of the Sibpur Engineering College. Salary Rs. 45 with prospects. Security to the extent of Rs. 1,000 will be required. Apply stating age by letter enclosing copies of testimonials before 20th October.

P. BRUHL,
Professor in charge,
Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

The 20th September 1906.

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 5th October 1906

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water soundings.		
		Ft.		
Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges	19	0	
	Thence to Geriah	15	0	Mommtola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur	15	0	Alampur.
	Jangipur to Berhampore	12	0	Amaniganj.
	" Berhampore to Katwa...	13	0	Ghiddharipur.
	" Katwa to Nadia ...	17	0	Hajrapota.
Bhairab.	Entrance from Ganges ...	15	0	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	15	0	Moriche.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	14	0	Deboypur.
	Thence to Patkabari	18	0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nauia	17	6	Beerpur.
Mathabhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...	12	9	
	Thence to Dewanganj ...	14	6	Jamalpur.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	12	6	Megna.
	" Shikarpur to Boalia to Chuadanga ...	19	9	Boalia.
	" Boalia to Chuadanga ...	19	0	Taltola.
	" Chuadanga to Kissengunj and Ranskhali	18	6	Nootungram.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level.	REMARKS.
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges ...	Sahebganj ...	5-10-1906	6	16·75	84·75	Fall.
	Rampur Boalia...	.....	...	...	...	...
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah...	7-10-1906	A.M. 7	19·20	64·20	Fall.
	Entrance of Bhairab Jalangi, Akriganj ..	7-10-1906	A.M. 7	18·14	56·10	Do.
	Entrance of Mathabhanga ...	.....	...	...	...	...
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	7-10-1906	A.M. 8	39·95	86·75	Fall.
	Berhampore ...	8-10-1906	A.M. 7	19·88	53·63	Do.
	Katwa ...	6-10-1906	P.M. 5	23·75	38·91	Do.
Jalangi	Krishnagar ...	5-10-1906	...	24·00	...	...
	Saruppganj ...	7-10-1906	Noon 12	23·10	23·10	Fall.
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali ...	6-10-1906	P.M. 4	19·95	30·80	Do.

R. D. CHATARJI,
Offg. Exe. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.
Berhampore, the 8th October 1906.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.	Route by which despatched.
	1906. P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	Oct. 11 At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	10 Parcels, 5 P.M.; M.-O., 4 P.M.	Ditto ditto
* Australasian Colonies ...	15 At 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
† Straits Settlements, China and Japan.	11 8-30	Per steamer *Kintang.*
Burma	11 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	11 7-30	Ditto ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	12 7-30	
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	15 7-30	
South Africa (Letters) ...	21 7-30	Per Steamer *Umaria* from Colombo.
Ditto (Parcels)	20	
South Africa (Letters) Supplemental.	22 ,, 7-30	
Ditto (Parcels) Supplemental.	22	
Port Blair	13 7-30	*Vid* Rangoon.
† Straits Settlements, China and Japan.	,, 15 ,, 8-30	Per steamer *A. Apcar.*

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that they may proceed by any steamer from Colombo that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† On other days correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that it may proceed by the first steamer from Colombo.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—

For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 6 A.M.

For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.

For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.

For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 4-15 P.M.

For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 1-15 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 1-35 P.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—

For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.

For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-55 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 4-15 P.M.

For the Bombay Mail *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.

For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa, Madras Presidency and Ceylon, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, Darjeeling, and places on the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway, at 7-30 P.M.

} and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—

For the Bombay Mail *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa, Madras Presidency and Ceylon, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

4. Articles for Burma and for Port Blair by sea are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M., and late registered letters on the days on which direct mails are closed will be received from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. with a late fee of 2 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the letters.

5. On the latest safe day of despatch of Mails for the Australasian Colonies, or any other Foreign Countries, *vid* Madras or Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time at 7-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 8-45 P.M. and late registered letters will be received from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

6. On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Thursday) the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles, without the late fee, at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-45 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On the day of despatch of any Foreign Mail by sea, the letter-box will be cleared for the last time, without the late fee, up to 8-30 P.M., and late letters and papers up to 9 P.M. and late registered letters will be received from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

CALCUTTA G. P. O.,
The 8th October 1906.

JOHN OWENS,
Presidency Postmaster.

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PART VI.

Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 23.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 28th September, 1906:

NO. 5 OF 1906.

THE INSOLVENCY (PROVINCIAL) BILL.

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ENACTMENTS REPEALED.

[Save where otherwise indicated, the marginal references are to the sections of the Code of Civil Procedure, (Act XIV of 1882).]

A Bill to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Insolvency in British India, as administered by Courts having jurisdiction outside the Presidency-towns and the town of Rangoon.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to insolvency in British India as administered by Courts having jurisdiction outside the Presidency-towns and the town of Rangoon; It is hereby enacted as follows:

Short title, extent and commencement.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Insolvency (Provincial) Act, 190 .

(*2*) *It* extends to the whole of British India except the Scheduled Districts; *and it applies also to—*

(*a*) *all Native Indian subjects of His Majesty in any place without and beyond British India;*

(*b*) *all other British subjects within the territories of any Native Prince or Chief in India; and*

(*c*) *all servants of His Majesty, whether British subjects or not, within the territories of any Native Prince or Chief in India.*

(*3*) It shall come into force on the first day of , 190

[2.] Construction.

2. In this Act, unless there *is anything* repugnant in the subject or context, *all words and expressions defined in the Code of Civil Procedure shall have the same meanings as those respectively assigned to them in the said Code.*

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[IV of 1872, s. 22.] Insolvency jurisdiction.

3. (*1*) The Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, invest any Court *or class of Courts outside the Presidency-towns and the town of Rangoon* with power *to exercise jurisdiction in any case or class of cases under this Act in any local area specified in the notification.*

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(*2*) *Subject to any rules made by the Local Government in this behalf by a like notification, a Court invested with power under sub-section* (*1*) *may transfer any case or class of cases to any Court subordinate to it and invested with power to exercise jurisdiction in such case or class of cases, and shall have, in regard to any case pending before it, all the powers conferred by section 25 of the Code of Civil Procedure on a High Court or District Court.*

XIV of 1882.

[360A, added by VII of 1888, s. 31 (*4*).]

(*3*) Nothing in this Act shall *be deemed to limit or otherwise affect anything done by any Court in the exercise of any power conferred by the Indian Insolvency Act, 1848, or by section 8 of the Lower Burma Courts Act, 1900.*

11 & 12 Vict., c. 21. VI of 1900.

[Cf. 46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 4.] Acts of insolvency.

4. *A debtor commits an act of insolvency in each of the following cases, namely:*

(*a*) *if, in British India or elsewhere, he makes a conveyance, transfer or assignment of his property to a trustee or trustees for the benefit of his creditors generally;*

(*b*) *if, in British India or elsewhere, he makes a fraudulent conveyance, gift, delivery or transfer of his property or of any part thereof;*

(*c*) *if, in British India or elsewhere, he makes any conveyance or transfer of his property or any part thereof, or creates any charge thereon, which would, under this or any other enactment for the time being in force, be void as a fraudulent preference if he were adjudged an insolvent;*

(*d*) *if, with intent to defeat or delay his creditors,—*

(*i*) *he departs or remains out of British India,*

(*ii*) *he departs from his dwelling-house or otherwise absents himself,*

(*iii*) *he secludes himself in order to deprive his creditors of the means of communicating with him,*

(*e*) *if any of his property has been attached and sold in execution of the decree of any Court;*

(*f*) *if he petitions to be adjudged an insolvent under the provisions of this Act;*

(*g*) *if he gives notice to any of his creditors that he has suspended, or that he is about to suspend, payment of his debts;*

(*h*) *if he is imprisoned in execution of a decree or order of a Civil Court for a longer period than twenty-one days for making default in payment of a sum of money.*

[Cf. 11 Vict., c. s. 8.]

[Cf. 46 Vict., c. s. 5.] Order of adjudication.

5. *Subject to the conditions specified in this Act, if a debtor has committed an act of insolvency, the Court may, on an insolvency petition being presented either by a creditor or by the debtor, make an order (hereinafter called an order of adjudication) adjudicating him an insolvent.*

[344; see IV of 1879, s. 23, XVII Petition for adjudication of insolvency.

6. (*1*) Every *insolvency petition shall be in writing, and* shall be made to the Court *exercising* jurisdiction *under this Act in any local area in which* the debtor *ordinarily* resides or carries on business or *personally works for gain, or, if he has been arrested or confined in prison, where he* is in custody.

(*2*) *The debtor shall not be entitled to present an insolvency petition unless—*

(*a*) *his debts amount to five hundred rupees or, in the case of an agriculturist, fifty rupees or such other amount as the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, prescribe; or*

(*b*) *he has been* arrested or *confined in prison* in execution of a decree for *the payment of* money; or

(*c*) an order of attachment in execution of such a decree has been made, and is *subsisting*, against his property.

(*3*) *A debtor's petition shall not, after presentment, be withdrawn without the leave of the Court.*

(4) A creditor shall not be entitled to present an insolvency petition against a debtor unless—

(a) the debt owing by the debtor to the creditor, or, if two or more creditors join in the petition, the aggregate amount of debts owing to such creditors, amounts to five hundred rupees, and

(b) the debt is a liquidated sum payable either immediately or at some certain future time, and

(c) the act of insolvency on which the petition is grounded has occurred within three months before the presentation of the petition.

(5) If the petitioning creditor is a secured creditor, he shall in his petition either state that he is willing to give up his security for the benefit of the creditors in the event of the debtor being adjudged insolvent or give an estimate of the value of the security. In the latter case he may be admitted as a petitioning creditor to the extent of the balance of the debt due to him after deducting the value so estimated in the same way as if he were an unsecured creditor.

(6) No insolvency petition shall be presented against the members, as such, of any corporation or of any partnership or association or company which may be wound up under the provisions of the Indian Companies Act, 1882, or of any other Act.

& 52, 382.

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Contents of petition.

7. (1) Every *insolvency petition, presented* by a debtor shall *contain the following particulars, namely:*

(a) a statement that the debtor is unable to pay his debts;

(b) where the petitioner is an agriculturist, a statement to that effect;

(c) the place where he ordinarily resides or carries on business or personally works for gain, or, if he has been arrested or *confined in prison,* the place where he is in custody;

(d) the Court *(if any)* by whose order he has been arrested or *confined in prison,* or by which *an* order *has been* made, *for the* attachment *of his property;*

(e) the amount and particulars of all pecuniary claims against him, together with the names and residences of his creditors so far as they are known to, or can by the exercise of reasonable care and diligence be ascertained by, him;

(f) the amount and particulars of *all* his property, *together with—*

(i) a specification of the value of all such property not consisting of money;

(ii) the place or places *at* which *all* such property is to be found; and

(iii) a declaration of his willingness to place at the disposal of the Court *all such* property *save in so far as it includes such particulars (not being his books of account) as are exempted by the Code of Civil Procedure* XIV of 1882. *from liability to attachment and sale in execution of a decree.*

(2) Every insolvency petition presented by a creditor or creditors shall set forth *the particulars regarding the debtor specified in clauses (b) and (c) of sub-section (1), and shall also specify—*

(a) the act of insolvency committed by such debtor, together with the date of its commission

(b) the amount *and particulars of his or their pecuniary claim or claims against such debtor; and*

(c) the date of the decree *(if any) obtained by him or them against such debtor, together with the name of* the Court *passing it* and the amount remaining due thereunder.

(3) Every insolvency petition shall be signed and verified in the manner prescribed *by the Code of Civil Procedure* for signing and verifying plaints; *and the procedure laid down by the said Code with respect to the rejection, return or amendment of plaints shall, so far as it is applicable, be followed in the case of such petitions.* [346.] XIV of 1882.

Procedure on admission of petition.

8. (1) *Where the petition is not rejected or returned under section 7, sub-section (3), or where it is admitted after having been so returned, the Court shall fix a date for hearing the petition, and shall order that notice be given in the manner provided by sub-sections (3) and (4) to all creditors to notify to the Court on or before such date any debts provable under this Act.* [Cl. IV of 1872, s. 24.

(2) At the time of making the order referred to in sub-section (1), or at any time afterwards, the Court may, at the instance of any of his creditors, order the debtor to give reasonable security for his appearance until final orders are made upon the petition, and may direct that, in default of giving such security, he shall be detained in the civil prison.

(3) Notice of the order under sub-section (1) shall be given by publication in the local official Gazette, and such publication shall be conclusive proof of notice to any creditor.

(4) In addition to the publication required by sub-section (3), the Court shall give to the creditors such notice, whether by the ordinary forms of process or by registered letter or by public advertisement or proclamation, as subject to any rules which the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, make in this behalf, it may consider expedient.

(5) Where the debtor is not the petitioner, notice of the order under sub-section (1) shall be given to him or to his pleader in the manner prescribed for the service of process. [347.]

(6) All expenses incidental to the giving of notice under sub-sections (3) to (5) shall, in the first instance, be borne by, and be recoverable from, the petitioner as costs:

Provided that, where the petitioner is the debtor, the Court may exempt him from *all* payments under this section if *it is* satisfied that he is unable to make them.

[cf. 46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 4.]

Duties of debtors.

9. (*1*) *Every debtor by or against whom an insolvency petition has been presented, shall, unless he is prevented by sickness or other sufficient cause or unless the Court thinks fit to dispense with his personal attendance, attend on the date specified in the notice referred to in section 8, and on any subsequent date to which the proceedings may be adjourned, and shall at all times submit to such examination and give such information as the Court may require.*

(*2*) *In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing provision, the debtor shall give such inventories of his property, and such lists of his creditors and debtors and of the debts due to and from them respectively, submit to such examination in respect of his property or his creditors, attend at such times before the Court, officer of the Court or receiver, execute such instruments, and generally do all such acts and things in relation to his property and the distribution of the proceeds amongst his creditors, as may be reasonably required by the Court, officer of the Court or receiver, or as may be prescribed by rules made under this Act.*

(*3*) *The debtor shall, if adjudged an insolvent, aid, to the utmost of his power, in the realisation of his property and the distribution of the proceeds among his creditors.*

(*4*) *If a debtor wilfully fails—*

(*a*) *to perform the duties imposed on him by this section, or*

(*b*) *to deliver possession of any of his property which is divisible among his creditors under this Act and which is for the time being in his possession or under his control,*

he shall, on conviction by a Magistrate, be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both.

[Cf. ibid, s. 25.]

Seizure of property and arrest of debtor.

10. *Where the Court is satisfied that the debtor, with intent to defeat or delay his creditors or to avoid any process of the Court,—*

(*a*) *has absconded or has departed from the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Court, or is about to abscond or to depart from such limits, or is remaining outside them, or*

(*b*) *has concealed, destroyed, transferred or removed from such limits, or is about to conceal, destroy, transfer or remove from such limits, any documents likely to be of use to his creditors in the course of the hearing, or any part of his property other than such particulars (not being his books of account) as are exempted by the Code of Civil Procedure from liability to attachment and sale in execution of a decree,*

IV of 1882.

the Court may, either of its own motion or on the application of any creditor, appoint an interim receiver of the property of the debtor or of any part thereof, and may order attachment by actual seizure of the whole or of any part of the property in the possession or under the control of the debtor, other than such particulars as aforesaid, and may also issue a warrant, with or without bail, for the arrest of the debtor, and direct either that he be detained in prison until the disposal of the petition, or that he be discharged on such terms as to security as may be reasonable and necessary.

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Procedure at hearing.

11. (*1*) On the day *specified in the notice referred to in section 8,* or on any subsequent day to which the hearing may be adjourned, the Court shall examine the debtor in *the* presence *of such creditors as attend in person or by pleader,* and shall hear such creditors *or their pleaders* in opposition to the debtor's discharge.

(*2*) *The Court* may, if it thinks fit, *call for, receive or* grant time to the *debtor* or *to any* creditor to *produce any* evidence *which appears to it to be necessary for the proper disposal of the petition.*

(*3*) *A memorandum of the substance of the examination of the debtor under sub-section* (*1*) *and of any oral evidence admitted under sub-section* (*2*) *shall be recorded in the manner provided by the Code of Civil Procedure in cases in which no appeal is allowed.*

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Dismissal of petition.

12. (*1*) *Where, after the examination of the debtor and such further inquiry* (*if any*) *as may be made under section 11, sub-section* (*2*), *or at any earlier stage of the case, the Court is satisfied that there is no sufficient ground for proceeding with the petition, it shall dismiss the petition.*

[Cf. 49

(*2*) *Where a petition presented by a creditor is dismissed under sub-section* (*1*) *and the Court is satisfied that the petition was frivolous or vexatious, the Court may, on the application of the debtor, award against such creditor such amount, not exceeding one thousand rupees, as it deems a reasonable compensation to the debtor for the expense or injury occasioned to him by the petition and the proceedings thereon, and such amount may be realised as if it were a fine :*

Provided that a Court competent to try a suit for compensation shall not award an amount exceeding the amount for which it might pass a decree in such a suit.

(*3*) *An award under this section shall bar any suit for compensation in respect of such petition and the proceedings thereon.*

[Cf. 46 & 47 Vict., c. s. 9.]

Effect of order of adjudication.

13. (*1*) *On the making of an order of adjudication the whole of the property of the insolvent, save in so far as it includes such particulars* (*not being his books of account*) *as are exempted by the Code of Civil Procedure from liability to attachment and sale in execution of a decree, shall thereupon vest in the Court or in a receiver as hereinafter provided and shall become divisible among the creditors. The insolvent, if in prison, shall be released, and*

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thereafter, except as directed by this Act, no creditor to whom the insolvent is indebted in respect of any debt provable under this Act, shall have any remedy against the property or person of the insolvent in respect of the debt or shall commence any suit or other legal proceeding, unless with the leave of the Court and on such terms as the Court may impose:

Provided that this section shall not affect the power of any secured creditor to realise or otherwise deal with his security in the same manner as he would have been entitled to realise or deal with it if this section had not been passed.

(2) An order of adjudication shall relate back to, and take effect from, the date of the presentation of the petition on which it is made.

(3) Notice of an order of adjudication shall be given in the manner hereinbefore provided for notice under section 8.

of 14. *(1) The Court may, at the time of the order of adjudication, or at any time afterwards, appoint a receiver for the property of the insolvent, and such property shall thereupon vest in such receiver.*

App. intment of receiver.

(2) Where the Court appoints a receiver under this section, it may—

(a) remove the person in whose possession or custody any such property as aforesaid is, from the possession or custody thereof;

(b) by general or special order, fix the fee or commission on the rents and profits of such property to be paid in respect of the services of the receiver; and,

(c) by general or special order, fix the remuneration (if any) to be paid to the receiver out of such fee or commission:

Provided that, where the debtor is an agriculturist, the receiver shall be such officer as is prescribed by any rules which the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, make in this behalf, and shall, save as may be otherwise provided by such rules, be entitled to no fee, commission or other remuneration in respect of the administration of the estate.

(3) Where a receiver appointed under this section

(a) fails to submit his accounts at such periods and in such form as the Court directs, or

(b) fails to pay the balance due from him thereon as the Court directs, or

(c) occasions loss to the property by his wilful default or gross negligence,

the Court may direct his property to be attached and sold, and may apply the proceeds to make good any balance found to be due from him or any loss so occasioned by him.

47 52, s. 15. *When a petition is presented by or against a debtor, if the Court is satisfied by affidavit or otherwise that the property of the debtor is not likely to exceed in value one thousand rupees, the Court may make an order that the debtor's estate be administered in a summary manner, and thereupon the provisions of this Act shall be subject to the following modifications, namely:*

Summary administration.

(a) no appeal shall lie from any order of the Court except by leave of the Court,

(b) the estate shall where practicable be distributed in a single dividend,

(c) such other modifications may be made in the provisions of this Act as may be prescribed by rules made under this Act with the view of saving expense and simplifying procedure.

Provided that nothing in this section shall permit the modification of the provisions of this Act relating to the examination or discharge of the debtor.

16. *(1) The receiver may, by leave of the Court, do all or any of the following things, namely:*

[Cl. 46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 57.]

Powers exercisable by receiver by leave of Court.

(a) carry on the business of the insolvent so far as may be necessary for the beneficial winding up of the same;

(b) institute, defend or continue any suit or other legal proceeding relating to the property of the insolvent;

(c) employ a pleader or other agent to take any proceedings or do any business which may be sanctioned by the Court;

(d) accept as the consideration for the sale of any property of the insolvent a sum of money payable at a future time subject to such stipulations as to security and otherwise as the Court thinks fit;

(e) mortgage or pledge any part of the property of the insolvent for the purpose of raising money for the payment of his debts;

(f) refer any dispute to arbitration, compromise all debts, claims and liabilities, whether present or future, certain or contingent, liquidated or unliquidated, subsisting or supposed to subsist between the insolvent and any person who may have incurred any liability to the insolvent, on the receipt of such sums, payable at such times, and generally on such terms, as may be agreed upon;

(g) make such compromise or other arrangement as may be thought expedient with creditors, or persons claiming to be creditors, in respect of any debts provable under this Act;

(h) make such compromise or other arrangement as may be thought expedient with respect to any claim arising out of, or incidental to, the property of the insolvent, made or capable of being made on the receiver by any person or by the receiver on any person;

(i) *divide in its existing form amongst the creditors, according to its estimated value, any property which, from its peculiar nature or other special circumstances, cannot readily or advantageously be sold.*

(2) *The leave given for the purposes of this section shall not be a general leave to do all or any of the above-mentioned things, but shall only be leave to do the particular thing or things for which leave is sought in the specified case or cases.*

Powers of Court if no receiver appointed.

17. *If no receiver be appointed, the Court shall have all the rights of, and may exercise all the powers conferred on, a receiver under this Act.*

Debts provable in insolvency. [46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 37.]

18. (1) *Demands in the nature of unliquidated damages arising otherwise than by reason of a contract, promise or breach of trust shall not be provable under this Act.*

(2) *A person having notice of any act of insolvency available against the debtor shall not prove under the order for any debt or liability contracted by the debtor subsequently to the date of his so having notice.*

(3) *Save as otherwise provided by sub-sections (1) and (2), all debts and liabilities, present or future, certain or contingent, to which the debtor is subject when he is adjudged to be an insolvent or to which he may become subject before his discharge by reason of any obligation incurred before the date of such adjudication, shall be deemed to be debts provable under this Act.*

(4) *An estimate shall be made by the Court or by the receiver of the value of any debt or liability provable as aforesaid, which by reason of its being subject to any contingency, or for any other reason, does not bear a certain value.*

(5) *Any person aggrieved by any estimate made by a receiver under sub-section (4) may appeal to the Court.*

(6) *Where, in the opinion of the Court, the value of the debt or liability is incapable of being fairly estimated, the Court may make an order to that effect, and thereupon the debt or liability shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be a debt not provable thereunder.*

(7) *Where, in the opinion of the Court, the value of the debt or liability is capable of being fairly estimated, the Court may direct the value to be assessed and may give all necessary directions for this purpose, and the amount of the value when assessed shall be deemed to be a debt provable under this Act.*

Explanation.—For the purposes of this section, liability includes any compensation for work done, any obligation or possibility of an obligation to pay money or money's worth on the breach of any express or implied covenant, contract, agreement, or undertaking, whether the breach does or does not occur, or is or is not likely to occur or capable of occurring, before the discharge of the debtor; and generally it includes any express or implied engagement, agreement or undertaking to pay, or capable of resulting in the payment of, money or money's worth, whether the payment is, as respects amount, fixed or unliquidated; as respects time, present or future, certain or dependent on any contingency or contingencies; as to mode of valuation, capable of being ascertained by fixed rules or as matter of opinion.

Mode and costs of proof. [Cl. ibid, r. 11, rr. 2 & 6.]

19. (1) *A debt may be proved under this Act by delivering, or sending by post in a registered letter, to the Court, or, where a receiver has been appointed and the Court has authorised him in this behalf, to the receiver, an affidavit verifying the debt.*

(2) *A creditor shall, unless the Court otherwise directs, bear the cost of proving his debt.*

Secured creditors. [Cl. ibid, 9 to 17.]

20. (1) *Where a secured creditor realises his security, he may prove for the balance due to him, after deducting the net amount realised.*

(2) *Where a secured creditor surrenders his security to the Court or to the receiver for the general benefit of his creditors, he may prove for his whole debt.*

(3) *Where a secured creditor does not either realise or surrender his security, he shall, before being entitled to rank for a dividend, state in his proof the particulars of his security, the date when it was given, and the value at which he assesses it, and shall be entitled to receive a dividend only in respect of the balance due to him after deducting the value so assessed.*

(4) *Where a security is so valued, the Court, or, with the leave of the Court, the receiver may at any time redeem it on payment to the creditor of the assessed value; and where the Court or the receiver is dissatisfied with the value at which a security is assessed, it or he may require that the property comprised in any security so valued shall be offered for sale at such time, and on such terms and conditions, as may be agreed upon between the creditor and the Court or the receiver, or as, in default of such agreement, the Court may direct; and where the sale is by public auction, the creditor, or the Court or the receiver on behalf of the estate, may bid or purchase:*

Provided that the creditor may at any time, by notice in writing, require the Court or the receiver to elect whether it or he will or will not exercise its or his power of redeeming the security or requiring it to be realised; and, where the Court or the receiver does not, within six months after receiving the notice, signify in writing to the creditor its or his election to exercise the power, it or he shall not be entitled to exercise it; and the equity of redemption, or any other interest in the property comprised in the security which is vested in the Court or the receiver, shall vest in the creditor, and the amount of his debt shall be reduced by the amount at which the security has been valued.

(5) *Where a creditor has so valued his security, he may at any time amend the valuation and proof on showing, to the satisfaction of the Court, or, with the leave of the Court, to the satisfaction of the receiver, that the valuation and proof were made in good faith on a mistaken estimate, or that the security has diminished or increased in value since its previous valuation; but the cost of every such amendment shall be borne by the creditor and upon such terms as the Court shall order, unless the receiver allows the amendment without application to the Court.*

(6) *Where a valuation has been amended in accordance with sub-section (5), the creditor shall forthwith repay any surplus dividend received by him in excess of that to which he would have been entitled on the amended valuation, or, as the case may be, shall be entitled to be paid, out of any money for the time being available for dividend, any dividend or share of a dividend which he may have failed to receive by reason of the inaccuracy of the original valuation, before that money is made applicable to the payment of any future dividend; but he shall not be entitled to disturb the distribution of any dividend declared before the date of the amendment.*

(7) *Where a creditor, after having valued his security, subsequently realises it, or where it is realised under sub-section (4), the net amount realised shall be substituted for the amount of any valuation previously made by the creditor and shall be treated in all respects as an amended valuation made by the creditor.*

(8) *Where a secured creditor does not comply with the provisions of this section, he shall be excluded from all share in any dividend.*

(9) *Subject to the provisions of sub-section (4), a creditor shall in no case receive more than sixteen annas in the rupee, and interest as hereinafter provided by this Act.*

(10) *Nothing in this section shall be deemed to relieve a receiver of the necessity for obtaining the leave of the Court in accordance with the provisions of section 16.*

Ibid, *Interest.*

21. (1) *On any debt or sum certain whereon interest is not reserved or agreed for, and which is overdue when the debtor is adjudged an insolvent, and which is provable under this Act, the creditor may prove for interest at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum,—*

(a) *if the debt or sum is payable by virtue of a written instrument at a certain time, from the time when such debt or sum was payable to the date of such adjudication; or,*

(b) *if the debt or sum is payable otherwise, from the time when a demand in writing has been made giving the debtor notice that interest will be claimed from the date of the demand until the time of payment to the date of such adjudication.*

& 71, (2) *Where a debt which has been proved under this Act, includes interest or any pecuniary consideration in lieu of interest, the interest or consideration shall, for the purposes of dividend, be calculated at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, without prejudice to the right of a creditor to receive out of the debtor's estate any higher rate of interest to which he may be entitled after all the debts proved have been paid in full.*

Debt payable at a future time.

22. *A creditor may prove for a debt not payable when the debtor committed an act of insolvency as if it were payable presently, and may receive dividends equally with the other creditors, deducting therefrom only a rebate of interest at the rate of six per centum per annum computed from the declaration of a dividend to the time when the debt would have become payable, according to the terms on which it was contracted.* [Cf. 46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, Sch. II, r. 21.]

Disallowance and reduction of claim to dividend.

23. (1) *Where the receiver thinks that a proof has been improperly admitted, the Court may, on the application of the receiver and after notice to the creditor, after such inquiry (if any) as the Court thinks necessary, expunge the proof or reduce its amount.* [Cf. ibid, rr. 23 to 25.]

(2) *The Court may also, after such inquiry as aforesaid, expunge or reduce a proof upon the application of a creditor where no receiver has been appointed, or where the receiver declines to interfere in the matter, or, in the case of a composition or scheme, upon the application of the debtor.*

Distribution.

24. (1) *In the distribution of the property of the insolvent there shall be paid in priority to all other debts—* [Cf. 51 & 52 Vict., c. 62, s. 1.]

(a) *all debts due to His Majesty or to any local authority;*

(b) *all salary or wages, not exceeding twenty rupees, of any clerk or servant in respect of services rendered to the insolvent during four months before the date of the presentation of a petition; and*

(c) *all wages, not exceeding ten rupees, whether payable for time or for piecework, of any labourer or workman in respect of services rendered to the insolvent during two months before the date aforesaid.*

(2) *The debts specified in sub-section (1) shall rank equally between themselves, and shall be paid in full, unless the property of the insolvent is insufficient to meet them, in which case they shall abate in equal proportions between themselves.*

(3) *Subject to the retention of such sums as may be necessary for the costs of administration or otherwise, the debts specified in sub-section (1) shall be discharged forthwith in so far as the property of the insolvent is sufficient to meet them.*

(4) *In the case of partners the partnership property shall be applicable in the first instance in payment of the partnership debts, and the separate property of each partner shall be applicable in the first instance in payment of* [Cf. 46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 40.]

his separate debts. Where there is a surplus of the separate property of the partners, it shall be dealt with as part of the partnership property; and, where there is a surplus of the partnership property, it shall be dealt with as part of the respective separate property in proportion to the rights and interests of each partner in the partnership property.

(5) Subject to the provisions of this Act, all debts proved under this Act shall be paid rateably according to the amounts of such debts respectively and without any preference.

(6) Where there is any surplus after payment of the foregoing debts, it shall be applied in payment of interest from the date on which the debtor is adjudged an insolvent at the rate of six per centum per annum on all debts proved under this Act.

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25. (1) In any local area in which a declaration has been made under section 320 *of the Code of Civil Procedure* and is in force, no sale of immoveable property paying revenue to the Government or held or let for agricultural purposes shall be made *by the Court or, where a receiver has been appointed*, by the receiver; but, after *realising* the other property of the insolvent, the Court shall ascertain—

Special provisions in regard to immoveable property.

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(*a*) the amount required to satisfy the debts *proved under this Act* after deducting the moneys already received,

(*b*) the immoveable property of the insolvent remaining unsold, and

(*c*) the incumbrances (if any) existing thereon,

and shall forward a statement to the Collector containing the particulars aforesaid; and thereupon the Collector shall proceed to raise the amount so required by the exercise of such of the powers conferred on him by sections 321 to 325 *of the Code* as he thinks fit, and subject to the provisions of those sections so far as they *are* applicable, and shall hold at the disposal of the Court all sums that may come to his hands by such exercise.

(2) Nothing in this Act shall be deemed to affect any provisions of any enactment for the time being in force prohibiting or restricting the execution of decrees or orders against immoveable property; and any such provisions shall be deemed to apply to an order of adjudication made under this Act as if it were such a decree or order.

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26. (1) *Subject to the provisions of sections 24 and 25, the Court or, where a receiver has been appointed, the receiver shall give effect to any composition or scheme of arrangement agreed upon between the debtor and the creditors representing a majority in value of the claims provable under this Act by those of the creditors who have appeared:*

Compositions.

Provided that no injustice or injury appears to be inflicted by such composition or scheme on any of the parties concerned:

Provided also, that there is no reasonable ground for suspecting the composition or scheme to be fraudulent or collusive.

(2) Where any creditor objects to any composition or scheme to which effect is given or to be given under sub-section (1), the Court shall decide as to the reasonableness of the objection.

27. (1) *Where execution of a decree has issued against the property of a debtor, no person shall be entitled to the benefit of the execution against the receiver except in respect of assets realised in the course of the execution by sale or otherwise before the date of the order of adjudication and before notice of the presentation of any insolvency petition by or against the debtor or of the commission of any available act of insolvency by the debtor has been given to the Court executing the decree.*

[Cl. Act 2 of 1882, s. 295; 46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 45.]

Restriction of rights of creditor under execution.

(2) Nothing in this section shall affect the rights of a mortgagee or incumbrancer of property against which the decree is executed.

(3) A person who in good faith purchases the property of a debtor under a sale in execution shall in all cases acquire a good title to it against the receiver.

28. *Where execution of a decree has issued against any property of a debtor which is saleable in execution and before the sale thereof notice is given to the Court executing the decree that an order of adjudication has been made against the debtor, the Court shall, on application, direct the property to be delivered to the receiver, but the costs of the execution shall be a charge on the property so delivered, and the receiver may sell the property or an adequate part thereof for the purpose of satisfying the charge.*

[46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 46.]

Duties of Court executing decree as to goods taken in execution.

29. (1) *Any settlement of property not being a settlement made before and in consideration of marriage or made in favour of a purchaser or incumbrancer in good faith and for valuable consideration or a settlement made on or for the wife or children of the settlor of property which has accrued to the settlor after marriage in right of his wife shall, if the settlor is adjudicated insolvent within two years after the date of the settlement, be void against the receiver and may be annulled by the Court.*

[46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 47.]

Avoidance of voluntary settlements.

(2) For the purposes of this section "settlement" shall include any conveyance or transfer of property.

30. (1) *Every conveyance or transfer of property or charge thereon made, every demand made, every obligation incurred and every judicial proceeding taken or suffered by any person unable to pay his debts as they become due from his own money in favour of any creditor, or any person in trust for any creditor, with a view of giving that creditor a preference over the other creditors, shall, if the person making, taking, paying or suffering the same is adjudged insolvent on a petition presented within three months after the date of making, taking, paying or suffering the same, be deemed fraudulent and void as against the receiver and may be annulled by the Court.*

[46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 48.]

Avoidance of preference in certain cases.

(2) This section shall not affect the rights of any person making title in good faith and for valuable consideration through or under the creditor of the insolvent.

Protection of bonâ fide transactions without notice.

31. *Subject to the foregoing provisions of this Act with respect to the effect of insolvency on an execution and with respect to the avoidance of certain settlements and preferences, nothing in this Act shall invalidate in the case of an insolvency—*

(*a*) *any payment of the insolvent to any of his creditors ;*

(*b*) *any payment or delivery to the insolvent;*

(*c*) *any conveyance, transfer or assignment by the insolvent for valuable consideration ; or*

(*d*) *any contract, dealing or transaction by or with the insolvent for valuable consideration :*

Provided that both the following conditions are complied with, namely :

(*i*) *the payment, delivery, transfer, conveyance, assignment, contract, dealing or transaction, as the case may be, takes place before the date of the order of adjudication ; and*

(*ii*) *the person (other than the insolvent) to, by or with whom the payment, delivery, transfer, conveyance, assignment, contract, dealing or transaction was made, executed or entered into, has not at the time of the payment, delivery, transfer, conveyance, assignment, contract, dealing or transaction, notice of any available act of insolvency committed by the insolvent before that time.*

Dividends.

32. (*1*) *In the calculation of dividends, the Court or, where a receiver has been appointed, the receiver shall make provision for—*

(*a*) *debts provable under this Act and appearing, from the insolvent's statements or otherwise, to be due to persons resident in places so distant that in the ordinary course of communication they have not had sufficient time to tender their proofs or to establish them, if disputed ;*

(*b*) *debts provable under this Act, the subject of claims not yet determined ;*

(*c*) *disputed proofs or claims ; and*

(*d*) *the expenses necessary for the administration of the estate or otherwise.*

(*2*) *Subject to the provisions of sub-section (1), all money in hand shall be distributed by the Court as dividends.*

(*3*) *Any creditor who has not proved his debt before the declaration of any dividend or dividends, shall be entitled to be paid, out of any money for the time being in the hands of the Court, or, where a receiver has been appointed, of the receiver, any dividend or dividends which he may have failed to receive before that money is applied to the payment of any future dividend or dividends ; but he shall not be entitled to disturb the distribution of any dividend declared before his debt was proved by reason that he has not participated therein.*

(*4*) *No action for a dividend shall lie against the receiver ; but, where the receiver refuses to pay any dividend, the Court may, if it thinks fit, order him to pay it, and also to pay out of his own money interest thereon for the time that it is withheld, and the costs of the application.*

Management by and allowance to insolvent.

33. (*1*) *The Court or, by leave of the Court, the receiver may appoint the insolvent himself to superintend the management of the property of the insolvent or of any part thereof, or to carry on the trade (if any) of the insolvent for the benefit of the creditors, and in any other respect to aid in administering the property in such manner and on such terms as the Court or, by leave of the Court, the receiver may direct.* [Cf. *ibid*, s. 64.]

(*2*) *The Court or, by leave of the Court, the receiver may, from time to time, make such allowance as it or he may think just to the insolvent out of his property for the support of himself and his family, or in consideration of his services if he is engaged in winding up his estate ; but any such allowance may, at any time, be reduced by the Court.*

Right of insolvent to surplus.

34. *The insolvent shall be entitled to any surplus remaining after payment in full of his creditors, with interest as provided by this Act, and of the costs, charge and expenses of the proceedings taken thereunder.* [Cf. 46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 65.]

Discharge.

35. (*1*) *A debtor may, at any time after the order of adjudication, apply to the Court for an order of discharge : and the Court shall fix a day, notice whereof shall be given in the manner provided by section 8, sub-sections (3) and (4), for hearing such application, and any objections which may be made thereto.* [New. Cf. 53 & 54 Vict., c. 71, s. 8.]

(*2*) *Subject to the provisions of this section, the Court may, after hearing the objections of any creditor or, where a receiver has been appointed, of the receiver,—*

(*a*) *grant or refuse an absolute order of discharge ; or*

(*b*) *suspend the operation of the order for a specified time ; or*

(*c*) *grant an order of discharge subject to any conditions with respect to any earnings or income which may afterwards become due to the insolvent, or with respect to his after-acquired property.*

(*3*) *The Court shall refuse an order of discharge where the insolvent has committed an offence in relation to his insolvency, unless, for reasons to be recorded, it is satisfied that such refusal is not required in the interests of justice.*

(*4*) *On proof of any of the facts mentioned in sub-section (5), the Court shall—*

(*a*) *refuse the discharge ; or*

(*b*) *suspend the discharge for a period of not less than two years ; or*

(*c*) *suspend the discharge until a dividend of not less than eight annas in the rupee has been paid to the creditors ; or,*

(*d*) *where a receiver has been appointed, require the insolvent, as a condition of his discharge, to consent to an order for payment to such receiver of any balance or part of any balance of debts provable under this Act but not satisfied at the date of discharge, such balance or part of any balance to be paid out of the future earnings or after-acquired property of the insolvent in such manner and subject to such conditions as the Court may direct; and every such order shall be capable of execution as if it were a decree:*

Provided that, if at any time after the expiration of two years from the date of an order made under this section, the insolvent satisfies the Court that there is no reasonable probability of his being in a position to comply with the terms of the order, the Court may modify the terms of the order, or of any substituted order, in such manner and upon such conditions as it thinks fit:

Provided, also, that no application for the execution of an order made in favour of a receiver under clause (d) shall be made except by leave of the Court, and that such leave shall not be given unless on proof that the insolvent has, since his discharge, acquired property or income available towards the payment of his debts.

(5) *The facts referred to in sub-section (4) are the following, namely:*

(*a*) *that the insolvent's assets are not of a value equal to eight annas in the rupee on the amount of his unsecured liabilities, unless he satisfies the Court that the fact that the assets are not of a value equal to eight annas in the rupee on the amount of his unsecured liabilities has arisen from circumstances for which he cannot justly be held responsible;*

(*b*) *that the insolvent has omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his insolvency;*

(*c*) *that the insolvent has continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent;*

(*d*) *that the insolvent has contracted any debt provable under this Act without having at the time of contracting it any reasonable or probable ground of expectation (the burden of proving which shall lie on him) that he would be able to pay it;*

(*e*) *that the insolvent has failed to account satisfactorily for any loss of assets or for any deficiency of assets to meet his liabilities;*

(*f*) *that the insolvent has brought on, or contributed to, his insolvency by rash and hazardous speculations, or by unjustifiable extravagance in living, or by gambling, or by culpable neglect of his business affairs;*

(*g*) *that the insolvent has put any of his creditors to unnecessary expense by a frivolous or vexatious defence to any suit or other proceeding properly instituted against him;*

(*h*) *that the insolvent has, within three months preceding the date of the order under section 8, sub-section (1), incurred unjustifiable expense by instituting a frivolous or vexatious suit or other proceeding;*

(*i*) *that the insolvent has, within the period referred to in clause (h), when unable to pay his debts as they became due, given an undue preference to any of his creditors;*

(*j*) *that the insolvent has, within the period referred to in clause (h), incurred liabilities with a view to making his assets equal to eight annas in the rupee on the amount of his unsecured liabilities;*

(*k*) *that the insolvent has on any previous occasion been declared an insolvent, or made a composition or arrangement with his creditors;*

(*l*) *that the insolvent has concealed or removed his property or any part thereof, or has been guilty of any other fraud or fraudulent breach of trust.*

(6) *For the purposes of this section, the report of the receiver shall be deemed to be evidence; and the Court may presume the correctness of any statement contained therein.*

(7) *The powers of suspending, and of attaching conditions to, an insolvent's discharge may be exercised concurrently.*

(8) *A discharged insolvent shall, notwithstanding his discharge, give such assistance as the Court or, where a receiver has been appointed, as the receiver may require in the realisation and distribution of such of his property as is vested in the Court or the receiver; and, if he fails to give such assistance, the Court may, in addition to any punishment to which he may be liable, revoke his discharge, but without prejudice in the validity of any sale, disposition or payment duly made or anything duly done after the discharge but before the revocation.*

Explanation.—For the purposes of this section, an insolvent's assets shall be deemed to be of a value equal to eight annas in the rupee on the amount of his unsecured liabilities when the Court is satisfied that his property has realised, or is likely to realise, or with due care in realisation might have realised, an amount equal to eight annas in the rupee on his unsecured liabilities.

Effect of order of discharge.

36. (1) *An order of discharge shall not release the insolvent from—* [Cf. 32 Vict., 30.]

(*a*) *any debt due to His Majesty;*

(*b*) *any debt or liability incurred by means of any fraud or fraudulent breach of trust to which he was a party; or*

(*c*) *any debt or liability in respect of which he has obtained forbearance by any fraud to which he was a party.*

(2) *Save as otherwise provided by sub-section (1), an order of discharge shall release the insolvent from all debts provable under this Act.*

(3) *An order of discharge shall be conclusive evidence of the insolvency and of the validity of the proceedings therein; and, in any suit or other proceeding instituted against an insolvent who has obtained an order of discharge in respect of any debt from which he is released by the order, the insolvent may plead that the cause of action occurred before his discharge.*

(4) *An order of discharge shall not release any person who, at the date of the presentation of the petition, was a partner or co-trustee with the insolvent, or was jointly bound or had made any joint contract with him or any person who was surety for him.*

Power to annul adjudication of insolvency.

37. (1) *Where, in the opinion of the Court, a debtor ought not to have been adjudged insolvent, or where it is proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the debts of the insolvent have been paid in full, the Court may, on the application of the debtor or of any other person interested, by order in writing, annul the adjudication.*

(2) *Where an adjudication is annulled under sub-section (1), all sales and dispositions of property and payments duly made, and all acts theretofore done, by the Court, officer of the Court or receiver shall be valid; but, subject as aforesaid, the property of the debtor who was adjudged insolvent, shall vest in such person as the Court may appoint, or, in default of any such appointment, shall revert to the debtor to the extent of his right or interest therein on such conditions (if any) as the Court may, by order in writing, declare.*

(3) *Notice of every order annulling an adjudication shall be given in the manner provided by section 8, sub-sections (3) and (4).*

Power to cancel one of concurrent orders of adjudication.

38. *If in any case in which an adjudication order has been made it shall be proved to the Court by which such order was made that another adjudication order has been made by another Court against the same debtor, and is still pending, and that from the circumstances of the case, the situation of the property of the debtor or other causes, his estate and effects can be more conveniently distributed by such other Court, the said first-mentioned Court may annul the order made by it on such terms as to it may seem fit.*

Imprisonment of dishonest debtor.

39. *Where* it is proved *to the satisfaction of the Court* that *a debtor who has presented a petition under this Act, or against whom such a petition has been presented,—*

(*a*) has been guilty of any concealment or wilful *mis*-statement *in regard either to pecuniary claims against him or to* property belonging to him, whether in possession or in expectancy or held for him in trust, or

(*b*) *has* fraudulently concealed, transferred or removed any property, or

(*c*) has committed any other act of bad faith regarding the matter of the application,

the Court *may*, at the instance of any of his creditors, *direct* him to *be detained in the civil prison* for a term which may extend to one year or may, if it thinks fit, send him to a Magistrate to be dealt with according to law.

Undischarged insolvent obtaining credit.

40. *An undischarged insolvent obtaining credit to the extent of fifty rupees or upwards from any person without informing such person that he is an undischarged insolvent shall, on conviction by a Magistrate, be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine, or with both.* [Cf. 46 & 47 Vict, c. 52, s. 31.]

Application of Code of Civil Procedure.

41. *Save as otherwise provided by this Act, every Court exercising jurisdiction hereunder shall in its proceedings be governed by the provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure.* XIV of 1882

Subordination of Courts and appeals.

42. (1) *Save as otherwise provided by sub-section (3), any person aggrieved by an order made in the exercise of insolvency jurisdiction by a Court subordinate to a District Court may appeal to the District Court, and the order of the District Court upon such appeal shall be final and conclusive.*

(2) *Any person aggrieved by an order made under sections 5, 12, 20, 30, 32, sub-section (4), 35, 37 or 39, by the District Court otherwise than in appeal from an order made by a subordinate Court, may appeal to the High Court.*

(3) *Where an appeal to the District Court has been transferred for disposal to a subordinate Court, such subordinate Court shall, for the purposes of sub-sections (1) and (2), be deemed to be the District Court.*

(4) *The periods of limitation for an appeal to the District Court under sub-section (1) and to the High Court under sub-section (2) shall be thirty days and ninety days respectively and, in the computation of those periods and in all other respects, the limitation of such appeals shall be governed by the provisions of the Indian Limitation Act, 1877.* XV of 1877

Costs of detention in civil prison.

43. *Where, under section 8, sub-section (2), or section 39, the Court directs a debtor to be detained in the civil prison, the costs of such detention shall be borne by the person on whose application the same was directed, and in such case the provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure shall apply as if the debtor and such person as aforesaid were a judgment-debtor and a decree-holder, respectively.* XIV of 1882

Power to make rules.

44. (1) *The High Court may, with the previous sanction, in the case of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, of the Governor General in Council, and, in case of any other High Court, of the Local Government, make rules for carrying into effect the provisions of this Act.*

(2) *In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may provide for the audit of the accounts of receivers appointed under this Act, for paying*

for the costs of such audit, and for the reasonable costs, charges and allowances of such receivers out of the funds in their hands and for summary procedure in the case of small insolvencies.

(3) All rules made under this section shall be published in the Gazette of India or in the local official Gazette, as the case may be, and shall, on such publication, have effect as if enacted in this Act.

5 & 47 s. 52, s. *Courts to be auxiliary to each other.*

45. *Every Court having jurisdiction under this Act in British India and the officers of those Courts respectively shall severally act in aid of and be auxiliary to each other in all matters of insolvency, and an order of the Court seeking aid with a request to another of the said Courts shall be deemed sufficient to enable the latter Court to exercise, in regard to the matters directed by the order, such jurisdiction as either the Court which made the request, or the Court to which the request is made, could exercise in regard to similar matters within their respective jurisdictions.*

Repeals.

46. *(1) The enactments mentioned in the Schedule are hereby repealed to the extent specified in the fourth column thereof.*

(2) Where in any enactment or instrument in force at the date of the commencement of this Act reference is made to Chapter XX (OF INSOLVENT JUDGMENT-DEBTORS) of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1877, or of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1882, or to any section of either of those Chapters, such reference shall, so far as may be practicable, be construed as applying to this Act or to the corresponding section thereof. X of 1877. XIV of 1882.

THE SCHEDULE.

ENACTMENTS REPEALED.

(See section 46.)

Year.	*No.*	*Short title.*	*Extent of repeal.*
1872	*IV*	*The Punjab Laws Act, 1872.*	*Sections 22 to 32.*
1877	*XV*	*The Indian Limitation Act, 1877.*	*No. 174 of the Second Schedule.*
1882	*XIV*	*The Code of Civil Procedure.*	*Chapter XX (sections 344 to 360A).*
1888	*VII*	*The Civil Procedure Code Amendment Act, 1888.*	*Section 31.*

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE general law of insolvency in British India, outside the three Presidency-towns, Rangoon and the Punjab, is contained in Chapter XX of the Code of Civil Procedure (Act XIV of 1882); but it has long been admitted that the provisions to be there found afford the most inadequate relief both to debtors and to creditors. Their scope is limited to creditors who have obtained decrees for the payment of money and to judgment-debtors who have been arrested or imprisoned, or whose property has been attached in execution of such decrees. No restriction is placed upon the rights of an individual creditor until the debtor's property has actually vested in the receiver appointed under section 354; and, in the interim, suits may proceed and decrees may be executed, with the result that, while the petition is pending, the whole of the property of the debtor may be sold for the benefit of a single decree-holder, and to the exclusion of the rest of his creditors who may have refrained from embarrassing the estate with litigation because their claims have been duly scheduled. On the other hand, the relief to the insolvent is most inadequate, since it is strictly confined to discharge from the scheduled debts, all liability for which is terminated, by a rough and ready procedure, through the satisfaction of one-third or the efflux of twelve years. For the Punjab there is a special, but equally incomplete, law contained in eleven sections of the Punjab Laws Act (IV of 1872). In fact, the law of insolvency outside the Presidency-towns and Rangoon remains still, as the late Lord Hobhouse described it in 1875, the germ, and nothing more than the germ, of an insolvency law. There can be no doubt that the time has arrived when an extension of the law is urgently demanded.

In 1886 a Bankruptcy Bill was introduced and referred to a Select Committee, but after a lengthy consideration it was rejected by the Committee on the ground that it was too complicated for the requirements of the country at that time.

A further attempt to amend the law in the mufassal was made in connection with the revision of the Code of Civil Procedure which was undertaken in 1901. The Chapter on insolvency was redrafted and was made to extend to insolvent debtors generally without reference to the existence of decrees against them; and clauses were added to give more complete powers to the Courts and receivers on the lines, though in a much modified form, of the English law. The Chapter followed the Punjab Act in that it applied only to Courts on which the Local Government conferred jurisdiction by notification and only in the areas specified in the notification.

These proposals appeared to the Government of India to be sound and practical. The new Chapter met with general acceptance by the various authorities to whom

the Bill was submitted for criticism, and received the approval of the Select Committee. But the Bill was not proceeded with after the Report of the Select Committee had been presented: it has been held over for further consideration with a view to meeting some of the principal objections urged against it on other points. It appears, however, to the Government of India that the insolvency provisions may with advantage be separated from the Code of Civil Procedure and passed as a separate enactment without further delay. These provisions in their proposed form are no longer confined to the cases of judgment-debtors and no longer therefore fall in their entirety within the ambit of such a Code. There are conveniences in having the subject dealt with in a distinct Act, and the resulting reduction in bulk of the Code is of itself not without advantage.

The present Bill differs on a few points only from Chapter XX of the Code Bill as passed by the Select Committee. Speaking generally, it is a reproduction of the main features of the English law of bankruptcy but in a greatly simplified form. It contains 46 clauses in all as against the 170 sections and 53 rules which are comprised in the English Act of 1883 and the 134 clauses and 55 rules of the Bill of 1885.

2. It is hoped that a separate Bill applicable to the Presidency-towns and Rangoon may be introduced at no distant date to amend or to repeal and re-enact with amendments the Act of 1848 by which insolvency in those towns is at present regulated.

3. The details of the present Bill are explained in the annexed *Notes on Clauses*.

The 27th September, 1906. H. ERLE RICHARDS.

Notes on Clauses

Clause 1.—The Bill is to all practical intents a Bankruptcy Bill. But it has been thought better, for the present at any rate, to preserve the title of "Insolvency" with which legal practitioners in this country are familiar. The term "Provincial" has been adopted by the Legislature in the analogous case of the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, 1887.

It is proposed not only to make the law extend territorially, like the Code of Civil Procedure, to the whole of British India except the Scheduled Districts, but also to give it the widest extra-territorial application possible in the case of an Act of the Indian legislature.

Clause 3.—The principle that the Local Government should have authority to confer jurisdiction on any Court has, to some extent, been recognised even in section 360 of the Code and it constitutes an essential portion of the insolvency provisions of the Punjab Laws Act, 1872. As many of the orders to be made are likely to involve legal questions of no little difficulty, it is proposed—see clause 42—to allow an appeal from a subordinate Court to the District Judge, whose decisions, however, must, except in respect of certain specified matters, be invested with finality unless all the relief that is anticipated is to be lost in expensive and protracted appeals to the High Court. The revisional remedy provided by section 622 of the Code of Civil Procedure and the power of supervision exercised under section 15 of the Indian High Courts Act, 1861, will, it is hoped, be sufficient to meet all cases of real hardship where no appeal is allowed.

Clause 4.—There is at present no definition of acts of insolvency entitling a creditor to apply for an adjudication against his debtor. The result is that a creditor or a number of creditors may wantonly or maliciously apply for such an adjudication, and the Court must apparently proceed upon the somewhat narrow grounds specified in section 351 of the Code. For such conduct it would seem that the debtor cannot obtain reparation, except by means of a separate suit. It seems desirable, therefore, to adapt and simplify the list of "acts of bankruptcy" contained in the English Statute of 1883—with an addition to cover the case of a judgment-debtor remaining in prison for 21 days—to render a creditor's application dependent upon the commission of such an act, and to invest the Court—see clause 12 (*2*)—with summary jurisdiction to award compensation where such an application is dismissed as frivolous and vexatious.

Clause 6.—It has already been stated that the Code, as it stands, applies only to a judgment-debtor who has been arrested or imprisoned, or whose property has been attached in execution of decrees for the payment of money and who voluntarily seeks the protection of the Court, unless the application proceeds from a decree-holder. So far as it is proposed to extend the law to the relief of other classes of debtors, the minimum limit of liability has been fixed at five hundred rupees, as in section 23 of the Punjab Laws Act, 1872, an exception being made in the case of agriculturists, in connection with whom it is proposed to leave the limit to the discretion of Local Governments. On the other hand, it is proposed considerably to curtail the existing latitude given to creditor-applicants by limiting their rights to cases in which acts of insolvency have been committed.

Clause 7.—Most of the requirements here suggested are purely ancillary to the proposals in regard to the persons entitled to apply. It is not intended to relax the stringency of the rule that an application must specify where the property is to be found; but the reference in sub-clause (*3*) to return and amendment is intended to prevent dismissals on purely technical grounds.

Clause 8 provides for notice of the petition to the parties concerned.

Clause 9.—At present the duties of the debtor up to the conclusion of the insolvency proceedings are not clearly defined. By virtue of section 359 of the Code he may be imprisoned for certain acts of fraud and bad faith proved at the hearing under that section; but this would not warrant coercive measures for mere failure to render such active assistance as section 24 of the English Statute requires. The clause here proposed is intended to meet the defect.

Clause 10.—It has been pointed out that sections 22 to 33 of the Punjab Laws Act, 1872, give no power to arrest by warrant where there is probable reason for believing the insolvent to be about to evade service of summons or to remove or conceal his goods or papers; and it is doubtful how far this omission is supplied by the Code. In these circumstances, it is thought expedient to adapt the coercive provisions of section 25 of the English Statute, somewhat on the lines of section 477 of the Code with regard to arrest before judgment. Here, it is thought, the imprisonment provided for need hardly be confined to detention in a civil jail.

Clause 11.—It is thought that ordinary cases of insolvency may be compared with summons cases and even summary trials under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, so as to relieve the Courts of as much unnecessary clerical labour as possible.

Clause 12.—Here again it is proposed that the powers of the Court should be assimilated to those conferred by sections 203 and 253 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898. On the other hand, it is essential that, if readier facilities are to be given to creditors to have their debtors declared, to be insolvent, an equally prompt remedy should be given against wanton and malicious applications. This principle has already been recognised in section 491 of the Code of Civil Procedure with regard to arrest or attachment before judgment.

Clause 13.—It is proposed to dispense with any preliminary order and have one order only, and that an adjudication order. In the English Act a receiving order is first made and adjudication follows later. But there seems no good reason for adopting this double system and there are advantages of simplicity in having only one order. In the scheme proposed by the Select Committee adjudication was preceded by a "conditional" order made *ex parte*. But it is thought that this procedure would be liable to abuse and that sufficient control over the property of the debtor between the dates of the presentation of the petition and the adjudication order can be obtained in other ways. The order is made to relate back to the date of the petition in accordance with the law in force in the Presidency-towns.

Clause 15.—A clause has been inserted to give power to the Court to deal with small bankruptcies by way of summary procedure to be determined by rules.

Clause 16.—The general powers exercisable by a receiver in virtue of his appointment under section 503 of the Code of Civil Procedure are not sufficiently precise for the purposes of insolvency. In the cases here enumerated it seems expedient that the receiver should not merely rely upon such general powers, but act by the direction, and under the control, of the Court.

Clause 18.—The Code is defective in containing no proper description of the nature of debts provable in insolvency, in not precluding a creditor from proving a liability contracted after he had notice of an act of insolvency, and in allowing a debt payable immediately to rank equally with one payable on a future date or on the happening of a contingency. It is proposed to remedy these defects on the lines of section 37 of the English Statute of 1883.

Clause 19.—The English practice of proving by transmission of an affidavit is obviously desirable, and its introduction here is safeguarded by the provisions of clause 23, which will enable the Court to expunge or reduce proofs improperly admitted in whole or in part. It will be observed that, in view of the circumstances of this country, it is proposed that receivers should not, without express delegation from the Court, be entrusted with the duty of taking proof of debts, which is an ordinary part of their functions under the English procedure.

Clause 20.—The existing law is most incomplete as regards the claims of secured creditors. At present, neither a declaration of insolvency nor a sale by a receiver gets rid of an unscheduled mortgage. If, however, the mortgage is scheduled, it is entitled,

under section 356, clause (*d*), of the Code, to priority over all claims other than Crown-debts and the costs of a decree-holder. It is proposed to adapt the English procedure as to the surrender and valuation of secured liabilities.

Clause 21.—The Code contains no specific directions regarding interest, and some appear to be necessary if a ready relief against acts of insolvency is to be given.

Clause 22.—It may be doubted whether a claim payable at a future time is a " debt " for the purposes of rateable distribution. Rule 21 of the second schedule to the Statute of 1883 has accordingly been adapted so as to include such claims.

Clause 23.—It is here proposed to invest the Courts with the powers of expunging or reducing proofs, which is exercised in England.

Clause 24.—The list of preferential payments enumerated in section 356 of the Code, while including Crown-debts, gives no priority to the wages of service or labour rendered to the insolvent. On the other hand, the invariable preference given to mortgages over unsecured liabilities is not expedient. It is proposed, therefore, to adapt the principle accepted in section 40 of the Statute of 1883, as supplemented by section 1 of the Preferential Payments in Bankruptcy Act, 1888.

Clause 25.—This clause prescribes the protection afforded to agriculturists by the proviso to section 356 of the Code or by any special enactment in force.

Clauses 27 and 28 protect the property of the insolvent against execution.

Clauses 29, 30 and 31 deal with the effect of adjudication on antecedent transactions on the lines of the English Act. It is believed that the powers of the Court urgently require strengthening in respect of compositions and fraudulent transfers.

Clause 32.—The Code of Civil Procedure does not regulate the payment of dividends and there is accordingly no direction with regard to provision for debts not provable at once. The principle has already been recognised that a creditor can claim to prove at any time while there are still undistributed assets of the insolvent. It is essential, however, to qualify this by providing for the maintenance of any prior payment of dividends, and also to protect a receiver against suit for dividends unpaid, the Court being at the same time vested with the power to order payment, with costs and interest, of interest improperly withheld.

Clause 33.—The absence of any power to enable an insolvent to manage his business and to grant him an allowance undoubtedly deters debtors from seeking the benefit of the existing law. It is hoped that, by the adoption of section 14 of the English Act of 1883, one of the worst stumbling-blocks in the way of insolvent relief will be removed.

Clauses 34 and 35.—The effect of the present law with respect to discharge is ineffective, uncertain and unfair. It has already been mentioned that the relief afforded by the Code can be claimed only in very narrowly defined circumstances, which are made dependent upon the taking of particular action for the enforcement of decrees for the payment of money. Even so, however, the relief is limited to debts entered in the schedule contemplated by section 352 of the Code; and, if a creditor does not choose to have his debts scheduled, the discharge will not preclude him from executing his decree. Nor will the scheduling of a decree necessarily bar a suit to establish the right to sell any property hypothecated; and it seems that, while section 357 of the Code does not protect an insolvent from arrest in respect of judgment-debts not appearing in the schedule, his property can always be attached and sold. Indeed, there is some measure of doubt on the question how far a creditor may execute a scheduled decree *pari passu* with the insolvency proceedings. On the other hand, a debtor is absolved from liability in respect of the scheduled debts after payment of one-third or the expiry of twelve years. Furthermore, the discharge must be either given or refused; but there is no power to suspend it or to grant it upon conditions; nor are there any provisions regulating the discretion of the Court in withholding it: and, finally, the Court cannot revoke a discharge, however improperly or fraudulently it may have been obtained. It is, therefore, proposed to adapt the provisions of the English law, which enable the Courts, on specified conditions, to exercise a discrimination in granting or postponing relief; to declare, at the same time, that the relief, when granted, will absolve the debtor from all claims provable in insolvency with the exception of those due to the Crown or tainted with fraud; and to render the discharged insolvent subject to the wholesome restraint of knowing that, if he fails to render proper assistance in satisfying the claims against him, he is liable to forfeit his discharge.

In sub-clause (*4*) (*d*) of clause 35 the English procedure has been materially modified.

Clauses 36 and 37.—The absence of any power to remove the stigma of insolvency, either because the declaration was improper or because the liabilities have been satisfied in full, sets a premium upon any honest endeavour on the part of a debtor to rehabilitate his character. It seems desirable, therefore, that the terms of section 35 of the English Statute should be embodied, the same publicity being given to the annulment as to the declaration.

Clause 38.—It seems necessary to make some provision for concurrent proceedings. The clause gives power to either Court to annul the adjudication order made by it, on proof that another Court can more conveniently deal with the matter.

Clause 42.—As usual, the question of appeals presents features of no inconsiderable difficulty. The solution here suggested is, first, to subordinate to the District Court all other Insolvency Courts; secondly, to follow the English Statute of 1883 so far as to give an appeal from all orders of subordinate Courts to the District Court, whose appellate order should, however, be final; thirdly, to limit strictly to particular clauses of orders the right of appeal from orders made by a District Court otherwise than in appeal; and, fourthly, for this purpose to treat as a District Court any subordinate Court to which the District Court may have transferred an appeal (see note to clause 3, *supra*).

Clause 43.—A clause of this description is necessary because the Code of Civil Procedure requires the deposit of diet-money in the case of detention in the civil prison, but would not, as is contemplated by the Bill, render mere creditors liable for such charges.

Clause 44 confers on High Courts powers to make rules for carrying into effect the provisions of the Act. These powers are subject to the same sanction as is required in the case of rules made under the Indian High Courts Act, 1861, and under Chapter XLIX of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Clause 45 gives power to all Courts having insolvency jurisdiction under the Act to enforce the orders of other Courts having like jurisdiction.

J. M. MACPHERSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 28th September, 1906 :

No. 6 OF 1906.

A Bill further to amend the Presidency Banks Act, 1876.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Presidency Banks Act, 1876; It is hereby enacted as follows :

of 1876.

1. This Act may be called the Presidency Banks (Amendment) Act, 1907.

Short title.

of 1876.

2. In section 10 of the Presidency Banks Act, 1876, the words "to thirty millions of rupees", "to twelve millions of rupees" and "to twenty millions of rupees", and in section 14 of the said Act the proviso, shall be repealed.

Amendment of sections 10 and 14, Act XI, 1876.

3. In section 36 of the said Act the following amendments shall be made, namely :

Amendments of section 36 of same Act.

(i) in clause (*a*), to sub-clause (*1*) the following shall be added, namely :

"and, in the case of the Bank of Madras, securities of the Government of Ceylon, provided that such advances are limited to the sum of the deposits received and balances of cash accounts at credit at any time at the Ceylon Branch of the said bank ";

(ii) in the same clause, to sub-clause (*3*) the following shall be added, namely :

"or such securities issued by State-General in Council may from time to time prescribe ;"

(iii) in the same clause, in sub-clause (*4*), after the words " any Municipal body " the words " or any District Board " shall be inserted ;

(iv) in the same clause, to sub-clause (*6*) the following shall be added, namely :

" and joint and several promissory notes of two or more persons unconnected in business " ;

(v) after clause (*b*) the following shall be added, namely :

" (*bb*) the advancing and lending money to Courts of Wards upon the security of estates in their charge or under their superintendence and the realization of such advances or loans and any interest due thereon, provided that no such advance or loan shall be made without the previous sanction of the Local Government concerned and that the period for which any such advance or loan is made shall not exceed six months ".

(vi) at the end of clause (*d*) the following proviso shall be added, namely :

" Provided that the power of investing in the securities of the Government of Ceylon shall extend only to the Bank of Madras, and that the amount of such investments shall be limited to resources raised in Ceylon ".

4. In section 37 of the said Act the following amendments shall be made, namely :

Amendments of section 37 of same Act.

(i) for clause (*a*) the following clause shall be substituted, namely :

"(*a*) for a longer period than six months or, when the advance is made on personal security only, than three months ;"

(ii) in the last paragraph, for the words " sums not exceeding at any one time two thousand rupees in the whole," the

one time ten thousand rupees in the whole as may be prescribed for the time being by the byelaws" shall be substituted.

5. After section 42 of the said Act the following section shall be inserted, namely:

Addition of new section 42A to same Act.

"42A.(1) With the sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Directors may at any time enter into negotiations for and purchase and take over the capital, assets and business of any other Bank in British India, of which the capital is divided into shares, and may grant and allot to the shareholders or proprietors in such Bank in full of their respective right, title and interest in such capital, assets, and business a sufficient number of shares in the capital stock of the Bank (which number shall be determined by the Directors), and may for that purpose increase the capital stock of the Bank by the issue of such number of shares as may be so determined on.

Power to Bank to take over capital and business of other Bank, and for that purpose to increase its capital.

(2) The shareholders or proprietors of the purchased Bank, to whom such new shares are allotted, shall be proprietors of the Bank, and be in all respects in the same position as if they had respectively subscribed and paid for the shares so allotted to them:

Provided always that the business so purchased shall after the purchase be carried on by the Bank with, and subject to, the several restrictions contained in this Act."

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE object of this Bill is to relax certain restrictions on the powers under which the Presidency Banks transact their banking business. The law, as originally formulated in the Presidency Banks Act, 1876 (XI of 1876), has been modified by two Acts, namely, the Presidency Banks Act, 1879 (V of 1879), which empowered the Banks to borrow in India, and the Presidency Banks Act, 1899 (XX of 1899), which enabled the Banks to deal in the securities of the Bombay Improvement Trust. Experience has shewn that further extensions of the powers of the Banks are now required, the most important of the suggestions to which it is proposed to give effect being that the Banks should be permitted to deal in the securities of State-aided railways and District Boards; that the Ceylon branch of the Bank of Madras should be permitted to deal in the securities of the Government of Ceylon; that the present narrow limit upon the amount to which the Banks can allow their customers to overdraw should be enlarged; and that the period for which the Banks may grant loans and advances should be extended from three to six months in certain cases.

2. The *Notes on Clauses* below indicate the amendments of the existing law proposed in the Bill.

Simla, the 27th September, 1906. E. N. BAKER.

Notes on Clauses.

1. *Clause 2* removes the maximum limit on the capital of each Bank, which is imposed by the proviso to section 14 of the existing Act.

2. *Clause 3* (i) permits the Ceylon Branch of the Bank of Madras to deal in securities of the Government of Ceylon, the possible objection that transactions in these securities may involve a drain of funds from India being met by the provision that the amount of advances upon and investments in such securities shall not exceed the resources raised by the Bank in Ceylon itself.

3. *Clauses 3* (ii) *and 3* (iii) empower the Banks to deal in securities issued by State-aided railways, such as branch lines constructed on rebate terms, and in the securities of District Boards.

4. *Clause 3* (iv).—Under section 36, clause (*a*), sub-clause (6), of the Act, the Banks are allowed to advance money on accepted bills of exchange and promissory notes endorsed by the payees, *i.e.*, practically on the security of two names. Clause 3 (iv) extends this power by permitting the Banks to make advances on the joint and several promissory notes of two or more persons unconnected in business.

5. *Clause 3* (v) permits the Banks to advance and lend money to Courts of Wards upon the security of estates under their management, subject to suitable restrictions.

6. *Clause 3* (vi) adds a proviso consequent on clause 3 (i).

7. *Clause 4* (i) extends the period for which the Banks may make loans and advances on other than personal security from three to six months.

8. *Clause 4* (ii) enlarges the maximum limit on overdrafts from Rs. 2,000 to Rs. 10,000.

9. *Clause 5* restores to the Banks the power which was enjoyed by the Bank of Bengal under section 37 of Act IV of 1862, of taking over the capital, assets and business of any other Bank in British India, subject to the sanction of the Governor General in Council in each case.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART VI.

Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 23.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 28th September, 1906:

NO. 5 OF 1906.

THE INSOLVENCY (PROVINCIAL) BILL.

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A Bill to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Insolvency in British India, as administered by Courts having jurisdiction outside the Presidency-towns and the town of Rangoon.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to insolvency in British India as administered by Courts having jurisdiction outside the Presidency-towns and the town of Rangoon; It is hereby enacted as follows:

[1.] 1. (1) This Act may be called the Insolvency (Provincial) Act, 190 .

Short title, extent and commencement.

(2) *It* extends to the whole of British India except the Scheduled Districts; *and it applies also to—*

(a) *all Native Indian subjects of His Majesty in any place without and beyond British India;*

(b) *all other British subjects within the territories of any Native Prince or Chief in India; and*

(c) *all servants of His Majesty, whether British subjects or not, within the territories of any Native Prince or Chief in India.*

(3) It shall come into force on the first day of , 190 .

[2.] 2. In this Act, unless there *is anything* repugnant in the subject or context, *all words and expressions defined in the Code of Civil Procedure shall have the same meanings as those respectively assigned to them in the said Code.*

Construction.

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IV of 1872, 22.] 3. (1) The Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, invest any Court *or class of Courts outside the Presidency-towns and the town of Rangoon* with power *to exercise jurisdiction in any case or class of cases under this Act in any local area specified in the notification.*

Insolvency jurisdiction.

[360.] (2) *Subject to any rules made by the Local Government in this behalf by a like notification, a Court invested with power under sub-section (1) may transfer any case or class of cases to any Court subordinate to it and invested with power to exercise jurisdiction in such case or class of cases, and shall have, in regard to any case pending before it, all the powers conferred by section 25 of the Code of Civil Procedure on a High Court or District Court.*

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& 12 , c. 21. of 1900.

(3) Nothing in this Act shall *be deemed to limit or otherwise affect anything done by any Court in the exercise of any power conferred by the Indian Insolvency Act, 1848, or by section 8 of the Lower Burma Courts Act, 1900.*

46 & 47 , c. 52,]

4. *A debtor commits an act of insolvency in each of the following cases, namely:*

Acts of insolvency.

(a) *if, in British India or elsewhere, he makes a conveyance, transfer or assignment of his property to a trustee or trustees for the benefit of his creditors generally;*

(b) *if, in British India or elsewhere, he makes a fraudulent conveyance, gift, delivery or transfer of his property or of any part thereof;*

(c) *if, in British India or elsewhere, he makes any conveyance or transfer of his property or any part thereof, or creates any charge thereon, which would, under this or any other enactment for the time being in force, be void as a fraudulent preference if he were adjudged an insolvent;*

(d) *if, with intent to defeat or delay his creditors,—*

(i) *he departs or remains out of British India,*

(ii) *he departs from his dwelling-house or otherwise absents himself,*

(iii) *he secludes himself in order to deprive his creditors of the means of communicating with him,*

(e) *if any of his property has been attached and sold in execution of the decree of any Court;*

(f) *if he petitions to be adjudged an insolvent under the provisions of this Act;*

(g) *if he gives notice to any of his creditors that he has suspended, or that he is about to suspend, payment of his debts;*

(h) *if he is imprisoned in execution of a decree or order of a Civil Court for a longer period than twenty-one days for making default in payment of a sum of money.*

[Cf. 11 & Vict., c. s. 8.]

5. *Subject to the conditions specified in this Act, if a debtor has committed an act of insolvency, the Court may, on an insolvency petition being presented either by a creditor or by the debtor, make an order (hereinafter called an order of adjudication) adjudicating him an insolvent.*

Order of adjudication.

[Cf. 46 & Vict., c. s. 5.]

6. (1) Every *insolvency petition shall be in writing, and* shall be made to the Court *exercising* jurisdiction *under this Act in any local area in which* the debtor *ordinarily* resides or carries on business or *personally works for gain, or, if he has been arrested or confined in prison, where he* is in custody.

Petition for adjudication of insolvency.

[344; see t IV of 187 s. 23, ar XVII 1879, s. 25.]

(2) *The debtor shall not be entitled to present an insolvency petition unless—*

(a) *his debts amount to five hundred rupees or, in the case of an agriculturist, fifty rupees or such other amount as the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, prescribe; or*

(b) *he has been* arrested or *confined in prison* in execution of a decree for *the payment of* money; or

(c) an order of attachment in execution of such a decree has been made, and is *subsisting,* against his property.

(3) *A debtor's petition shall not, after presentment, be withdrawn without the leave of the Court.*

(4) *A creditor shall not be entitled to present an insolvency petition against a debtor unless—*

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(a) *the debt owing by the debtor to the creditor, or, if two or more creditors join in the petition, the aggregate amount of debts owing to such creditors, amounts to five hundred rupees, and*

(b) *the debt is a liquidated sum payable either immediately or at some certain future time, and*

(c) *the act of insolvency on which the petition is grounded has occurred within three months before the presentation of the petition.*

(5) *If the petitioning creditor is a secured creditor, he shall in his petition either state that he is willing to give up his security for the benefit of the creditors in the event of the debtor being adjudged insolvent or give an estimate of the value of the security. In the latter case he may be admitted as a petitioning creditor to the extent of the balance of the debt due to him after deducting the value so estimated in the same way as if he were an unsecured creditor.*

(6) *No insolvency petition shall be presented against the members, as such, of any corporation or of any partnership or association or company which may be wound up under the provisions of the Indian Companies Act, 1882, or of any other Act.*

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7. (1) Every *insolvency petition, presented* by a debtor shall *contain the following particulars, namely:*

Contents of *petition.*

(a) *a statement that the debtor is unable to pay his debts;*

(b) *where the petitioner is an agriculturist, a statement to that effect;*

(c) *the place where he ordinarily resides or carries on business or personally works for gain, or, if he has been* arrested or *confined in prison,* the place where he is in custody;

(d) the Court (*if any*) by whose order he has been arrested or *confined in prison,* or by which *an* order *has been* made, *for the* attachment *of his property;*

(e) *the amount and particulars of all pecuniary claims against him, together with the names and residences of his creditors so far as they are known to, or can by the exercise of reasonable care and diligence be ascertained by, him;*

(f) the amount and particulars of *all* his property, *together with—*

(i) *a specification of* the value of all such property not consisting of money;

(ii) the place or places *at* which *all* such property is to be found; and

(iii) *a declaration of his willingness to place* at the disposal of the Court *all such* property *save in so far as it includes such particulars (not being his books of account) as are exempted by the Code of Civil Procedure from liability to attachment and sale in execution of a decree.*

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(2) *Every insolvency petition presented* by *a creditor or creditors* shall set forth *the particulars regarding the debtor specified in clauses (b) and (c) of sub-section (1), and shall also specify—*

(a) *the act of insolvency committed by such debtor, together with the date of its commission;*

(b) the amount *and particulars of his or their pecuniary claim or claims against such debtor; and*

(c) the date of the decree (*if any*) *obtained by him or them against such debtor, together with the name of* the Court *passing it* and the amount remaining due thereunder.

(3) *Every insolvency petition* shall be signed and verified in the manner prescribed *by the Code of Civil Procedure* for signing and verifying plaints; *and the procedure laid down by the said Code with respect to the rejection, return or amendment of plaints shall, so far as it is applicable, be followed in the case of such petitions.*

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8. (1) *Where the petition is not rejected or returned under section 7, sub-section (3), or where it is admitted after having been so returned, the Court shall fix a date for hearing the petition, and shall order that notice be given in the manner provided by sub-sections (3) and (4) to all creditors to notify to the Court on or before such date any debts provable under this Act.*

Procedure on admission of petition.

[Cl. IV of 1872, s. 24.]

(2) *At the time of making the order referred to in sub-section (1), or at any time afterwards, the Court may, at the instance of any of his creditors, order the debtor to give reasonable security for his appearance until final orders are made upon the petition, and may direct that, in default of giving such security, he shall be detained in the civil prison.*

(3) *Notice of the order under sub-section (1) shall be given by publication in the local official Gazette, and such publication shall be conclusive proof of notice to any creditor.*

(4) *In addition to the publication required by sub-section (3), the Court shall give to the creditors such notice, whether by the ordinary forms of process or by registered letter or by public advertisement or proclamation, as, subject to any rules which the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, make in this behalf, it may consider expedient.*

(5) *Where the debtor is not the petitioner, notice of the order under sub-section (1) shall be given to him or to his pleader in the manner prescribed for the service of process.*

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(6) *All expenses incidental to the giving of notice under sub-sections (3) to (5) shall, in the first instance, be borne by, and be recoverable from, the petitioner as costs:*

Provided that, where the petitioner is the debtor, the Court may exempt him from *all* payments under this section if *it is* satisfied that he is unable to make them.

46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s.] Duties of debtors.

9. (1) *Every debtor by or against whom an insolvency petition has been presented, shall, unless he is prevented by sickness or other sufficient cause or unless the Court thinks fit to dispense with his personal attendance, attend on the date specified in the notice referred to in section 8, and on any subsequent date to which the proceedings may be adjourned, and shall at all times submit to such examination and give such information as the Court may require.*

(2) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing provision, the debtor shall give such inventories of his property, and such lists of his creditors and debtors and of the debts due to and from them respectively, submit to such examination in respect of his property or his creditors, attend at such times before the Court, officer of the Court or receiver, execute such instruments, and generally do all such acts and things in relation to his property and the distribution of the proceeds amongst his creditors, as may be reasonably required by the Court, officer of the Court or receiver, or as may be prescribed by rules made under this Act.

(3) The debtor shall, if adjudged an insolvent, aid, to the utmost of his power, in the realisation of his property and the distribution of the proceeds among his creditors.

(4) If a debtor wilfully fails—

(a) to perform the duties imposed on him by this section, or

(b) to deliver possession of any of his property which is divisible among his creditors under this Act and which is for the time being in his possession or under his control,

he shall, on conviction by a Magistrate, be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both.

ibid. Seizure of property and arrest of debtor.

10. *Where the Court is satisfied that the debtor, with intent to defeat or delay his creditors or to avoid any process of the Court,—*

(a) has absconded or has departed from the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Court, or is about to abscond or to depart from such limits, or is remaining outside them, or

(b) has concealed, destroyed, transferred or removed from such limits, or is about to conceal, destroy, transfer or remove from such limits, any documents likely to be of use to his creditors in the course of the hearing, or any part of his property other than such particulars (not being his books of account) as are exempted by the Code of Civil Procedure from liability to attachment and sale in execution of a decree,

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the Court may, either of its own motion or on the application of any creditor, appoint an interim receiver of the property of the debtor or of any part thereof, and may order attachment by actual seizure of the whole or of any part of the property in the possession or under the control of the debtor, other than such particulars as aforesaid, and may also issue a warrant, with or without bail, for the arrest of the debtor, and direct either that he be detained in prison until the disposal of the petition, or that he be discharged on such terms as to security as may be reasonable and necessary.

[350.] Procedure at hearing.

11. (1) On the day *specified in the notice referred to in section 8,* or on any subsequent day to which the hearing may be adjourned, the Court shall examine the debtor in *the* presence *of such creditors as attend in person or by pleader,* and shall hear such creditors *or their pleaders* in opposition to the debtor's discharge.

(2) The Court may, if it thinks fit, *call for, receive or* grant time to the *debtor* or *to any* creditor to *produce any* evidence *which appears to it to be necessary for the proper disposal of the petition.*

(3) A memorandum of the substance of the examination of the debtor under sub-section (1) and of any oral evidence admitted under sub-section (2) shall be recorded in the manner provided by the Code of Civil Procedure in cases in which no appeal is allowed.

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Dismissal of petition.

12. (1) *Where, after the examination of the debtor and such further inquiry (if any) as may be made under section 11, sub-section (2), or at any earlier stage of the case, the Court is satisfied that there is no sufficient ground for proceeding with the petition, it shall dismiss the petition.*

[Cf. 491.

(2) Where a petition presented by a creditor is dismissed under sub-section (1) and the Court is satisfied that the petition was frivolous or vexatious, the Court may, on the application of the debtor, award against such creditor such amount, not exceeding one thousand rupees, as it deems a reasonable compensation to the debtor for the expense or injury occasioned to him by the petition and the proceedings thereon, and such amount may be realised as if it were a fine:

Provided that a Court competent to try a suit for compensation shall not award an amount exceeding the amount for which it might pass a decree in such a suit.

(3) An award under this section shall bar any suit for compensation in respect of such petition and the proceedings thereon.

[Cf. 46 & 47 Vict., c. s. 9.] Effect of order of adjudication.

13. (1) *On the making of an order of adjudication the whole of the property of the insolvent, save in so far as it includes such particulars (not being his books of account) as are exempted by the Code of Civil Procedure from liability to attachment and sale in execution of a decree, shall thereupon vest in the Court or in a receiver as hereinafter provided and shall become divisible among the creditors. The insolvent, if in prison, shall be released, and*

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thereafter, except as directed by this Act, no creditor to whom the insolvent is indebted in respect of any debt provable under this Act, shall have any remedy against the property or person of the insolvent in respect of the debt or shall commence any suit or other legal proceeding, unless with the leave of the Court and on such terms as the Court may impose:

Provided that this section shall not affect the power of any secured creditor to realise or otherwise deal with his security in the same manner as he would have been entitled to realise or deal with it if this section had not been passed.

(2) An order of adjudication shall relate back to, and take effect from, the date of the presentation of the petition on which it is made.

(3) Notice of an order of adjudication shall be given in the manner hereinbefore provided for notice under section 8.

of 14. *(1) The Court may, at the time of the order of adjudication, or at any time afterwards, appoint a receiver for the property of the insolvent, and such property shall thereupon vest in such receiver*

Appointment of receiver.

(2) Where the Court appoints a receiver under this section, it may—

(a) remove the person in whose possession or custody *any such* property *as aforesaid is,* from the possession or custody thereof;

(b) by general or special order, fix the fee or commission on the rents and profits of such property to be paid in respect of the services of the receiver; and,

(c) by general or special order, fix the remuneration (if any) to be paid to the receiver out of such fee or commission:

Provided that, where the debtor is an agriculturist, the receiver shall be such officer as is prescribed by any rules which the Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, make in this behalf, and shall, save as may be otherwise provided by such rules, be entitled to no fee, commission or other remuneration in respect of the administration of the estate.

(3) Where a receiver appointed under this section—

(a) fails to submit his accounts at such periods and in such form as the Court directs, or

(b) fails to pay the balance due from him thereon as the Court directs, or

(c) occasions loss to the property by his wilful default or gross negligence,

the Court may direct his property to be attached and sold, and may apply the proceeds to make good any balance found to be due from him or any loss so occasioned by him.

47 15. *When a petition is presented by or against a debtor, if the Court is satisfied by affidavit or otherwise that the property of the debtor is not likely to exceed in value one thousand rupees, the Court may make an order that the debtor's estate be administered in a summary manner, and thereupon the provisions of this Act shall be subject to the following modifications, namely:*

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(a) no appeal shall lie from any order of the Court except by leave of the Court,

(b) the estate shall where practicable be distributed in a single dividend,

(c) such other modifications may be made in the provisions of this Act as may be prescribed by rules made under this Act with the view of saving expense and simplifying procedure:

Provided that nothing in this section shall permit the modification of the provisions of this Act relating to the examination or discharge of the debtor.

16. *(1) The receiver may, by leave of the Court, do all or any of the following things, namely.* [Cl. 46 & 47 Vict., c. 52 s. 57.]

Powers exercisable by receiver by leave of Court.

(a) carry on the business of the insolvent so far as may be necessary for the beneficial winding up of the same;

(b) institute, defend or continue any suit or other legal proceeding relating to the property of the insolvent;

(c) employ a pleader or other agent to take any proceedings or do any business which may be sanctioned by the Court;

(d) accept as the consideration for the sale of any property of the insolvent a sum of money payable at a future time subject to such stipulations as to security and otherwise as the Court thinks fit;

(e) mortgage or pledge any part of the property of the insolvent for the purpose of raising money for the payment of his debts;

(f) refer any dispute to arbitration, compromise all debts, claims and liabilities, whether present or future, certain or contingent, liquidated or unliquidated, subsisting or supposed to subsist between the insolvent and any person who may have incurred any liability to the insolvent, on the receipt of such sums, payable at such times, and generally on such terms, as may be agreed upon;

(g) make such compromise or other arrangement as may be thought expedient with creditors, or persons claiming to be creditors, in respect of any debts provable under this Act;

(h) make such compromise or other arrangement as may be thought expedient with respect to any claim arising out of, or incidental to, the property of the insolvent, made or capable of being made on the receiver by any person or by the receiver on any person

(i) *divide in its existing form amongst the creditors, according to its estimated value, any property which, from its peculiar nature or other special circumstances, cannot readily or advantageously be sold.*

(2) *The leave given for the purposes of this section shall not be a general leave to do all or any of the above-mentioned things, but shall only be leave to do the particular thing or things for which leave is sought in the specified case or cases.*

17. *If no receiver be appointed, the Court shall have all the rights of, and may exercise all the powers conferred on, a receiver under this Act.*

Powers of Court if no receiver appointed.

Cl. 46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 37.]

18. (1) *Demands in the nature of unliquidated damages arising otherwise than by reason of a contract, promise or breach of trust shall not be provable under this Act.*

Debts provable in insolvency.

(2) *A person having notice of any act of insolvency available against the debtor shall not prove under the order for any debt or liability contracted by the debtor subsequently to the date of his so having notice.*

(3) *Save as otherwise provided by sub-sections (1) and (2), all debts and liabilities, present or future, certain or contingent, to which the debtor is subject when he is adjudged to be an insolvent or to which he may become subject before his discharge by reason of any obligation incurred before the date of such adjudication, shall be deemed to be debts provable under this Act.*

(4) *An estimate shall be made by the Court or by the receiver of the value of any debt or liability provable as aforesaid, which by reason of its being subject to any contingency, or for any other reason, does not bear a certain value.*

(5) *Any person aggrieved by any estimate made by a receiver under sub-section (4) may appeal to the Court.*

(6) *Where, in the opinion of the Court, the value of the debt or liability is incapable of being fairly estimated, the Court may make an order to that effect, and thereupon the debt or liability shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be a debt not provable thereunde*

(7) *Where, in the opinion of the Court, the value of the debt or liability is capable of being fairly estimated, the Court may direct the value to be assessed and may give all necessary directions for this purpose, and the amount of the value when assessed shall be deemed to be a debt provable under this Act.*

Explanation.—For the purposes of this section, liability includes any compensation for work done, any obligation or possibility of an obligation to pay money or money's worth on the breach of any express or implied covenant, contract, agreement, or undertaking, whether the breach does or does not occur, or is or is not likely to occur or capable of occurring, before the discharge of the debtor; and generally it includes any express or implied engagement, agreement or undertaking to pay, or capable of resulting in the payment of, money or money's worth, whether the payment is, as respects amount, fixed or unliquidated; as respects time, present or future, certain or dependent on any contingency or contingencies; as to mode of valuation, capable of being ascertained by fixed rules or as matter of opinion.

19. (1) *A debt may be proved under this Act by delivering, or sending by post in a registered letter, to the Court, or, where a receiver has been appointed and the Court has authorised him in this behalf, to the receiver, an affidavit verifying the debt.*

[Cl. ibid II, rr. 6.]

Mode and costs of proof.

(2) *A creditor shall, unless the Court otherwise directs, bear the cost of proving his debt.*

20. (1) *Where a secured creditor realises his security, he may prove for the balance due to him, after deducting the net amount realised.*

[Cl. ibid 9 to 17.]

Secured creditors.

(2) *Where a secured creditor surrenders his security to the Court or to the receiver for the general benefit of his creditors, he may prove for his whole debt.*

(3) *Where a secured creditor does not either realise or surrender his security, he shall, before being entitled to rank for a dividend, state in his proof the particulars of his security, the date when it was given, and the value at which he assesses it, and shall be entitled to receive a dividend only in respect of the balance due to him after deducting the value so assessed.*

(4) *Where a security is so valued, the Court, or, with the leave of the Court, the receiver may at any time redeem it on payment to the creditor of the assessed value; and where the Court or the receiver is dissatisfied with the value at which a security is assessed, it or he may require that the property comprised in any security so valued shall be offered for sale at such time, and on such terms and conditions, as may be agreed upon between the creditor and the Court or the receiver, or as, in default of such agreement, the Court may direct; and where the sale is by public auction, the creditor, or the Court or the receiver on behalf of the estate, may bid or purchase:*

Provided that the creditor may at any time, by notice in writing, require the Court or the receiver to elect whether it or he will or will not exercise its or his power of redeeming the security or requiring it to be realised; and, where the Court or the receiver does not, within six months after receiving the notice, signify in writing to the creditor its or his election to exercise the power, it or he shall not be entitled to exercise it; and the equity of redemption, or any other interest in the property comprised in the security which is vested in the Court or the receiver, shall vest in the creditor, and the amount of his debt shall be reduced by the amount at which the security has been valued.

(5) *Where a creditor has so valued his security, he may at any time amend the valuation and proof on showing, to the satisfaction of the Court, or, with the leave of the Court, to the satisfaction of the receiver, that the valuation and proof were made in good faith on a mistaken estimate, or that the security has diminished or increased in value since its previous valuation; but the cost of every such amendment shall be borne by the creditor and upon such terms as the Court shall order, unless the receiver allows the amendment without application to the Court.*

(6) *Where a valuation has been amended in accordance with sub-section (5), the creditor shall forthwith repay any surplus dividend received by him in excess of that to which he would have been entitled on the amended valuation, or, as the case may be, shall be entitled to be paid, out of any money for the time being available for dividend, any dividend or share of a dividend which he may have failed to receive by reason of the inaccuracy of the original valuation, before that money is made applicable to the payment of any future dividend; but he shall not be entitled to disturb the distribution of any dividend declared before the date of the amendment.*

(7) *Where a creditor, after having valued his security, subsequently realises it, or where it is realised under sub-section (4), the net amount realised shall be substituted for the amount of any valuation previously made by the creditor and shall be treated in all respects as an amended valuation made by the creditor.*

(8) *Where a secured creditor does not comply with the provisions of this section, he shall be excluded from all share in any dividend.*

(9) *Subject to the provisions of sub-section (4), a creditor shall in no case receive more than sixteen annas in the rupee, and interest as hereinafter provided by this Act.*

(10) *Nothing in this section shall be deemed to relieve a receiver of the necessity for obtaining the leave of the Court in accordance with the provisions of section 16.*

Interest.

ibid, 21. (1) *On any debt or sum certain whereon interest is not reserved or agreed for, and which is overdue when the debtor is adjudged an insolvent, and which is provable under this Act, the creditor may prove for interest at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum,—*

(a) *if the debt or sum is payable by virtue of a written instrument at a certain time, from the time when such debt or sum was payable to the date of such adjudication; or,*

(b) *if the debt or sum is payable otherwise, from the time when a demand in writing has been made giving the debtor notice that interest will be claimed from the date of the demand until the time of payment to the date of such adjudication.*

& (2) *Where a debt which has been proved* 1871, *under this Act, includes interest or any pecuniary consideration in lieu of interest, the interest or consideration shall, for the purposes of dividend, be calculated at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, without prejudice to the right of a creditor to receive out of the debtor's estate any higher rate of interest to which he may be entitled after all the debts proved have been paid in full.*

Debt payable at a future time.

22. *A creditor may prove for a debt not payable when the debtor committed an act of insolvency as if it were payable presently, and may receive dividends equally with the other creditors, deducting therefrom only a rebate of interest at the rate of six per centum per annum computed from the declaration of a dividend to the time when the debt would have become payable, according to the terms on which it was contracted.* [Cf. 46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, Sch. II, r. 21.

Disallowance and reduction of claim to dividend.

23. (1) *Where the receiver thinks that a proof has been improperly admitted, the Court may, on the application of the receiver and after notice to the creditor, after such inquiry (if any) as the Court thinks necessary, expunge the proof or reduce its amount.* [Cf. ibid, rr. 23 to 25.

(2) *The Court may also, after such inquiry as aforesaid, expunge or reduce a proof upon the application of a creditor where no receiver has been appointed, or where the receiver declines to interfere in the matter, or, in the case of a composition or scheme, upon the application of the debtor.*

Distribution.

24. (1) *In the distribution of the property of the insolvent there shall be paid in priority to all other debts—* [Cf. 51 & 52 Vict., c. 62, s. 1.]

(a) *all debts due to His Majesty or to any local authority;*

(b) *all salary or wages, not exceeding twenty rupees, of any clerk or servant in respect of services rendered to the insolvent during four months before the date of the presentation of a petition; and*

(c) *all wages, not exceeding ten rupees, whether payable for time or for piecework, of any labourer or workman in respect of services rendered to the insolvent during two months before the date aforesaid.*

(2) *The debts specified in sub-section (1) shall rank equally between themselves, and shall be paid in full, unless the property of the insolvent is insufficient to meet them, in which case they shall abate in equal proportions between themselves.*

(3) *Subject to the retention of such sums as may be necessary for the costs of administration or otherwise, the debts specified in sub-section (1) shall be discharged forthwith in so far as the property of the insolvent is sufficient to meet them.*

(4) *In the case of partners the partnership property shall be applicable in the first instance in payment of the partnership debts, and the separate property of each partner shall be applicable in the first instance in payment of* [Cf. 46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 40.]

his separate debts. Where there is a surplus of the separate property of the partners, it shall be dealt with as part of the partnership property; and, where there is a surplus of the partnership property, it shall be dealt with as part of the respective separate property in proportion to the rights and interests of each partner in the partnership property.

(5) Subject to the provisions of this Act, all debts proved under this Act shall be paid rateably according to the amounts of such debts respectively and without any preference.

(6) Where there is any surplus after payment of the foregoing debts, it shall be applied in payment of interest from the date on which the debtor is adjudged an insolvent at the rate of six per centum per annum on all debts proved under this Act.

Special provisions in regard to immoveable property.

25. *(1)* In any local area in which a declaration has been made under section 320 *of the Code of Civil Procedure* and is in force, no sale of immoveable property paying revenue to the Government or held or let for agricultural purposes shall be made *by the Court or, where a receiver has been appointed*, by the receiver; but, after *realising* the other property of the insolvent, the Court shall ascertain— [pro- of 1882,

(*a*) the amount required to satisfy the debts *proved under this Act* after deducting the moneys already received,

(*b*) the immoveable property of the insolvent remaining unsold, and

(*c*) the incumbrances (if any) existing thereon,

and shall forward a statement to the Collector containing the particulars aforesaid; and thereupon the Collector shall proceed to raise the amount so required by the exercise of such of the powers conferred on him by sections 321 to 325 *of the Code* as he thinks fit, and subject to the provisions of those sections so far as they *are* applicable, and shall hold at the disposal of the Court all sums that may come to his hands by such exercise.

(2) Nothing in this Act shall be deemed to affect any provisions of any enactment for the time being in force prohibiting or restricting the execution of decrees or orders against immoveable property; and any such provisions shall be deemed to apply to an order of adjudication made under this Act as if it were such a decree or order.

Compositions.

26. *(1) Subject to the provisions of sections 24 and 25, the Court or, where a receiver has been appointed, the receiver shall give effect to any composition or scheme of arrangement agreed upon between the debtor and the creditors representing a majority in value of the claims provable under this Act by those of the creditors who have appeared:* [IV of , s. 28.]

Provided that no injustice or injury appears to be inflicted by such composition or scheme on any of the parties concerned:

Provided also, that there is no reasonable ground for suspecting the composition or scheme to be fraudulent or collusive.

(2) Where any creditor objects to any composition or scheme to which effect is given or to be given under sub-section (1), the Court shall decide as to the reasonableness of the objection.

Restriction of rights of creditor under execution.

27. *(1) Where execution of a decree has issued against the property of a debtor, no person shall be entitled to the benefit of the execution against the receiver except in respect of assets realised in the course of the execution by sale or otherwise before the date of the order of adjudication and before notice of the presentation of any insolvency petition by or against the debtor or of the commission of any available act of insolvency by the debtor has been given to the Court executing the decree.* [Ct. Act XI of 1882, s. 295; 46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 45.]

(2) Nothing in this section shall affect the rights of a mortgagee or incumbrancer of property against which the decree is executed.

(3) A person who in good faith purchases the property of a debtor under a sale in execution shall in all cases acquire a good title to it against the receiver.

Duties of Court executing decree as to goods taken in execution.

28. *Where execution of a decree has issued against any property of a debtor which is saleable in execution and before the sale thereof notice is given to the Court executing the decree that an order of adjudication has been made against the debtor, the Court shall, on application, direct the property to be delivered to the receiver, but the costs of the execution shall be a charge on the property so delivered, and the receiver may sell the property or an adequate part thereof for the purpose of satisfying the charge.* [46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 46.]

Avoidance of voluntary settlement.

29. *(1) Any settlement of property not being a settlement made before and in consideration of marriage or made in favour of a purchaser or incumbrancer in good faith and for valuable consideration or a settlement made on or for the wife or children of the settlor of property which has accrued to the settlor after marriage in right of his wife shall, if the settlor is adjudicated insolvent within two years after the date of the settlement, be void against the receiver and may be annulled by the Court.* [46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 47.]

(2) For the purposes of this section "settlement" shall include any conveyance or transfer of property.

Avoidance of preference in certain cases.

30. *(1) Every conveyance or transfer of property or charge thereon made, every demand made, every obligation incurred and every judicial proceeding taken or suffered by any person unable to pay his debts as they become due from his own money in favour of any creditor, or any person in trust for any creditor, with a view of giving that creditor a preference over the other creditors, shall, if the person making, taking, paying or suffering the same is adjudged insolvent on a petition presented within three months after the date of making, taking, paying or suffering the same, be deemed fraudulent and void as against the receiver and may be annulled by the Court.* [46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 48.]

(2) This section shall not affect the rights of any person making title in good faith and for valuable consideration through or under the creditor of the insolvent.

Protection of bonâ fide transactions without notice.

31. *Subject to the foregoing provisions of this Act with respect to the effect of insolvency on an execution and with respect to the avoidance of certain settlements and preferences, nothing in this Act shall invalidate in the case of an insolvency—*

(*a*) *any payment of the insolvent to any of his creditors ;*

(*b*) *any payment or delivery to the insolvent;*

(*c*) *any conveyance, transfer or assignment by the insolvent for valuable consideration ; or*

(*d*) *any contract, dealing or transaction by or with the insolvent for valuable consideration :*

Provided that both the following conditions are complied with, namely :

(*i*) *the payment, delivery, transfer, conveyance, assignment, contract, dealing or transaction, as the case may be, takes place before the date of the order of adjudication ; and*

(*ii*) *the person (other than the insolvent) to, by or with whom the payment, delivery, transfer, conveyance, assignment, contract, dealing or transaction was made, executed or entered into, has not at the time of the payment, delivery, transfer, conveyance, assignment, contract, dealing or transaction, notice of any available act of insolvency committed by the insolvent before that time.*

Dividends.

32. (*1*) *In the calculation of dividends, the Court or, where a receiver has been appointed, the receiver shall make provision for—*

(*a*) *debts provable under this Act and appearing, from the insolvent's statements or otherwise, to be due to persons resident in places so distant that in the ordinary course of communication they have not had sufficient time to tender their proofs or to establish them, if disputed ;*

(*b*) *debts provable under this Act, the subject of claims not yet determined ;*

(*c*) *disputed proofs or claims ; and*

(*d*) *the expenses necessary for the administration of the estate or otherwise.*

(*2*) *Subject to the provisions of sub-section (1), all money in hand shall be distributed by the Court as dividends.*

(*3*) *Any creditor who has not proved his debt before the declaration of any dividend or dividends, shall be entitled to be paid, out of any money for the time being in the hands of the Court, or, where a receiver has been appointed, of the receiver, any dividend or dividends which he may have failed to receive before that money is applied to the payment of any future dividend or dividends ; but he shall not be entitled to disturb the distribution of any dividend declared before his debt was proved by reason that he has not participated therein.*

(*4*) *No action for a dividend shall lie against the receiver ; but, where the receiver refuses to pay any dividend, the Court may, if it thinks fit, order him to pay it, and also to pay out of his own money interest thereon for the time that it is withheld, and the costs of the application.*

Management by and allowance to insolvent.

[Cf. ibid, s. 64.]

33. (*1*) *The Court or, by leave of the Court, the receiver may appoint the insolvent himself to superintend the management of the property of the insolvent or of any part thereof, or to carry on the trade (if any) of the insolvent for the benefit of the creditors, and in any other respect to aid in administering the property in such manner and on such terms as the Court or, by leave of the Court, the receiver may direct.*

(*2*) *The Court or, by leave of the Court, the receiver may, from time to time, make such allowance as it or he may think just to the insolvent out of his property for the support of himself and his family, or in consideration of his services if he is engaged in winding up his estate ; but any such allowance may, at any time, be reduced by the Court.*

Right of insolvent to surplus.

[Cf. 46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 65.]

34. *The insolvent shall be entitled to any surplus remaining after payment in full of his creditors, with interest as provided by this Act, and of the costs, charge and expenses of the proceedings taken thereunder.*

Discharge.

[New. Cf. 5 & 54 Vict., c. 71, s. 8.]

35. (*1*) *A debtor may, at any time after the order of adjudication, apply to the Court for an order of discharge ; and the Court shall fix a day, notice whereof shall be given in the manner provided by section 8, sub-sections (3) and (4), for hearing such application, and any objections which may be made thereto.*

(*2*) *Subject to the provisions of this section, the Court may, after hearing the objections of any creditor or, where a receiver has been appointed, of the receiver,—*

(*a*) *grant or refuse an absolute order of discharge ; or*

(*b*) *suspend the operation of the order for a specified time ; or*

(*c*) *grant an order of discharge subject to any conditions with respect to any earnings or income which may afterwards become due to the insolvent, or with respect to his after-acquired property.*

(*3*) *The Court shall refuse an order of discharge where the insolvent has committed an offence in relation to his insolvency, unless, for reasons to be recorded, it is satisfied that such refusal is not required in the interests of justice.*

(*4*) *On proof of any of the facts mentioned in sub-section (5), the Court shall—*

(*a*) *refuse the discharge ; or*

(*b*) *suspend the discharge for a period of not less than two years ; or*

(*c*) *suspend the discharge until a dividend of not less than eight annas in the rupee has been paid to the creditors ; or,*

(*d*) *where a receiver has been appointed, require the insolvent, as a condition of his discharge, to consent to an order for payment to such receiver of any balance or part of any balance of debts provable under this Act but not satisfied at the date of discharge, such balance or part of any balance to be paid out of the future earnings or after-acquired property of the insolvent in such manner and subject to such conditions as the Court may direct; and every such order shall be capable of execution as if it were a decree:*

Provided that, if at any time after the expiration of two years from the date of an order made under this section, the insolvent satisfies the Court that there is no reasonable probability of his being in a position to comply with the terms of the order, the Court may modify the terms of the order, or of any substituted order, in such manner and upon such conditions as it thinks fit:

Provided, also, that no application for the execution of an order made in favour of a receiver under clause (d) shall be made except by leave of the Court, and that such leave shall not be given unless on proof that the insolvent has, since his discharge, acquired property or income available towards the payment of his debts.

(5) *The facts referred to in sub-section (4) are the following, namely:*

(*a*) *that the insolvent's assets are not of a value equal to eight annas in the rupee on the amount of his unsecured liabilities, unless he satisfies the Court that the fact that the assets are not of a value equal to eight annas in the rupee on the amount of his unsecured liabilities has arisen from circumstances for which he cannot justly be held responsible;*

(*b*) *that the insolvent has omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his insolvency;*

(*c*) *that the insolvent has continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent;*

(*d*) *that the insolvent has contracted any debt provable under this Act without having at the time of contracting it any reasonable or probable ground of expectation (the burden of proving which shall lie on him) that he would be able to pay it;*

(*e*) *that the insolvent has failed to account satisfactorily for any loss of assets or for any deficiency of assets to meet his liabilities;*

(*f*) *that the insolvent has brought on, or contributed to, his insolvency by rash and hazardous speculations, or by unjustifiable extravagance in living, or by gambling, or by culpable neglect of his business affairs;*

(*g*) *that the insolvent has put any of his creditors to unnecessary expense by a frivolous or vexatious defence to any suit or other proceeding properly instituted against him;*

(*h*) *that the insolvent has, within three months preceding the date of the order under section 8, sub-section (1), incurred unjustifiable expense by instituting a frivolous or vexatious suit or other proceeding;*

(*i*) *that the insolvent has, within the period referred to in clause (h), when unable to pay his debts as they became due, given an undue preference to any of his creditors;*

(*j*) *that the insolvent has, within the period referred to in clause (h), incurred liabilities with a view to making his assets equal to eight annas in the rupee on the amount of his unsecured liabilities;*

(*k*) *that the insolvent has on any previous occasion been declared an insolvent, or made a composition or arrangement with his creditors;*

(*l*) *that the insolvent has concealed or removed his property or any part thereof, or has been guilty of any other fraud or fraudulent breach of trust.*

(6) *For the purposes of this section, the report of the receiver shall be deemed to be evidence; and the Court may presume the correctness of any statement contained therein.*

(7) *The powers of suspending, and of attaching conditions to, an insolvent's discharge may be exercised concurrently.*

(8) *A discharged insolvent shall, notwithstanding his discharge, give such assistance as the Court or, where a receiver has been appointed, as the receiver may require in the realisation and distribution of such of his property as is vested in the Court or the receiver; and, if he fails to give such assistance, the Court may, in addition to any punishment to which he may be liable, revoke his discharge, but without prejudice in the validity of any sale, disposition or payment duly made or anything duly done after the discharge but before the revocation.*

Explanation.—For the purposes of this section, an insolvent's assets shall be deemed to be of a value equal to eight annas in the rupee on the amount of his unsecured liabilities when the Court is satisfied that his property has realised, or is likely to realise, or with due care in realisation might have realised, an amount equal to eight annas in the rupee on his unsecured liabilities.

Effect of order of discharge.

36. (1) *An order of discharge shall not release the insolvent from—* [Ct. 46 Vict., c. 30.]

(*a*) *any debt due to His Majesty;*

(*b*) *any debt or liability incurred by means of any fraud or fraudulent breach of trust to which he was a party; or*

(*c*) *any debt or liability in respect of which he has obtained forbearance by any fraud to which he was a party.*

(2) *Save as otherwise provided by sub-section (1), an order of discharge shall release the insolvent from all debts provable under this Act.*

(3) *An order of discharge shall be conclusive evidence of the insolvency and of the validity of the proceedings therein; and, in any suit or other proceeding instituted against an insolvent who has obtained an order of discharge in respect of any debt from which he is released by the order, the insolvent may plead that the cause of action occurred before his discharge.*

(4) *An order of discharge shall not release any person who, at the date of the presentation of the petition, was a partner or co-trustee with the insolvent, or was jointly bound or had made any joint contract with him or any person who was surety for him.*

Power to annul adjudication of insolvency.

37. (1) *Where, in the opinion of the Court, a debtor ought not to have been adjudged insolvent, or where it is proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the debts of the insolvent have been paid in full, the Court may, on the application of the debtor or of any other person interested, by order in writing, annul the adjudication.*

(2) *Where an adjudication is annulled under sub-section (1), all sales and dispositions of property and payments duly made, and all acts theretofore done, by the Court, officer of the Court or receiver shall be valid; but, subject as aforesaid, the property of the debtor who was adjudged insolvent, shall vest in such person as the Court may appoint, or, in default of any such appointment, shall revert to the debtor to the extent of his right or interest therein on such conditions (if any) as the Court may, by order in writing, declare.*

(3) *Notice of every order annulling an adjudication shall be given in the manner provided by section 8, sub-sections (3) and (4).*

Power to cancel one of concurrent orders of adjudication.

38. *If in any case in which an adjudication order has been made it shall be proved to the Court by which such order was made that another adjudication order has been made by another Court against the same debtor, and is still pending, and that from the circumstances of the case, the situation of the property of the debtor or other causes, his estate and effects can be more conveniently distributed by such other Court, the said first-mentioned Court may annul the order made by it on such terms as to it may seem fit.*

Imprisonment of dishonest debtor.

39. *Where* it is proved *to the satisfaction of the Court* that *a debtor who has presented a petition under this Act, or against whom such a petition has been presented,—*

(*a*) has been guilty of any concealment or wilful *mis*-statement *in regard either to pecuniary claims against him or to* property belonging to him, whether in possession or in expectancy or held for him in trust, or

(*b*) *has* fraudulently concealed, transferred or removed any property, or

(*c*) has committed any other act of bad faith regarding the matter of the application

the Court *may*, at the instance of any of his creditors, *direct* him to *be detained in the civil prison* for a term which may extend to one year or may, if it thinks fit, send him to a Magistrate to be dealt with according to law.

Undischarged insolvent obtaining credit.

40. *An undischarged insolvent obtaining credit to the extent of fifty rupees or upwards from any person without informing such person that he is an undischarged insolvent shall, on conviction by a Magistrate, be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine, or with both.* [Cf. 46 & 47 Vict, c. 52, s. 31.]

Application of Code of Civil Procedure.

41. *Save as otherwise provided by this Act, every Court exercising jurisdiction hereunder shall in its proceedings be governed by the provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure.* XIV of 1882.

Subordination of Courts and appeals.

42. (1) *Save as otherwise provided by sub-section (3), any person aggrieved by an order made in the exercise of insolvency jurisdiction by a Court subordinate to a District Court may appeal to the District Court, and the order of the District Court upon such appeal shall be final and conclusive.*

(2) *Any person aggrieved by an order made under sections 5, 12, 29, 30, 32, sub-section (4), 35, 37 or 39, by the District Court otherwise than in appeal from an order made by a subordinate Court, may appeal to the High Court.*

(3) *Where an appeal to the District Court has been transferred for disposal to a subordinate Court, such subordinate Court shall, for the purposes of sub-sections (1) and (2), be deemed to be the District Court.*

(4) *The periods of limitation for an appeal to the District Court under sub-section (1) and to the High Court under sub-section (2) shall be thirty days and ninety days respectively, and, in the computation of those periods and in all other respects, the limitation of such appeals shall be governed by the provisions of the Indian Limitation Act, 1877.* XV of 1877.

Costs of detention in civil prison.

43. *Where, under section 8, sub-section (2), or section 39, the Court directs a debtor to be detained in the civil prison, the costs of such detention shall be borne by the person on whose application the same was directed; and in such case the provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure shall apply as if the debtor and such person as aforesaid were a judgment-debtor and a decree-holder, respectively.* XIV of 1882

Power to make rules.

44. (1) *The High Court may, with the previous sanction, in the case of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, of the Governor General in Council, and, in the case of any other High Court, of the Local Government, make rules for carrying into effect the provisions of this Act.*

(2) *In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may provide for the audit of the accounts of receivers appointed under this Act, for paying*

for the costs of such audit, and for the reasonable costs, charges and allowances of such receivers out of the funds in their hands and for summary procedure in the case of small insolvencies.

(3) *All rules made under this section shall be published in the Gazette of India or in the local official Gazette, as the case may be, and shall, on such publication, have effect as if enacted in this Act.*

Cf., 46 & 47 Vict., c. 52, s. 18.] 45. *Every Court having jurisdiction under this Act in British India and the officers of those Courts respectively shall severally act in aid of and be auxiliary to each other in all matters of insolvency, and an order of the Court seeking aid with a request to another of the said Courts shall be deemed sufficient to enable the latter Court to exercise, in regard to the matters directed by the order, such jurisdiction as either the Court which made the request, or the Court to which the request is made, could exercise in regard to similar matters within their respective jurisdictions.*

Courts to be auxiliary to each other.

46. (1) *The enactments mentioned in the Schedule are hereby repealed to the extent specified in the fourth column thereof.*

Repeals.

(2) *Where in any enactment or instrument in force at the date of the commencement of this Act reference is made to Chapter XX (OF INSOLVENT JUDGMENT-DEBTORS) of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1877, or of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1882, or to any section of either of those Chapters, such reference shall, so far as may be practicable, be construed as applying to this Act or to the corresponding section thereof.*

X of 1877
XIV of 1882

THE SCHEDULE.

ENACTMENTS REPEALED.

(*See section 46.*)

Year.	*No.*	*Short title.*	*Extent of repeal.*
1872	*IV*	*The Punjab Laws Act, 1872.*	*Sections 22 to 32.*
1877	*XV*	*The Indian Limitation Act, 1877.*	*No. 174 of the Second Schedule.*
1882	*XIV*	*The Code of Civil Procedure.*	*Chapter XX (sections 344 to 360A).*
1888	*VII*	*The Civil Procedure Code Amendment Act, 1888.*	*Section 31.*

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE general law of insolvency in British India, outside the three Presidency-towns, Rangoon and the Punjab, is contained in Chapter XX of the Code of Civil Procedure (Act XIV of 1882); but it has long been admitted that the provisions to be there found afford the most inadequate relief both to debtors and to creditors. Their scope is limited to creditors who have obtained decrees for the payment of money and to judgment-debtors who have been arrested or imprisoned, or whose property has been attached in execution of such decrees. No restriction is placed upon the rights of an individual creditor until the debtor's property has actually vested in the receiver appointed under section 354; and, in the interim, suits may proceed and decrees may be executed, with the result that, while the petition is pending, the whole of the property of the debtor may be sold for the benefit of a single decree-holder, and to the exclusion of the rest of his creditors who may have refrained from embarrassing the estate with litigation because their claims have been duly scheduled. On the other hand, the relief to the insolvent is most inadequate, since it is strictly confined to discharge from the scheduled debts, all liability for which is terminated, by a rough and ready procedure, through the satisfaction of one-third or the efflux of twelve years. For the Punjab there is a special, but equally incomplete, law contained in eleven sections of the Punjab Laws Act (IV of 1872). In fact, the law of insolvency outside the Presidency-towns and Rangoon remains still, as the late Lord Hobhouse described it in 1875, the germ, and nothing more than the germ, of an insolvency law. There can be no doubt that the time has arrived when an extension of the law is urgently demanded.

In 1886 a Bankruptcy Bill was introduced and referred to a Select Committee, but after a lengthy consideration it was rejected by the Committee on the ground that it was too complicated for the requirements of the country at that time.

A further attempt to amend the law in the mufassal was made in connection with the revision of the Code of Civil Procedure which was undertaken in 1901. The Chapter on insolvency was redrafted and was made to extend to insolvent debtors generally without reference to the existence of decrees against them; and clauses were added to give more complete powers to the Courts and receivers on the lines, though in a much modified form, of the English law. The Chapter followed the Punjab Act in that it applied only to Courts on which the Local Government conferred jurisdiction by notification and only in the areas specified in the notification.

These proposals appeared to the Government of India to be sound and practical. The new Chapter met with general acceptance by the various authorities to whom

the Bill was submitted for criticism, and received the approval of the Select Committee. But the Bill was not proceeded with after the Report of the Select Committee had been presented: it has been held over for further consideration with a view to meeting some of the principal objections urged against it on other points. It appears, however, to the Government of India that the insolvency provisions may with advantage be separated from the Code of Civil Procedure and passed as a separate enactment without further delay. These provisions in their proposed form are no longer confined to the cases of judgment-debtors and no longer therefore fall in their entirety within the ambit of such a Code. There are conveniences in having the subject dealt with in a distinct Act, and the resulting reduction in bulk of the Code is of itself not without advantage.

The present Bill differs on a few points only from Chapter XX of the Code Bill as passed by the Select Committee. Speaking generally, it is a reproduction of the main features of the English law of bankruptcy but in a greatly simplified form. It contains 46 clauses in all as against the 170 sections and 53 rules which are comprised in the English Act of 1883 and the 134 clauses and 55 rules of the Bill of 1885.

2. It is hoped that a separate Bill applicable to the Presidency-towns and Rangoon may be introduced at no distant date to amend or to repeal and re-enact with amendments the Act of 1848 by which insolvency in those towns is at present regulated.

3. The details of the present Bill are explained in the annexed *Notes on Clauses*.

The 27th September, 1906. H. ERLE RICHARDS.

Notes on Clauses

Clause 1.—The Bill is to all practical intents a Bankruptcy Bill. But it has been thought better, for the present at any rate, to preserve the title of "Insolvency" with which legal practitioners in this country are familiar. The term "Provincial" has been adopted by the Legislature in the analogous case of the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, 1887.

It is proposed not only to make the law extend territorially, like the Code of Civil Procedure, to the whole of British India except the Scheduled Districts, but also to give it the widest extra-territorial application possible in the case of an Act of the Indian legislature.

Clause 3.—The principle that the Local Government should have authority to confer jurisdiction on any Court has, to some extent, been recognised even in section 360 of the Code and it constitutes an essential portion of the insolvency provisions of the Punjab Laws Act, 1872. As many of the orders to be made are likely to involve legal questions of no little difficulty, it is proposed—see clause 42—to allow an appeal from a subordinate Court to the District Judge, whose decisions, however, must, except in respect of certain specified matters, be invested with finality unless all the relief that is anticipated is to be lost in expensive and protracted appeals to the High Court. The revisional remedy provided by section 622 of the Code of Civil Procedure and the power of supervision exercised under section 15 of the Indian High Courts Act, 1861, will, it is hoped, be sufficient to meet all cases of real hardship where no appeal is allowed.

Clause 4.—There is at present no definition of acts of insolvency entitling a creditor to apply for an adjudication against his debtor. The result is that a creditor or a number of creditors may wantonly or maliciously apply for such an adjudication, and the Court must apparently proceed upon the somewhat narrow grounds specified in section 351 of the Code. For such conduct it would seem that the debtor cannot obtain reparation, except by means of a separate suit. It seems desirable, therefore, to adapt and simplify the list of "acts of bankruptcy" contained in the English Statute of 1883—with an addition to cover the case of a judgment debtor remaining in prison for 21 days—to render a creditor's application dependent upon the commission of such an act, and to invest the Court—see clause 12 (2)—with summary jurisdiction to award compensation where such an application is dismissed as frivolous and vexatious.

Clause 6.—It has already been stated that the Code, as it stands, applies only to a judgment-debtor who has been arrested or imprisoned, or whose property has been attached in execution of decrees for the payment of money and who voluntarily seeks the protection of the Court, unless the application proceeds from a decree-holder. So far as it is proposed to extend the law to the relief of other classes of debtors, the minimum limit of liability has been fixed at five hundred rupees, as in section 23 of the Punjab Laws Act, 1872, an exception being made in the case of agriculturists, in connection with whom it is proposed to leave the limit to the discretion of Local Governments. On the other hand, it is proposed considerably to curtail the existing latitude given to creditor-applicants by limiting their rights to cases in which acts of insolvency have been committed.

Clause 7.—Most of the requirements here suggested are purely ancillary to the proposals in regard to the persons entitled to apply. It is not intended to relax the stringency of the rule that an application must specify where the property is to be found; but the reference in sub-clause (*3*) to return and amendment is intended to prevent dismissals on purely technical grounds.

Clause 8 provides for notice of the petition to the parties concerned.

Clause 9.—At present the duties of the debtor up to the conclusion of the insolvency proceedings are not clearly defined. By virtue of section 359 of the Code he may be imprisoned for certain acts of fraud and bad faith proved at the hearing under that section; but this would not warrant coercive measures for mere failure to render such active assistance as section 24 of the English Statute requires. The clause here proposed is intended to meet the defect.

Clause 10.—It has been pointed out that sections 22 to 33 of the Punjab Laws Act, 1872, give no power to arrest by warrant where there is probable reason for believing the insolvent to be about to evade service of summons or to remove or conceal his goods or papers; and it is doubtful how far this omission is supplied by the Code. In these circumstances, it is thought expedient to adapt the coercive provisions of section 25 of the English Statute, somewhat on the lines of section 477 of the Code with regard to arrest before judgment. Here, it is thought, the imprisonment provided for need hardly be confined to detention in a civil jail.

Clause 11.—It is thought that ordinary cases of insolvency may be compared with summons cases and even summary trials under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, so as to relieve the Courts of as much unnecessary clerical labour as possible.

Clause 12.—Here again it is proposed that the powers of the Court should be assimilated to those conferred by sections 203 and 253 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898. On the other hand, it is essential that, if readier facilities are to be given to creditors to have their debtors declared to be insolvent, an equally prompt remedy should be given against wanton and malicious applications. This principle has already been recognised in section 491 of the Code of Civil Procedure with regard to arrest or attachment before judgment.

Clause 13.—It is proposed to dispense with any preliminary order and have one order only, and that an adjudication order. In the English Act a receiving order is first made and adjudication follows later. But there seems no good reason for adopting this double system and there are advantages of simplicity in having only one order. In the scheme proposed by the Select Committee adjudication was preceded by a "conditional" order made *ex parte*. But it is thought that this procedure would be liable to abuse and that sufficient control over the property of the debtor between the dates of the presentation of the petition and the adjudication order can be obtained in other ways. The order is made to relate back to the date of the petition in accordance with the law in force in the Presidency-towns.

Clause 15.—A clause has been inserted to give power to the Court to deal with small bankruptcies by way of summary procedure to be determined by rules.

Clause 16.—The general powers exercisable by a receiver in virtue of his appointment under section 503 of the Code of Civil Procedure are not sufficiently precise for the purposes of insolvency. In the cases here enumerated it seems expedient that the receiver should not merely rely upon such general powers, but act by the direction, and under the control, of the Court.

Clause 18.—The Code is defective in containing no proper description of the nature of debts provable in insolvency, in not precluding a creditor from proving a liability contracted after he had notice of an act of insolvency, and in allowing a debt payable immediately to rank equally with one payable on a future date or on the happening of a contingency. It is proposed to remedy these defects on the lines of section 37 of the English Statute of 1883.

Clause 19.—The English practice of proving by transmission of an affidavit is obviously desirable, and its introduction here is safeguarded by the provisions of clause 23, which will enable the Court to expunge or reduce proofs improperly admitted in whole or in part. It will be observed that, in view of the circumstances of this country, it is proposed that receivers should not, without express delegation from the Court, be entrusted with the duty of taking proof of debts, which is an ordinary part of their functions under the English procedure.

Clause 20.—The existing law is most incomplete as regards the claims of secured creditors. At present, neither a declaration of insolvency nor a sale by a receiver gets rid of an unscheduled mortgage. If, however, the mortgage is scheduled, it is entitled,

under section 356, clause (*d*), of the Code, to priority over all claims other than Crown-debts and the costs of a decree-holder. It is proposed to adapt the English procedure as to the surrender and valuation of secured liabilities.

Clause 21.—The Code contains no specific directions regarding interest, and some appear to be necessary if a ready relief against acts of insolvency is to be given.

Clause 22.—It may be doubted whether a claim payable at a future time is a " debt " for the purposes of rateable distribution. Rule 21 of the second schedule to the Statute of 1883 has accordingly been adapted so as to include such claims.

Clause 23.—It is here proposed to invest the Courts with the powers of expunging or reducing proofs, which is exercised in England.

Clause 24.—The list of preferential payments enumerated in section 356 of the Code, while including Crown-debts, gives no priority to the wages of service or labour rendered to the insolvent. On the other hand, the invariable preference given to mortgages over unsecured liabilities is not expedient. It is proposed, therefore, to adapt the principle accepted in section 40 of the Statute of 1883, as supplemented by section 1 of the Preferential Payments in Bankruptcy Act, 1888.

Clause 25.—This clause prescribes the protection afforded to agriculturists by the proviso to section 356 of the Code or by any special enactment in force.

Clauses 27 and 28 protect the property of the insolvent against execution.

Clauses 29, 30 and 31 deal with the effect of adjudication on antecedent transactions on the lines of the English Act. It is believed that the powers of the Court urgently require strengthening in respect of compositions and fraudulent transfers.

Clause 32.—The Code of Civil Procedure does not regulate the payment of dividends and there is accordingly no direction with regard to provision for debts not provable at once. The principle has already been recognised that a creditor can claim to prove at any time while there are still undistributed assets of the insolvent. It is essential, however, to qualify this by providing for the maintenance of any prior payment of dividends, and also to protect a receiver against suit for dividends unpaid, the Court being at the same time vested with the power to order payment, with costs and interest, of interest improperly withheld.

Clause 33.—The absence of any power to enable an insolvent to manage his business and to grant him an allowance undoubtedly deters debtors from seeking the benefit of the existing law. It is hoped that, by the adoption of section 24 of the English Act of 1883, one of the worst stumbling-blocks in the way of insolvent relief will be removed.

Clauses 34 and 35.—The effect of the present law with respect to discharge is ineffective, uncertain and unfair. It has already been mentioned that the relief afforded by the Code can be claimed only in very narrowly defined circumstances, which are made dependent upon the taking of particular action for the enforcement of decrees for the payment of money. Even so, however, the relief is limited to debts entered in the schedule contemplated by section 352 of the Code; and, if a creditor does not choose to have his debts scheduled, the discharge will not preclude him from executing his decree. Nor will the scheduling of a decree necessarily bar a suit to establish the right to sell any property hypothecated; and it seems that, while section 357 of the Code does not protect an insolvent from arrest in respect of judgment-debts not appearing in the schedule, his property can always be attached and sold. Indeed, there is some measure of doubt on the question how far a creditor may execute a scheduled decree *pari passu* with the insolvency proceedings. On the other hand, a debtor is absolved from liability in respect of the scheduled debts after payment of one-third or the expiry of twelve years. Furthermore, the discharge must be either given or refused; but there is no power to suspend it or to grant it upon conditions; nor are there any provisions regulating the discretion of the Court in withholding it: and, finally, the Court cannot revoke a discharge, however improperly or fraudulently it may have been obtained. It is, therefore, proposed to adapt the provisions of the English law, which enable the Courts, on specified conditions, to exercise a discrimination in granting or postponing relief; to declare, at the same time, that the relief, when granted, will absolve the debtor from all claims provable in insolvency with the exception of those due to the Crown or tainted with fraud; and so render the discharged insolvent subject to the wholesome restraint of knowing that, if he fails to render proper assistance in satisfying the claims against him, he is liable to forfeit his discharge.

In sub-clause (*4*) (*d*) of clause 35 the English procedure has been materially modified.

Clauses 36 and 37.—The absence of any power to remove the stigma of insolvency, either because the declaration was improper or because the liabilities have been satisfied in full, sets a premium upon any honest endeavour on the part of a debtor to rehabilitate his character. It seems desirable, therefore, that the terms of section 35 of the English Statute should be embodied, the same publicity being given to the annulment as to the declaration.

Clause 38.—It seems necessary to make some provision for concurrent proceedings. The clause gives power to either Court to annul the adjudication order made by it, on proof that another Court can more conveniently deal with the matter.

Clause 42.—As usual, the question of appeals presents features of no inconsiderable difficulty. The solution here suggested is, first, to subordinate to the District Court all other Insolvency Courts; secondly, to follow the English Statute of 1883 so far as to give an appeal from all orders of subordinate Courts to the District Court, whose appellate order should, however, be final; thirdly, to limit strictly to particular clauses of orders the right of appeal from orders made by a District Court otherwise than in appeal; and, fourthly, for this purpose to treat as a District Court any subordinate Court to which the District Court may have transferred an appeal (see note to clause 3, *supra*).

Clause 43.—A clause of this description is necessary because the Code of Civil Procedure requires the deposit of diet-money in the case of detention in the civil prison, but would not, as is contemplated by the Bill, render mere creditors liable for such charges.

Clause 44 confers on High Courts powers to make rules for carrying into effect the provisions of the Act. These powers are subject to the same sanction as is required in the case of rules made under the Indian High Courts Act, 1861, and under Chapter XLIX of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Clause 45 gives power to all Courts having insolvency jurisdiction under the Act to enforce the orders of other Courts having like jurisdiction.

J. M. MACPHERSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 28th September, 1906:

No. 6 OF 1906.

A Bill further to amend the Presidency Banks Act, 1876.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the of 1876. Presidency Banks Act, 1876; It is hereby enacted as follows:

1. This Act may be called the Presidency Banks (Amendment) Act, 1907. Short title.

of 1876. 2. In section 10 of the Presidency Banks Act, 1876, the words "to thirty millions of rupees", "to twelve millions of rupees" and "to twenty millions of rupees", and in section 14 of the said Act the proviso, shall be repealed. Amendment of sections 10 and 14, Act XI, 1876.

3. In section 36 of the said Act the following amendments shall be made, namely: Amendments of section 36 of same Act.

(i) in clause (*a*), to sub-clause (*1*) the following shall be added, namely:

"and, in the case of the Bank of Madras, securities of the Government of Ceylon, provided that such advances are limited to the sum of the deposits received and balances of cash accounts at credit at any time at the Ceylon Branch of the said bank";

(ii) in the same clause, to sub-clause (*3*) the following shall be added, namely:

General in Council may from time to time prescribe;"

(iii) in the same clause, in sub-clause (*4*), after the words "any Municipal body" the words "or any District Board" shall be inserted;

(iv) in the same clause, to sub-clause (*6*) the following shall be added, namely:

"and joint and several promissory notes of two or more persons unconnected in business";

(v) after clause (*b*) the following shall be added, namely:

"(*bb*) the advancing and lending money to Courts of Wards upon the security of estates in their charge or under their superintendence and the realization of such advances or loans and any interest due thereon, provided that no such advance or loan shall be made without the previous sanction of the Local Government concerned and that the period for which any such advance or loan is made shall not exceed six months".

(vi) at the end of clause (*d*) the following proviso shall be added, namely:

"Provided that the power of investing in the securities of the Government of Ceylon shall extend only to the Bank of Madras, and that the amount of such investments shall be limited to resources raised in Ceylon".

4. In section 37 of the said Act the following amendments shall be made, namely: Amendments of section 37 of same Act.

(i) for clause (*a*) the following clause shall be substituted, namely:

"(*a*) for a longer period than six months or, when the advance is made on personal security only, than three months;"

(ii) in the last paragraph, for the words "sums not exceeding at any one time two

one time ten thousand rupees in the whole as may be prescribed for the time being by the byelaws" shall be substituted.

section of Act IV 1862.] 5. After section 42 of the said Act the following section shall be inserted, namely:

Addition of new section 42A to same Act.

"42A. (1) With the sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Directors may at any time enter into negotiations for and purchase and take over the capital, assets and business of any other Bank in British India, of which the capital is divided into shares, and may grant and allot to the shareholders or proprietors in such Bank in full of their respective right, title and interest in such capital, assets, and business a sufficient number of shares in the capital stock of the Bank (which number shall be determined by the Directors), and may for that purpose increase the capital stock of the Bank by the issue of such number of shares as may be so determined on.

Power to Bank to take over capital and business of other Bank, and for that purpose to increase its capital.

(2) The shareholders or proprietors of the purchased Bank, to whom such new shares are allotted, shall be proprietors of the Bank, and be in all respects in the same position as if they had respectively subscribed and paid for the shares so allotted to them:

Provided always that the business so purchased shall after the purchase be carried on by the Bank with, and subject to, the several restrictions contained in this Act."

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE object of this Bill is to relax certain restrictions on the powers under which the Presidency Banks transact their banking business. The law, as originally formulated in the Presidency Banks Act, 1876 (XI of 1876), has been modified by two Acts, namely, the Presidency Banks Act, 1879 (V of 1879), which empowered the Banks to borrow in India, and the Presidency Banks Act, 1899 (XX of 1899), which enabled the Banks to deal in the securities of the Bombay Improvement Trust. Experience has shewn that further extensions of the powers of the Banks are now required, the most important of the suggestions to which it is proposed to give effect being that the Banks should be permitted to deal in the securities of State-aided railways and District Boards; that the Ceylon branch of the Bank of Madras should be permitted to deal in the securities of the Government of Ceylon; that the present narrow limit upon the amount to which the Banks can allow their customers to overdraw should be enlarged; and that the period for which the Banks may grant loans and advances should be extended from three to six months in certain cases.

2. The *Notes on Clauses* below indicate the amendments of the existing law proposed in the Bill.

Simla, the 27th September, 1906. E. N. BAKER.

Notes on Clauses.

1. *Clause 2* removes the maximum limit on the capital of each Bank, which is imposed by the proviso to section 14 of the existing Act.

2. *Clause 3* (i) permits the Ceylon Branch of the Bank of Madras to deal in securities of the Government of Ceylon, the possible objection that transactions in these securities may involve a drain of funds from India being met by the provision that the amount of advances upon and investments in such securities shall not exceed the resources raised by the Bank in Ceylon itself.

3. *Clauses 3* (ii) *and 3* (iii) empower the Banks to deal in securities issued by State-aided railways, such as branch lines constructed on rebate terms, and in the securities of District Boards.

4. *Clause 3* (iv).—Under section 36, clause (*a*), sub-clause (6), of the Act, the Banks are allowed to advance money on accepted bills of exchange and promissory notes endorsed by the payees, *i.e.*, practically on the security of two names. Clause 3 (iv) extends this power by permitting the Banks to make advances on the joint and several promissory notes of two or more persons unconnected in business.

5. *Clause 3* (v) permits the Banks to advance and lend money to Courts of Wards upon the security of estates under their management, subject to suitable restrictions.

6. *Clause 3* (vi) adds a proviso consequent on clause 3 (i).

7. *Clause 4* (i) extends the period for which the Banks may make loans and advances on other than personal security from three to six months.

8. *Clause 4* (ii) enlarges the maximum limit on overdrafts from Rs. 2,000 to Rs. 10,000.

9. *Clause 5* restores to the Banks the power which was enjoyed by the Bank of Bengal under section 37 of Act IV of 1862, of taking over the capital, assets and business of any other Bank in British India, subject to the sanction of the Governor General in Council in each case.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 6th October 1906.*

ARABIA, NORTH-EAST—PERSIAN GULF.

Kishm island, south-east coast—Shoal reported.

No. 370 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 985 of 1906) of the existence of a shoal, over which the sea breaks off Shuza, on the south-east coast of Kishm island, in a position situated at a distance of about nine cables S. 20° W. from the village.

Approximate position, lat. 26° 46′ N., long 56° 4½′ E.

The position of this shoal, which was not examined, is approximate. P. D. has therefore been placed against it on the charts.

(*Variation Nil in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Entrance to Persian gulf, with plan of Kishm, No. 753; Also Persian Gulf Pilot, 1898, page 211, and Supplement 1905, page 22.

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Wellington—Time-ball discontinued.

No. 371 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 987 of 1906) that Wellington Observatory has been demolished, and that in consequence the time-ball has been discontinued.

A new observatory is to be built on Battery hill.

The chronometers from the Observatory are at present kept in the Government buildings, where comparisons can be obtained.

Further Notice will be given when the time-ball is re-established.

Approximate position of Observatory, lat. 41° 17′ S., long. 174° 46′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Nicholson, No. 1423; Lambton harbour and Evans bay, No. 803: Also New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 172; and List of Time Signals, 1904, page 32.

CHINA—EAST COAST—CHAUAN BAY.

Kwadra island—Shoal to the northward.

No. 372 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 989 of 1906) that a narrow bank of sand and mud, with a least depth of 2 fathoms over it at low water, extends in a N. N. E. direction for 1½ miles from the northern extremity of Kwadra island, Chauan bay.

This narrow bank is connected at its northern end with the shoal water now shown on the chart.

Approximate position, Kwadra island, lat. 23° 36′ N., long. 117° 17′ E.

(*Variation Nil in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Hong Kong to the Brothers, No. 1962: Also China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1904, page 161.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—STRAIT OF MALACCA—KLANG STRAIT.

Port Swettenham approach—Beacons established.

No. 373 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 994 of 1906) that four white beacons, each consisting of a tripod with staff, surmounted by a white ball, about 4 feet in diameter, have been established in Klang strait, port Swettenham approach, in the undermentioned positions:—

1. On the edge of the spit extending northward from tanjong Bakau, at the northern entrance, North Klang strait.

   Approximate position, lat. 3° 5′ 15″ N., long. 101° 20′ 00″ E.

2. On the 3-fathom patch, situated to the westward of tanjong Gila, and nearly in the centre of the entrance to port Swettenham.

   Approximate position, lat. 3° 00′ 00″ N., long. 101° 21′ 18″ E.

3. On the north-eastern edge of the flat extending eastward from Pulo Labuan Kurap, on the western side of South Klang strait.

   Approximate position, lat. 2° 59′ 5″ N., long. 101° 18′ 00″ E.

4. On the south-eastern edge of the flat extending from pulo Labuan Kurap, on the western side of South Klang strait.

   Approximate position, lat 2° 58′ 13″ N., long. 101° 18′ 00″ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Klang strait, No. 3453; port Swettenham, No. 2153: Also China Sea Directory, Vol. I, 1896, page 171.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, SOUTH COAST, LAMPONG BAY.

Telok Betong light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 374 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1003 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of Telok Betung light, Lampong bay, from a red fixed to a *white flashing* light every *three seconds*, thus:—light *one second;* eclipse, *two seconds.* The light will be of the 6th order.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 5° 26¾′ S., long. 105° 16¼′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern archipelago, No. 941a; Tyingkok bay to Sunda strait, No. 2761; Sunda strait and approaches, No. 2056; Telok Betung, No. 940: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 467; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 364.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, NORTH-WEST COAST—MALACCA PASSAGE.

Pulo Buru light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 375 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice No. 1004 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of the light shown from pulo Buru, Malacca

passage, from a white fixed to a *white occulting* light *every twenty seconds*, thus:—light, *fifteen seconds*; eclipse, *five seconds*. The light will be of the 6th order.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position on chart No. 219, lat. 5° 40½′ N., long. 95° 25′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts—Bassein river to pulo Penang, No. 830; Acheh head to Tyingkok bay, No. 2760; Acheh head to Diamond point, No. 219: Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 392; Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 282; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 55.

CHINA SEA—Gaspar strait—Macclesfield Channel.

Pulo Lepar Light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 376 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1005 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of the light shown from Labu, or Rocky point, pulo Lepar, Macclesfield channel, from a white fixed to a *white flashing* light *every three seconds* thus:—light, *one second*; eclipse, *two seconds*. The light, of the 4th order, will be shown from a white iron framework tower 65 feet in height.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 2° 57′ S., long. 106° 54¾′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 941a; Gaspar and Banka straits, No. 2149; Gaspar strait, No. 2137: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 535; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 436.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Bombay harbour—Mine Practice Field Area.

No. 377 (first publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 92 of 1906) that on and after the 15th October 1906, a mine practice field lying in a direction N. 69° W. and S. 69° E. (True) immediately to the west of Karanja Beacon will be laid down in the Harbour.

2. The area will be 1,360 yards long by 470 yards wide and will be maintained in position until 31st March 1907.

3. The Western face of this field will be marked by 5 buoys—one at each corner and one in the centre.

4. The N. W. buoy will be red and in a position N. 68° W. (True) 6·6 cables from Karanja Beacon.

5. The S. W. buoy will be red and in a position N. 88° W. (True) 6·9 cables from Karanja Beacon.

6. The centre buoy will be painted in red and white checks and carry a square metal flag coloured red and white.

7. The Eastern face of the field will be marked by two buoys—one at each corner, painted black.

8. Vessels should not pass between or anchor in the area marked by these buoys.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bombay Harbour, No. 2621; Port of Bombay, No. 655: Also, West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 199.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Submerged bunglow off Kundari island.

No. 378 (first publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 98 of 1906) that the Master of S.S. *Nowshera* reports that he passed a bunglow floating bottom upwards in Latitude 18° 37′ N., Longitude 72° 38′ E., Kundari Island, bearing N. 63° E. (T), distant 10 miles.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Karáchi to Vengurla, No. 826; Gulf of Kutch to Vizindrúg, No. 2736; and Kundari to Boria Pagoda, No. 738: Also, West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 193.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Gulf of St. Vincent.

Corny point lighthouse—Alteration of light.

No. 379 (first publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 14 of 1906) that it is intended, on or about the 1st January 1907, to alter the characteristics of the above Light in the following respects:—

Instead of the Light being obscured over the Webb Rock and thence inshore as at present, a Red Sector will be shown over this Arc, *i.e.*, between the bearings of N.E. ½ E. and N.E. by N. ¾ N., where it is shut in by the first point to the Southward of the Lighthouse.

The Red Sector will be visible for 14 miles, the full range of the light.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 2389A.

INDIA, SOUTH—Ceylon coast.

Caution—A newly discovered shoal off Point de Galle.

No. 363 (second publication).—A telegraphic communication, dated 26th September, has been received from the Master Attendant, Colombo, stating that a four-fathom shoal has been discovered, with Galle light-house bearing N. 53° E. Edwards pillar N. 73° E. Whale rock N. 18½° W. Gindurah buoy N. 41½° W. Mariners are hereby warned.

The above bearings are true.

BAY OF BENGAL—Hughli river entrance.

Intermediate light-vessel—Intended alteration.

No. 364 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 944 of 1906) that on or about 15th January 1907, the Intermediate light-vessel, river Hughli entrance, exhibiting a white fixed light, will be replaced by a light-vessel exhibiting a *white group flashing* light *every twenty seconds*, thus:—flash, *four seconds*, eclipse, *two seconds*, flash, *four seconds*, eclipse, *ten seconds*; it will be elevated 35 feet above the sea and visible in clear weather from a distance of 11 miles. A riding light elevated 12 feet above the sea will also be exhibited. The vessel, which is painted red and marked "Intermediate," will have no masts or day marks, and carry no crew; the light will therefore be unwatched. A bell will be sounded by the ship's motion.

Approximate position, lat. 21° 14′ N., long. 88° 11′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bay of Bengal, No. 70; Cocanada to Bassein river, No. 829; the Sandheads, No. 814: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 348; and Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, pages 223, 224.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Kangaroo island.

Port Kingscote—Alteration in lighting.

No. 365 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 947 of 1906) that the lighting of port Kingscote has been altered as follows:—

a. A *fixed* light, elevated 13 feet above high water, showing *red* to seaward, and *white* landward over the jetty, and visible from a distance of 4 miles, is exhibited from a post on the outer end of the jetty.

b. A *white fixed* light, visible from a distance of 8 miles, is exhibited from a house painted white, erected on the rise at the inner end of the jetty.

Approximate position, inner light, lat. 35° 39′ S., long. 137° 38½′ E.

These two lights in line mark the position of the telegraph bell buoy.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Gulf of St. Vincent, &c., No. 2389a: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 1252; Australia Directory, vol I, 1897, page 313; and Supplement, 1900, page 14.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, WEST COAST.—TAMPAT TUAN BAY.

Tuan point—Intended light.

No. 366 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 954 of 1906), that it is intended to establish *a white group occulting* light, showing groups of three occultations *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *fifteen seconds;* eclipse, *three seconds;* light, *three seconds;* eclipse, *three seconds;* light, *three seconds;* eclipse, *three seconds;* from an open ironwork frame support, 45 feet high, and painted white, erected on Tuan point, Tampat Tuan bay: the light, which will be of the 4th order, will be elevated 203 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 13 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 14¼′ N., long. 97° 10′ E.

Further Notice will be given when this light has been established.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern archipelago, No. 941a; China Sea, No. 1263; Acheh head to Tyingkok bay, with plan, No. 2760: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 75; China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 275; and Supplement, 1899 page 17.

CHINA SEA—SINGAPORE STRAIT.

Raffles light.—Date of alteration in character.

No. 367 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 3, dated 8th January 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No 960 of 1906) that the character of Raffles light, Coney island, will be altered from white fixed to *white group flashing*, showing groups of three flashes in quick succession *every ten seconds*, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 16 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 10′ N., long. 103° 44½′ E

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Malacca strait, No. 1355; cape Rachado to Singapore, No. 795; Banka straits to Singapore, No. 2757; approaches to Singapore, No. 3543; Singapore strait, Nos. 2403; 2404: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 437; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 201.

PACIFIC OCEAN—THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, EAST COAST—(ALBAY GULF.)

Legaspi—White light discontinued.

No. 368 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 207, dated 15th June 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 961 of 1906) that on or about the 20th July the white fixed light, elevated 67 feet above high water, formerly exhibited at a short distance to the northward of the town of Legaspi, would be discontinued. The *red fixed* light, which was subsequently established below the above light, would remain as before.

Approximate position on chart No. 3368, lat. 13° 9½′ N., long. 123° 45½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Batan island to San Bernardino island, No. 3368: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 689; Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 583; and Supplement, 1906, page 33.

AFRICA, SOUTH-EAST—MADAGASCAR, WEST COAST—MINOW ISLANDS.

Nosi Mitsio—Shoal off the north end.

No. 369 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 966 of 1906) that a shoal, with a depth of 2½ fathoms over it, is reported to exist in Little sound, between Nosi Fisaka and the Northern extremity of Nosi Mitsio; it has been placed on the chart at a distance of 7 cables, West from mount Ankarana and marked P.D.

Approximate position, lat. 12° 50′ S., long. 48° 38′ E.

(Variation 7° Westerly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Plan of the Minow islands on chart No. 708: Also, islands of the Southern Indian Ocean, 1904, page 159.

The 29th September 1906.

CHINA, EAST COAST—FUCHAN.

Min river entrance—Position of Fairway buoys altered.

No. 352 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 485, dated the 12th December 1905, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 910 of 1906) that the positions of the fairway buoys over the outer bar of the river Min have been altered as follows:—

1. Buoy No. 1 has been moved 5 cables N. 19° E. from its former position, and is now situated at a distance of $7\frac{1}{10}$ miles, S. 74° E. from Sharp peak ▲.
2. Buoy No. 2 has been moved 6 cables N. 13 W. from its former position, and is now situated at a distance of $5\frac{1}{10}$ miles S. 68° E. from Sharp peak ▲.

Approximate position, Sharp peak ▲, lat. 26° 8′ N., long. 119° 40 E.

(*Variation 1° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—River Min, No. 2400. Also, China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 271.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE.

Khor Ghuleifaka—Shoal in approach.

No. 353 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 912 of 1906) that the Master of the S S. *Africa* reports having obtained a sounding of $1\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms in the approach to Khor Ghuleifaka in a position from which the extremity of Ras Mujamela the northern point of "Low sandy island" bears N. 30° E., distant $4\frac{1}{2}$ miles, and the southern extremity of the same island S. 75° E. Between this position and the coast to the eastward, the depths gradually increased to 4 and 5 fathoms.

Approximate position, lat. 14° 33¼′ N., long. 42° 51¾′ E.

(*Variation 3° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Red sea, No. 8e; Jebel Teir to Perim island, with plan of Khor Ghuleifaka, No. 143: Also, Red Sea, etc., Pilot, 1900, page 337.

JAPAN, SOUTH COAST—VOLCANO ISLANDS.

New island disappeared.

No. 354 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 364, dated 18th September 1905, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 915 of 1906) that the rocky island, about $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles in extent, and 480 feet high, reported to have been thrown up by volcanic action, and situated at a distance of about 3 miles north-eastward from Minami Iwo jima (San Augustino), Volcano islands, is reported to have totally disappeared; it has therefore been erased from the charts.

Approximate position on chart No. 781, lat. 24° 20′ N., long. 141° 30′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Pacific ocean, No. 781: Also, Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 269.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—GILLOLO, NORTH-EAST COAST.

Galela—Shoal in approach.

No. 355 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 917 of 1906) of the existence of a shoal, with a least depth of 2 fathoms over it, in the approach to Galela, situated in a position from which Salmudi point bears S. 62° E., distant 2 miles, and Loario point S. 3° E.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 57½′ N., long. 127° 56½′ E.

(*Variation 1° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—The Philippine islands, No. 943: Also, Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 441; and Supplement, 1906, page 41.

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND, WEST COAST.

Manukau bar—Signal when unsafe for outward-bound vessels.

No. 356 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 918 of 1906) that when the bar Manukau harbour is unsafe for outward-bound vessels, a *red* light will be exhibited by night from the signal station on the South head, or a signal to anchor made during the daytime. When the bar is passable the signal to proceed will be made during the daytime from the same station. These signals will be visible after passing Puponga point.

Approximate position, South head, lat. 37° 3′ S, long 174° 34′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Manukau harbour, No 2726: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 250; and Revised Supplement, 1906, page 66.

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND, EAST COAST—AHURIRI ROAD.

Napier harbour entrance—Buoy established—Colour of buoys altered.

No. 357 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 919 of 1906) that a red conical buoy has been established to mark the foul ground extending south-eastward from Auckland rock, entrance to Napier harbour, in a position situated at a distance of 4¾ cables N. 5° E. from Napier or Ahuriri bluff flagstaff.

Approximate position, lat. 39° 27¾′ S., long. 176° 57′ E.

The colour of the buoy marking the breakwater foundations, situated at a distance of 4½ cables N. 13° E. from Napier bluff flagstaff, has been altered from white to black, and the buoy marking Auckland rock, situated at a distance of 5½ cables N. 1° E. from the same flagstaff, from black to red.

(*Variation 14° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Napier port and harbour, No. 2513: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 158; and Revised Supplement, 1906, page 54.

AFRICA, SOUTH COAST—CAPE COLONY—ALGOA BAY.

Cape Recife light—Sector altered.

No. 358 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 926 of 1906 that a sector of *white fixed* light visible between the bearings of S. 39° W. and S. 11° W. is now shown immediately below the *white revolving* light exhibited from cape Recife lighthouse in place of the sector of red revolving light formerly shown over the Roman rocks in Algoa bay.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 1¾′ S., long. 25° 42′ E.

(*Variation 28° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Indian ocean, No. 748a; Hondeklip bay to port Natal, No. 2095; cape St. Francis to Waterboo bay, No. 2085; Algoa bay, No. 642: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 15; and Africa Pilot, part III, 1905, page 125.

AFRICA, NORTH COAST—GULF OF ADEN.

Aden light-vessel—Signals indicating depth in channel.

No. 359 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 927 of 1906) that when a vessel is entering or leaving the Inner harbour at Aden the depth for every foot between 24 and 33 feet in the Main channel will be indicated from the masthead of the inner light-vessel by means of the Numeral table given at page 421 of the International Code Signal Book, 1899, thus:—letters U. Z. are hoisted over the Code flag when there is a depth of 24 feet in the channel, V. A. when there is a depth of 25 feet, and so on.

Letters C. and F. representing respectively flood and ebb tide will continue to be displayed from the ensign staff of this light-vessel as formerly.

Approximate position, lat 12° 47¼′ N., long 44° 58½′ E

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Aden, &c., No. 7: Also, Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1900, page 350; and Supplement, 1904, page 39.

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—Cole islands.

Ar (R) reef beacon re-established.

No. 360 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 214, dated 4th November 1899, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 942 of 1906) that the beacon on Ar (R) reef, Cole islands, in the route inside the Great Barrier reef of Australia, has been re-established.

Approximate position, lat. 14° 32′ 20″ S., long. 144° 55′ 10″ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Turtle group to Claremont point No. 2922: Also, Australia Directory, vol. II, 1898, page 362; and Supplement, 1900 page 14.

ARABIA, NORTH-EAST—Persian gulf, west coast.

Kuweit Harbour—Shoal patch reported at the entrance.

No. 361 (third publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 88 of 1906) that the Master of S.S. *Kola* reports that, on the 23rd August 1906, the vessel struck upon an uncharted shoal patch, with the Hill Fort bearing S. 83° W. (True), distant 1 to 1½ mile from the shore, and that he buoyed the patch with a large cask painted red surmounted by a red flag attached to a 4 cwt. kedge anchor.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Persian Gulf, Western Sheet No. 2837b; Kuweit Harbour, No. 22; and Persian Gulf Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 155; and Supplement, 1905, page 19.

INDIA WEST—Bombay coast.

Rajpuri point light—Red Sector.

No. 362 (third publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 90 of 1906) that from the Rajpuri Point Light, the Red Sector is shown over Whale Reef between the following approximate bearings from seaward:—

N. 55° E to N. 77° E. (magnetic).

Approximate position:

Latitude 18° 17′ N.

Longitude 72° 56′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Arabian Sea, No. 1012; Karáchi to Vengurla, No. 826; Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug, No. 2736; Kundari to Boria Pagoda, No. 738; Janjira Harbour, No. 400; and West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, fourth edition, 1898, page 188; Supplement, 1903, page 15: Also, Admiralty List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 245, and List of Light-houses and Light-vessels in British India, 1905, No. 245.

The 21st September 1906.

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WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 8th October 1906.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	0·09	7½	7¼	Standing crops doing well. Harvesting of autumn rice and steeping of jute nearly over. Weeding of winter rice going on. Its prospect improved. Cattle-disease at Shahebganj thana. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	3·92	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	0·43	10	10	Weather seasonable. Rain urgently needed. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops in progress. Sowing of *rabi* commenced. Standing crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	0·67	10*	10 to 12*	Rainfall general. Sowings of rapeseed, mustard and tobacco commenced. Prospects good. Cattle-disease in Dantan thana. Fodder and water sufficient.
5	HOOGHLY ...	0·06	7	7	Rainfall general. Weather seasonable. More rain wanted in Arambagh for winter paddy. Prospects of jute, *aus* and sugarcane fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7½	8	Harvesting of *aus* paddy is going on. Jute being steeped and fibre extracted. Winter rice and other standing crops doing well. More rain wanted. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
7	24-PARGANAS	Nil	7¼	7	Good rain in Basirhat. Weather seasonable. More rain wanted in places. Harvesting of jute nearly finished. State of standing crops good. Prospects of paddy good. Condition of cattle good. Fodder insufficient in Barrackpore, Basirhat and Diamond Harbour subdivisions. Number of persons under relief in different thanas are :—Sonarpur 517, Tollygunge 303, Vishnupur 2,288, Behala 201, Canning 501, Mahestala 470, Baruipur 832, Falta 878, Magrahat 1,624, Diamond Harbour 184, Mathurapur 182, Kulpi 179, Jaynagar 2,029, Dum-Dum 32.
8	NADIA ...	0·83	8	8	Rainfall general, lowest at Sadar. Prospects of standing crops good. Harvesting of *aus* paddy complete. Washing of jute continues. Sowing of *mung* and *kalai* still going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
9	MURSHIDABAD	3·28	8	8	Rainfall general. Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops hopeful. Jute being cut. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JESSORE ...	0·06	6 5/12	7	Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. Harvesting of jute continues and that of *aus* paddy almost completed. Flood water subsiding. Prospects of *aman* paddy good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-desease. Slight distress.

* New rice

Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
		This week.	Previous week.	
2	3	4	5	6
	Inches.			
KHULNA ...	0·75	7	8	Rainfall general. Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter rice still going on. Condition of crop fair. Sowing of rape and mustard not yet commenced. Sowing of linseed commenced. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
PATNA ...	1·36	9¼ 14*	9 14*	Weather hot in the day and slightly cold at night. The rainfall on the 1st and 2nd instant general, but more rain wanted for paddy on high lands. Lands being prepared for *rabi* sowings. Sugarcane doing well. Cattle-desease reported from Islampore thana. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
GAYA ...	Nil	8 3/16 14 3/8*	8 3/16 14 5/16*	Weather clear and warm. Sugarcane doing well. Preparation of land for *rabi* sowing continues. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Slight showers of rain in the interior. Prospects of the paddy crop generally good. Prices generally continue stationary.
SHAHABAD ...	0·28	9 12*	9 12*	Rainfall general and heavy at Sassaram (5·28 inches). The paddy crop much benefited by the week's rainfall, but more rain wanted in Buxar and Sadar subdivisions. Sugarcane doing well. Fields being prepared for *rabi* sowing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Price of *makai* at Sassaram 16 seers per rupee.
SARAN ...	Nil	9 13*	8½ 14*	Weather hot. Preparation of fields for *rabi* sowings still in progress. Threshing of maize and *bhadoi* paddy going on. Indigo doing well. Sowing of wheat and barley commenced at some places. Rain urgently wanted for *aghani* paddy. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Daily average number of persons relieved from the District Board funds during the week:—5 men, 48 women and 18 children in the Gopalganj subdivision; 41 men, 140, women and 41 children in the Siwan subdivision; 24 men, 41 women and 30 children in the Sadar subdivision, besides 510 men, 324 women and 282 children gratuitously relieved by the Hathwa Raj daily. 46 men, 52 women and 48 children on an average on test relief-works at Raghunathpur in Siwan subdivision. 142 men, 253 women and 421 children on an average daily on Hathwa Raj relief-works during the week.
CHAMPARAN ...	0·48	9½ 11½*	9½ 11½	Weather hot and cloudy. Harvesting and threshing of *bhadoi* crops still going on. More rain wanted for winter rice. Sugarcane doing well. Prices almost stationary. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
MUZAFFARPUR	0·19	8	8	Weather hot. Clouds clearing. Light rain fallen generally, but more rain urgently required for winter rice. *Bhadoi* harvesting nearly completed. *Rabi* sowings going on. No cattle-disease reported. Complaints of scarcity of fodder from Sursand only. *Makai* selling at 13½ seers at Hajipur and 11 seers at Sitamarhi per rupee. Gratuitous relief for week ending 3rd October—daily average 5,425.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
18	DARBHANGA ...	0·29	$8\frac{5}{16}$ 11*	$8\frac{3}{4}$ 11*	Weather hot and attimes cloudy. Some rain received, but more urgently needed for winter rice. Preparation of lands for *rabi* sowings in progress. Fodder sufficient except in Rosera thana. No cattle-disease. Agriculturists' loans being given. Number of persons relieved at kitchens on the last day of the week—Darbhanga 3,805, Bahera 11,031, Rosera 15,077, Samastipur 5,225, Madhubani 437. Number of persons on test-works for the last day available—Manihas 188, Ojhauli 58, Anar 36, Basaitha 428, Ratwara 262, Chakmehsi 198, Hathourighat 70, Shakarlora 19, Gangdah 255, Salepur 412, Dasauth 63, Bhutha 13, Tolaparsa 131, Larjaghat 4. Slight improvement except in Rosera and Singhia. Cases of emaciation rarer. Little or no migration.
19	MONGHYR ..	0·15	$6\frac{1}{2}$ 13*	$6\frac{1}{2}$ 13*	Days hot, night, cool. Prospects of winter rice fairly good. More rain needed. Local showers beneficial to standing crops. Cattle-disease reported from thana Surjgarha. Fodder and water sufficient.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	0·45	$7\frac{3}{8}$ $13\frac{1}{4}$*	$7\frac{9}{16}$ $12\frac{3}{8}$*	Weather hot in the day with cool night. Rainfall general. More rain still wanted in Banka and Supaul for the *aghani* crop, though prospects somewhat improved by recent rain. Cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient. Visit of locusts in Madhipura and Supaul. Damage slight in former, heavier in latter subdivision.
21	PURNEA ...	0·52	7 11*	7 12*	More rain wanted. Washing of jute still going on. Prospects of *aghani* paddy fair. Another flight of locusts through the district from south-west to north-east. No special damage reported. High prices of food-grains still prevailing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
22	DARJEELING ...	0·27	6 12*	6 11*	Weather seasonable. Hills—Maize and potato being harvested. Winter rice, *bhadoi* and *marua* in fair state. Terai—Reaping of *bhadoi* rice finished. Jute-cutting going on. Sugarcane doing well. *Aman* rice promising.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	2·50	$6\frac{3}{4}$ $17\frac{1}{2}$*	7 22*	Weather seasonable. More rain wanted. Prospects of sugarcane good and of winter rice fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
24	CUTTACK ...	0·26	$11\frac{5}{32}$	$10\frac{1}{2}$	Rainfall general. *Marua* and jute being harvested. Early cotton, *arhar* and sugarcane doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
25	BALASORE ...	0·90	11	$10\frac{1}{2}$	Weather hot. Weeding of *saradh* and harvesting of *ashu* and jute continue. Sugarcane and vegetables thriving. Fodder and water available.
26	ANGUL ...	0·65	11	11	Weather seasonable. More rain wanted. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops and sowing of *rabi* crops going on. Winter rice growing well and in ear on uplands. Cotton and sugarcane doing well.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
27	PURI ...	0·91	10½	10½	Rainfall general. Weather seasonable. Sugarcane coming up well. Cotton thriving. *Biali* and *marua* being harvested. Expected outturn 70 per cent. Weeding of *sarad* almost finished. Miscellaneous crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	0·57	10½	10½	Rain general. Weeding of winter paddy completed. Sowing of *mung* still going on. Reaping of *at* and *mal dhan* going on in Bargarh *tahsil*. Harvesting of maize and *aus* paddy in progress in Sambalpur *tahsil*. Prospects of standing crops good. The outturn of *mal* and *at dhans* estimated at 50 per cent. and 62·5 per cent. respectively in Bargarh *tahsil* and that of maize at 87·5 per cent. in Sambalpur *tahsil*. Cattle-disease prevalent in 12 villages in both the *tahsils*. Fodder and water-supply sufficient.
29	HAZARIBAGH	...	10	10	Prospect of standing crops good. *Bhadoi* being harvested. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from three thanas. Rice selling at 8 seers at Giridih.
30	RANCHI ...	Nil	10½	11½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *gora* going on. Standing crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from two thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	2·89	10 11/16	9	Weather seasonable. Rainfall all over the district. Standing crop doing well. Sowing of *rabi* commenced. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from five thanas.
32	MANBHUM ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. Rape and mustard not yet sown. Outturn of maize estimated at 93 per cent. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Gobindpur.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	Nil	9	9	Harvesting of *aus* paddy in progress. Cattle-disease reported from thana Chakradharpur. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 12 seers and 10 seers per rupee at Seraikella and Kharsawan respectively.
34	COOCH BEHAR	10·30	6 3/16	5⅞	Rainfall general. Weather seasonable. Prospects and condition of standing crops favourable. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Mathabhanga and Dinhata.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—Rain is reported from most districts, but the fall was generally very light except in Cooch Behar, where it was over 10 inches. In Birbhum, Murshidabad, the Santhal Parganas and Palamau the fall was moderate. More rain is required for winter rice in most of the districts of Bihar as well as in Bankura, Hooghly, Howrah and the 24-Parganas. Locusts passed through Bhagalpur and Purnea, but no very great damage is reported. Distress continues in the 24-Parganas, Jessore, Saran, Muzaffarpur and Darbhanga. The number of persons reported to be receiving gratuitous relief is as follows:—24-Parganas 10,220; Saran 1,504; Muzaffarpur 5,425 and Darbhanga 35,575, total 52,724. The number of persons attending test-works is—Saran 962 and Darbhanga 2,157. Fodder is sufficient in all districts except in parts of the 24-Parganas, Muzaffarpur and Darbhanga. The water-supply for cattle is generally sufficient. Cattle-disease prevails in twelve districts. The price of common rice has risen in seven and fallen in nine districts.

N. N. BANERJEI,

for Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
BURDWAN DIVISION.													
1	Burdwan ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 8	12 12	...	...	...
2	Birbhum ...	9 0	7 8	12 0	...	..	..	7 8	7 8	13 8	...	.	..
3	Bankura ...	11 0	10 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	8 0	14 0	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	9 0	8 0	13 8	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	8 8	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	7 0	6 11	10 0	...	...	...
6	Howrah ..	...	...	12 0	...	...	...	8 0	7 8 to 8 0	11 8	...	.	...
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.													
7	24-Parganas ...	10 8	10 0	15 0	...	...	...	8 4	8 0	13 0	...	...	...
8	Calcutta ...	10 5	10 0	10 10	12 14	12 4	12 4	7 12	7 10	8 0	...	...	...
9	Nadia ...	11 7	11 13	12 12	14 8	16 0	...	8 0	6 15	12 0	...	...	...
10	Murshidabad ..	11 0	11 0	15 0	16 0	16 0	25 8	8 0	7 0	12 4	...	..	...
11	Jessore ..	8 0	8 0	10 0	8 0	Patnai 8 0	11 4	7 0	7 0	12 0	...	..	...
12	Khulna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4	7 0	12 0	...	...	...
	BIHAR.												
PATNA DIVISION.													
13	Patna ...	12 0	12 8	13 0	13 8	13 12	18 0	9 0	9 0	14 0	...	...	...
14	Gaya ...	11 12	11 12	14 6	14 13	15 6	21 8	8 3	8 12	13 5	13 5	12 5	18 7
15	Shahabad ...	11 4	10 0	14 0	13 0	14 0	17 0	9 4	9 8	13 8	...	...	..
16	Saran ...	11 0	11 4	13 0	14 0	13 0	18 0	8 8	8 8	12 8	...	...	...
17	Champaran ...	10 8	10 10½	15 0	14 0	12 8	21 0	9 8	9 0	15 0	...	...	...
18	Muzaffarpur ..	10 8	10 0	13 0	13 8	13 0	20 0	8 0	6 0	11 0	...	...	...
19	Darbhanga ..	10 6	9 0	14 4	13 3	12 1	20 14	8 12	7 11	15 6	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 18 seers 5 chitaks; Raniganj not received; Kalna 17 seers 12 chitaks.

B. At Rampur Hat the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee.

C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee.

D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contai 16 seers; Tamluk 16 seers; Ghatal 16 seers.

E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 16 seers (Liverpool); Arambagh 16 seers.

F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee.

G. In the mart in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetla 18 seers 12 chitaks: Barasat 14 seers; Baduria 16 seers (crushed); Mograhat 16 seers; Barrackpore 13 seers (karkatch).

H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 15 seers (panga); Chuadanga 13 seers (karkatch); Meherpur 16 seers (karkatch); Ranaghat 12 seers (crushed).

Station Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 30th September 1906.

Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar (*dál*) or Tur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.			Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			Number.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	BENGAL.		
...	...	...	7 8	7 8	10 8	A 17 0	16 0	16 8	2 5 0	Panga. 2 4 0	2 3 6	Burdwan.	Burdwan Division.	1
...	...	...	6 0	6 0	8 0	B 15 0	15 0	16 0	2 8 0	Karkatch. 2 8 0	2 7 0	Birbhum.		2
...	...	...	9 8	8 0	10 0	C 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	Panga. 2 8 0	2 4 6	Bankura.		3
...	...	...	7 0	7 0	8 0	D Crushed. 14 0	14 0	16 0	2 4 0	Crushed. 2 4 0	2 3 0	Midnapore.		4
						Panga. 13 12	13 12	14 0	2 5 0	Panga. 2 5 0	2 6 0			
...	...	..	8 0	8 0	10 0	E 17 0	17 0	16 0	2 3 0	Panga. 2 3 0	2 6 0	Hooghly		5
...	...	...	7 0	8 0	9 0	F 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	Howrah.		6
...	...	...	8 0	7 8	12 0	G 18 12	16 0	16 0	2 2 0	Panga. 2 4 0	2 8 0	24-Parganas.	Presidency Division.	7
11 10	...	12 4	6 10	7 4	8 0	16 0	16 0	13 0	2 2 0	Panga. 2 2 0	2 10 0	Calcutta.		8
...	...	...	7 4	6 15	9 0	H 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	Karkatch 2 3 0	2 4 0	Nadia.		9
...	...	...	7 0	7 0	9 0	I 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	Murshidabad.		10
...	..	...	10 12	10 5	16 0	J 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	Panga. 2 8 0	2 8 0	Jessore.		11
..	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	K 13 5	13 5	13 5	2 12 0	Panga. 2 12 0	3 0 0	Khulna.		12
												BIHAR.		
14 0	14 0	19 0	7 12	7 8	9 8	L 15 0	15 0	16 0	2 4 0	Panga. 2 - 0	2 8 0	Patna.	Patna Division.	13
14 5	15 6	18 7	7 3	7 12	8 11	M 15 14	15 4	15 14	2 9 0	Panga 2 9 6	2 8 6	Gaya.		14
13 0	14 8	...	8 0	8 0	9 8	N 15 0	15 0	16 0	2 10 8	2 10 8	2 8 0	Shahabad.		15
14 0	13 0	17 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	O 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	Panga. 2 8 0	2 8 0	Saran.		16
11 8	...	17 8	7 0	7 0	11 0	P 15 0	15 0	15 0	2 10 6	2 10 6	2 13 0	Champaran.		17
12 8	12 0	17 0	7 0	7 0	11 0	Q 14 8	13 0	14 0	2 10 6	Panga. 2 13 9	2 12 0	Muzaffarpur		18
11 0	11 0	22 0	7 1	6 9	15 6	R 13 3	12 9	15 6	3 0 0	3 3 0	2 8 0	Darbhanga.		19

I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jangipur 16 seers; Lalbagh 14 seers; Kandi 16 seers.
J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 18 seers 12 chitaks (karkatch); Magura 17 seers (karkatch); Bangaon 16 seers (panga) and Narail 14 seers 3 chitaks (panga).
K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 12 seers (karkatch); Satkhira 16 seers.
L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 16 seers (panga); Bihar 14 seers; Dinapore 12 seers.
M. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jahanabad 16, Nawada 16 and Aurangabad 15 seers 8 chitaks.
N. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 16 seers; Bhabua 14 seers and Sasaram 15 seers.
O. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 16 seers; Gopalganj 15 seers 14 chitaks (panga).
P. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 14 seers 8 chitaks per rupee.
Q. In the subdivisions the prices of salt per rupee are—Sitamarhi not reported; Hajipur 15 seers.
R. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 14 seers; Madhubani 10 seers 6 chitaks.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	BIHAR—*concluded.*												
Bhagalpur Division.	20 Monghyr ...	10 7	11 8	15 2	Not sold.	14 8	27 8	6 8	7 0	11 13	...	...	...
	21 Bhagalpur ...	11 6	11 2	14 7	12 12	12 12	22 12	7 8	7 8	13 4	...	...	...
	22 Purnea ...	9 0	10 0	14 0	...	...	...	5 12 & 6 1‡	*6 4 to †7 0	9 0	...	...	—
	23 Darjeeling ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	9 0	...	...	..
	24 Sonthal Parganas.	10 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	13 0	17 0	7 8	7 7	14 0	...	...	...
	ORISSA.												
Orissa Division.	25 Cuttack ...	10 8	10 8	13 2	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	13 2	...	...	—
	26 Balasore ...	11 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 8	10 0	13 0	...	...	...
	27 Angul ...	*6 0	6 0	8 0	...	...	...	11 0	9 0	15 0	...	...	...
	28 Puri ...	10 8	10 8	10 13	...	...	...	10 8	8 8	13 2	...	...	...
	29 Sambalpur ...	12 8	12 8	12 0	...	...	...	10 8	10 0	17 0	...	...	..
	CHOTA NAGPUR.												
Chota Nagpur Division.	30 Hazaribagh ...	9 12	10 0	10 8	13 12	14 0	15 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	...
	31 Ranchi ...	9 0	9 0 to 9 8	7 0 to 11 0	14 0	14 0	15 0	11 0	10 4	10 8	...	...	...
	32 Palamau ...	11 4	10 2	16 14	14 10	14 10	...	9 0	8 8	14 1	...	..	...
	33 Manbhum ...	11 0	10 0	11 4	13 0	12 0	16 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	...
	34 Singhbhum ...	10 0	10 0	13 0	..	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 0	...	...	...

S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Jamui 16 seers ; Begusarai 15 seers.
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 13¾ seers ; Madhipura 13 seers and Supaul 12 seers.
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 14 seers ; Basantpur 14 seers.
V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kurseong 11 seers ; Siliguri 12 seers.
W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Godda not received ; Jamtara not received ; Pakour 16 seers ; Deoghur not received and Rajmahal 16 seers.

* Eatable.
† Worst kind.
‡ New bhadoi (very bad quality).

CALCUTTA,
The 8th October 1906.

rices of Bengal on the 30th September 1906—concld.

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine Coracana*).		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	7 0	13 0
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	21 0	21 0	26 0
...	...	...	26 0	23 0	26 0
...	...	...	16 14	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...

Corresponding return of last year (Rs.).	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.	Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.	Districts.	Number.	
Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	BIHAR—*concluded.*		
0	S 15 11	15 11	15 11	2 10 0	Panga. 2 10 0	2 8 0	Monghyr	20	Bhagalpur Division
0	T 15 2	15 2	15 8	2 6 9	Panga. 2 6 9	2 9 0	Bhagalpur.	21	
0	U 13 0	13 0	11 0	3 0 0	Panga. 3 0 0	3 8 0	Purnea.	22	
4	V ...	12 0	12 0	...	3 6 0	3 4 0	Darjeeling.	23	
0	W 14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12 0	Panga. 2 12 0	2 11 0	Santhal Parganas.	24	
							ORISSA.		
7	X ...	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	Karkatch. 2 4 0	2 8 0	Cuttack.	25	Orissa Division.
0	Y 16 0	16 0	17 0	2 8 0	Panga. 2 5 0	2 6 0	Balasore	24	
0	Z 10 8	10 8	10 0	3 8 0	Karkatch. 3 8 0	3 8 0	Angul.	27	
13	a 17 8	17 8	16 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 7 0	Puri.	28	
0	b 13 0	13 0	12 0	3 0 0	Karkatch. 3 0 0	3 0 0	Sambalpur.	29	
							CHOTA NAGPUR.		
8	13 0	12 8	12 0	2 15 0	Panga. 3 1 3	3 3 0	Hazaribagh.	30	Chota Nagpur Division.
8 0 0	c 12 0	12 8	13 0	3 2 0	Panga. 3 2 0	3 1 3	Ranchi.	31	
2	15 3	14 10	15 12	...	...	...	Palamau.	32	
0	d 14 0	14 0	15 0	3 0 0	Panga. 2 12 0	2 8 2	Manbhum.	33	
.2 0	13 0	17 ?	13 0	2 12 0	Panga. 2 12 0	3 0 0	Singhbhum.	34	

prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara return not received ; Jajpur return not

of salt is 16 seers per rupee (panga).
of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Saukhpur 10 seers 8 chitaks
seers 8 chitaks (karkatch).
salt is 16 seers per rupee.
f salt is 11 seers (Bombay).
alt is 10 seers per rupee (panga).
1440 ..... prices of salt per rupee are—Gobindapur 16 seers (panga) ; Jhalda not received.

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., in

PRICE PER MAUND OF

iber.	Marts.	Rice (best sort).			Common rice (*mota chaul*).			Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).			Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*).		
		Next preceding return.	Corresponding return last year.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return last year.	Next preceding return.	Current return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return last year.	Next preceding return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return last year.	Next preceding return.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta	6 15 0	6 14 0	6 0 0	4 15 0	4 15 0	4 12 0	3 10 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	2 10 0
2	Burdwan	6 2 0	5 14 0	3 9 6	5 8 0	5 1 3	3 0 0						
	Midnapore	5 12 0	6 0 0	3 4 0	4 7 0	5 0 0	2 12 0						
	Patna	5 11 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	4 6 0	4 7 0	2 14 0	3 4 0	3 3 0	3 1 0	2 15 0	2 15 0	2 3 0
	Muzaffarpur ...	6 10 6	6 10 6	5 0 0	4 7 6	6 2	3 5 3	3 10 0	3 10 0	2 10 9	2 13 9	3 0 0	1 14 6
	Bhagalpur	5 10 0	6 6 0	3 15 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	2 12 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	1 12 0
	Cuttack	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 0 9	3 1 3	3 13 0	3 0 9	3 9 9	3 9 9	3 0 9			
	Sambalpur	4 3 0	4 3 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 13 0	2 4 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0			
	Ranchi	5 1 3	5 1 3	5 10 0	3 5 3	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 10 0 to 4 3 6	4 3 6 to 4 7 0	3 10 0 to 5 4 3	2 14	2 14 0	2 10 0

Calcutta,

The 8th October 1903.

STANDARD SEERS.

Juar or Cholum (*Sorghum vulgare*).			Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*).			Gram, Chana, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer grietinum*).		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	...	...	...	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 0 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 6 0	2 6 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4 0 to 3 12 0	3 4 0 to 3 12 0	2 12 0 to 3 4 0
2 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	2 11 0	2 12 0	...	3 0 0	2 14 0	2 10 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	2 13 9	3 1 3	1 14 6	3 1 3	3 3 0	2 8 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 6 0	3 5 0	2 6 0
									Biri or Kalai.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 5 4	3 5 4	2 5 4
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 13 0	3 13 0	2 9 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 14 6	3 14 6	3 8 0

Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Thur—Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Linseed.			Mustard and Rapeseed.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3 2 0	...	2 10 0	5 10 0	5 4 0	4 12 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	4 14 0	6 10 0	6 4 0	4 6 0
...	...	...	5 4 0	4 13 6	3 14 0	...	...	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 10 0
...	...	...	5 4 0	5 4 0	4 8 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 12 0	Black mustard. 6 8 0 / Rapeseed. 5 8 0	6 8 0 / 5 8 0	5 12 0 / 4 4 0
2 12 0	2 13 0	2 1 0	5 1 0	5 3 0	4 3 0	5 0 0	5 4 0	4 8 0	6 2 0	6 0 0	5 5 0
3 1 3	3 4 9	2 3 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	3 5 3	...	...	...	...	...	...
3 2 0	3 0 0	1 15 0	5 8 0	5 5 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 4 6	Rapeseed. ... / Mustard. 6 0 0	... / 6 0 0	4 6 0 / 5 3 0
...	...	...	3 9 0	3 9 0	2 12 3	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 3 0
...	...	...	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	...	...	...	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 12 0
...	...	...	6 10 6	6 10 6	6 10 6 to 7 4 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 12 0	6 12 0	5 6 0 to 6 0 0

STANDARD SEERS.

Til or Jinjili seed.			Sugar (raw).			Cotton (cleaned).			Jute.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3 8 0	6 8 0	4 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	19 8 0	19 0 0	17 0 0	10 12 0	11 4 0	8 0 0
...	...	...	5 10 6	5 6 0	6 4 0	...	...	23 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	5 4 0	5 4 0	7 4 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	24 0 0	...	...	...
6 8 0	6 2 0	6 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	...	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	6 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
5 2 3	5 2 3	5 2 0	4 0 6	4 0 6	6 12 0	22 13 0	22 13 0	22 13 0	...	...	...
4 14 0	4 14 0	4 6 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 4 0	...	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 0 0
...	...	...	5 11 6	5 11 6	6 10 6	26 10 0	26 10 0	26 10 0	...	...	...

PRICE PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.

Ghi (clarified butter).			Tobacco Leaf.			Hides (cow).			Grass.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
						Per 100 pieces.					
40 0 0	40 0 0	41 0 0*	8 0 0	8 8 0	8 0 0	430 0 0	400 0 0	550 0 0	1 6 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
42 12 0	41 0 0	37 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	—	—
						Uncleaned per piece.					
			Pulta.			3 0 0	2 12 0	2 4 0			
			9 0 0	9 0 0	7 12 0	to	to	to			
42 0 0	42 0 0	39 0 0				4 0 0	3 12 0	3 4 0	—	—	—
			Madhukhali.			Cleaned per piece.					
						3 4 0	3 0 0	2 8 0			
			7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	to	to	to			
						4 4 0	4 0 0	3 8 0			
38 0 0	37 0 0	34 0 0	2 8 0	2 8 0*	3 12 0	...	...	...	0 4 6	...	...
40 0 0	40 0 0	35 9 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	...	...	—	—	—	...
39 8 0	41 0 0	40 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
						Per maund.					
41 14 6	41 14 6	38 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 1 6	30 0 0	30 0 0	25 0 0	0 7 6	0 7 6	0 7 0
						Per maund.					
40 0 0	40 0 0	37 8 0	22 13 0	22 13 0	16 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	38 0 0	...	...	...
						Per piece.					
37 8 0	37 8 0	37 0 0						2 0 0			
to	to	to	16 0 0	13 5 0	10 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	to	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0
40 0 0	40 0 0	42 10 0						2 4 0			

*Price of Donji variety, which has the largest sale in the market.

undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 30th September 1906.

PRICE PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.

STRAW.				JUAR STALKS.				IRON.				FIREWOOD.				SALT.				MARTS.
Next return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Next return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Next return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Next return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Next return.		Corresponding return of last year.		
A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
4 0	1 0 0	1 0 0						6 6 0	5 14 0	6 0 0		0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0		0 9 0	2 2 0	Panga. 2 2 0	2 8 0	1. Calcutta.
Per pan. 13 0	1 0 0	0 9 6										0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0		0 8 6	2 5 0 2 4 0	Panga. 2 4 0 Crushed. 2 4 0	2 3 6 3 0	2. Burdwan.
Per maund. 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0						2 8 0 to 4 8 0	2 8 0 to 4 8 0	2 8 0 to 4 0 0		0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0		0 4 0	2 5 0	Panga. 2 5 0	2 6 0	3. Midnapore.
					0 3 0			4 6 0	4 6 0	4 0 0						0 6 0	2 4 0	Panga. 2 4 0	2 8 0	4. Patna.
								8 0 0	8 0 0	5 11 6		0 5 3	0 5 3	0 4 0		2 10 6	2 13 9	Panga. 2 12 0		5. Muzaffarpur.
								5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0		0 5 0	0 5 0	0 6 3		2 6 9	2 6 9	2 9 0		6. Bhagalpur.
0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0						4 12 0	4 12 0	3 13 0		0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0		0 2 4	0 2 4 0	Karkatch. 2 4 0	2 4 0	7. Cuttack.
												0 3 6	0 3 6	0 4 0		3 0 0	3 0 0	Karkatch. 3 0 0	3 0 0	8. Sambalpur.
3 0 0	2 0 0	0 12 9						5 11 6	5 11 6	5 0 0		0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0		0 5 0	3 2 0	Panga. 3 2 0	3 1 3	9. Ranchi.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 22nd September 1906, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 22nd September 1906.			Week ending Saturday, the 23rd September 1905.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	445	1,51,915	1,206	794	84,960	1,345
Jute	455	74,711*	1,236	223	62,345†	826
Firewood	38	23,700	352	44	24,450	516
Other articles	697	1,52,316	1,667	548	1,30,451	1,445
Total ...	1,635	4,02,642	4,461	1,609	3,12,206	4,132

* Weight by canal measurement, 84,237½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto 69,107½ do.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 29th September 1906, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 29th September 1906.			Week ending Saturday, the 30th September 1905.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	463	1,54,424	1,274	768	88,170	1,296
Jute	484	1,02,968*	1,689	216	55,750†	801
Firewood	56	28,050	406	61	42,800	644
Other articles	657	1,13,061	1,301	574	1,33,591	1,573
Total ..	1,660	3,98,503	4,670	1,619	3,15,311	4,314

* Weight by canal measurement, 1,08,087½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto. 60,592½ do.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 6th October 1906, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 6th October 1906.			Week ending Saturday, the 7th October 1905.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	373	89,140	777	758	76,396	1,186
Jute	419	88,160*	1,403	362	74,618†	1,200
Firewood	53	38,145	577	52	35,420	528
Other articles	751	1,54,615	1,713	880	1,52,960	1,930
Total ...	1,596	3,70,060	4,470	2,042	3,39,394	4,839

* Weight by canal measurement, 97,275 maunds.
† Ditto ditto, 88,087½ do.

Abstract of the Results of Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory in the month of September 1906.

	Inches.	Date.	Hour.
The mean pressure of the month	29·654		
The average pressure of September from 44 years' registers ...	29·685		
The highest pressure in the month	29·839	15th	10
The lowest pressure in the month	29·144	11th	16
The range of pressure	0·415		
	Hours.		
The total number of hours of bright sunshine during the month	77·0		
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine ...	367·0		
The mean temperature of the month	82·9		
The average temperature of September from 20 years' registers...	82·5		
The highest temperature in the month	92·4	1st and 21st	
The lowest temperature in the month	75·4	12th	
The range of temperature during the month	17·0		
The mean daily range of temperature	9·0		
The greatest range of temperature in one day	13·6	16th	
	Per cent.		
The mean humidity of the month	87		
The average humidity of September from 20 years' registers ...	86		
	Inches.		
The mean vapour tension of the month	0·958		
The average vapour tension of September from 20 years' registers	0·943		
The mean cloud proportion of the month	8·45		
The average cloud proportion of September from 29 years' registers	7·07		
	Inches.		
The total rainfall of the month	8·30		
The total rainfall indicated by a Beckley's self-registering rain-gauge (mouth of the gauge about 8 feet above the ground)	6·79?		
The average fall of September from 24 years' registers ...	10·40		
The greatest fall in 24 hours	1·46	10th	
	Days.		
The number of rainy days in the month	13		
The average number of rainy days in September from 24 years' registers	13		
The mean maximum equilibrium temperature of solar radiation during the month	134·8		
The mean difference of sun and air temperatures	47·2		
The greatest sun temperature	153·9	16th	
The greatest excess of sun over air temperature	62·0	16th	
The mean temperature of the nocturnal radiation thermometer on woollen cloth	76·8		
The mean depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature at 4 feet above the ground	2·1		
The greatest depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature	3·0	22nd and 23rd	
	Miles.		
The mean movement of the wind per day	75·0		
The greatest movement of the wind in one day	220·0	12th	
The greatest movement of the wind in one hour	13·0	12th 0 to 1 A.M.	

The number of hours with winds from each of the eight points—

N. 81, N.E. 31, E. 112, S.E. 181, S. 85, S.W. 80, W. 41, N.W. 47, Calm 62.

C. W. PEAKE,
for *Director-General of Observatories.*

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 8th October 1906.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 30th September to 6th October 1906.

Month.		Mean	Number of hours bright sunshine.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.			Wind.		Rain.	Weather.
							Mean	Vapour tension.	Dew point.		Prevailing direction.	Miles.		
1906.				Inches.				Inches.					Inches.	
Sept.	30th	96·9	Nil	29·636	80·0	81·7	2·8	78·0	77·7	0·932	77·1	93	SW by S and S by W.	119	0·04	Cloudy, o, g, p, d.
Oct.	1st	149·4	7·5	·734	83·4	89·9	12·0	77·9	78·3	·918	76·6	80	WSW and WNW	148	0·04	Partially cloudy.
	2nd	147·5	8·9	·788	83·7	91·0	13·6	77·4	78·3	902	76·1	77	WNW, NNW and NW.	92	Nil	Chiefly clear, d.
	3rd	143·9	8·0	·796	83·7	90·9	13·5	77·4	77·7	·876	75·2		NW, N by W and Calm.	80		Chiefly clear, ▲.
	4th	145·1	9·1	·768	84·8	91·7	12·9	78·8	77·9	·869	75·0	73	N by W and W	88		Chiefly clear,
	5th	152·3	8·2	·768	84·5	91·7	13·4	78·3	77·8		75·2		W and NW	63		Partially cloudy, ▲.
	6th	150·9	7·7	·808	82·8	90·9	15·2	75·7	77·3	·869	75·0	76	NW, W and SE by S.	87		Partially cloudy.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·764
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·749
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	49·4
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	83·0
The mean temperature of the seven days	83·3
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	83·3
The extreme variation of temperature	16·0
The maximum temperature	91·7
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	10
	%
The mean relative humidity	79
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	83
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 30th September to 6th October 1906	0·08
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	1·80
The total fall from 1st January to 6th October 1906	51·38
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	60·39

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

▲, dew; o, overcast; g, gloomy; p, passing temporary showers; d, drizzling rain.

C. W. PEAKE,
for *Director-General of Observatories.*

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA;
Alipore (Calcutta), the 8th October 1906.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 22nd September 1906 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	50,169	33,495 0 0	4,84,904 0	63,133 0 0	7,964 0 0	1,04,592 0 0	11,203	16,711	27,914
Or per mile of railway	65·32	43·61	627·76	81·88	10·33	135·82	14·59	21·67	36·26
For previous 11 weeks of half-year	466,409	2,71,519 0 0	36,50,165 0	5,31,200 0 0	71,766 0 0	8,74,485 0 0	124,543	185,093	310,536
Total for 12 weeks* ...	516,578	3,05,014 0 0	41,34,169 0	5,94,333 0 0	79,730 0 0	9,79,077 0 0	135,746	202,704	338,450
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	38,691	24,044 0 0	4,19,765 0	56,548 0 0	6,461 0 0	87,053 0 0	10,536	20,676	31,212
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	52·50	32·62	567·25	76·42	8·73	117·77	14·30	27·94	42·24
Total to corresponding date of previous year	433,003	2,61,855 0 0	27,70,363 0	4,61,036 0 0	57,740 0 0	8,00,631 0 0	123,743	216,411 *	340,154

* Includes Noakhali Railway earnings Rs. 10,905 and train-mileage 10,248.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 22nd September 1906.			Receipts for week ending 23rd September 1905.			Total receipts from 1st April 1906 to 22nd September 1906.		Total receipts from 1st April 1905 to 23rd September 1905.		Total increase in 1906.	Total decrease in 1906.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
771	1,04,592	135·82	740	87,053	117·77	771	19,10,909		740	15,01,611		4,09,298	

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 22nd September 1906 on 1,548 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.				
Total traffic for the week on 1,548 miles open ...	(a)261,600	92,800	7,10,090	(b) 90,410	(c) 13,580	1,96,790	46,026	(d)35,933	81,959
Or per mile of railway	168·99	59·95	458·71	58·40	8·77	*127·12	.....	.....	
For previous 11 weeks of half-year (e)	3,016,304	11,29,302	76,17,376	8,03,175	1,69,223	21,01,000	526,708	367,365	8,94,071
Total for 12 weeks	3,277,904	12,22,102	83,27,466	8,93,585	1,82,802	22,98,450	572,734	403,298	9,76,030
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,467 miles open	243,252	92,858	6,53,405	78,358	12,39.	1 83,967	49,53	(f)31,949	78,188
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	165·82	63·30	445·46	53 41	8·45	125·16			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	3,074,287	11,63,483	86,47,523	9,61,790	1,90,571	23,15,844	568,031	401,715	9,69,746
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week		2·02			·17	2·40			
Ditto for the corresponding week of previous year		2·00		2·48	·16	2·35			

(a) Increase in number is due to larger local movements.
(b) Ditto mainly under foreign inward.
(c) Ditto chiefly under sundries.
(d) Includes 6,373 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Ditto audited figures up to week ending 11th August 1906.
(f) Ditto 7,573 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 22nd September 1906 on 1,971 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including steam-boat).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	308,240	1,55,520 0 0	16,35,030 0	3,54,920 0 0	14,840 0 0	5,25,280 0 0	55,145	53,135	108,280
Or per mile of railway	243	122 0 0	1,286 0	279 0 0	1 0 0*	402 0 0			
For previous 11 weeks of half-year†	3,969,398	15,91,029 0 0	1,98,12,032 0	30,69,400 0 0	2,68,347 0 0	49,28,776 0 0	660,054	580,994	1,241,048
Total for 12 weeks ...	4,277,638	17,46,549 0 0	2,14,47,062 0	34,24,320 0 0	2,83,187 0 0	54,54,056 0 0	715,199	634,129	1,349,328
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	301,200	1,39,663 0 0	17,21,600 0	3,61,782 0 0	15,038 0 0	5,16,483 0 0	56,834	53,253	110,087
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,230 miles)	245	114 0 0	1,400 0	294 0 0	1 0 0	409 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	3,855,855	15,72,045 0 0	1,71,64,952 0	30,74,794 0 0	2,79,811 0 0	49,26,650 0 0	663,579	539,607	1,206,186

* Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 13,660.
† Audited up to week ending 11th August 1906.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 22nd September 1906 on 95 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
			Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	35,530	10,210 0 0	98,340 0	8,360 0 0	140 0 0	18,700 0 0	4,446	2,550	6,996
Or per mile of railway	413	119 0 0	1,143 0	97 0 0	1 0 0	217 0 0			
For previous 11 weeks of half-year*	3,67,768	1,03,482 0 0	5,03,777 0	47,677 0 0	2,812 0 0	1,53,971 0 0	47,673	21,503	69,176
Total for 12 weeks	4,03,298	1,13,692 0 0	6,02,117 0	56,027 0 0	2,952 0 0	1,72,671 0 0	52,119	24,053	76,172
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	33,532	9,508 0 0	94,340 0	7,851 0 0	143 0 0	17,502 0 0	3,046	2,548	5,594
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	390	111 0 0	1,097 0	91 0 0	2 0	204 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	3,78,444	1,05,010 0 0	6,20,210 0	48,014 0 0	1,811 0	1,54,835 0 0	39,625	21,344	60,968

* Audited up to week ending 11th August 1906.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 22nd September 1906 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	2,850	1,070 0 0	13,120 0	1,120 0 0	10 0 0	2,200 0 0	506	448	954
Or per mile of railway	85	32 0 0	390 0	33 0 0	.....	65 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 11 weeks of half-year*	25,567	9,052 0 0	3,03,530 0	13,093 0 0	208 0 0	22,353 0 0	3,742	10,075	13,817
Total for 12 weeks ...	28,417	10,122 0 0	3,16,650 0	14,213 0 0	218 0 0	24,553 0 0	4,248	10,523	14,771
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	3,147	1,087 0 0	13,730 0	1,173 0 0	9 0 0	2,269 0 0	504	484	988
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	94	33 0 0	409 0	35 0 0	.....	68 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	34,900	12,404 0 0	1,28,657 0	11,168 0 0	104 0 0	23,676 0 0	5,958	4,854	10,812

* Audited up to week ending 11th August 1906.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 22nd September 1906 on 50·69 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	3,150	3,210 0 0	46,680 0	2,460 0 0	30 0 0	5,720 0 0	1,096	676	1,772
Or per mile of railway ...	161	64 0 0	960 0	48 0 0	1 0 0	113 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 11 weeks of half-year*	98,411	29,369 0 0	3,21,647 0	16,551 0 0	376 0 0	46,196 0 0	13,378	5,726	19,104
Total for 12 weeks ...	106,561	32,509 0 0	3,70,327 0	19,001 0 0	406 0 0	51,916 0 0	14,474	6,402	20,876
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	3,813	2,377 0 0	66,317 0	2,925 0 0	30 0 0	5,332 0 0	1,102	902	2,004
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	172	46 0 0	1,291 0	57 0 0	1 0 0	104 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	104,420	29,265 0 0	4,46,144 0	21,686 0 0	285 0 0	51,234 0 0	13,912	5,764	[illegible]

* Audited up to week ending 11th August 1906.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 29th September 1906	Coaching ...	10,632 0 0	
	Goods ...	11,602 0 0	22,575 0 0
	Other earnings ...	341 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1905 ...	Coaching ...	11,871 0 0	
	Goods ...	9,101 0 0	21,388 0 0
	Other earnings ...	416 0 0	
	Increase ...		1,187 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 29th September 1906 ...		... ...	442 10 4
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905 ...		... ...	419 6 0
	Increase ...		23 4 4
Receipts from 1st July to 29th September 1906		... ...	2,12,638 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905		... ...	2,22,059 0 0
	Decrease ...		9,421 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

No. 163T, dated the 16th October 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred by sections 36 and 48 of the Indian Councils Act, 1861 (24 & 25 Vict., c. 67), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Saturday, the 10th November, 1906, at 11 A.M. (local time) as the time, and the Council Chamber in the Bengal Secretariat as the place, for a meeting of the Bengal Legislative Council.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

L. C. ADAMI,

Offg. Secretary to the Bengal Council.

No. 3407A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3431A.D.—The 11th October 1906.*—Mr. F. W. Duke, Officiating Commissioner of the Orissa Division, on leave, is appointed to act as Additional Commissioner of the Patna Division, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. C. R. Marriott, or until further orders.

Orissa Division. Patna Division.

No. 3440A.D.—The 13th October 1906.—Maulvi Muhammad Chain-ud-din, Probationary Deputy Collector, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the eighth grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

No. 3471A.D.—The 13th October 1906.—Captain J. S. Maidlow, R.F.A., Aide-de-Camp
Calcutta. to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, is appointed to be Private Secretary to His Honour, with effect from the afternoon of the 9th October 1906.

No. 3479A.D.—The 13th October 1906.—Mr. J. C. Leighton, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

No. 3534A.D.—The 16th October 1906.—Mr. A. H. Vernède, Joint-Magistrate and
Darbhanga. Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Darbhanga district.

POLICE :—*No. 3491A.D.—The 15th October 1906.*—Maulvi Mazhar-al-Hakk,
Midnapore. Hooghly. Deputy Superintendent of Police, Midnapore, is transferred to Hooghly.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3415A.D.—The 9th October 1906.*—Mr. W. H. H. Vincent, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, on leave, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for one month.

No. 3475A.D.—The 13th October 1906.—In modification of the order of the 25th August
Calcutta. 1906, Captain J. S. Maidlow, R.F.A., Aide-de-Camp to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, was allowed leave on private affairs from the 27th August 1906 to the 9th October 1906, under paragraph 226 of the Army Regulations, India, Vol. II.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 3426A.D.—The 9th October 1906.*—Lieutenant-Colonel John Wedderspoon, Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence up to the 1st January 1907, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 30th October 1905.

No. 3494A.D.—The 15th October 1906.—Lieutenant Joseph Henry Powell, 1st Battalion, Bengal-Nagpur Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for fifteen and a half months, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 3495A.D.—The 15th October 1906.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. R. Marindin, Commandant, Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for one year, with effect from the 15th April 1906.

POLICE.—*No. 3473A.D.—The 13th October 1906.*—Maulvi Masud-ul-Husain, who has,
Bhagalpur. under the order of the 29th August 1906, been appointed to be a Deputy Superintendent of Police and posted to the head-quarters station of the Bhagalpur district, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

No. 3489A.D.—The 15th October 1906.—Mr. R. F. G. Godfrey-Faussett, Assistant Inspector-General, Government Railway Police, Bengal, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for one month.

No. 3490A.D.—The 15th October 1906.—Mr. W. H. Cornish, Superintendent of Police, Bengal, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for two months.

EXCISE.—*No. 3462A.D.—The 13th October 1906.*—In modification of the order of the
Monghyr. 22nd May 1906, Babu Bihari Lal Sarkar, Special Excise Deputy Collector, Monghyr, is allowed combined leave for seven months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 25th May 1906, and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the Regulations.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 3414A.D.—The 10th October 1906.*—The Revd. C. H. Barlow,
Calcutta. Chaplain, St. John's Church, Calcutta, is allowed combined leave for two years, viz., privilege leave for three months, under articles 260 and 593 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 22nd October 1906, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, and furlough for the remaining period, under article 583 (*a*) of the Regulations.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2691For.—The 10th October 1906.—Sir H. A. Farrington, Bart., Deputy Conservator of Forests, is, on return from combined leave, posted to the charge of the Sundarbans Division.

24-Parganas and Khulna.

The services of Mr. T. H. Monteath, Deputy Conservator of Forests, in charge of the Sundarbans Division, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India for employment in the Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam from the date of his relief by Sir H. A. Farrington, Bart.

No. 2797T.R.—The 9th October 1906.—Mr. J. A. Hubback, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Purnea, Bhagalpur and Monghyr.

Purnea. Bhagalpur. Monghyr.

No. 2798T.R.—The 9th October 1906.—The officers named below, who have been appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the districts of Bhagalpur and Purnea, are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the district of Monghyr:—

Bhagalpur. Purnea. Monghyr.

(1) Babu Mahendra Nath Kundu, Sub-Deputy Collector (on leave).
(2) „ Bipin Bihari Sen.
(3) Rai Braja Nandan Prasad Singh, Sub-Deputy Collector.
(4) Babu Jamini Mohan Mitra, Deputy Collector.
(5) Maulvi Shams-ud-din Haidar, Deputy Collector.
(6) Babu Jatindra Nath Mukharji.
(7) „ Sant Bilas Singh.
(8) Maulvi Zahurul Husain.
(9) Babu Rajani Kanta Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
(10) „ Rohini Kanta Mitra, Munsif, Vishnupur.
(11) „ Durga Prasad Ghosh, Munsif, Chapra.
(12) „ Abinash Chandra Nag, Munsif
(13) Nalini Mohan Banarji, Munsif, Krishnagar.
(14) Janaki Nath Mukharji, Munsif.
(15) Baku Lal Biswas, Munsif.
(16) Sita Nath Ghosh, Munsif, Kalna.
(17) Jagadish Chandra Sen, Munsif, Barasat.

No. 2799T.R.—The 9th October 1906.—The officers named below, who have been appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the district of Ranchi, are also appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the district of Singhbhum:—

Ranchi. Singhbhum.

(1) Babu Rajani Kanta Sen, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
(2) „ Surendra Nath Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector.
(3) „ Chuni Lal Bose, Munsif.
(4) „ Bipin Bihari Mukharji (II), Munsif.
(5) „ Braja Nath Rai, Sub-Deputy Collector.
(6) „ Sri Mohan Das Gupta, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
(7) Mr Sorab S. Day, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector.
(8) Babu Jogendra Nath Pal, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector.
(9) Mr. F. Alderson.
(10) Babu Lalit Kumar Sen.
(11) „ Ramu Lal Varma, Sub-Deputy Collector.
(12) Maulvi Muhammad Abdus Salam, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
(13) „ Abdul Bari, Sub-Deputy Collector.
(14) Babu Raj Ballabh Misr.
(15) „ Basanta Kumar Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector.
(16) „ Manmatha Nath Mallik, Munsif.
(17) „ Ashutosh Mukharji, Munsif.
(18) Mr. P. Gomez.
(19) „ J. D. Sifton, I.C.S, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector.
(20) „ B. A. Collins, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate and Deputy Collector.
(21) Maulvi Muhammad Fazl-ur-Rahman, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
(22) Babu Hari Das Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector.
(23) „ Sati Prasad Gangali, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
(24) „ Bhuban Mohan Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Collector.
(25) Mr. E. A. Oakley, Deputy Collector.
(26) „ J. H. Murphy, Extra Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

No. 2800T.R.—The 9th October 1906.—The officers named below are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in respect of that portion of the Dhalbhum estate (tauzi No. 1 on the revenue roll of the district of Singhbhum) which lies in the district of Midnapore:—

Midnapore.

(1) Mr. J. H. Murphy, Extra Assistant Superintendent of Survey.
(2) Babu Basanta Kumar Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector.

No. 2801T.R.—The 9th October 1906.—Mr. J. Reid, I.C.S., is appointed to be Settlement Officer in respect of that portion of the Dhalbhum estate (tauzi No. 1 on the revenue roll of the district of Singhbhum) which lies in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

No. 2802T.R.—The 9th October 1906.—Mr. J. Reid, I.C.S., who has been appointed to be Settlement Officer in the district of Ranchi, is also appointed to be Settlement Officer in the district of Singhbhum.

Ranchi. Singhbhum.

No. 2925T.R.—The 15th October 1906.—Babu Mathura Nath Banarji, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the district of Muzaffarpur for employment on partition work.

Muzaffarpur.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2690L.A.—The 11th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for portions of 1st and 3rd miles and the entire length of 2nd mile of a road from Bheramara to Taragunia, in the villages of Bheramara, Satberia, Lakhidardiar, Dharampur and Bhabanipur, pargana Mahmudshahi, zilla Nadia, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land measuring, more or less, 48 bighas 16 cottahs 3 chitaks of standard measurement, commencing in mauza Bheramara, passing through Satberia, Lakhidardiar and Dharampur, and terminating in Bhabanipur, is required within the aforesaid villages.

Nadia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Nadia.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2695L.A.—The 11th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for an approach road to the *post-mortem* house attached to the Kandi Girish Chandra Hospital in the village of Kandi Sibrambati, pargana Fatehsing, zilla Murshidabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 13 cottahs 5 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Chaitan Charan Dass' land, east by Bishnu Mandal's land, south by the municipal drain and west by the Kandi Girish Chandra Hospital, is required within the aforesaid village of Kandi Sibrambati.

Murshidabad.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Kandi and of the Collector of Murshidabad.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2868T.R.—The 13th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a cross dam over Diamond Harbour Creek, in the village of Raipore, pargana Mooragacha, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 11 cottahs and 15 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Diamond Harbour creek and land acquired for Hooghly Left Embankment, on the east by the village land of Raipore and the land acquired for Hooghly Left Embankment, on the south by the land acquired for Hooghly Left Embankment, Government Embankment and village land of Raipore, and on the west by the village land of Raipore and land acquired for Hooghly Left Embankment, is required within the aforesaid village of Raipore.

24-Parganas.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, No. 13 Kyd Street, Calcutta.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2869 T.R.—The 13th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for New Sonepore-Barbatta Road, in the village of Jahangirpore Wali, pargana Kasmar, zilla Saran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two blocks of land measuring, more or less, 4 cottahs and 4 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

Saran.

BLOCK No. I.

North—By the house of Dukhit Sahu;
South—By the road;
East—By the field of Musammat Rajo Koer and house of Ellahi Bux and Alli Bux;
West—By the District Board drain and District Board road.

BLOCK No. II.

North—By the road;
South— Ditto;
East— Ditto;
West—By the waste land, fields of Torar Mia, Ekbal Mia, Sahdeo Singh and Baldeo Singh—

are required within the aforesaid village of Jahangirpore Wali.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Saran.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the provisions of section 2 of Act VI of 1876, as amended by Act V of 1884, Babu Jagadish Chandra Lahiri, second Manager of the Encumbered estates of Palamau, is appointed to be the Manager, and the management is vested in him, of the undermentioned immoveable properties of Pandey Raj Mohan Ram and others, of Pandoo, in the district of Palamau, and of any other immoveable property to which the said holders are entitled in their own rights, or which they are entitled to redeem, or which may be acquired by, or may devolve on, them or their heirs during the continuance of such management:—

Palamau.

Name of estate.	Names of holders.
Pandoo.	1. Pandey Raj Mohan Ram.
	2. ,, Raghunath Ram.
	3. ,, Chandrika Ram.
	4. ,, Chandri Ram himself and heir of Dip Narayan Ram.
	5 Mossammat Urmila Kuer (mother of Amrit Ram).
	6. Pandey Bindeshwari Ram.
	7. ,, Damodar Ram.
	8. ,, Shiva Ram.
	9. ,, Kamta Ram.
	10. ,, Bhagwat Ram.

Having shares and interests in the following villages:—

		A.	P.
1.	Kajru Kalan ...	10	8
2.	Pandoo ...	1	9¼
3.	Laber Pandoo ...	1	9¼
4.	Mahugawn ...	1	9¼
5.	Karamdih ...	1	9¼
6.	Bansdih ...	1	9¼
7.	Jhargara ...	1	9¼
8.	Mahuli ...	4	0
9.	Lotra ...	2	0
10.	Ordiha ...	2	8
11.	Chandokhar ...	1	4
12.	Jharnakalan ...	0	11
13.	Kulliya	1	9½

E. A. GAIT, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RANCHI, *the 17th September 1906.*

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 515T.O.—The 13th October 1906.—Mr. H. Blair, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent is granted furlough for ten months, under article 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 476-O., dated the 27th March 1906.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 552T.P.—The 13th October 1906.—It is hereby notified for general information that Plague Regulation F, dated the 23rd June 1906, published at pages 1289-90, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th idem, prescribing rules for preventing the spread of plague, small-pox or cholera by persons travelling by river steamer in Bengal, is cancelled.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3408 A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3449A.D.—The 13th October 1906.—Mr. Abul Hasan, Third Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Second Judge of that Court, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. L. Bell, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 3451A.D.—The 13th October 1906.—Mr. A. F. M. Abdur Rahman, Khan Bahadur, Fourth Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Third Judge of that Court, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. Abul Hasan, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 3453A.D.—The 13th October 1906.—Mr. C. D. Panioty, Fifth Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Fourth Judge of that Court, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. A. F. M. Abdur Rahman, Khan Bahadur, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 3455A.D.—The 13th October 1906.—Babu Bipin Bihari Mukharji, Subordinate Judge, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act as Fifth Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. C. D. Panioty, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.
Calcutta.

LEAVE.

No. 3446A.D.—The 13th October 1906.—Mr. H. L. Bell, Second Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, is allowed leave for nineteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 29th October 1906.

Calcutta.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 2470J.D.—The 8th October 1906.—Babu Raghu Nath Ghosh is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Kendrapara, in the district of Cuttack.

Cuttack.

No. 2474J.D.—The 8th October 1906.—The gentlemen named below are re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Jahanabad, in the district of Gaya—

Gaya.

(1) Maulvi Muhammad Omar. | (2) Maulvi Saiyid Mahboob Alam.

No. 2477J.D.—The 8th October 1906.—Audhikari Mahabir Das is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Jajpur, in the district of Cuttack.

Cuttack.

No. 2566J.D.—The 12th October 1906.—The gentlemen, named below, are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Amta, in the district of Howrah:—

Howrah.

(1) Babu Upendra Nath Sarkar.
(2) „ Nayan Ranjan Ghose.
(3) Babu Jogendra Nath Laha.
(4) „ Mohendra Nath Bose.

POWERS.

No. 2471J.D.—The 8th October 1906.—Babu Raghu Nath Ghosh, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Kendrapara, in the district of Cuttack, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Cuttack.

No. 2475J.D.—The 8th October 1906.—The gentlemen named below, who have been re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Jahanabad, in the district of Gaya, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class. They are also authorized to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to them by the Subdivisional Officer of Jahanabad—

Gaya.

(1) Maulvi Muhammad Omar.
(2) Maulvi Saiyid Mahboob Alam.

No. 2478J.D.—The 8th October 1906.—Audhikari Mahabir Das, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Jajpur, in the district of Cuttack, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Cuttack.

No. 2509J.D.—The 9th October 1906.—Babu Srish Chandra Chakravarti, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench in the district of Jessore, is authorized to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him.

Jessore.

No. 2526J.D.—The 10th October 1906.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Maulvi Mahomed Yusuf, an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Gumla, in the district of Ranchi, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Ranchi.

No. 2567J.D.—The 12th October 1906.—The gentlemen, named below, who have been appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Amta, in the district of Howrah, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class:—

Howrah.

(1) Babu Upendra Nath Sarkar.
(2) „ Nayan Ranjan Ghose.
(3) Babu Jogendra Nath Laha.
(4) „ Mohendra Nath Bose.

No. 2569J.D.—The 12th October 1906.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Nayan Ranjan Ghose and Babu Jogendra Nath Laha, Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Amta, in the district of Howrah, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Howrah.

No. 2575J.D.—The 12th October 1906.—Mr. G. C. Lathbury, an Honorary Magistrate of the Regular Bench at Giridih, in the district of Hazaribagh, is authorized to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him.

Hazaribagh.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2377P.D.—The 10th October 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Nitya Gopal Ray, who has been appointed to be President of the Panchayat of the Nemooah Union in thana Satgachia, in the district of Burdwan, *vice* Babu Jadu Nath Chatarji, resigned, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Burdwan.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Nitya Gopal Ray, for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

No. 2378P.D.—The 10th October 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Jagadish Chandra Ray, who has been appointed to be President of the Panchayat of the Gopalberia Union in thana Khandaghosh, in the district of Burdwan, *vice* Babu Kedar Nath De, resigned, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Burdwan.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Jagadish Chandra Ray for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

No. 2379P.D.—The 10th October 1906.—The Notification No. 1178P.D., dated the 28th June 1906, published at pages 1330 and 1331, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th July 1906, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Jadu Nath Chatarji and Babu Kedar Nath De as Presidents of the Panchayats of the Nemooah and Gopalberia Unions in thanas Satgachia and Khandaghosh respectively, in the district of Burdwan, with the powers of a Magistrate, under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Burdwan.

No. 2381P.D.—The 10th October 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon each of the undermentioned Presidents of Panchayats, in the district of the 24-Parganas, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by each of the said officers within the limits of the unions noted against their respective names.

24-Parganas.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by each of the said officers for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

Thana Sonarpur.

Name of President.			Name and number of Union.	
Jay Gopal Ghosh	...	...	... Boral	I.
Adwaita Chandra Mandal	...	...	... Fortabad	II.
Taran Krishna Naskar	...	...	... Kheadaha	III.
Nilkamal Chakrabatti	...	...	... Langelberia	IV.
Bhola Nath Datta	...	...	... Sonarpur	V.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 1945P.D.—The 31st August 1906.—Maulvi Ghulam Nabi, Rural Sub-Registrar of Manirampur, in the district of Jessore (since transferred to Salkopa in the same district), acted as Special Sub-Registrar of that district from the 1st to the 27th May 1906, both days inclusive.

Jessore.

No. 2069P.D.—The 11th September 1906.—Maulvi Saiyid Amir Hasan, Special Sub-Registrar, Palamau, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th October 1906, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Palamau.

No. 2071P.D.—The 11th September 1906.—Maulvi Saiyid Abbas Husain, Rural Sub-Registrar, Husainabad, in the district of Palamau, is appointed to act as Special Sub-Registrar of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Saiyid Amir Hasan, or until further orders.

Palamau.

No. 2073P.D.—The 11th September 1906.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Sabir Husain, Rural Sub-Registrar, Chapra, is appointed to be Rural Sub-Registrar, Husainabad, in the district of Palamau, during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Saiyid Abbas Husain, or until further orders.

Chapra. Palamau.

No. 2284P.D.—The 1st October 1906.—Maulvi Abdul Wali, Special Sub-Registrar, Ranchi, is allowed leave for one month, with effect from the 4th October 1906, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Ranchi.

No. 2357P.D.—The 8th October 1906.—Kara Yusuf Mirza is appointed to be Rural Sub-Registrar, Baruipur, in the district of the 24-Parganas, with effect from the 1st September 1906, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Pran Krishna Ghose, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

No. 2463P.D.—The 16th October 1906.—Under the provisions of section 7 of the Indian Registration Act, III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the opening, as a temporary measure, of two offices of Joint Sub-Registrar at Darbhanga having concurrent jurisdiction with the Sadar Sub-Registrar of that place.

Darbhanga.

No. 2464P.D.—The 16th October 1906.—Moulvi Muhammad Kaim, Rural Sub-Registrar, Bankipore, is appointed temporarily to be Joint Sub-Registrar, Darbhanga.

Bankipore. Darbhanga.

No. 2465P.D.—The 16th October 1906.—Babu Gopi Krishna, Probationer, is appointed temporarily to be a Joint Sub-Registrar, Darbhanga.

Darbhanga.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 15th October 1906.

No. 195.—Mr. G. Ewing, Honorary Assistant Examiner, is granted privilege leave for seventeen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the forenoon of 4th October 1906.

No. 196.—In exercise of the power conferred by rule 103 of the Rules framed by the Governor-General in Council under section 33 of the Indian Electricity Act (III of 1903), and published under Government of India, Public Works Department Notification No. 122, dated 11th September 1906, in Part I of the *Gazette of India*, dated 15th September 1906, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. A. K. Taylor as the Electrical Inspector for the Province of Bengal.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 16th October 1906.

No. 197.—Babu Shashi Bhushan Mazumdar, Assistant Engineer, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the Cossye Division to the office of the Superintending Engineer, South-Western Circle, and is attached to that office.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

MIS. PUB. IMPROVEMENTS.

Calcutta, the 15th October 1906.

No. 9M.P.I.—The following Resolution by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry is republished for information.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 7550—7575—88, dated Simla, the 25th September 1906.

RESOLUTION—By the Govt. of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

FOR some time past the organisation and work of the Telegraph Department in all its branches have been occupying the close attention of the Government of India. From the time when construction first began in 1850-51 the history of the Department covers a period of a little more than half a century, during which Telegraph Officers have rendered admirable services to the State, and have shown themselves second to none in public spirit and *esprit de corps*. In the Mutiny of 1857 their work was of incalculable value, and in more recent times they have again and again proved their devotion to duty and their power of overcoming the gravest physical difficulties during the Afghan War, in Burma, in frontier expeditions and in Tibet. In the less trying circumstances of the every-day work of the Department their achievements have not been less excellent. In fifty-five years the number of miles of open line has risen from nothing to 64,730, the number of miles of wire from nothing to 243,840, and the number of paid messages now exceeds ten millions in the year. Successive reductions of the charges for all classes of telegrams have placed telegraph facilities within the reach of all, and the Government of India believe that the efficiency of the service is thoroughly

appreciated by the public. It is a record of which the Department may well be proud, and it may be confidently anticipated that the future will not be unworthy of the past.

2. But, if this is to be accomplished, it is essential that the Department should not be handicapped by obsolete methods or faulty organisation. The continuous growth of the Department yearly increases the strain on every branch of the service, magnifies the scale of operations, and tests the adequacy of the established methods of work and administration. The expansion of the work, which has always been rapid, has in recent years become enormous. Traffic has gone up by leaps and bounds, and with commercial and industrial development and the spread of education the rate of progress must be expected to increase in the future. The organisation which was suitable in the infancy of the Department, and has proved itself equal to the care of its vigorous youth, cannot be expected without modification to meet fully the requirements of its maturity. Mere multiplication of establishment without an effort to understand what the conditions are, and to provide for them appropriately is no remedy, and must in the end be absolutely fatal both to economy and efficiency. New conditions call for new methods, fresh problems demand appropriate solutions, and traffic on an unprecedented scale must be disposed of by other methods than have hitherto sufficed. It is for this reason that the Government of India deem it necessary to review the work of the Telegraph Department in all its branches and to examine the manner of recruitment, the mode of work and the distribution of responsibility amongst the various authorities. From the need of a periodical examination of its organisation and duties no service is exempt, and in the case of the Telegraph Department the increase of work renders it imperative that the task should be no longer postponed, if it is to do justice to the reasonable expectation of the public and to its own past history.

3. One particular respect may be mentioned in which the need for reform is specially urgent. So long as the Department was comparatively small, it could be administered conveniently and efficiently from one centre under the immediate personal control of a single head; but the time when this could be done is already past. In the year 1904, when an increase of establishment in the Director's office was applied for, the Government of India were impressed by the immense volume of the work with which the Direction was burdened, and the number and variety of the questions (some of them of the most trivial character) with which the Director-General was expected to deal. An experienced officer of the Accounts Department, Lieutenant-Colonel Waller, was deputed to inspect the head office and to formulate proposals for the relief of the head of the Department from all questions of a routine character, and all matters of minor importance, the disposal of which might safely be entrusted to subordinate authority. Lieutenant-Colonel Waller in his report entirely confirmed the impression which the Government of India had already formed that the Direction was over-burdened and in urgent need of relief, and he also drew attention to the defective organisation of the Department, by which no less than twenty-eight separate offices were immediately subordiate to the Director-General. He therefore advocated the grouping of the Telegraph divisions in several great circles of control, and the creation of a grade of officers intermediate between the Director-General and the Divisional Superintendents, to whom much larger powers could be delegated than could safely be entrusted to Superintendents. These recommendations were approved by the Government of India, and a small Departmental Committee was constituted to prepare a detailed scheme of decentralisation. The proposals of the Committee were considered to be generally suitable, but, before final orders could be passed, it became necessary to postpone a decision, until the prior question of the amalgamation of the Post Office and Telegraph Departments had been settled.

4. The decision arrived at with regard to amalgamation was made public by the Hon'ble Mr. Hewett in his speech in the Budget Debate on the 28th March 1906, and to the conclusions then expressed the Government of India adhere. Amalgamation could only be justified if it could be shown that it would result in a financial saving without loss of efficiency; or that it would secure increased efficiency with a similar standard of expenditure. The organisation of the two Departments at the present time is entirely different, and without a radical change in the Telegraph Department amalgamation could not possibly be attempted. Reorganisation must therefore in any case precede amalgamation, and may in view of the special conditions prevailing in India render it unnecessary, provided that the work of the two Departments be properly co-ordinated. In the work of co-ordination progress has already been made, and will be continued under the control of the Department of the Government of India to which both services are subordinate; and the principle that post and telegraph offices should be combined, wherever possible, should be steadily enforced. Not fusion, therefore, but co-ordination is the policy which the Government of India have adopted as suitable for the present time and as conducive under existing conditions to efficiency and economy.

5. The scheme of decentralisation submitted by the Departmental Committee provided for the constitution of six circles, each in charge of a single officer, for the delegation to these officers of large powers and for the reorganisation of the staff of the Direction and its office establishment. Some system of this kind the Government of India regard as indispensably necessary, not only in order to leave the Director-General free to devote more time to the more serious problems of administration, though the importance of this can hardly be overrated, but also to afford an opportunity to the officers of the Department to acquire a sound training in administrative work, which under the present system they have small chance of obtaining. The scheme which has been prepared has been drawn up on thoroughly

sound lines, and will, the Government of India think, be found to be generally suitable, but it is not possible to proceed at once to its introduction. In certain minor respects it requires further examination in the light of what has occurred since the Committee sat. It is thought, for example, that, if possible, Telegraph and Postal Circles should be coterminous, not merely because amalgamation must remain a possibility of the future, but also because, if the system of combined offices is to be extended, it is essential to harmonious working that the jurisdictions of the various Divisions of the two Departments should not overlap.

6. But there is another and more cogent reason for postponing the introduction of the scheme. Facts which have recently come before the Government of India, and especially those elicited in the enquiries made regarding the question of amalgamation, point to the conclusion that decentralisation by itself will not suffice to place the Department on a sound basis, and that more comprehensive measures are called for. There is reason to believe that, on the one hand, highly paid officers, who have received an elaborate technical training, are sometimes employed in work of a routine character, which could equally well be performed by officers without special training, and on lower pay, while, on the other hand, the system is not fitted to turn out men with the requisite experience and training in matters where special knowledge is essential. The work done by a Telegraph Officer during the earlier stages of his career (*e.g.*, when he is in charge of a sub-division) is exactly the same as that performed by Sub-Assistant Superintendents whose qualifications are far inferior. It would appear therefore that for sub-divisional work proper the special technical training which officers of the superior staff receive is not required. On the other hand, although Assistant Superintendents have every chance of making themselves experts in construction work, they seldom have an opportunity to acquire by practical experience a full knowledge of the vitally important matter of traffic working, nor have they been always encouraged to devote themselves to the scientific study required to qualify them for dealing with modern developments of telegraphy. It ought therefore to be considered whether the present distribution of duties amongst the higher officers of the Department might not be improved with advantageous result both to economy and efficiency. It should be decided how many officers are required for strictly scientific work, how many for construction and maintenance, and how many for traffic. To the total number thus arrived at must be added the proper proportion of junior officers, who may be considered as still under instruction, and it has to be determined how they can be most usefully employed both in the interests of the Department and with a view to their own training. The decentralisation scheme necessarily involves some readjustment of the higher appointments, and the time is opportune for a complete settlement of the whole question.

7. The organisation and duties of the Upper Subordinate Establishment are inseparably connected with those of the Superior Staff, and any radical change in the one involves some corresponding modification in the other. Sub-Assistant Superintendents are at present recruited by promotion from the ranks of the Signalling Staff; and they are employed partly in traffic work in the larger offices, partly as sub-divisional officers, and partly on construction, while a few are attached to the offices of Divisional Superintendents and Sub-divisional officers. Their duties are thus somewhat various and call for qualifications of diverse kinds, but it is not clear that they receive any systematic training to fit them for their work. The Government of India believe that considerable improvements might be effected in their recruitment and training, and that the question should be fully considered. Any scheme of reform must necessarily include a consideration of the duties which this class of officer may properly be called on to perform.

8. In an earlier paragraph reference has been made to the important bearing which a proper control over traffic working has upon the efficient and economical administration of the Department. The object for which the whole system ultimately exists is the prompt transmission of messages at as low a cost as possible, but the problems of traffic working are essentially of an administrative character, and as already pointed out, Telegraph Officers have not at present sufficient facilities for becoming experts in this particular. Experience in other countries has shown that, when the increase of messages reaches a certain stage, it is absolutely necessary in the interests of economy to employ special officers, working directly under the head-quarters office, to make detailed examinations and to devise improvements in this branch of work. The Government of India are disposed to consider favourably the employment of special officers of this kind in India, and in order that full advantage may be taken of the experience gained elsewhere, it has been suggested that, as a beginning, an expert Traffic Officer should be obtained from England for a limited period to inspect the system in this country and to advise Government as to its improvement. The Government of India are inclined to believe that the introduction of new ideas by this means would prove advantageous to the Department, but it will suffice at present merely to note the suggestion as one which should be further considered.

9. Intimately connected with Traffic Administration is the question of the organisation of the Signalling Establishment. This question was considered by the departmental committee which sat in 1904, and definite proposals were submitted to Government; but the difficulties connected with the subject are very great, and no final decision has yet been arrived at. Meanwhile the rapid growth of work has made further postponement a direct invitation to serious failure. In 1902-03 the increase in the total operations over the previous year was 5 per cent, in 1903-04, 7·6 per cent., in 1904-05, 24·17 per cent. (this enormous rise being no doubt due to the reduction in the rates) and in 1905-06, 14·97 per

cent. Nor is there any reason to think that the movement has spent its force. Large additions have from time to time been made to the Signalling Establishment, but it is obvious that, unless the Department is to be worked at a loss, the process cannot be continued indefinitely. The growth of work must be partly met by a rise in efficiency, and an improvement in the outturn of the individual signaller. That the present average outturn in spite of some improvement which has taken place recently, is far below what it might be, and is absurdly low when compared with the results obtained in other countries does, not admit of doubt. The Government of India understand that in Belgium telegraphists serving on a line constantly worked can produce on the Morse apparatus thirty or thirty-five telegrams an hour, and that smart operators may do even forty-five and fifty. In England the standard average of twenty-four telegrams per operator per hour is insisted on, and if that is not reached explanations are called for. On some circuits of course the rate goes below twenty-four, but on a constantly fed main wire a standard of forty or fifty messages an hour is frequently attained. In India the average outturn in combined and departmental offices together does not amount to six messages per hour, while from figures submitted by the Director-General it appears that in fourteen of the principal Departmental offices the average outturn per diem amounted in 1905 to fifty-six messages per man or seven per hour. It is possible that widely different conditions may make the English standard impossible of attainment in India, but that an improvement can and ought to be made is clear.

10. In order to improve the outturn of work a system has been tentatively introduced in some of the larger offices, by which all signallers, who exceed a certain minimum number of messages in a day, receive additional remuneration in proportion to the excess number of messages disposed of. From this system of "pie money" or from some similar system, the Government of India look for important results. When a signaller's earnings are directly dependent on the amount of work he does, it is reasonable to expect that he will exert himself and endeavour to do his best. On the other hand, when the idle and industrious are paid alike, no man has any motive to do more than his neighbour, and an inevitable tendency exists for all to sink to the same dead level of production. The "pie money" system has already produced a decided improvement where it has been brought into force, but there are a number of details which cannot be settled without further examination, *e.g.*, the standard number of messages which a signaller may fairly be expected to attain before extra emolument is earned, and the precise form of the system which will be best suited to the needs of the Department. It will be necessary to consider how far signallers should be remunerated by fixed salaries and how far by earnings proportionate to the amount of work done. A scheme by which all signallers would receive a fixed subsistence allowance, and additional remuneration for each message despatched, would have distinct advantages, for the earnings of every man beyond the fixed minimum would be automatically regulated by the amount of work done, and signallers would have every incentive to exert themselves to the utmost. An additional advantage would be that the present cumbrous and inconvenient classification of signallers as Superior, Good, Average and Indifferent would be got rid of and the necessity for periodical testing examinations removed. The Government of India are unable to say at present how far it would be safe to go in this direction, but the matter merits full investigation.

11. There are other questions connected with the organisation of the Signalling Establishment besides that of the mode of remuneration. It has been found increasingly difficult to obtain recruits in sufficient numbers, or of the standard of physique and education which is desirable, and it appears clear that an effort must be made to widen the field of recruitment. Two measures have been suggested with this object, of which one aims at the reduction of the number of general service men in the Department (*i.e.*, those liable to service in any part of India), and the establishment at the Presidency towns, and possibly at some other large centres, of purely local non-pensionable services, while the other contemplates the employment of female telegraphists. Both these suggestions are worthy of serious consideration, and it may, the Government of India think, be possible to give effect to them.

Finally, the rate of expansion which has prevailed recently in the Department has forced on the notice of Government the necessity of devising some scheme for the automatic increase of establishment in proportion to the actual increase of traffic, provision being made for the increase of controlling establishment in defined proportion to the increase in lower grades. Government are not always in a good position to decide whether an increase is required or not, and so far as possible the system should be made self-regulating, if this can be done with due regard to the interest of economy.

12. In connection with the relations of the Telegraph Department to the Post Office allusion has already been made to the question of combined offices. This is a matter which the Government of India regard as of the greatest importance to economical administration. They consider that the principle of combining Post and Telegraph offices wherever possible should be steadily enforced; new departmental offices should be opened only when the necessity cannot be avoided, while in the case of existing offices, it should be considered to what extent combination can be effected. It will be necessary however to examine the matter carefully, and to lay down the principles which should regulate the policy of Government in dealing with individual cases.

In another respect the relations of the two Departments might be closer, viz., the accounts system. In most European countries, though the extent to which the Departments are amalgamated varies, it has been found possible and desirable to effect a complete combination of the accounts administration. It is not possible to say at present whether this would be practicable in India, and whether the advantages to be derived from the amalgamation, if feasible, are sufficient to make the change advisable. But the Government of India consider that the matter should be fully investigated.

13. The questions which have been raised in the foregoing paragraphs are of very considerable importance, and demand full examination. The Government of India have therefore decided to appoint a Committee to consider them and certain other minor matters which have not been specifically referred to, and to advise Government as to the course which should be followed. The Committee will consist of the following gentlemen :—

President :

SIR LEWIS TUPPER, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., I.C.S.

Members :

MR. L. A. S. PORTER, C.S.I., I.C.S.
„ E. A. LEACH, Indian Telegraph Department, Deputy Director-General of Telegraphs.
„ W. MAXWELL, I.C.S., Postmaster-General, Punjab.
„ R. O. LEES, Indian Telegraph Department.
„ P. T. R. KELLNER, Public Works Department, Accounts.

Secretary :

MR. G RAINY, I.C.S.

14. The points which the Committee will investigate are the following :—

(1) Whether the scheme of decentralisation drawn up by the Departmental Committee of 1904 may be adopted as it stands, or whether any, and if so what, modifications are necessary.

(2) What alterations should be made in the staff and office establishment of the Direction, if the decentralisation scheme is adopted.

(3) Whether the existing organisation of the Superior Staff of the Department and the distribution of the work is satisfactory, and if not, what alterations should be made : in particular whether a clearer distinction should be made between (*a*) administration traffic and inspection on the one hand, and (*b*) construction and engineering on the other.

(4) Whether the existing system of recruitment, training and duties of the Upper Subordinate establishment is satisfactory, and if not, what changes should be made.

(5) Whether an expert Traffic Officer should be brought out from England to examine the traffic working of the Department and to make suggestions for its improvement.

NOTE.—If the Committee find they are in a position to recommend the immediate appointment of an expert they should submit detailed proposals to Government at as early a date as possible in anticipation of their report.

(6) What measures should be taken to promote closer and more intimate relations between the Post Office and the Telegraph Department in the matter of combined offices, and what principles should govern (*a*) the opening of new departmental offices, and (*b*) the combining of offices already separate.

(7) Whether the accounts and audit system of the Telegraph Department should be amalgamated with that of the Post Office.

(8) Whether any, and if so what, changes are required in the existing organisation of the Check Office in view of the expansion of message traffic, and in particular

(*a*) Whether any part of the work can be transferred to any Accounts Department, and

(*b*) Whether any part of the work can be deceptralized and transferred to the circle officers whom it is proposed to create.

(9) What changes should be made to improve the existing organization of the signalling establishment and in particular—

(*a*) Whether strictly local and non-pensionable services should be formed in the Presidency towns and other large centres.

(*b*) Whether female signallers should be employed in the Department, and if so, to what extent and under what restrictions.

(c) What alterations should be made in the present mode of classification and remuneration of signallers, and to what extent their earnings should be regulated by their actual outturn of work by the general introduction of 'pie-money' or some similar system.

(10) Whether a scheme can be devised for the automatic increase of the signalling establishment in proportion to the actual increase in traffic, the strength of the controlling establishment being increased in fixed proportion to the increase in the lower grades.

(11) Whether any, and if so what, changes are called for in the existing stores system of the Telegraph Department.

(12) Whether it is advisable to decentralize the work of the Department to a larger extent in great cities.

The Committee are not limited by the terms of the reference to the specific questions indicated, but are free to take up any matter connected with the main object of their appointment, which is to submit proposals for the improved organisation of the Indian Telegraph Department in all its branches. Any defects in working or suggestions for improvements which may come to their notice should be carefully considered, and so far as necessary, appropriate proposals should be made

15. The Committee, or as many of their number as are able to take up their duties by that date, will assemble at Simla on the 28th September. From the first of November onwards the head-quarters of the Committee will be at Calcutta, but from two to three months will be spent on tour. The members will visit important mercantile cities and other places at their discretion, where their enquiries and inspections are likely to be useful. The Government of India trust that Local Governments will afford them all the assistance which they may require, and comply with any requests for information and advice which may be addressed to them by the Committee through their Secretary. In addition to Telegraph officials the Committee will be at liberty to take the evidence of members of mercantile firms by which the telegraph is largely used, who may be willing to give evidence as also of officers in Government offices who have any considerable experience of the despatch and receipt of telegrams. The Committee should submit its report in six months or earlier if practicable.

ORDERED that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to all Local Governments and Administrations, to the Home, Finance and Public Works Departments, to the Director-General of the Post Office in India, to the Director-General of Telegraphs and to the President and members of the Committee.

ORDERED also that it be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India* for general information.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 15th October 1906.

No. 20 R.—Notification.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Benga that land in the Muzaffarpur and Darbhanga districts is likely to be needed for a public purpose, viz., for a railway from Muzaffarpur to Darbhanga:

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that, in exercise of the power conferred by section 4 of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Lieutenant-Governor has authorized the Bengal and North-Western Railway Engineers, for the time being engaged on this undertaking, to enter upon and survey lands and do all other acts required for the proper execution of their work as provided for or specified in the said section of the Act.

The general route taken by the railway will probably be from Muzaffarpur, passing through or near Mohammedpur, Musehri, Mohammed Fagil, Unsar, Surajpatti, Salimpur, Katra or Akbarpur, Tewareh, Sewdaha, Bharathi, Manihas, Bishanpur, Kalian, Bela Dula to Darbhanga Junction Railway Station, on the Tirhut State Railway, a distance of about 35 miles.

No. 21 R.—Notification.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land in the Muzaffarpur and Darbhanga districts is likely to be needed for a public purpose, viz., for a railway from Sitamarhi to Katra or Akbarpur:

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that, in exercise of the power conferred by section 4 of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Lieutenant-Governor has authorized the Bengal and North-Western Railway Engineers, for the time being engaged on this undertaking, to enter upon and survey lands and do all other acts required for the proper execution of their work as provided for or specified in the said section of the Act.

The general route taken by the railway will probably be from Sitamarhi, passing through or near Dumra, Masumnagar, Mursand, Rampur, Bishanpur Khurd, Chainpur and Narkathi to Katra or Akbarpur, on the projected line from Muzaffarpur to Darbhanga, a distance of 26 miles.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 10th October 1906.

No. 104 Marine.—It is hereby notified that the draft rules for regulating the grant of licenses to import, possess and transport petroleum in the Lower Provinces of Bengal which the Lieutenant-Governor proposes to make under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899, and which were published under Notification No. 81 Marine, dated the 26th July 1906, will be taken into consideration on the 1st of November 1906, and all criticisms and suggestions regarding them should be submitted before that date.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 10th October 1906.

No. 105 Marine.—Mr. T. S. Earl, Senior Master Pilot, has been granted by the Secretary of State for India leave on medical certificate for six months, in extension of the combined leave for twelve months from 13th November 1905, granted to him in Bengal Government Notification No. 1 Marine, dated the 5th January 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 10th October 1906.

No. 106 Marine.—It is hereby notified that, under section 16 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. F. A. Slacke to be a Commissioner of the Port of Calcutta, *vice* the Hon'ble Mr. W. C. Macpherson, C.S.I., resigned.

The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. Slacke to be Chairman of the Commissioners under section 8 of the Act.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 11th October 1906.

No. 107 Marine.—Mr. C. G. Stock, Branch Pilot, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India leave on medical certificate for one month in extension of the combined leave granted to him in Bengal Government Notification No. 24 Marine, dated the 12th March 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 13th October 1906.

No. 108 Marine.—The following draft of a Notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 51 and 51A of the Inland Steam-vessels Act, 1884 (VI of 1884), as amended by the Indian Steam-ships Law Amendment Act, 1890 (III of 1890), is published, as required by section 69 of the first-mentioned Act, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that the draft will be taken into consideration by the Lieutenant-Governor on or after the 1st December 1906.

2. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before the date fixed as aforesaid will be considered by the Lieutenant-Governor.

DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 51 and 51A of the Inland Steam-vessels Act, 1884 (VI of 1884), as amended by the Indian Steam-ships Law Amendment Act, 1890 (III of 1890), and with the sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to make the rules hereinafter set forth below for the protection of passengers in river steamers and the prevention of the spread of plague and other dangerous epidemic disease by persons travelling in such steamers within the territories under his administration.

RULES.

1. (1) Whenever any case of plague, small-pox, cholera or other dangerous epidemic disease occurs on board a river steamer, the Medical Officer of the steamer or, where there is no such Medical Officer, the serang, shall immediately—

(*a*) remove the patient, together with his bedding, drinking-utensils and food to a part of the deck at the extreme stern of the steamer, where he shall be segregated from the rest of the passengers by a *purdah* or awning;

(*b*) cause all excreta, vomit and urine which may have been discharged on to the deck by the patient to be cleaned away with a solution of phenyle; and

(*c*) report the case to the Subdivisional or District Magistrate within whose jurisdiction the nearest ghat lies, and also to the Civil Surgeon of the district.

(2) Where such ghat is not at the head-quarters of a subdivision or district, the report mentioned in sub-clause (*c*) of clause (1) shall be sent by the Medical Officer of the steamer, or the serang, as the case may be, by the most expeditious means available to the next head-quarters of a subdivision or district at which the steamer will touch.

2. If, when the case occurs, the steamer is lying at a ghat at the head-quarters of a subdivision or district, or, otherwise, when the steamer has reached the nearest ghat which is at such head-quarters, the serang shall not move the steamer therefrom until permission has been given by the District or Subdivisional Magistrate or by the Medical Officer under rule 8.

3. (1) On receipt of the report mentioned in rule 1, the Magistrate or Civil Surgeon shall at once depute a Medical Officer to inspect and disinfect the steamer.

(2) Such Medical Officer shall visit the steamer and if a suitable hospital is available, or if other satisfactory arrangements can be made for his treatment and segregation, shall bring the patient, to land.

4. Where no such hospital is available and no such arrangement can be made, the patient shall not be allowed to land, but the Medical Officer deputed under rule 3 shall take steps to ensure the proper segregation of the patient on the steamer and to satisfy himself that every possible precaution has been taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

5. The Medical Officer deputed under rule 3 shall in all cases cause the deck, cabins, latrines and any other part of the steamer where the patient has been to be thoroughly washed down with a strong solution of phenyle, and all utensils which have been used by the patient, to be disinfected.

6. (1) In case of death, the body of the patient shall be made over to his friends, or where he is without friends to the police, who shall arrange for its disposal.

(2) The clothes of the deceased (except those in his baggage), his bedding and all food in his possession shall be burnt unless orders to the contrary are passed by the Medical Officer.

7. The Medical Officer deputed under rule 3 shall ascertain the names and addresses of all members of the party accompanying the patient, and shall report them through the Magistrate to the Magistrate of the district to which they are proceeding.

8. When the orders contained in these rules have been complied with, and the Medical Officer deputed under rule 3 is satisfied that there is no reason further to detain the steamer, he may give permission to the serang to proceed on the journey.

9. The owner of every steamer shall be bound to keep on board each steamer a two-gallon drum of phenyle.

10. The patient may be permitted to land on the expiry of a period to be fixed by the Medical Officer deputed under rule 3.

11. Any person committing a breach of any of the above rules shall be punished with fine which may extend to Rs. 20.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 15th October 1906.

No. 109Marine.—Under the powers conferred by section 36 of the Indian Steam-ships Act, 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor proposes, with the sanction of the Governor-General in Council, to make the alterations indicated below in the rules for regulating the grant of Certificates of Competency to Engineers of sea-going steam-ships, which were sanctioned under notification No. 46Marine, dated the 7th April 1905. The proposed alterations will be taken into consideration on the expiry of a month from the date of their publication in the Gazette, and the Lieutenant-Governor will be glad to consider any suggestions or criticisms which may be made by any person concerning them within that period.

Rule 20(a).

The following is to be inserted after the first paragraph of sub-rule (*a*) of rule 20:—

Time spent in a technical school cannot be accepted as equivalent to more than two years' artisan service, and time spent in foreign technical schools can in no circumstances be recognised.

The following is to be added as rule 24A after rule 24:—

Foreign Engineers.

24A. Foreign Engineers cannot be examined for a First Class Certificate unless they have performed the sea-service stated in rule 21, with the requisite British Certificate. The service may have been performed in foreign vessels if the candidate can

produce satisfactory testimonials as to conduct and character, and is able to prove that the service has been in the required capacities, and that during the period of service he has held a British Certificate of Competency of the rank required by the Regulations [*See rule 9*].

Rule 33.

The words "fishing boats" are to be substituted for "trawlers."

Rule 36.

The following to be substituted for rule 36:—

Certificates of service.

36. An officer who has attained the rank of Engineer Lieutenant or Engineer Sub-Lieutenant in His Majesty's Navy or the rank of Engineer or Assistant Engineer in the Indian Marine Service, is entitled without examination, if an Engineer Lieutenant or Engineer, to a Certificate of Service as First-Class Engineer, and if an Engineer Sub-Lieutenant or Assistant Engineer, to a Certificate of Service as Second-Class Engineer. These officers may be examined for a Certificate of Competency on the same conditions as Engineers of the Mercantile Marine.

An officer who has attained the rank of Artificer Engineer in His Majesty's Navy or Indian Marine Service is also entitled without examination to a Certificate of Service as Second-Class Engineer.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 15th October 1906.

No. 110Marine.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 6 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, Mr. H. C. Begg, of the firm of Messrs. Begg, Dunlop and Company has been elected by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce to be a Commissioner of the Port of Calcutta, in place of Mr. H. S. Ashton.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 13th October 1906.

No. 194.—Babu Srish Chandra Sarkar, Overseer, second grade, 2nd Calcutta Division, is granted, under article 336, Civil Service Regulations, leave on medical certificate for nine days from the 31st August to the 8th September 1906.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Chief Engineer.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 16th October 1906.

No. 198.—Babu Krishna Dhone Banarji, Sub-Engineer, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the office of the Superintending Engineer, South-Western Circle, to the Cossye Division.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3409A.

No. 3458A.D.—The 13th October 1906.—Babu Satyendra Nath Batabyal, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Satkhira, Khulna, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district.

Khulna. 24-Parganas.

No. 3460A.D.—The 13th October 1906.—Babu Sushil Kumar Gangali, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Jessore.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 9738, dated Calcutta, the 11th October 1906.—Captain I. G. P. Murray, I.M.S., made over charge of the Presidency Jail to Major J. Mulvany, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 3rd October 1906.

E. W. PAYNE,
Offg. Inspr.-Genl. of Prisons, Bengal.

Sheriff's Office, the 26th September 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1906 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the 26th day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

A. A. APCAR, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৬ সাল তারিখ ২৬শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৬ সালের ২৬শে নবেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

এঃ এঃ আপকার, সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 10th October 1906.—Babu Bipin Behari Chatterji, B.A., an Assistant Master in the Hare School (Class VIII), was absent on leave for one month, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the leave for one month, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 23rd July 1906, granted to him, under the orders of the 4th September 1906, which is commuted to leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations.

The 15th October 1906.—Mr. T. A. Gregory, an Assistant in the office of the Director of Public Instruction (substantively *pro tempore* in Class VI), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th October 1906.

Babu Sures Chandra Sen Gupta is appointed to act as an Assistant in the office of the Director of Public Instruction, on an allowance of Rs. 50 a month and in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. T. A. Gregory, or until further orders.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

REVISED NOTICE.

IN January 1902, Babu Jogendra Chandra Ghosh, Member of the Senate, offered to place at the disposal of the Calcutta University Government Securities of the nominal value of Rs. 10,000 of the Loan of 1865 for the encouragement of the study of Comparative Indian Law by persons belonging to what is called the Adhyapak class in Bengal, and for the purpose of establishing out of the annual income of the fund a prize to be awarded to the writer of the best essay on the subject under the following conditions :—

(i) By Comparative Indian Law shall be meant the Hindu Smriti Sastra, called *Vyabaharkhanda* and a comparison of the standard Sanskrit authorities on the subject with British Indian Law as contained in Parliamentary Statutes, Regulations and Acts of the

Indian Legislative Councils, and the Law as laid down in Leading Cases. The study which it shall be the object of the Prize to encourage, is the History of the Hindu Smriti Sastra as it existed at and from the time when India came under British rule and how and to what extent it has been altered under British influence, regard being had not only to the existing Statutes, Regulations and Acts, but also to those which, having been in operation for a time, have now been repealed or become obsolete, and regard being also had not only to the existing Leading Cases but to cases which were considered Leading at one time, but have now been overruled, and how and to what extent such alteration has affected Hindu Society.

(ii) The essay at the discretion of a Committee consisting of the Vice-Chancellor for the time being of the University, the President of the Faculty of Law and the Principal of the Government Sanskrit College in Calcutta may deal with the whole of the Indian Comparative Law as before defined or with part or parts thereof; but in no case shall an essay be entitled to competition which in any way attacks the religious beliefs, usages or institutions of His Majesty's subjects. And it shall be in the province and discretion of the said Committee to (*a*) make a detailed programme of studies for the proposed Prize, (*b*) name the subject of the essay for any one particular year, and (*c*) decide whether such Prize shall be awarded every year or at longer intervals.

(iii) By *Adhyapak* shall be meant scholars of the Smriti Sastra, students of Smriti in the Government Sanskrit College in Calcutta, and in the tôls or indigenous Brahmanical schools which send in candidates for the Title Examinations held in that College and students in other similar institutions in India.

(iv) Every candidate for the Prize shall be required to indicate generally in a preface to his thesis and specially in notes the sources from which his information is taken, the extent to which he has availed himself of the work of others and the portions of the thesis which he claims as original. He shall further be required to state whether his research has been conducted independently, under advice, or in co-operation with others, and in what respects his investigations appear to him to tend to the advancement of knowledge.

(v) Successful candidates shall be required to publish their essays, and, if necessary, they shall receive help from the University for the purpose.

(vi) The essay or essays shall be written either in English or in Bengali; but if any competitor sends in an essay in any vernacular language other than Bengali, he shall be bound to furnish an English translation thereof.

(vii) The adjudicators for the Prize shall be the Vice-Chancellor of the University, the Chief Justice of Bengal, the President of the Faculty of Law and the Principal of the Sanskrit College in Calcutta. They shall be entitled to consult experts of their own selection to assist them to (*a*) decide whether the essay or essays in competition is or are of sufficient merit to deserve the prize, (*b*) award such prize, (*c*) decide about the number of manuscript copies of each essay to be sent in by the successful competitors, and (*d*) consider the ways and means for the publication of any essay or essays.

(viii) The Prize shall be called the "Research Prize in Comparative Indian Law."

The offer was thankfully accepted by the Syndicate at their meeting held on the 8th February, 1902.

The next Prize will be awarded in January, 1909.

The value of the Prize will be Rs. 1,000.

The subject for the year 1909 will be—

Discuss the effect of unchastity on the status of a Hindu female, with special reference to the following points:—

(*a*) Does it affect her right of succession to her husband?

(*b*) Does it devest the state previously inherited by her from her husband?

Candidates are required to send their essays to the Registrar, Calcutta University, on or before the 1st day of July 1908, and to send four copies of their essay, type-written whenever practicable.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 12th October 1906.

C. LITTLE,
Registrar.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTA UNIVERSITY.

ON the recommendation of the Adjudicators, the Jogendra Chandra Ghosh's Research Prize in Comparative Indian Law for 1906 (value Rs. 1,000) has been equally divided between Pandit Rajendranath Vidyabhushan of the Calcutta Sanskrit College and Pandit Durvasula Sriram Sastri, B.A., B.L., of Mylapore, Madras.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 12th October 1906.

C. LITTLE,
Registrar,
Calcutta University.

NOTIFICATION.

AN examination in the knowledge of English idiom and in pronunciation for teachers of English in Native schools will be held at the office of the Inspector of European Schools, 12 Dalhousie Square, East, on Monday, the 29th October 1906, at 11 A.M.

Teachers who intend to present themselves for examination should send (at least a week before the examination) a statement containing the following information, and should also *bring* with them their University certificates on the day of the examination :—

Name (in full).
Name of father (in full).
Name of native village and district.
Last University examination passed.
Year of passing.
Signature of the applicant.
Designation and full address.

Candidates should also state whether they have sat for this examination before, and, if so, how often, giving dates.

CALCUTTA,
The 4th October 1906.

ROBERT J. M. HORNE,
Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College.—

I.—Engineer Department.

A four-year course leading to the Engineering Degrees of the Calcutta University. Admissions made yearly in June. Admission qualification, the First Arts examination of the Calcutta University or its equivalent.

II.—Apprentice Department.

The full course of study covers five years. There are special classes in Mining and in Electrical Engineering.

After 1½ years the Sub-Overseer examination is held.

After 3½ years the Final or Overseer examination is held with special modification for Mining students.

After a further 1½ years' practical training the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate is given.

Admissions are made yearly in June to 1st year and in March to 2nd and 3rd years. Admission qualifications—

To 1st-year class, Entrance examination of Calcutta University or equivalent, to the Middle School.
To 2nd-year class, the Final examination of B Course of zilla schools.
To 3rd-year class, the Sub-Overseer examination of affiliated Technical schools.

III.—Workshops.

Artisan classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters'; Blacksmiths'; | Fitters'; Turners; | Machine, and Foundry.

IV.—Agricultural Department.

Admission made by nomination of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor. Application to be sent to the Principal. A two-year course leading to the Agricultural Diploma of the College. Admission made yearly in November.

Admission qualifications—

As general student, B. A., B Course, of Calcutta University or equivalent.
As special student, satisfactory evidence that the candidate can benefit by the instruction.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

SIBPUR,
The 7th June 1906.

B. HEATON,
Principal.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

NOTICE.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.,

Member in charge.

WHEREAS the Court of Wards has assumed charge of the estate of Babus Haridas Banerjee and Gyan Chandra Banerjee, Zamindars of the Panihati No. IV estate in the 24-Parganas, in pursuance of the orders of Government No. 2477T.R., dated the 24th September 1906, declaring them on their own application to be disqualified proprietors under section 6 (*e*) of Act IX (B.C.) of 1879, notice is hereby given under sub-section (1), section 10 A of Act IX (B.C.) of 1879, as amended by Act I (B.C.) of 1906, that all creditors having claims against the said disqualified proprietors or their immoveable property shall submit the same in writing to the Manager of the estate at Dum-Dum, district 24-Parganas, within six months from the date of the publication of this notice.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

J. P. YAKCHEE, for *Offg. Secretary.*

LAND REV. DEPARTMENT, WARDS' BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 9th October 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. F. A. SLACKE, I.C.S.,

Member in charge.

WHEREAS the Court of Wards has by its order dated the 24th July 1906 declared Rani Srimati Lakshmi *alias* Gyaneswari Devi, proprietress of the Darpan estate in Cuttack, to be a disqualified proprietress under section 6 (*a*) of Act IX (B.C.) of 1879, and has, accordingly, assumed charge of her person and property, notice is hereby given under sub-section (1), section 10A of Act IX (B.C.) of 1879, as amended by Act I (B.C.) of 1906, that all creditors having claims against the said disqualified proprietress for her immoveable property shall submit the same in writing to the Collector of the district of Cuttack at Cuttack within six months from the date of the publication of this notice.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

J. P. YAKCHEE, for *Offg. Secretary.*

LAND REVENUE DEPT., WARDS' BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 12th October 1906.*

No. 6221B.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.,

Member in charge.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the limit of retail sale of methylated spirits, *i.e.*, spirits rendered effectually and permanently unfit for human consumption, having been raised from two to four imperial gallons, the following revised condition shall be substituted for the existing condition III of Form No 13 (Form of license for the sale of such spirits) on page 44 of the Excise Manual, 1903, Volume II:—

"III.—That before selling spirits rendered effectually and permanently unfit for human consumption to any person not licensed or otherwise authorized to sell or possess them, he shall use all reasonable diligence to ascertain the quantity already in the possession of the purchaser and shall not, at one time, sell to him (1) more than four imperial gallons or twenty-four reputed quart bottles or (2) any smaller quantity which, together with what is, or is in good faith believed to be, in the possession of the purchaser, shall amount in all to more than four imperial gallons or twenty-four reputed quart bottles."

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA, *Offg. Secretary.*

CALCUTTA, *the 6th October 1906.*

No. 6072B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1904-1905 will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Tuesday the 6th November 1906, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,400 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	2,200
Ditto ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	2,200
Total	...	4,400

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 28th November 1905, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 12th and 21st November 1906, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Pormissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption. of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 PM. of Monday, the 12th November 1906, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in fullpayment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 21st November 190 6.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 4th December 1906 ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
Total ...	2,200	2,200	4,400

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

S. R. HIGNELL, for *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 19th September 1906.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Thursday, the 20th December 1906, is fixed for holding a bye-election in Ward No. IV of the Moheshpur Municipality, in the district of Jessore, for electing a Commissioner for that ward in the place of Babu Dwijendra Nath Ray Chaudhuri, deceased.

M. N. GHOSH, *Personal Asst.*, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 10th October 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that elections will be held in Wards E and F of the Jamalpur Municipality, in the district of Monghyr, on Saturday, the 24th November 1906, for the election of two Commissioners for the former and of one for the latter ward.

D. J. MACPHERSON, *Commissioner.*

BHAGALPUR COMMR.'S OFFICE, DARJEELING, *the 10th October 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, a bye-election will be held in Ward B of the Ghatal Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, on Thursday, the 20th December 1906, to fill up the vacancy caused by the death of Babu Prasanna Kumar Chatterjee, one of the elected Commissioners of the Municipality.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Personal Assistant*, for *Commissioner*.

BURDWAN COMMR'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 11th October 1906*.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Tamluk, in the district of Midnapore :—

1. The Civil Surgeon of Midnapore
2. The Subdivisional Officer of Tamluk

} *Ex officio*.

3. Babu Provat Chandra Mukerjee.
4. „ Ram Satya Mukherjee.
5. „ Trailokya Nath Rukhit.
6. „ Doorga Ram Bosu.
7. „ Bishnupada Basu.
8. „ Basanta Kumar Sirkar.
9. Babu Fakir Chandra Bosu.
10. „ Upendra Nath Misra.
11. „ Nagendra Nath Chatterjee.
12. „ Umesh Chandra Bhanja.
13. „ Khirode Nath Sinha.
14. „ Sarat Chandra Hazra.
15. Babu Baranashi Banerjee.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Persl. Asstt.*, for *Commissioner*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., *the 8th October 1906*.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Midnapore, in the district of Midnapore :—

1. The Magistrate of Midnapore.
2. The Civil Surgeon of Midnapore.
3. The Chairman, Midnapore Municipality.
4. The Vice-Chairman, ditto.
5. Ditto, District Board, Midnapore.
6. Babu Ksherode Nath Banerjee, Municipal Commissioner.
7. „ Gossain Das Dutta, ditto.
8. „ Deb Das Karan, ditto.
9. „ Hemango Chandra Bose, Retired Sub-Judge.
10. „ Abinash Chandra Mitra, Zamindar.
11. „ Krishna Chandra Banerjee, Manager, Midnapore Raj estate.
12. Maulvi Syad Shahziauddin Abul Hossain, Zamindar.
13. Babu Radha Gobinda Pal, Zamindar.
14. Miss Mary W. Bachelor, Medical Practitioner.
15. „ L. C. Coombs, American F. B. Zenana Mission.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Persl. Asstt.*, for *Commissioner*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., *the 8th October 1906*.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Ghatal, in the district of Midnapore :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer of Ghatal.
2. The Civil Surgeon of Midnapore.
3. Babu Natabar Mukherjee, Sub-Registrar, Ghatal.
4. „ Bhuban Mohan Sarkar, Muktear and Landholder.
5. „ Sashi Bhusan Dutta, Medical Practitioner.
6. „ Surja Kumar Basu, ditto.
7. „ Haradhan Chowdhury, Pleader.
8. „ Lakshmi Narayan Chowdhury, Medical Practitioner.
9. „ Bhupati Banerjee, Muktear.
10. „ Babu Ram Goswami, do.
11. „ Saroda Prosad Panja, Pleader.
12. „ Ram Taruk Bhunia, Landholder.
13. Kaji Majahar Ali, ditto.
14. Babu Umesh Chandra Ghose, Pleader.
15. „ Girish Chandra Sarkar, Trader.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 13th October 1906.*

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1906.

PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 13th October 1906.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 10th October 1906.

No. 1204.—With reference to the Home Department Notifications No. 395, dated the 10th April 1906, and No. 949, dated the 15th August 1906, it is hereby notified that the Honourable Sir Andrew Henderson Leith Fraser, K.C.S.I., returned from leave and resumed charge of the office of Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal on the 8th October 1906.

The 12th October 1906.

No. 1211.—The services of Babu Nagendra Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

MEDICAL.

The 6th October 1906.

No. 850.—The services of the undermentioned officers are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bengal :

Captain M. Mackelvie, M.B., I.M.S.
Captain E. H. B. Stanley, I.M.S.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

The 12th October 1906.

No. 1836.—Whereas the Governor-General in Council is satisfied that there is a danger of an outbreak of dangerous epidemic disease at Ajmer in the Ajmer district, if pilgrims or other persons from the Bombay Presidency (excluding all places in Sind except the town of Karachi), the United Provinces, the Punjab, the Central Provinces and Central India, are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing Pushkar Fair :

In exercise of the power conferred by section 2, sub-section (*1*), of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that no tickets to travel by railway to the stations of Sendra, Beawar, Kharwa, Mangaliawas, Saradhna, Tabiji, Ajmer, Madar, Ladpura, Akhri, Hatundi, Nasirabad, Singawal and Barl

on the Rajputana-Malwa Railway shall be sold from the 15th October to the 5th November 1906 (both days inclusive) within the Bombay Presidency (excluding all places in Sind except the town of Karachi), the United Provinces, the Punjab, the Central Provinces and Central India, to any pilgrim or other person intending or believed to be intending to proceed on pilgrimage to the Pushkar Fair.

H. H. RISLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, are republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 10th October 1906.

No. 8062-I.—The following officiating promotions of officers in the Imperial Customs Service are notified:

From the 25th May 1906 to the 29th May 1906—

Mr. W. D. R. Prentice, Assistant Collector, Class III, officiated in Class I.

From the 30th May 1906 to the 9th July 1906—

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Mr. W. D. R. Prentice, Assistant Collector, Class III, officiated in Class II.

W. L. HARVEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The Calcutta Gazette.

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PART IB.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2142T.M.—The 9th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Abinash Chandra Das to be a Commissioner of the Azimgunge Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, *vice* Babu Benoy Chand Kuthary, resigned.

Murshidabad.

No. 2144T.M.—The 9th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Basirhat Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Babu Benode Behari Bose to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 2146T.M.—The 9th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 or the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Upendra Narayan Goswami to be a member of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Nadia, *vice* Mr. F. J. Smith, resigned.

Nadia.

No. 2151T.M.—The 10th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Krishnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia, of Babu Basanta Kumar Chatarji to be their Chairman.

Nadia.

No. 2153T.M.—The 10th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Taki Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Babu Debendro Nath Ray Chaudhuri to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 2156T.M.—The 10th October 1906.—Whereas a notification No. 1674T.M., dated the 20th July 1906, was published at page 120, Part IB, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 25th idem, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to extend the provisions of Part X of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, to the Panihati Municipality, in the district of the 24 Parganas, and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified, for general information, that, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 231 of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Panihati Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the above provisions of the Municipal Act to the said Municipality.

24-Parganas.

No. 2159T.M.—The 10th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Panihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Babu Ambika Charan Mukharji to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 2162T.M.—The 11th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 15 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the several Local Boards in the district of Purnea :—

Purnea.

Local Boards.	Names of members.
Kishanganj ...	Maulvi Wajhul Huq. Mian Atufat Ali. Babu Kailash Chandra Das. „ Khudan Lal Singh. „ Sesh Lal Singh „ Ram Chandra Thirani. Mian Hakeem Uddin. Babu Nownihal Singh. Mian Muhamad Ismail. Munshi Sahid Husain. Mr. G. Brae. Mian Ahmad Newaz Khan.
Araria	Babu Gopal Lal. „ Hira Lal Mukharji. „ Rudra Nand Thakur. „ Raghunandan Thakur. Mr. P. B. Duff. Munshi Amir Buksh. „ Sams Uddin. Mir Kasim Ali. Munshi Abdul Kadir. Maulvi Nazmul Huq. Sheikh Hedayet Ali. Babu Dyanand Thakur.
Sadar	The Excise Deputy Collector. Mr. A. J. Shillingford. „ C. J. Shillingford. Babu Satkari Banarji. Mr. A. G. M. Wadschow. Munshi Amir Buksh. Mr. J. H. Lewis. Sayed Asad Raza. Babu Prithi Chand Lal. „ Sri Nath Mawar. Meer Akbar Ali. Babu Bijoy Krishna Ray.

No. 2164T.M.—The 11th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the South Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Babu Lal Bihari Mukharji to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 2166T.M.—The 11th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Tarak Nath Madak to be a Commissioner of the Debhatta Municipality, in the district of Khulna, *vice* Babu Satish Chandra Ghosh, resigned.

Khulna.

No. 2168T.M.—The 11th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Naihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Mr. G. Robertson. | Mr. S. H. Ashworth.
Munshi Zahiruddin Ahmed.

No. 2170T.M.—The 11th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Jhalda Municipality, in the district of Manbhum :—

Manbhum.

Babu Jyotindra Chandra Mukharji.
Nitya Gopal Sen.
Baidya Nath Chakravatti.
Beni Madhab Kundu.
Babu Bepin Behari Hajra.
Jakhu Ram Sau.
Bunwari Lal Datta.
Bhichuk Lal.
Munshi Shaikh Amir Ali Soudagar.

2 The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased to appoint, under section 23 of the Act, Babu Jyotindra Chandra Mukharji to be Chairman of the Municipality.

No. 2174T. M.—The 11th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the North Barrackpore Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas:—

24-Parganas.

Babu Nalin Chandra Baral.
„ Surendra Nath Mukharji.
„ Hari Das Pal.
„ Saroda Prosad Sur.
Munshi Muckbul.

No. 2185T.M.—The 13th October 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred upon him by section 69B (*ii*) of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the rules for the management of Water-works under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, published with Notification No. 633T.M., dated the 16th of May 1904, at pages 117-119, Part IB, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th idem, namely:—

In rule 3, after the words "The Committee," the words "of which three members shall form a quorum," shall be inserted.

No. 2187T.M.—The 13th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Kumarkhali Municipality, in the district of Nadia, of Babu Nabadwipa Chandra Pal, L.M.S., to be their Chairman.

Nadia.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 2172T.M.—The 11th October 1906.—In Government Notification No. 1871T.M., dated the 27th August 1906, published at page 137, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 5th September 1906, appointing certain gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Jangipur Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, *for* "Babu Sachi Mandan De" and "Munshi Naijuddin Biswas," two of the Commissioners, *read* "Babu Sachi Nandan De" and "Munshi Maijuddin Biswas."

Murshidabad.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Murshidabad Branch, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Saturday, the 10th November 1906, corresponding with the 24th Kartic, 1313 B.S., at village Barasat.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the lands nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement or termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Nadia ...	Mauza Barasat, pargana Manjoan.	7 to 8	Right side	0 7 1·33	0 0 15·059			Between 41 and 42 chains.	*North, East* and *West*—Fallow land of village Barasat. *South*—Land acquired for Murshidabad Branch Railway.

Krishnagar, the 20th September 1906.

N. AHMAD, *for* Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at 12 noon for the said arrears :—

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3							10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
36-4	Mondleghat, pargana Mondleghat.	2,23,423 3 8	Nil	5g. 11k. 3 til share of the estate.	Juhur Lal Seal	3,970 5 2	Nil	89 7 5	Arrears of March 1905.

M. A. KADIR, Dy. Collr. in charge, for Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th November 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Balasore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 6th February 1907 at 11 A.M., for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. A	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P. KT.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
377 Ij.	Kt. Killa Ambahatta, Ph. Ambahatta killa.	895 13 11	Share ...	0 11 11 0	Dadhibaban Das and others of Panichhatta, Ph. Banchas and others.	667 3 9	.....	833 9 1	Land Revenue Estate under attachment by order of judicial authority.
950	Tk. Churamani, Ph. Ankura.	2,228 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Srimatya Chandramani Dei, mother and guardian of Kanungo Krishna Prasad Rai Bhramarbar of Churamani, Ph. Ankura.	.....	1,114 0 0	.....	Ditto.
924 Ij.	Tk. Mubarakhpur, Ph. Banchas.	23,942 14 8	Share ...	0 6 0 0	Bhagaban Chandra Das and others of Barotati, Ph. Sunhat.	8,9 8 9 6	.....	4,483 1 5½	Ditto.
982	Tk. Harisingpur, Ph. Bhera.	4,339 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Radhakanta Ray Mahasoy of Kurpur, Ph. Randimorgara and others.	.....	2,147 12 6	.....	Ditto.
740	Tk. Bardhanpur, Ph. Dasmalang.	631 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Raghunath Das and others of Barbati, Ph. Sunhat.	.....	330 0 0	.....	Ditto.
713	Tk. Dhara, Ph. Mulgan.	1,022 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Harendra Narain Rai Mahasoy of Lukhanath, Ph. Chak Imailpur and others.	.....	510 15 11	.....	Ditto.
1599 Ij.	Tk. Thakora, Ph. Kaima.	2,270 0 0	Share ...	0 5 6 10	Munshi Latifur Rahoman Ahmed of Issafpur, Ph. Randimorgara and others.	762 9 3	.....	381 4 7½	Ditto.
3	Tk. Sarmanga, Ph. Randimorgara.	1,429 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Munshi Makbul Rahoman Ahmed of Issafpur, Ph. Randimorgara.	.....	676 0 6	.....	Ditto.
809	Tappe Chanua, Ph. Satmalang.	664 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Kasinath Kar of Barbati, Ph. Sunhat and others.	.....	331 13 3	.....	Ditto.
45 Ij.	Ma. Deroa, Ph. Senaut.	1,304 0 0	Share ...	0 10 8 0	Jadunath Prasad Dey of Damodarpur, Ph. Sunhat and others.	869 5 4	.....	434 10 7½	Ditto.
1164 Ij.	Ml. Berhampal, Ph. Shahabunder.	911 0 0	Do. ...	0 10 0 0	Srichandan Bhuyan Brindaban Chandra Rai of Gar Rautrapur, Ph. Sahabander.	569 6 0	.....	284 6 0	Ditto.

A.—All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Balasore Collectorate, the 10th October 1906. S. K. AGASTI, Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th November 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 4th February 1907, at 12 o'clock noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate not specifically mentioned in column 5 are excluded from sale.

No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of the proprietors of the property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
									10
164 1	Ta. Ganeswarpur, Ph. Banchas.	Rs. A. P. 2,619 0 0		Kismat ... As. 9	Baladeb Prakash Brahmachari.	Rs. A. P. 910 11 0	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 455 0 0	Due for kist November 1906.
164 2	Ditto .	1,619 0 0		Do. ... 7	Chadmoni Dibya, mother and guardian of Hanuman Khuntia, minor, and others.			354 0 0	Ditto.
66	Ma. Dragadaspur, Ph. Kotrahang.	859 0 0	Whole		Bhikari Misra and others.		439 0 0		Ditto.
171	Ma. Gope, Ph. Banchas.	555 0 0	Do.		Satyabadi Patra and others.		273 4 10		Ditto.
7 6	Kilah Balarampur, Ph. Pachhimduai.	657 0 0	.....	Kismat ... 4	Mussummat Sahatan Nissa Begam *alias* Cannee Begam and others.			332 2 0	Ditto.

Puri Collectorate, the 15th October 1906.

P. C MITTER, Collector.

Notice of Deaths sent to the Administrator General of Bengal under section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported and when.	REMARKS.
Mrs. Emelia Rebollo	Purnea	On 18th January	The District Judge of Purnea, on 31st August 1906	Left a Will appointing Mr. I. P. Almeida as Executor, who has applied for Probate
Mr. Alexander Blanchard ...	Lahore	25th June 1906	The District Judge of Lahore, on 27th August 1906.	Left a Will in favour of one Mussamat Dhulhari, co-woman of the deceased, who has applied for Probate.
,, Anthony Burns, late Loco. Foreman, B. B. and C. I. Railway.	No. 1 Church Street, Coundon Road in District Bishop Auckland.	3rd March ,,	The District Judge of Agra, on 3rd September 1906.	Left a Will. Probate was granted to Mr. George Ogden.
Miss A. E. Ramsbottom ...	Darbhanga ...	27th July	The District Judge of Darbhanga, on 27th August 1906.	No Will. Miss M. Ramsbottom, the sister of the deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration.
Revd. John Anderson Brown, M A., of Rajputana Presbyterian Mission.	Jhalrapatan ...	4th September ,,	The Political Agent of Kotah and Jhalawar, on 7th September 1906.	The deceased is said to have left a Will.
Mr. Brown of Nagpur ...		16th November 1905.	The Deputy Commissioner of Nagpur, on 12th September 1906.	The deceased has left no heirs and no application for Letters of Administration.
,, Walter Storey Todd, Pilot of Moulmein.	Moulmein	19th August 1906	The District Judge of Moulmein, on 11th September 1906.	Left a Will in the custody of Mr. C. W. Law, Bar-at-Law, Moulmein.
Mrs. S. Spiers	Nagpur	11th April ,,	The District Judge of Nagpur, on 24th September 1906	Intestate.
Mr. Naughton, late a steward at Government House.		30th July	The Commissioner of Police, Rangoon, on 25th September 1906.	No information about Will.
Miss Elekan Wikal, late a Roumanian Prostitute.			Ditto	Ditto.
Mr. R. J. Gray, late a European Driver of Ghaziabad.		12th September ,,	The District Judge of Meerut, on 28th September 1906.	Left a Will. Mr. C. T. Gray, the brother of the deceased, is Executor and sole legatee of the estate.
Mr. G. C. Buckley	Cottage Hospital, Mussoorie.	29th August ,,	The District Judge of Meerut, on 2nd October 1906.	Left a Will in favour of his wife, Eliza Ida Emily Buckley.
,, Henry Bertram Welsh...	Wurcha in Punjab	1st	The District Judge of Agra, on 3rd October 1906.	The attorney of Sir W. W. Welsh, the father of the deceased, has applied for Letters of Administration.
Mrs. Emeline Ellis ...	Agra	11th September 1906.	Ditto	Left a Will. An application for Letters of Administration has been made.
Mr. F. E. G. Matthews	Naini Tal	21st September 1906.	The Commissioner and District Judge of Kumaun Division, on 3rd October 1906.	Left a Will in possession of his widow

3, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET,
Calcutta, the 8th October 1906.

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 9th October 1906.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs 1,03,67,362 5 10			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 83,24,333 8 6	1,97,91,695	14	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	13,75,38,780	12	3
Bank Post Bills, &c.	13,75,956	15	7
Sundries	21,34,924	5	0
Rupees *	19,53,41,357	15	2

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	83,23,216	0	0
Other authorised investments	54,55,123	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	3,83,30,160	14	4
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	3,71,82,991	5	5
Bills discounted and purchased	3,59,27,885	8	0
Balances with other Banks	13,55,340	10	1
Bullion			
Bond Stock	18,35,658	14	2
Stamps	11,288	10	11
Sundries	6,16,691	15	5
	12,90,38,264	14	4
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office* Rs 4,11,33,450 11 9			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches† „ 2,51,69,642 5 1	6,63,03,093	0	10
Rupees	19,53,41,357	15	2

* Includes Govt. & ½ Anna, value Rs. 3,33,960 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 6,63,172 8 0
Rs. 9,97,132 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 11th October 1906.

C. M. BASTIN, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans 6 per cent.
Percentage 41 22

HENRY GRAY,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer
(1072)

WANTED temporarily for a period of about one year two experienced Surveyors. Only those who have been qualified under paragraph 7 (3) (*a*) and (*b*) of Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1901, need apply. Monthly salary Rs. 35 *plus* Rs. 15 consolidated travelling allowance; and also an experienced Draftsman on Rs. 40 a month.

Applications with copies of testimonials and particulars as to age, etc., of the candidate must reach the undersigned on or before the 20th October 1906.

E. J. BULL, C.E., M.E., A.M. INST. M.E., ETC.,
District Engineer, Saran.

The 5th October 1906. (1068—2)

WANTED a Bihari Graduate to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Hazaribagh, on an initial pay of Rs. 50 a month. Applications with testimonials and statement of age to be sent in to the undersigned at once.

SASI BHUSHAN DUTT,
Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division.

Purulia, the 21st September 1906.

WANTED a Bihari Graduate for the Assistant Head Mastership of the Hazaribagh Zilla School on a monthly salary of Rs. 30 a month. Applications with copies of testimonials and statement of age to be sent in to the undersigned at once.

SASI BHUSHAN DUTT,
Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division.

Purulia, the 21st September 1906.

WANTED a Blacksmith on Rs. 40 a month, for the Industrial School at Ranchi. The principal duty of the Blacksmith will be to train the pupils. He will also be expected to turn out work himself when required. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received up to the 15th October 1906.

SASI BHUSHAN DUTT,
Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division.

Purulia, the 21st September 1906.

WANTED at once for the Cess Revaluation Office, Berhampore, District Murshidabad, thoroughly experienced Head Clerk on Rs. 50 and a clerk on Rs. 40 per mensem for two years. Candidates having a thorough knowledge of Revaluation work need only apply. The clerk on Rs. 40 will be employed chiefly on outdoor work. Apply to Collector, Murshidabad, with testimonials before 30th instant.

A. G. HALLIFAX, Collector.

Dated Berhampore, the 12th October 1906.

WANTED temporarily for six months, with every prospect of being made permanent on account of the present incumbent going on promotion, a Head Clerk and Accountant qualified under paragraph 9 of the Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., of the 20th December 1901 for the District Board of Rajshahi on a salary of Rs. 80 rising to Rs. 100 by an annual increment of Rs. 5. Preference will be given to one who has experience of District Board and Public Works accounts.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 10th November 1906.

A. H. CUMING,
Chairman, District Board, Rajshahi.

Rajshahi District Board's Office, the 10th October 1906. (1075—3)

Wanted

A DISTRICT ENGINEER for the District Board of Dinajpur for six months with prospect of being made permanent on a salary of Rs 400 per mensem, exclusive of travelling allowance under Civil Service Regulations. None need apply who is not qualified under Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1901, published at pages 293-305 of Part I B of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th idem, and No. 1198T.M., dated 18th June 1906.

Applications should be submitted before the 23rd instant, in sealed and registered covers addressed to the Chairman of the District Board, and superscribed "Application for appointment of District Engineer." Each application must be accompanied by all the necessary original certificates and testimonials required by the rules, together with a suitable envelope addressed and sufficiently stamped for registration in which they can be returned in the event of the application being unsuccessful.

J. VAS, Chairman.

Dinajpur, the 11th October 1906. (1074—2)

Wanted

A COPYIST and an Apprentice for the Court of the Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, Town Hall.

None need apply who has not passed the F.A. examination of the Calcutta University and does not write a good hand.

Applications will be received up to 31st October 1906, and should be made in the applicant's own handwriting.

AMRITA LAL MUKHARJI,
Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 12th October 1906.

Notice.

WANTED immediately a Superintendent for the Hindu Hostel of the Sibpur Engineering College. Salary Rs. 45 with prospects. Security to the extent of Rs. 1,000 will be required. Apply stating age by letter enclosing copies of testimonials before 20th October.

P. BRÜHL,
Professor in charge,
Civil Engineering College, Sibpur

The 20th September 1906.

Notice.

WANTED immediately for the Land Acquisition Office, Purulia-Ranchi Railway, Ranchi, a Head Clerk and Accountant on Rs. 70.

A graduate with honours in Mathematics with some experience in Office-work will be preferred.

An original certificate of good character and respectability from a gentleman should accompany each application.

KANTI BHUSHAN SEN, Land Acquisition Officer.

Ranchi, the 11th October 1906.

Notice.

SEALED tenders are invited for the supply of Medical Stores and Surgical Instruments, etc., to the Medical Store Depôt, Calcutta, during the period 1st April 1907 to 31st March 1908.

Schedules of stores in duplicate with tender forms can be obtained on payment of one rupee from the office of the Medical Store-Keeper to Government, Calcutta, on application. Tenders will be opened on the noon of the 1st November 1906. Parties tendering are invited to attend. All tenders to be superscribed "Tenders for medical supplies."

Tenders must be accompanied by a Treasury Receipt or Government Promissory notes for amounts calculated at two per cent. on the total value of the tender as earnest money.

The Medical Store-Keeper does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

E. F. H. DOBSON, LT.-COL., I.M.S,
Medical Store-Keeper to Government, Calcutta.

Medical Store Depôt, Hastings, Calcutta, dated the 10th October 1906.

Notice

IS hereby given that the estate of Babus Hari Das and Gyan Chandra Banerjee of No. 52 Suri Lane, Calcutta, has been brought under the management of the Court of Wards under Bengal Government order No. 2477T.R., dated the 21st September 1906.

J. H. BERNARD, Collector.

Alipore, the 10th October 1906.

SUDHINDRA NATH TAGORE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court.

(1076—4—916)

Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty, interest, and all charges be not paid within ten days from the date of this notice on the 45 cases of whisky marked S. C. D. & Co., Calcutta imported per Steamer "Yeoman" from Liverpool and bonded by Messrs. Shib Churn Dutt & Co. on the 5th September 1903, in the Bengal Bonded Warehouse, the whisky will be sold by public auction under the provisions of section 119 of the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878, by Messrs. McKenzie, Lyall & Co., of No. 4 Lyon's Range, Calcutta.

J. M. TURING, Assistant Collector,
for Collector of Customs,

Custom House, Calcutta, the 8th October 1906.

(1069—2)

Currency Note.

THE following Currency Note of the Calcutta Circle is stated to have been destroyed, and payment of its value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the number. Any other person claiming a right to it is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Note wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
W 236 of 1906-07	$\frac{1^{A}}{96}$ 78084	100	Magni Ram Bhakat, care of Ashutosh Basu, No. 231 Darmahatta Street, Alooposta, Calcutta.

T. H. WORDAN,
Assistant Comptroller-General, in charge
Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 12th October 1906.

Treasure Trove.

IT is hereby notified under section 5 of Act VI of 1878 that the undermentioned treasure was found on the 16th March 1906 by one Singara Nayanikkiran of Attikkadai, attached to Tiruvida vasal Nannilam taluk while he was digging a mantapam in S. F. No. 19-2 F., classed as nattamporam boke in settlement and as singaperumal kovil alayam in paimash No. 260 :—

Items.	Description.	Estimated value.
		Rs. A. P.
1.	A stone image of Vishwaksevar.	10 0 0
2.	Twenty-six granite stones of different sizes	4 0 0
	Total ...	14 0 0

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Tanjore, at his office on the 4th March 1907, in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

(ILLEGIBLE),
for Acting Collector.

Tanjore Collector's Office, Tanjore, the 10th October 1906.

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of GONESH PROSAD and KALI PROSAD insolvents.

Notice that an application for an *ad-interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the twenty-third day of October instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1073—1)

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Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.		Route by which despatched.
	1906.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, East Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	Oct. 18	At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	17	Parcels, 5 P.M.; M.-O., 4 P.M.	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ...	22	At 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
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Burma	18	,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
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South Africa (Letters) ...	21	7-30	
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Port Blair	27	7-30	*Vid* Rangoon.

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For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 4-15 P.M.
For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 1-15 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 1-35 P.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—

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For the Bombay Mail *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa, Madras Presidency and Ceylon, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, Darjeeling, and places on the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway, at 7-30 P.M.
} and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.

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NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

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5. On the latest safe day of despatch of Mails for the Australasian Colonies, or any other Foreign Countries, *vid* Madras or Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time at 7-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 8-45 P.M. and late registered letters will be received from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

6. On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Thursday) the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles, without the late fee, at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-45 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On the day of despatch of any Foreign Mail by sea, the letter-box will be cleared for the last time, without the late fee, up to 8-30 P.M., and late letters and papers up to 9 P.M. and late registered letters will be received from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 15th October 1906.*

JOHN OWENS, *Presidency Postmaster.*

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 12th October 1906.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water soundings. Ft.	in.	Remarks.
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	16	0	
	Thence to Geriah ...	15	0	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	15	0	Alampur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	12	0	Amaniganj.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa...	13	0	Giridharipur.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	17	0	Hajrapota.
Bhairab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	11	0	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	15	0	Moricha.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	14	0	Deboypur.
	Thence to Patkabari	18	0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	17	6	Beerpur.
Matha-bhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...	12	9	
	Thence to Dewanganj ...	14	6	Jamalpur.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	12	6	Megna.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	19	9	Boalia.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...	19	0	Taltola.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissenganj and Hanskhali ...	18	6	Natungram.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level.	Remarks.
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges ...	Sahebganj ...	12-10-1906	8	11·42	79·42	Fall.
	Rampur Boalia...	.....	...	...	...	...
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah...	12-10-1906	A.M. 7	16·40	64·40	Fall.
	Entrance of Bhairab Jalangi, Akriganj ..	12-10-1906	A.M. 7	14·44	52·40	Do.
	Entrance of Matabhanga ...	.....	...	...	...	...
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	14-10-1906	A.M. 8	34·50	61·30	Fall.
	Berhampore ...	15-10-1906	A.M. 7	15·62	49·37	Do.
	Katwa ..	12-10-1906	P.M. 8	18·50	33·66	Do.
Jalangi	Krishnagar ...	5-10-1906	...	24·00	...	...
	Sarupganj ...	14-10-1906	Noon 12	16·90	10·90	Fall.
Matabhanga.	Hanskhali ...	13-10-1906	P.M. 4	15·00	25·85	Do.

R. D. CHATARJI,
Offg. Exe. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.

Berhampore, the 15th October 1906.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

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W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 12th October 1906.*

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA—PORT PHILLIP APPROACH.

Barwon head—Buoy on the S. E. withdrawn.

No. 380 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1007 of 1906) that the automatic signal buoy, situated $1\frac{6}{10}$ miles S. E. by E. $\frac{1}{2}$ E. from Barwon head, in the approach to Port Phillip, has been permanently withdrawn.

Approximate position, lat. 38° 18½′ S., long. 144° 31¾′ E.

(*Variation 8° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Western approach to Bass strait, No. 1063; Bass strait, sheet II, No. 1895b; Port Phillip, No. 1171a: Also Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897, page 428.

JAPAN—NAIKAI—GULF OF OSAKA.

Osaka road—Lights established—Light buoys withdrawn.

No. 381 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1008 of 1906) that, on the 1st June 1906, the undermentioned lights would be established on the heads of the new breakwaters in Osaka road, Inland sea, and the light buoys moored off their outer extremities would be withdrawn:—

(1) A *red fixed* light, elevated 45 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles, on the head of the South breakwater.
The light is exhibited from a red hexagonal iron tower, 25 feet in height.

(2) A *white fixed* light, elevated 45 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles, on the head of the North breakwater.
The light is exhibited from a white hexagonal iron tower, 25 feet in height.

Approximate position, North breakwater light, lat. 34° 38½′ N., long. 135° 23½′ E.

(3) A *red fixed* light on the outer end of the Tramway pier in the harbour.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Naikai or Inland sea, No. 2875; Kobe and Osaka, No. 16: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, page 171; and Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 420.

AUSTRALIA—Victoria—Port Phillip.

Gellibrand Point light—Amended sector—Anonyma shoal—Beacon removed.

No. 382 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 289, dated the 10th August 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1016 of 1906) that the *red and white occulting* sector shown from Gellibrand Point light over Hobson bay is visible between the bearings of S. 63° W. and S. 3° W., instead of between S. 63° W. and South as given in the above Notice.

Approximate position, Gellibrand Point light-house, lat. 37° 52¾′ S., long. 144° 55′ E.

Information has also been received that the chequered beacon marking Anonyma shoal, situated nearly three-quarters of a mile S. by W. from Picnic Point, has been removed.

Approximate position, lat. 37° 57½′ S., long. 144° 59½′ E.

(*Variation 8° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Phillip No. 1171b; Hobson bay, No. 624: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 1320; Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897; pages 459, 455; and Supplement, 1900, page 17.

AUSTRALIA—Queensland, Moreton bay.

Spitfire bank and East Knoll—Amended positions of buoys.

No. 383 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1025 of 1906) that the buoys marking Spitfire bank and East Knoll, Moreton bay, have been moved, and are now situated as follows:—

(1) Spitfire bank light-buoy has been moved 4 cables N. 46° E. from its former position, and is now situated with Cowan Cowan Point light-house bearing S. 49° E., distant 7$\frac{9}{10}$ miles, and the south-eastern extreme of Bribie island S. 36° W.

(2) East Knoll buoy has been moved 4½ cables S. 88° W. from its former position, and is now situated with Cowan Cowan Point light-house bearing N. 67° E. distant 1$\frac{6}{10}$ miles, and Cemboyuro Point light-house N. 7° E.

Approximate position, Cowan Cowan Point light-house on charts 1670*a* and *b*, lat. 27° 8½′ S., long. 153° 21¾′ E.

Note.—(1) It will be seen that the buoys in their new positions do not apparently guard the shoals they are intended to mark. (2) When entering Moreton by the north-west channel it is advisable to keep just northward of the line of the leading lights, as North bank appears to be extending to the northward.

(*Variation 9° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Danger Point to cape Moreton, No. 1029; Moreton bay, Nos. 1670a, 1670b: Also Australia Directory, vol. II, 1898, pages 126, 127.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Madura strait.

Pasuruan and Panarukan lights—Intended alteration in character.

No. 384 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1032 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of the undermentioned lights in Madura strait as follows:—

(1) Pasuruan light from a white fixed to a *white group occulting* light *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *twelve seconds*; eclipse, *twelve seconds*.

Approximate position, lat. 7° 37′ S., long. 112° 55′ E.

(2) Panarukan light from a white fixed to a *white flashing* light *every three seconds*, thus:—light, *one second*; eclipse, *two seconds*.

Approximate position, lat. 7° 41¼′ S., long. 113° 56′ E.

The lights will be of the 6th order.
Further Notice will be given.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 941b; island of Java, eastern portion, No. 1654: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, Nos. 500 and 504; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, pages 134, 137.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Lombok strait.

Ampenan light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 385 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1033 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of Ampenan light from a white fixed to a *white group occulting* light *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *twelve seconds*; eclipse, *twelve seconds*. The light will be of the 4th order.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 34½′ S., long. 116° 4′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 941b; Ampenan road on sheet No. 895: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 512; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 201.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Timor, west coast—Koepang bay.

Fort Concordia light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 386 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1034 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of Fort Concordia light, Koepang bay, from a white fixed to a *white flashing* light *every three seconds*, thus:—light, *one second*; eclipse, *two seconds*. The light will be of the 6th order.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 10° 10′ S., long. 123° 34½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 942a; Koepang bay with plan of Koepang road, No. 3296: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 575; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 244.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Celebes island—Gulf of Tomini.

Gorontalo light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 387 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1035 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of the Gorontalo light, gulf of Tomini, from a white fixed to a *white group flashing* light *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *fifteen seconds*. The light will be of the 4th order.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 0° 29¾′ N., long. 123° 3′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 942a; Gorontalo river on sheet No. 2195: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 558; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 382.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Celebes, north coast.

Manado light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 388 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1036 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of Manado light, Celebes island, from a white fixed to a *white group occulting* light *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *fifteen seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*. The light will be of the 4th order.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 29′ N., long. 124° 50′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 942a; Manado road on sheet No. 930: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 559; Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 425; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 393.

AFRICA, EAST COAST—Zanzibar island.

Nungwe Point light—Intended increase of power.

No. 389 (first publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 102 of 1906) that on and after 1st September 1906, a 4th order fixed white light will be shown from Ras Nungwe Light-house in place of the present 5th order light. During the

alteration the present 5th order light will be exhibited as usual. The new light will be 57 feet above High Water and visible 13 miles in clear weather.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Pangani to Kimbiji, including the approaches to Zanzibar, No. 640b; Zanzibar to Malindi, No. 664; and Africa Pilot, part III, 7th edition, 1905, page 426; also Admiralty List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 72.

AUSTRALIA—Wide Bay bar.

Alteration in channel—Directions for crossing.

No. 390 (first publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 5 of 1906) that when crossing Wide Bay Bar the square beacons on Hook Point must now be kept open twice their own width to the Northward, keeping them in that position until the triangular beacons on Inskip Point are open twice their own width to the Westward: then haul up for them, keeping them in that position until past the S. E. spit, or nearing the red buoy, when haul out and bring them into line and continue as formerly.

By night the depth of water will show when the S. E. spit has been passed.

Charts affected—Nos. 1030 and 1068; Australia Directory, vol. 2.

BAY OF BENGAL—Chittagong coast.

Kurnafuli river—Depth of water in the channels.

No. 391 (first publication).—The Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the channels by soundings taken on the 11th October and reduced to zero:—

	Ft.	In.
Track No. 1.—Outer bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	6
Marks open to the north	14	0
Track No. 2.—Inner bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	6
Batten beacon on pillar	12	3
Track No. 3.—		
Triangle on cross and ball	17	6
Track No. 4.—Guptakhally crossing—		
Tripod on diamond	17	0

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Murdeshwar buoy replaced.

No. 392 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 208, dated the 7th June 1906, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 104 of 1906) that the Murdeshwar buoy was replaced on 21st September.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Bhatkal buoy replaced.

No. 393 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 209, dated 7th June 1906, issued by this Office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 104 of 1906) that the Bhatkal buoy was replaced on 20th September 1906.

ARABIA, NORTH-EAST—Persian Gulf.

Kishm island, south-east coast—Shoal reported.

No. 370 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 985 of 1906) of the existence of a shoal, over which the sea breaks off Shuza, on the south-east coast of Kishm island, in a position situated at a distance of about nine cables S. 20° W. from the village.

Approximate position, lat. 26° 46′ N., long. 56° 4½′ E.

The position of this shoal, which was not examined, is approximate. P. D. has therefore been placed against it on the charts.

(Variation Nil in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Entrance to Persian gulf, with plan of Kishm, No. 753; Also Persian Gulf Pilot, 1898, page 211, and Supplement 1905, page 22.

NEW ZEALAND—North Island.

Wellington—Time-ball discontinued.

No. 371 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 987 of 1906) that Wellington Observatory has been demolished, and that in consequence the time-ball has been discontinued.

A new observatory is to be built on Battery hill.

The chronometers from the Observatory are at present kept in the Government buildings, where comparisons can be obtained.

Further Notice will be given when the time-ball is re-established.

Approximate position of Observatory, lat. 41° 17′ S., long. 174° 46′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Nicholson, No. 1423; Lambton harbour and Evans bay, No. 803: Also New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 172; and List of Time Signals, 1904, page 32.

CHINA—EAST COAST—Chauan Bay.

Kwadra island—Shoal to the northward.

No. 372 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 989 of 1906) that a narrow bank of sand and mud, with a least depth of 2 fathoms over it at low water, extends in a N. N. E. direction for 1½ miles from the northern extremity of Kwadra island, Chauan bay.

This narrow bank is connected at its northern end with the shoal water now shown on the chart.

Approximate position, Kwadra island, lat. 23° 36′ N., long. 117° 17′ E.

(*Variation Nil in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Hong Kong to the Brothers, No. 1962: Also China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1904, page 161.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Strait of Malacca—Klang strait.

Port Swettenham approach—Beacons established.

No. 373 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 994 of 1906) that four white beacons, each consisting of a tripod with staff, surmounted by a white ball, about 4 feet in diameter, have been established in Klang strait, port Swettenham approach, in the undermentioned positions:—

1. On the edge of the spit extending northward from tanjong Bakau, at the northern entrance, North Klang strait.

   Approximate position, lat. 3° 5′ 15″ N., long. 101° 20′ 00″ E.

2. On the 3-fathom patch, situated to the westward of tanjong Gila, and nearly in the centre of the entrance to port Swettenham.

   Approximate position, lat. 3° 00′ 00″ N., long. 101° 21′ 18″ E.

3. On the north-eastern edge of the flat extending eastward from Pulo Labuan Kurap, on the western side of South Klang strait.

   Approximate position, lat. 2° 59′ 5″ N., long. 101° 19′ 00″ E.

4. On the south-eastern edge of the flat extending from pulo Labuan Kurap, on the western side of South Klang strait.

   Approximate position, lat. 2° 58′ 13″ N., long. 101° 18′ 00″ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Klang strait, No. 3453; port Swettenham, No. 2153: Also China Sea Directory, Vol. I, 1896, page 171.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Sumatra, south coast, Lampong bay.

Telok Betong light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 374 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1003 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of Telok Betung light, Lampong bay, from

a red fixed to a *white flashing* light every *three seconds*, thus:—light *one second;* eclipse, *two seconds*. The light will be of the 6th order.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 5° 26¾′ S., long. 105° 16¼′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern archipelago, No. 941a; Tyingkok bay to Sunda strait, No. 2761; Sunda strait and approaches, No. 2056; Telok Betung, No. 940: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 467; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 364.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Sumatra, north-west coast—Malacca passage.

Pulo Buru light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 375 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice No. 1004 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of the light shown from pulo Buru, Malacca passage, from a white fixed to a *white occulting* light *every twenty seconds*, thus:—light, *fifteen seconds;* eclipse, *five seconds*. The light will be of the 6th order.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position on chart No. 219, lat. 5° 40½′ N., long. 95° 25′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts—Bassein river to pulo Penang, No. 830; Acheh head to Tyingkok bay, No. 2760; Acheh head to Diamond point, No. 219: Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 392; Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 282; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 55.

CHINA SEA—Gaspar strait— Macclesfield Channel.

Pulo Lepar Light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 376 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1005 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of the light shown from Labu, or Rocky point, pulo Lepar, Macclesfield channel, from a white fixed to a *white flashing* light *every three seconds* thus:—light, *one second;* eclipse, *two seconds*. The light, of the 4th order, will be shown from a white iron framework tower 65 feet in height.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 2° 57′ S., long. 106° 54¾′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 941a; Gaspar and Banka straits, No. 2149; Gaspar strait, No. 2137: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 535; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 436.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Bombay harbour—Mine Practice Field Area.

No. 377 (second publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 92 of 1906) that on and after the 15th October 1906, a mine practice field lying in a direction N. 69° W. and S. 69° E. (True) immediately to the west of Karanja Beacon will be laid down in the Harbour.

2. The area will be 1,360 yards long by 470 yards wide and will be maintained in position until 31st March 1907.

3. The Western face of this field will be marked by 3 buoys—one at each corner and one in the centre.

4. The N. W. buoy will be red and in a position N. 68° W. (True) 6·6 cables from Karanja Beacon.

5. The S. W. buoy will be red and in a position N. 88° W. (True) 6·9 cables from Karanja Beacon.

6. The centre buoy will be painted in red and white checks and carry a square metal flag coloured red and white.

7. The Eastern face of the field will be marked by two buoys—one at each corner, painted black.

8. Vessels should not pass between or anchor in the area marked by these buoys.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bombay Harbour, No. 2621; Port of Bombay, No. 655: Also, West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 199.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Submerged buglow off Kundari island.

No. 378 (second publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 98 of 1906) that the Master of S.S. *Nowshera* reports that he passed a buglow floating bottom upwards in Latitude 18° 37′ N., Longitude 72° 38′ E., Kundari Island, bearing N. 63° E. (T.), distant 10 miles.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Karáchi to Vengurla, No. 826; Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug, No. 2736; and Kundari to Boria Pagoda, No. 738: Also, West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 193.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Gulf of St. Vincent.

Corny point lighthouse—Alteration of light.

No. 379 (second publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 14 of 1906) that it is intended, on or about the 1st January 1907, to alter the characteristics of the above Light in the following respects:—

Instead of the Light being obscured over the Webb Rock and thence inshore as at present, a Red Sector will be shown over this Arc, *i.e.*, between the bearings of N.E. ¼ E. and N.E. by N. ¾ N., where it is shut in by the first point to the Southward of the Lighthouse.

The Red Sector will be visible for 14 miles, the full range of the light.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 2389A.

INDIA, SOUTH—Ceylon coast.

Caution—A newly discovered shoal off Point de Galle.

No. 363 (third publication).—A telegraphic communication, dated 26th September, has been received from the Master Attendant, Colombo, stating that a four-fathom shoal has been discovered, with Galle light-house bearing N. 53° E. Edwards pillar N. 73° E. Whale rock N. 18½° W. Gindurah buoy N. 41½° W. Mariners are hereby warned.

The above bearings are true.

BAY OF BENGAL—Hughli river entrance.

Intermediate light-vessel—Intended alteration.

No. 364 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 944 of 1906) that on or about 15th January 1907, the Intermediate light-vessel, river Hughli entrance, exhibiting a white fixed light, will be replaced by a light-vessel exhibiting a *white group flashing* light *every twenty seconds*, thus:—flash, *four seconds*, eclipse, *two seconds*, flash, *four seconds*, eclipse, *ten seconds;* it will be elevated 35 feet above the sea and visible in clear weather from a distance of 11 miles. A riding light elevated 12 feet above the sea will also be exhibited. The vessel, which is painted red and marked "Intermediate," will have no masts or day marks, and carry no crew; the light will therefore be unwatched. A bell will be sounded by the ship's motion.

Approximate position, lat. 21° 14′ N., long. 88° 11′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bay of Bengal, No. 70; Cocanada to Bassein river, No. 829; the Sandheads, No. 814: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 348.; and Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, pages 223, 224.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Kangaroo island.

Port Kingscote—Alteration in lighting.

No. 365 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 947 of 1906) that the lighting of port Kingscote has been altered as follows:—

a. A *fixed* light, elevated 13 feet above high water, showing *red* to seaward, and *white* landward over the jetty, and visible from a distance of 4 miles, is exhibited from a post on the outer end of the jetty.

b. A *white fixed* light, visible from a distance of 8 miles, is exhibited from a house painted white, erected on the rise at the inner end of the jetty.

Approximate position, inner light, lat. 35° 39′ S., long. 137° 38½′ E.

These two lights in line mark the position of the telegraph bell buoy.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Gulf of St Vincent, &c., No. 2389a : Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 1252; Australia Directory, vol I, 1897, page 313; and Supplement, 1900, page 14.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Sumatra, west coast.—Tampat Tuan bay.

Tuan point—Intended light.

No. 366 (third public ation).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 954 of 1906), that it is intended to establish *a white group occulting* light, showing groups of three occultations *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *fifteen seconds;* eclipse, *three seconds;* light, *three seconds;* eclipse, *three seconds;* light, *three seconds;* eclipse, *three seconds;* from an open ironwork frame support, 45 feet high, and painted white, erected on Tuan point, Tampat Tuan bay: the light, which will be of the 4th order, will be elevated 203 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 13 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 14¾′ N., long. 97° 10′ E.

Further Notice will be given when this light has been established.

This Notice affects the follwing Admiralty Charts :—Eastern archipelago, No. 941a; China Sea, No. 1263; Acheh head to Tyingkok bay, with plan, No. 2760: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 75; China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 275; and Supplement, 1899 page 17.

CHINA SEA—Singapore strait.

Raffles light.—Date of alteration in character.

No. 367 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 3, dated 8th January 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No 960 of 1906) that the character of Raffles light, Coney island, will be altered from white fixed to *white group flashing*, showing groups of three flashes in quick succession *every ten seconds*, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 16 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 10′ N., long. 103° 44½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Malacca strait, No. 1355; cape Rachado to Singapore, No. 795; Banka straits to Singapore, No. 2757; approaches to Singapore, No. 3543; Singapore strait, Nos. 2403; 2404: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 437; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 201.

PACIFIC OCEAN—The Philippine islands—Luzon, east coast—(Albay gulf.)

Legaspi—White light discontinued.

No. 368 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 207, dated 15th June 1903, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 961 of 1906) that on or about the 20th July the white fixed light, elevated 67 feet above high water, formerly exhibited at a short distance to the northward of the town of Legaspi, would be discontinued. The *red fixed* light, which was subsequently established below the above light, would remain as before.

Approximate position on chart No. 3368, lat. 13° 9½′ N., long. 123° 45½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Batan island to San Bernardino island, No. 3368: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 689; Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 383; and Supplement, 1906, page 33.

AFRICA, SOUTH-EAST—MADAGASCAR, WEST COAST—MINOW ISLANDS.

Nosi Mitsio—Shoal off the north end.

No. 369 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 966 of 1906) that a shoal, with a depth of 2½ fathoms over it, is reported to exist in Little sound, between Nosi Fisaka and the Northern extremity of Nosi Mitsio; it has been placed on the chart at a distance of 7 cables, West from mount Ankarana and marked P.D.

Approximate position, lat. 12° 50′ S., long. 48° 38′ E.

(*Variation 7° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Plan of the Minow islands on chart No. 708: Also, islands of the Southern Indian Ocean, 1904, page 159.

The 29th September 1906.

ST. L. S. WARDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.



APPENDIX TO

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1906.

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

Abstract Accounts of Receipts and Expenditure of the Calcutta Port Fund for the year 1905-06.

	Particulars of Receipts.	Port VII.	Port Approaches VIII.	Actual Receipts for 1905-06.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Receipts from charges on vessels.	Hire of moorings	2,44,045 0 3	.....	2,44,045 0 3
	Earnings of tugs, fire-engine vessels, etc.	3,271 13 0	8,203 6 0	11,475 3 0
	Harbour Masters' fees	87,549 0 0	.....	87,549 0 0
	Hauling in and out of moorings	95,854 0 0	.....	95,854 0 0
	Transporting vessels	65,615 0 0	.....	65,615 0 0
	Hire of heave-up and hawser boats	3,202 8 0	.....	3,202 8 0
	Docking and undocking	5,872 6 0	.....	5,872 6 0
	Salvage	2,691 15 8	28 8 6	2,720 8 2
	Earnings of anchor vessels ...	100 0 0	2,344 5 5	2,444 5 3
	Manjees' license fees ...	1,819 8 0	.....	1,819 8 0
	Cargo-boat ,, ,, ...	15,597 3 0	.....	15,597 3 0
	Passenger-boat ,, ,, ...	13,520 11 0	.....	3,520 11 0
	Port dues	.....	6,46,960 6 0	6,46,960 6 0
	Miscellaneous	1,673 5 0	.....	1,673 5 0
Miscellaneous Receipts.	Sale of charts forms and tide tables	50 0 0	703 6 0	753 6 0
	Fines for breaches of Port Rules	6,486 10 0	.....	6,486 10 0
	Miscellaneous	3 0 0	0 8 0	3 8 0
	Hospital Port Dues	1,35,540 8 0	.....	1,35,540 8 0
	Total ...	6,42,602 7 11	6,58,180 7 9	13,01,072 15 8

	Particulars of Expenditure.	Port VII.	Port Approaches VIII.	Actual Expenditure for 1905-06.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Abstract F.	Salaries of Establishment ...	2,89,870 14 3	2,06,749 5 0	4,96,620 3 3
G.	Working Expenses—Stores ...	21,951 3 4	1,13,874 2 1	1,35,825 5 5
H.	Maintenance and Repairs ...	1,30,521 1 10	90,878 5 9	2,21,399 7 7
K.	Miscellaneous Charges ...	58,695 10 0	61,535 8 5	1,20,231 2 5
P.	Police Charges	37,501 11 10	.....	37,501 11 10
	Provision to meet unforeseen Expenditure	1,679 0 0	.....	1,679 0 0
O.	* Approximate Interest and Sinking Fund	1,32,163 0 0	59,318 0 0	1,91,481 0 0
	Hospital Port Dues payable to Government	1,35,540 8 0	.....	1,35,540 8 0
	Total ...	8,07,923 1 3	5,31,345 5 3	13,39,268 6 6

* Interest and Sinking Fund charges are not now distributed in the accounts. The total of such charges is shown as a special item. The above expenditure is approximately what would have been charged to Port and Port Approaches had a distribution been made.

Statement of Ways and Means.

	Rs. A. P.
Receipts	13,01,072 15 8
Expenditure	13,39,268 6 6
Deficit on 31st March 1906	38,195 6 10

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RULES FOR THE CONFIRMATION AND PROMOTION OF OFFICERS OF THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF THE PROVINCIAL CIVIL SERVICE AND OF THE SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3297A.—D.

RESOLUTION.

APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENT.

Darjeeling, the 29th September 1906.

READ-

Government of Bengal, Appointment Department, Resolution No. 369, dated the 31st January 1868, laying down certain rules under which officers of the uncovenanted services are required to pass the Departmental Examinations.

Government of Bengal, Appointment Department, Resolution No. 3111A., dated the 4th July 1892, prescribing the conditions under which Sub-Deputy Collectors are required to pass the Departmental Examinations.

Government of Bengal, Appointment Department, Notification No. 3322A., dated the 28th May 1895, publishing the Rules for the conduct of the Departmental Examinations.

Government of Bengal, Appointment Department, Resolution No. 5649A, dated the 26th December 1904, and the Rules issued thereunder for regulating the appointment of members of the Provincial Executive Service and of the Subordinate Civil Service.

Government of Bengal, Appointment Department, Notification No. 2517A.—D., dated the 20th July 1905, revising Rule 4 in Appendix V of the Departmental Examination Rules.

It has come to the notice of the Lieutenant-Governor that the rules under which officers of the Executive Branch of the Provincial Civil Service and of the Subordinate Civil Service are confirmed in the lowest grade and promoted

to higher grades with respect to the time of their passing the Departmental Examinations are not generally understood. The orders issued from time to time as referred to in the preamble, though clear in regard to the matter of confirmation in the abovementioned services, do not lay down any definite rules as regards the penalty which the Government may find it necessary to inflict in order to prevent unwarrantable delays or repeated failures in passing the Departmental Examinations. His Honour considers it therefore advisable to issue distinct orders on the points noticed above.

2. The following rules are accordingly laid down for the guidance of the officers of the Executive Branch of the Provincial Civil Service and of the Subordinate Civil Service:—

(1) An officer will not be confirmed in the lowest grade, or in any other grade to which he may have been appointed, or be promoted substantively *pro tempore* from the lowest grade or that to which he was on first appointment admitted, to the next grade in the cadre of his service, until he has passed the Departmental Examinations by the Lower Standard.

(2) All officers who may be eligible for confirmation or promotion under the preceding rule will, unless considered unfit for promotion or confirmation for other reasons, be confirmed or promoted in order of seniority if vacancies are available. All officers who are confirmed or promoted will be placed above any of their seniors who may not be found qualified for confirmation or promotion; but an officer will not otherwise be entitled to supersede his seniors by reason merely of his having passed the Departmental Examinations before them.

Illustration.—Five officers, *A*, *B*, *C*, *D* and *E*, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade of the cadre of the Subordinate Civil Service in January, February, March, April and May 1906, respectively. *C* passes the Lower Standard in May 1906, while the others do not. When promotions are made in September 1906, *C*, being otherwise fit, is confirmed and placed above *A* and *B*. In November 1906, *D* passes the Lower Standard, and in May 1907 *A*, *B* and *E* pass the same standard. Promotions are next made in September 1907. All the four officers, *A*, *B*, *D* and *E*, if otherwise fit, will then be confirmed in order of seniority, *i.e.*, in this order, and *D* will not be entitled to pass over *A* and *B* on account of his having passed earlier.

(3) Officers of the Subordinate Civil Service who have been promoted to the Executive Branch of the Provincial Civil Service after having passed the Departmental Examinations will ordinarily not be held eligible for confirmation under Rule (1) till officers appointed to the latter service at the same time or before them have had a reasonable opportunity of psssing the Lower Standard. They will ordinarily have to wait one year. This is the general rule, but each case will be considered on its merits to prevent hardship in individual cases.

Illustration.—*A* and *B* are appointed Probationary Deputy Collectors in October 1906 in this order. *B* is an officer who has been promoted from the Subordinate Civil Service and has passed his Departmental Examinations; *A* was appointed direct. In May 1907 they are both appointed sub *pro tem.* Deputy Collectors of the eighth grade. In the Departmental Examinations of May 1907, *A* fails. Promotions and confirmations are made in September. *A* not having passed, cannot be confirmed in the eighth grade, nor will *B*, as *A* has not had a reasonable opportunity of passing his examinations. In November 1907 *A* fails again. Promotions and confirmations are next made in January 1908. *A* will not be confirmed but *B* will, if fit and there are vacancies, be confirmed and supersede *A*.

(4) An officer will not be confirmed in the next grade to that to which he was on first appointment admitted, until he has passed completely by both standards of the Departmental Examinations.

(5) All officers who may be eligible for confirmation under the preceding rule will, unless considered unfit for confirmation for other reasons, be confirmed in order of seniority if vacancies are available All officers who are confirmed will be placed above any of their seniors who may not be found qualified for confirmation; but an officer will not otherwise be entitled to supersede his seniors merely by reason of his having passed the Departmental Examinations before them.

Illustration.—Five officers, *A*, *B*, *C*, *D* and *E*, are promoted substantively *pro tempore* to the seventh grade of the cadre of the Provincial Civil Service in January, February, March, April and May 1906, respectively. *C* passes the Higher Standard in May 1906, while

the others do not. When promotions are made in September 1906, *C*, being otherwise fit, is confirmed in the seventh grade and placed above *A* and *B*. In November 1906, *D* passes the Higher Standard, and in May 1907, *A*, *B* and *E* pass the same standard. Promotions are next made in September 1907. All the four officers, *A*, *B*, *D* and *E*, if otherwise fit, will then be confirmed in order of seniority, *i e*, in this order, and *D* will not be entitled to pass over *A* and *B* on account of his having passed earlier.

(6) If, after passing completely by both standards, an officer becomes liable, by reason of his transfer, to pass in a vernacular language in which he has not already passed, his promotion will be regulated in accordance with the provisions of Rule 4 (*ii*) in Appendix V of the Departmental Examination Rules.

N.B.—It must be distinctly understood that orders in this Resolution have reference only to the result of examinations. Special promotion may be given by Government to officers who deserve it for specially meritorious services.

ORDER.—Ordered that copies of this Resolution be forwarded to the Secretaries to the Board of Revenue, Land and Miscellaneous Revenue Departments; to all Commissioners of Divisions; to all Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and to all Sub-Deputy Collectors, for information.

Ordered also that a copy be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PRELIMINARY FORECAST OF THE BHADOI CROPS OF BENGAL, 1906.

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[*On an average of five years ending 1904-05 the area under autumn rice in the territory to which this forecast relates has represented some 6·4 per cent. of the total area under this crop in British India.*]

Explanatory.—This forecast relates to the 33 districts including Sambalpur which now constitute this Province since the creation of the new Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

The most important *bhadoi* crop is autumn rice. A good deal of maize, *marua* and *jowar* is grown in Bihar and Chota Nagpur, but these crops are practically unknown in the Presidency, Burdwan, and Orissa Divisions. Of the non-food crops the most important is jute, to which, however, a separate forecast is devoted Cotton and *bhadoi til* are also excluded from this forecast for a similar reason.

Character of the season.—The whole of April and the early portion of May were very dry. This retarded sowings in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions, where the sowing season is early The rainfall later on was insufficient in almost every district in the Burdwan and Orissa Divisions. On the other hand, Bihar has been visited by disastrous floods. Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore, and Hooghly have also suffered more or less severely from floods. Khulna and the 24-Parganas have suffered to some extent from insect pests. Chota Nagpur is the only Division where the prospects are satisfactory. On the whole, the season has been very unfavourable.

Area sown.—The revised normal area under the crops dealt with in this forecast stands at 9,731,200 acres The actual area sown this year is 8,887,600 acres against 9,054,800 acres shown last year.

Outturn.—The outturn of the *bhadoi* crops according to the District Officer's estimates comes only to 70 per cent. of a normal crop for the entire Province against 72 per cent. last year. Only three districts, *viz.*, Gaya, Hazaribagh, and Ranchi show a normal outturn (100). Five districts return an outturn from 90 to 99 per cent. of a normal crop; five other districts return from 80 to 89 per cent.; eight from 70 to 79, and four from 60 to 69; while in the remaining eight the outturn is below 60 per cent., *viz.*, Nadia 59, Saran 59, Purnea 51, Murshidabad 59, Champaran 49, Darbhanga 29, Monghyr 26, and Muzaffarpur 25 per cent.

I think that in many cases the District Officer's estimates are too low, and that on the whole 75 per cent. of a normal outturn may safely be expected.

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The 18th September 1906.

Preliminary forecast of Bhadoi Crops, 1906.

District.	Total area of district in acres.	Total area in district estimated to be under cultivation in acres.	Names of *bhadoi* crops.	Approximate normal area under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Approximate area last year (1905) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Estimated area this year (1906) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1905)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1906)?	Figures from Cadastral Survey.			Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Brief remarks as to the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
									Total area of the district which has been surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Burdwan ...	1,722,240	1,284,800	*Autumn* rice	173,700	142,100	(*a*) 136,900	88	(*a*) 59	Acres. 51,370	1889 to 1892 and 1903-1906.	Acres. Not ascertainable.	15th May to July.	(*a*) The decrease in the estimated area and outturn is due to insufficient rainfall during the sowing season. In the Kalna subdivision the decrease is 5,000 acres, which the Subdivisional Officer attributes to want of sufficient rainfall at the proper time and the extension of the cultivation of jute. (*b*) and (*d*) The outturn is expected to be low owing to the insufficient rainfall. (*c*) The decrease in the estimated area during 1906 as compared with that shewn last year is due to the revision of the figures for the Raniganj subdivision by the Subdivisional Officer.	
			Indian-corn (maize)	3,000	3,000	3,000	80	100	...	...	...	July.		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	8,100	6,700	6,700	73	85	...	...	...	Do.		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	2,800	2,300	2,200	66	(*b*) 60	...	...	...	Do.		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	10,100	13,500	(*c*) 7,400	68	(*d*) 57	...	...	...	Do.		
			Total ...	197,700	167,600	156,200	85	61	51,370	...	...			

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
									Acres.		Acres.			
Birbhum ...	1,121,280	776,300	*Autumn* rice	144,100	144,100	144,100	100	75	37,749	1889 to 1891.	...	Latter part of May 1906.	Owing to want of rain in June the outturn is expected to be lower than normal.	
			Indian-corn (maize)	1,900	1,900	1,900	100	75						
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and pulses.	1,400	1,400	1,400	100	75						
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	2,800	2,800	2,800	100	75						
			Total ...	150,200	150,200	150,200	100	75	37,749	...	...			
Bankura ...	1,677,440	642,880	*Autumn* rice	21,900	14,500	14,500	80	80	15,210	1889 to 1892, 1894 to 1900.	Not known.	30th May.	The area and outturn are much below the normal, owing to untimely and insufficient rainfall.	
			Beira	80	60	70	80	80				2nd June.		
			Mandua *marua* or *ragi*	1,100	800	800	75	75				Do.		
			Indian-corn (maize)	3,600	3,200	3,200	75	75				Do.		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and pulses.	8,400	7,500	7,500	75	75				Do.		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	700	2,500	2,600	75	75				Do.		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	1,200	1,000	1,200	75	75				Do.		
			Total ...	37,700	30,100	30,500	77	77	15,210	...	...			

Midnapore ...	3,319,040	2,190,600	*Autumn* rice	106,600	101,100	100,500	72	61				April ...	Slight decrease in area due to want of timely rainfall. Outturn affected partly by floods and partly for want of timely rainfall.
			Bajra	6,100	5,500	5,500	40	40				1st May ...	
			Mandua *marua* or *ragi* ...	2,000	1,900	1,900	50	50				Do. ...	
			Indian-corn (maize)	21,300	20,600	20,600	50	50				Do. ...	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	48,600	47,300	46,800	65	51	35,342	1893 to 1898.	16,293	15th April	
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	23,000	20,400	20,200	70	65				Do. ...	
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	54,200	51,900	51,900	87	86				Do. ...	
			Total ...	261,800	248,700	247,400	71	63	35,342	...	16,293	...	
Hooghly ...	761,216*	352,600	*Autumn* rice...	32,000	36,600	37,500	88	87	...	...	...	...	*The total area of the district has been reduced from 1,191 square miles to 1,189·4 square miles owing to the transfer of 3 villages to Burdwan *vide* Government Notification No. 334T.—R., dated 4th May 1906). A larger area of autumn rice was sown this year as compared with the previous year, but as the crops are being damaged by floods on the *char* lands, a better outturn is not expected.
			Indian corn	40	...	40	...	100					
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	1,500	500	500	30	80					
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	3,000	2,500	2,500	83	100					
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	10,000	4,000	4,000	80	80					
			Total ...	46,500	43,600	44,340	87	87	...	...	...	...	
Howrah ...	326,400	255,200	*Autumn* rice	18,500	17,000	17,100	40	92	...	...	...	Latter end of May and early in June.	The weather has been generally favourable and the condition of the crops fair. The date of sowing was rather early.
			Indian-corn (maize)	100	100	100	100	75					
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	1,300	1,300	1,300	33	96					
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables.)	2,700	2,700	2,700	54	96					
			Total ...	22,600	21,100	21,200	42	93	...	...	...	...	

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									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	16
24-Parganas ...	3,100,160	1,079,700	*Autumn* rice	74,600	62,500	51,500	87	74	...	...	...	Middle of May.	The figures in column 5 have been revised after careful enquiry. Weather was not very favourable to the *bhadoi* crops this year. Want of timely rain in April and in the first part of May and damage by insects account for the decrease in the estimated areas and low outturns of all the crops except "other *bhadoi* non-food crops" which shows a slight increase in the estimated percentage of outturn.	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	4,100	3,100	1,800	90	77						
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	7,000	6,000	5,000	91	89						
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	1,800	100	1,800	75	94						
			Total ...	87,500	72,100	60,100	87	76	...	...	...			
Nadia ...	1,787,520	1,043,800	*Autumn* rice	338,900	403,900	444,000	80	60	Not cadastrally surveyed.			21st April 1906.	The sowing was late for want of timely rainfall. The outturn would have been 90 per cent. had not the crops been damaged by floods.	
			Mandua *marua* or *ragi* ...	300	...	...	...	...				...		
			Indian-corn (maize)	800	100	600	62	45				9th June 1906.		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	11,700	4,800	4,200	68	60				21st April 1906.		
			Other *bhadoi* food crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	17,700	6,900	8,400	65	60				24th April 1906.		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	25,000	24,000	18,500	70	50				15th April 1906.		
			Total ...	384,400	439,700	475,700	79	59	...	...	...			

Murshidabad	1,371,520	985,500	*Autumn* rice	229,700	250,400	164,700	74	51	} Not cadastrally surveyed			Early in May.	Weather and general conditions favourable, but the high flood this year greatly damaged the crops, hence the decrease in the outturn. Sowing was normal in a large part of the area.
			Bajra	500	...	400	...	64					
			Mandua *marua* or *ragi*	500	...	400	...	45				June.	
			Indian-corn (maize)	200	400	300	75	70				Do.	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	2,200	3,100	1,600	54	54				Do.	
			Other *bhadoi* food crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	3,600	3,700	4,100	73	50				15th June 1906.	The decrease in the area sown is due to the cultivation of a very large portion of the *bhadoi* paddy lands with jute which is found to be much more profitable than paddy. *Bajra* and *mandua* have been reported for the first time this year.
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	72,500	68,500	14,600	70	54				Do.	
												1st May 1906.	
			Total ...	314,200	326,100	186,100	73	59	...	...	...		
...egore ...	1,872,000	1,191,000	*Autumn* rice	371,900	362,500	356,300	87	70	...	...	...	15th May 1906.	The sowing of autumn rice was late this year owing to want of rain. The general condition of the crop was very favourable and the outturn would have been satisfactory but for the damage caused lately by the sudden floods. Jute has encroached upon the lands previously occupied by autumn rice.
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	13,600	13,000	9,000	77	60	...	...	...		
			Other *bhadoi* food crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	28,300	26,000	19,000	81	70	...	...	...		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	9,200	9,000	9,100	95	73	...	...	...		
			Total ...	423,000	410,500	393,900	86	70	...	...	...		

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									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.			
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Khulna ...	3,049,548	870,000	*Aušuna* rice	45,800	62,800	43,100	73	71	25,613	1893 to 1906.	50	12th May 1906.	The sowing was late this year. Weather and general condition of the crops fair, except in Satkhira where damage to some extent has been done by insects. Want of sufficient rain in time has affected the out turn of the crops. The revised normal area as reported in this office No. 744, dated 15th June 1906, has been shown in column 5; hence the difference from last year's figures. The normal area under autumn rice has been further revised to 46,800. The sowing was a little late this year. The rainfall was somewhat irregular, sometimes continuous and excessive and sometimes there was cessation for many days. This has affected the yield. Dara crops were damaged by floods.		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	1,000	3,300	1,000	100	80			5			
			Other *bhadoi* food crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	4,700	3,300	4,200	52	75			2			
			Total ...	51,500	69,200	48,300	73	72	25,613	...	57			

Patna	...	1,239,600	1,082,100	*Autumn* rice	14,200	11,500	11,500	79	85			7,243		
				Jowar	15,500	13,500	12,500	48	65			163		
				Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	63,000	63,500	63,500	52	75			341		
				Indian-corn (maize)	114,000	113,600	113,200	40	65			5,189		
				Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	17,400	16,100	15,600	45	60	73,164	1900-01	15,771	Towards the end of June.	
				Other *bhadoi* food crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	8,800	7,600	7,600	83	85			141		
				Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	5,800	5,500	5,500	72	80			794		
				Total ...	239,500	231,300	229,400	48	70	73,164	...	29,642		
Gaya	...	3,015,680	2,207,500	*Autumn* rice	20,000	7,200	8,800	93	100			...	30th June	
				Jowar	19,600	14,100	16,400	55	100			1,871		
				Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	77,200	62,800	66,200	60	100		1893 to	7,627		
				Indian-corn (maize)	63,500	57,300	59,600	50	100		1895	6,909		
				Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	30,200	23,400	24,500	70	100	514,592	to 1900-1902.	94,140	15th June 1906.	The condition of the crops is good owing to favourable rainfall. The date of sowing was normal.
				Other *bhadoi* food crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	3,500	2,900	3,100	70	100			419		
				Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	1,400	900	1,000	70	100			122		
				Total ...	215,400	168,600	179,600	59	100	514,592	...	111,088		
Shahabad	...	2,798,720	1,841,900	*Autumn* rice	57,500	48,700	47,500	70	82	...	...	...		
				Jowar	8,200	7,500	7,500	50	65	...	...	...		
				Bajra	4,200	3,800	3,700	50	66	...	...	...		
				Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	48,600	35,600	31,500	60	70	...	...	...	20th to 30th June 1906.	The date of sowing was normal. The crops in the Arrah subdivision were damaged by a Sone flood in the beginning of July and those in the Buxar subdivision by heavy rain in August. In Shahabad and Sasseram the prospects are fairly good but more rain is now wanted.
				Indian-corn (maize)	51,200	39,500	47,700	50	66	...	...	...		
				Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	17,500	13,300	13,900	55	73	...	...	...		
				Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	16,500	10,900	10,800	60	66	...	...	...		
				Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	20,700	14,400	14,300	55	67	...	...	...		
				Total ...	224,400	173,700	176,900	59	71	...	...	...		

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									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Saran	1,711,199	1,357,200	*Autumn* rice	66,400	54,700	54,000	82	80	1,633,435	1893 to 1901	66,324	In the first week of June.	The sowings were generally normal. The excessive rain has damaged the crops to a great extent.	
			Jowar	5,500	5,000	5,000	60	50			...			
			Bajra	2,800	2,000	2,000	60	50			...			
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	40,600	25,000	26,000	35	70			40,266			
			Indian-corn (maize)	214,300	214,300	214,300	30	55			213,240			
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	45,000	40,000	40,000	43	50			...			
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	21,300	21,300	21,000	45	50			...			
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	18,200	20,000	20,000	60	60			...			
			Total ...	414,100	382,300	382,300	39	59	1,633,435	...	319,830			
Champaran ...	2,259,840	1,447,600	*Autumn* rice	223,000	234,000	209,000	90	67	2,079,815	1892 to 1899	256,671	21st April 1906.	The low outturn is due to excessive rainfall and flood. Sowing was a little late owing to late rainfall.	
			Jowar	6,000	5,800	1,100	90	14			...			
			Bajra	4,000	4,000	900	90	38			...			
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	18,000	16,900	15,400	80	37			17,385			
			Indian-corn (maize)	120,000	120,000	113,300	60	83			119,868			
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	135,000	135,000	88,500	90	27			...	May 1906		
			Other *bhadoi* food crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	1,000	1,000	18,100	90	66			...			
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	1,000	1,000	5,500	100	56			...			
			Total ...	508,000	517,600	451,800	83	49	2,079,815	...	393,924	...		

Muzaffarpur	1,942,487	1,627,000	*Autumn* rice	109,200	109,200	109,200	60	33	1,942,400	1892-33 to 1898-99	109,300	June 1906.	The marked decrease in the outturn this year is due to the excessive rain and the late floods which have affected the crops badly.
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	82,400	82,400	82,400	50	23			82,400		
			Indian-corn (maize)	163,800	163,800	163,800	40	23			163,900		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	128,600	128,600	128,600	51	14			128,600		
			Other *bhadoi* food crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	8,300	8,300	8,300	47	24			8,300		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ..	15,200	15,200	15,200	45	37			15,200		
			Total ...	507,500	507,500	507,500	49	23	1,942,400	...	507,500	...	
Darbhanga ...	2,141,090	1,678,000	*Autumn* rice	80,800	42,300	65,500	45	24	2,142,690	1896 to 1902	80,800	2nd half of May and 1st half of June.	The date of sowing was normal. The condition of the crop was good; but the heavy floods which visited this district caused much damage; hence the outturn is estimated to be low.
			Jowar	10,700	15,500	16,300	59	48			10,700		
			Bajra	500	200	200	26	25			500		
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	221,200	171,000	190,200	42	24			221,200		
			Indian-corn (maize)	87,100	112,000	92,900	48	34			87,100		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	9,000	25,400	21,600	51	36			9,000		
			Other *bhadoi* food crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	...	1,100	1,600	52	50			...		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	500	11,300	11,700	40	50			500		
			Total ...	409,800	378,800	400,000	46	29	2,142,690	...	409,900	.....	
Monghyr ...	2,510,050	1,582,900	*Autumn* rice	58,900	20,000	11,900	35	40	985,552	1930 to 1904	13,544	.....	Nearly the whole area to the north of the Ganges has been flooded and the *bhadoi* crops annihilated. The crops in the diaras also have been totally destroyed.
			Jowar	41,200	14,000	6,500	40	47			...		
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	40,400	59,100	39,000	45	35			42,071	.....	
			Indian-corn (maize)	347,500	219,000	235,800	45	21			1 1 438	... ..	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	30,000	14,300	14,400	48	24			265,512	.....	
			Other *bhadoi* food crops (*e.g.*, vegetable).	19,100	18,700	19,000	45	39			...	.....	
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	14,000	29,000	22,500	40	34			1,601	... ...	
			Total ...	551,100	404,100	349,400	44	26	985,552	...	472,973	.....	

District.	Total area of district in acres.	Total area in district estimated to be under cultivation in acres.	Names of *bhadoi* crops.	Approximate normal area under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Approximate area last year (1905) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Estimated area this year (1906) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1905)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1906)?	Figures from Cadastral Survey.			Date at which the sowing of the crops, was begun this year.	Brief remarks as to the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
									Acres.		Acres.			
Bhagalpur ...	2,704,640	2,097,069	*Autumn* rice	276,300	254,300	274,200	90	90	888,301	1902 to 1904	137,951	First week of June.	Floods have caused damage to the crops and hence the decrease in the return. The figures in columns 5 and 6 have been revised by the Subdivisional Officer of Madhipura on the basis of cadastral survey figures together with the figures of the Bonaily-Srinagar Settlement; and hence difference in the figures in column 5.	
			Jowar	22,000	22,000	22,000	90	100			258			
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	130,800	120,300	128,800	58	65			135,119			
			Indian-corn (maize)	175,200	163,200	175,200	64	80			16,832			
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	31,100	14,300	31,100	72	45			16,354			
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	2,100	2,100	2,100	80	96			1,065			
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	26,600	26,600	26,600	98	98			1,586			
			Total ...	664,100	603,300	660,100	76	81	888,301	...	309,165			
Purnea ...	3,196,153	1,696,060	*Autumn* rice	516,500	507,700	438,500	85	50	...	...	...	From the middle of May.	On account of heavy floods the crops have been damaged to a great extent, and in some parts of the district all crops in general, specially *bhadoi*, have been washed away: hence an outturn of less than 8 annas is expected. The sowing of crops was late for want of timely rain.	
			Jowar	100	100	100	100	50						
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	4,400	4,300	4,000	100	52						
			Indian-corn (maize)	6,000	6,000	5,000	90	50						
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	4,300	4,300	3,000	88	55						
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	28,900	28,300	26,900	98	75						
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops...	200	200	200	100	75						
			Total ...	560,400	551,500	477,700	86	51	...	...	...			

Darjeeling ...	744,960	160,600	*Autumn* rice	7,200	7,200	6,800	103	72	...	...	...	February, April and June.	The weather was not favourable for the *bhadoi* crops, hence the outturn is expected to be below the normal. The estimates of normal area are under revision and the revised area has been shown in column 5.
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	5,300	5,800	5,300	124	76					
			Indian-corn (maize)	40,300	21,700	40,200	100	70					
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	2,200	600	2,200	132	75	261,549	1887 and and 1903.	3,868 37,778		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	5,200	4,700	5,000	116	75			...		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	2,900	...	2,500	...	76			...		
			Total ...	63,100	40,000	62,000	106	72	261,549	...	75,783		
Sonthal Parganas.	3,500,800	1,545,300	*Autumn* rice	338,400	324,200	324,800	91	85				.....	Weather favourable. General condition of the crop is good. The date of sowing was normal.
			Jowar	48,700	47,700	46,200	78	93			$1,851		
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	19,700	20,700	20,900	63	98			24,785		
			Indian-corn (maize)	171,400	166,500	168,000	62	107			163,702		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	115,300	111,400	114,500	66	96	3,272,009	1889 to 1903.	...	15th April to 1st June.	
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	6,400	6,400	6,400	77	99			...		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	48,400	48,400	49,300	80	97			...		
			Total ...	748,300	728,300	734,200	78	94	3,272,009	...	930,,336		
Cuttack ...	2,338,560	1,223,500	*Autumn* rice	163,100	165,500	169,500	75	64			135,298	Last week of May.	Owing to insufficiency of rainfall at sowing and growing time the present state of the crop is not very favourable.
			Mandua *marua* or *ragi* ...	15,100	14,200	15,100	70	66					
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	8,300	2,900	2,800	74	71	2,088,437	1887 to 1895 & 1899 to 1901.	30,674	2nd week of June.	
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	3,000	5,500	5,800	70	80			...	.....	
			Other *bhadoi* non food-crops ...	5,500	3,500	2,300	74	85			.....	.....	
			Total ...	195,000	195,600	196,500	74	65	2,088,437	...	165,972	.....	
Balasore ...	1,334,368	932,900	*Autumn* rice	11,000	11,000	11,000	95	75			9,109	From 1st week of June.	Weather fair. General condition of the crop good, but the crop suffered a little for want of timely rains. The date of sowing was normal.
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	2,300	1,800	1,500	95	95			1,800		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	800	1,100	1,100	95	95	1,109,190	1891-92 to 1894-95.	800		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	1,000	3,200	3,200	85	85			1,000		
			Total ...	15,100	17,100	17,100	93	80	1,109,190	...	12,709		

District.	Total area of district in acres.	Total area in district estimated to be under cultivation in acres.	Names of *bhadoi* crops.	Approximate normal area under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Approximate area last year (1905) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Estimated area this year (1906) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1905)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1906)?	Figures from Cadastral Survey.			Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Brief remarks as to the whether and general condition of the crops and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
									Acres.		Acres.			
Angul ...	1,075,840	260,000	*Autumn* rice	18,000	16,500	16,500	75	90				15th June	Autumn rice and Marua suffered a little at the time of growth. The date of sowing was normal for all the crops,	
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	3,000	3,200	3,200	75	93				2nd July		
			Indian-corn (maize)	8,000	8,000	8,000	75	100				25th June		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	8,200	13,500	13,500	70	100				20th ,,		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	1,000	1,100	1,100	70	100				10th ,,		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	1,000	1,000	1,000	70	100				Do.		
			Total ...	39,200	43,300	43,300	73	95						
Puri	1,599,360	750,200	*Autumn* rice	65,200	24,600	21,000	69	67			22,978	15th June	Owing to the insufficient and untimely rainfall, the condition of the crops is not good. The date of sowing was this year late. The figures in column 5 have been revised.	
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	24,800	19,800	16,100	53	53			13,099	Do.		
			Indian-corn (maize)	200	300	400	43	51			...	...		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	1,500	2,100	1,600	55	60	1,599,360	1858 to 1889.	...	July.		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	3,200	5,700	4,100	74	68			3,044	15th June.		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	2,100	1,500	900	69	72			285			
			Total ...	97,000	54,000	44,100	65	62	1,599,360	...	46,399			
Sambalpur ...	2,447,360	1,051,800	*Autumn* rice	406,700	425,800	425,900	90	90			383,483	1st June	The actual area has been given in column 6 now. The date of sowing this year was normal. More rain is badly wanted. General condition of the crop seems to be fair at present.	
			Jowar	700	800	800	90	90			162	25th ,,		
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	600	400	700	90	90			278	25th ,,		
			Indian-corn (maize)	2,100	1,600	3,100	90	105			724	30th ,,		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	132,300	124,800	143,300	85	100	2,433,280	1884 to 1887 and 1891 to 1897.	111,140	20th ,, to 31st Aug.		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	2,000	1,200	1,500	100	100			6,094	15th May.		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	4,300	4,700	7,000	100	105			904	25th June 1906.		
			Total ...	548,700	559,300	582,300	80	93	2,433,280	...	502,785			

Hazaribagh ...	4,493,440	1,703,000	*Autumn* rice	73,200	73,200	73,200	92	100	...	...	...	June 1906	Weather and general condition of the crop are good. The date of sowing was normal.
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	118,900	118,900	118,900	82	100					
			Indian-corn (maize)	188,200	188,200	188,200	45	100					
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	130,800	130,800	130,800	78	100					
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	1,200	1,200	1,200	78	100					
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	75,100	75,100	75,100	100	100					
			Total ...	587,400	587,400	587,400	73	100	...	...	...		
Ranchi ...	4,561,920	1,500,000	*Autumn* rice	97,300	97,000	97,300	70	100	...	...	...	By the 1st week of June.	The increase in the outturn as compared with that of last year is due to seasonable rainfall.
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	31,700	30,000	31,700	100	100	The District is being cadastrally surveyed.			...	
			Indian-corn (maize)	4,000	4,000	4,000	50	100				By the middle of July 1906.	The date of sowing was normal.
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	61,700	50,000	61,000	80	100					
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	1,000	1,000	1,000	80	100					
			Total ...	195,700	182,000	195,700	77	100	...	...	...		
Palamau ...	3,144,960	627,600	*Autumn* rice	30,000	23,000	25,000	90	94	187,520	1896 to 1897.	...	24th June	The date of sowing of the crop was normal.
			Jowar	600	.....	...	...	...			157	...	
			Bajra	2,300	1,000	4,000	75	85			...	18th July.	
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	19,700	18,000	18,300	85	80			1,660	7th ,,	
			Indian-corn (maize)	59,000	32,000	33,000	72	87			4,821	12th ,,	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	46,000	45,000	44,000	83	85			...	11th ,,	
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	4,400	2,000	2,400	90	93			...	10th ,,	
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	5,000	200	200	75	75			...	8th ,,	
			Total ...	157,000	121,200	123,900	83	87	187,520	...	6,638		
Kanbhum ...	2,654,080	1,419,200	*Autumn* rice	174,300	54,100	119,300	100	97	...	...	...	1st week of June.	The increase in the outturn of jowar, bajra, mandua, Indian-corn, and other *bhadoi* cereals and pulses is due to favourable rain. The low outturn in the case of other crops is due to untimely rainfall. The date of sowing this year was normal in the case of autumn rice and late in the case of other crops. These are the figures of the local police reports. From what I have seen and heard, however, I believe, the outturn of *bhadoi* crops may safely be put at 100 per cent. all round.
			Jowar	1,400	1,600	5,200	70	87				Latter part of June.	
			Bajra	6,100	8,400	5,500	74	93					
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	20,000	14,700	17,200	74	94					
			Indian-corn (maize)	90,300	53,100	57,800	59	93					
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	107,900	71,100	92,000	78	79					
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	22,300	12,000	15,900	95	80					
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	15,500	7,200	7,900	100	82					
			Total ...	438,300	222,200	320,700	80	86	...	...	...		

District.	Total area of district in acres.	Total area in district estimated to be under cultivation in acres.	Names of *bhadoi* crops.	Approximate normal area under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Approximate area last year (1905) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Estimated area this year (1906) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal *outturn*, how much represented the outturn last year (1905)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1906)?	Figures from Cadastral Survey.			Date at which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Brief remarks as to the weather and general condition of the crops and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
										Acres.		Acres.		
Singhbhum ...	2,490,240	840,700	*Autumn* rice	263,000	241,900	254,000	100	100			...	10th June	The season has been favourable. The date of sowing was normal.	
			Jowar	10,300	10,300	9,000	85	90			12,543	20th ,,		
			Bajra	7,700	7,400	6,700	85	90						
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*	15,000	14,900	14,200	85	90			6,872			
			Indian-corn (maize)	31,000	30,500	31,000	89	90	1,761,984	1895 to 1897 and 1900 to 1902.	19,272	15th June.		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	40,000	38,900	38,000	95	90			26,154			
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	1,500	1,000	1,000	85	90			...			
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	1,500	1,100	1,400	88	90			...			
			Total ...	370,000	346,000	355,300	97	97	1,761,984	...	64,841			
Bengal ...	74,103,479	39,305,500	*Autumn* rice	4,617,900	4,377,100	4,285,300	94	73						
			Jowar	190,500	157,900	148,600	69	80						
			Bajra	35,000	32,900	26,600	69	37						
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*	1,005,100	944,600	912,700	59	63						
			Indian-corn (maize)	1,959,500	1,755,900	1,784,200	51	68						
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	1,210,500	1,119,300	1,109,200	73	79						
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	260,000	222,300	236,200	73	70						
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	452,700	444,800	394,800	77	80						
			Total ...	9,731,200	9,054,800	8,887,600	72	75*	...	...	...	...	*As estimated by this Department.	

FINAL FORECAST OF THE JUTE CROP IN BEGAL, 1906.

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FINAL FORECAST OF THE JUTE CROP OF BENGAL, 1906.

[On an average of the five years ending 1904-05, the area under jute crop in the territory to which this forecast relates has represented some 15·4 per cent. of the total area under jute crop in British India.]

Explanatory.—As mentioned in the Preliminary Forecast out of the 27 districts with which the jute forecasts dealt with in previous years, 13 have been transferred to the new Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam. At present, therefore, only 14 jute-growing districts are left in the Province. Under the orders of the Government of India, the preliminary forecast only gave the estimated acreage sown, it being too early then (July) to give an estimate of the outturn; but this final forecast gives not only the acreage but also an estimate of the outturn in bales.

2. *Acreage.*—The following figures show the acreage sown as reported by the District Officers in their final forecasts in the four preceding years in respect of the 14 districts to which this forecast relates and the acreage reported for the current year. The acreage reported last year and that reported in the preliminary forecast of this year have been revised in certain districts:—

Year.	Acreage sown.
1902	278,100
1903	268,000
1904	05,900
1905	569,300
1906	780,400

3. *Trade conditions.*—The total consumption of jute from 1901 is given in the table below. It shows the total of export, mill consumption and country consumption for the entire crop grown in this Province as well as that grown in the districts now transferred to Eastern Bengal and Assam, for five years from 1901:—

Season.	Lakhs of bales.
1901	74·38
1902	65·77
1903	72·41
1904	74·00
1905	81·32

4. *Weather conditions.*—As reported in the preliminary forecast, April was a very dry month; fortunately, however,

the drought occurred before sowings had generally been made.

After the drought of April the rainfall was generally good during May, June, and July though more or less short of the normal. This shortage, however, facilitated the operations of weeding and thinning. In August there was very good rain; in fact in some districts, the fall was exceptionally heavy. Considerable damage has been done by floods especially in the important districts of Purnea, Murshidabad, Nadia, and Jessore. In Cuttack and Balasore, on the other hand, the fall was only about half the normal.

The rainfall in the six most important jute districts from March to September from 1902 onwards is given in the table below:—

	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.
		Includes the whole of September.			Up to 15th September.
	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Purnea	65·03	51·65	44·77	76·54	64·62
Murshidabad	59·82	41·99	52·23	65·81	40·38
24-Parganas	54·81	48·98	55·00	65·69	38·93
Nadia	49·45	48·68	51·40	67·41	38·59
Jessore	61·84	40·43	53·56	72·71	40·54
Howrah	51·87	51·10	54 98	62·50	40·16

Among the important districts, Nadia and the 24-Parganas reported some damage by insects.

5. *District Returns.*—(i) *Area.* In the preliminary forecast the area returned by the Collectors was 745,600 acres against 780,400 in the present forecast. The increase of 34,800 acres is due to revision of the area in the following districts:—

Districts.	Preliminary forecast.	Final forecast.	Difference.
Burdwan	15,000	16,500	+ 1,500
24-Parganas	89,900	93,000	+ 3,100
Nadia	66,700	90,000	+23,300
Murshidabad	98,500	104,800	+ 6,300
Darjeeling	2,400	3,000	+ 600

On the whole, I accept the area returned by the District Officers, and consider that 780,400 acres may be taken as the area under the crop in this Province in 1906, as against 569,300 acres in 1905. This latter figure differs from the

figure shown in the final forecast of last year, and is due to the revision of the figures of area by certain District Officers.

(ii) *Outturn.*—The district outturns work out to 80·3 per cent. of a normal crop. The outturns, however, of several districts appear to me to be under-estimated. For instance, in the case of Burdwan, as the Collector reports, the prospects to be good throughout, the percentage of outturn may be estimated at 100 instead of 95. In the 24-Parganas, again, as the general condition and prospect are reported to be good, 95 per cent. has been taken, as the damage from insects is not expected to exceed 5 per cent. In the case of Jessore, there seems good reason to increase the estimated percentage of outturn from 75 to 80; and enquiry leads to the conclusion that the Cuttack estimated percentage of outturn may be raised to 90 The Collector of Purnea also notes that his estimate of outturn may *possibly* be pessimistic. On the whole, I think the estimated percentage of outturn for the fourteen districts of this Province may safely be put at 82 on the average.

60. *Estimate.*—Calculating an outturn of three bales as a normal outturn per acre, an outturn of 82 per cent. on an area of 780,400 acres should represent 1,911,700 bales in round figures.

Not included in the above—are the figures for Eastern Bengal and Assam, Cooch Bihar, Nipal, and Upper India The Cooch Bihar State has not up to date communicated figures for the current season in spite of telegraphic reminders.

7. Consolidated forecast for the two Provinces of Bengal and Eastern Bengal and Assam—

Year.	Estimated acreage under jute.	Estimated outturn in bales.
1905 ...	3,128,300 (*a*)	8,088,093 (*a*)
1906 ...	3,336,400 (*b*)	8,736,220 (*b*)

(*a*) Revised figures.

(*b*) These figures do not include the figures for Cooch Bihar, Nipal, Madras and Upper India. Last year's figures were as follows:—

	Bales.
Cooch Bihar	52,800
Nipal	64,302
From Upper India *via* East Indian Railway ...	26,269
From station outside Bengal *via* Bengal Nagpur Railway	4,257

A considerable increase may be expected in these figures for the current year.

A small area of jute has been cultivated in North Bihar this year. A few thousand bales only may be expected from this source.

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APPENDIX I.

Final Forecast of the Jute Crop of Bengal, 1906.

Division.	District.	Total area of the district.	Estimated total area under cultivation.	Approximate area sown last year (1905).	Estimated area sown this year (1906).	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn per acre, how much represented the outturn last year (1905) P	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn per acre, how much will represent this year's outturn (1906) P	Whether much, little, or no jute remains in the district from the crop of the year 1905.	Figures from Cadastral Survey.			Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		14
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				Acres.		Acres.		
Burdwan	Burdwan ...	1,720,960	1,284,200	14,500	16,500	95	95	Very little	51,370	1889 to 1892 and 1903 to 1906.	22	It is reported that the weather was favourable throughout the district. General prospect is reported to be good throughout. Increase in the estimated area by 1,500 acres over the preliminary is due to the fact that figures supplied by the Police for the Sadr Subdivisision were found to be inaccurate as a large area brought under jute was not discovered by the police at the time of preparation of the preliminary forecast even. The increase in the area on the whole as compared with last year's figures is due to the high prices obtained by cultivators last year.	
	Midnapore ...	3,319,040	2,191,600	10,500	9,400	77	71	Very little in Sadar and Contai, little in Tamluk and no jute in Ghatal.	35,342	1893 to 1899.	29	Weather was not favourable, owing to want of seasonable rain. Prospects of the crop not very good. Decrease in area due to insufficient rain at sowing time The outturn will be low for want of seasonable rainfall.	

Division.	District.	Total area of the district.	Estimated total area under cultivation.	Approximate area sown last year (1905).	Estimated area sown this year (1906).	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn per acre, how much represented the outturn last year (1905)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn per acre, how much will represent this year's outturn (1906)?	Whether much, little, or no jute remains in the district from the crop of the year 1905.	Figures from Cadastral Survey.			Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				Acres.		Acres.		
Burdwan—*concld.*	Hooghly ...	762,240	352,600	15,800	42,200	75	100	No jute ...	Not cadastrally surveyed.			Weather has been favourable. General prospects of the crop good. The high price obtained last year for jute is the cause of the increase in the area sown. The crop is better this year as the weather has been favourable.	
	Howrah ...	326,400	235,900	51,000	56,700	75	100	A little in the Uluberia subdivision	...	...	...	The weather is favourable. General prospects of the crop are fair. The increase in the area sown this year is due to the rise in the price of jute, and the increase in the outturn is due to the timely rainfall.	
	24-Parganas ...	3,100,160	1,079,700	80,200	83,000	75	89	Nil	...	...	...	The figures in column 6 have been raised. (a) Weather was on the whole favourable to the jute crop. In Baraset the sowings were late for want of rains in the early part of the year. (b) The general condition and prospects of the crop are good. (c) The increase in the estimated area sown as compared with that of last year is due to more land having been put under jute in consequence of the large profit derived from it last year. Damage by insects is reported from Basirhat and Baraset subdivisions, hence the outturn of this year falls somewhat below the normal.	

PRESIDENCY	Nadia ...	1,787,520	1,043,800	45,000	90,000	80	90	Nil	No cadastrally surveyed.			The condition of the crop is not good owing to the want of rainfall during the growth of the plants. The increase in the area sown this year is due to high prices. Jute was partly damaged by insects in some places and partly by floods.
	Murshidabad	1,371,520	965,500	40,800	104,800	115	76	Little ...	...	...	...	Weather favourable throughout, but the sudden high flood damaged the crop to some extent at the time it was about to be harvested. General prospect yet favourable. The increase in the area sown this year is due to the crop being much more profitable than *bhadoi* paddy. A very large proportion of the paddy lands was therefore absorbed in the cultivation of jute. The decrease in the outturn is attributed to the high flood that affected the crop to a great extent.
	Jessore ...	1,872,000	1,191,000	41,300	70,500	74	75	Little ..	...	...	...	The rainfall was insufficient at first, but has been favourable later. Weather has been favourable on the whole. General prospect of the crop fair, but flood has damaged the crop in some parts.
	Khulna ...	3,049,542	570,000	10,700	37,000	85	89	Very little	25,613	1898 to 1900 and 1903 to 1905.	603	Weather has been favourable, though rainfall was late. General prospect of the crop is fair although some damage has been caused in Satkhira Subdivision by a kind of insect. The increase in the area sown this year is due to the fact that owing to the highly profitable character of the business in jute, most of the *aus* paddy lands are being sown with it. The outturn, though better than last year, would have been still greater, had not the crop been damaged by a kind of insect in Satkhira.
BHAGALPUR	Bhagalpur ...	2,709,640	2,097,000	4,700	4,700	65	87	Little ...	1,229,440	1902 to 1904.	151	Weather and rainfall were not favourable. General condition of the crop is fair. Decrease in the area in column 5 as compared with the figures shown in the preliminary forecast is due to revision of area by Subdivisional Officer of Banka. Owing to some damage caused by floods the outturn is estimated to be less than the normal.

Division.	District.	Total area of the district.	Estimated total area under cultivation.	Approximate area sown last year (1905).	Estimated area sown this year (1906).	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn per acre, how much represented the outturn last year (1905)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn per acre, how much will represent this year's outturn (1906)?	Whether much, little, or no jute remains in the district from the crop of the year 1905.	Figures from Cadastral Survey.			Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				Acres.		Acres.		
Bhagalpur *concluded.*	Purnea ...	3,196,153	1,698,000	228,500	237,200	94	66	Little ...	450,490	1902 to 1905	28,334	A good deal of damage has been caused by floods, but probably this estimate is slightly pessimistic as the outturn on high lands was better than usual. The figures in columns 4 and 5 have been revised.	
	Darjeeling ...	744,960	160,600	2,200	3,000	80	60	Very little	200,519	1897-98 to 1901-02.	2,339	Want of rain after sprouting and heavy rain later on has damaged the crop. The portion of the crop which has not been damaged by rain is now thriving. Jute being more profitable than rice, the area under cultivation has increased.	
Orissa ...	Cuttack ...	2,338,560	1,223,500	10,200	10,100	76	82	A small quantity of jute remains out of the crop of 1905 for private consumption.	2,088,437	1888 to 1895 and 1901.	652	The weather has not been favourable. The general prospect of the crop is fair. The decrease in area is slight and calls for no remarks. The outturn shows a little increase as compared with that of last year.	

Balasore ...	1,334,363	932,200	4,200	5,300	80	100	Little ...	1,109,190	1891-92 to 1894-95.	138	Weather has been favourable. General prospect of the crop has been fair. Jute has become a very paying crop. The acreage is increasing everywhere. The increase in outturn is due to seasonable rain.	
Total ...	27,628,063	15,341,500	569,300	780,400	87	82*						* As estimated by this Department.

APPENDIX II.

Abstract Statement of estimated Acreage and Outturn of the Jute Crop, 1906.

(For Bengal and Eastern Bengal and Assam consolidated.)

ACREAGE.							OUTTURN IN BALES OF 400 LBS.								
Of current year's crop.	Of previous year's crop.	Average of five preceding years (viz., 1900 to 1904).	Average of ten preceding years (viz., 1895 to 1904).	Percentage by which column 1 exceeds (+) or falls short of (−) area in			Estimated yield of current year.	Yield of previous year according to		Average of five preceding years (viz., 1900 to 1904).	Average of ten preceding years (viz., 1895 to 1904).	Percentage by which column 8 exceeds (+) or falls short of (−) outturn in			
				Column 2.	Column 3.	Column 4.		Director's forecast.	Trade statistics.			Column 9(a).	Column 9 (b).	Column 10.	Column 11.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9 (a)	9 (b)	10	11	12	13	14	15
3,836,400	3,128,300	2,306,000	2,070,700	+6·65	+44·68	+61·12	8,736,220	8,088,093	8,132,000	6,355,100	5,853,800	+8·01	+7·43	+37·47	+49·24

APPENDIX III.

Normal rainfall from March to September.

Name of district.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.
	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Burdwan	1·06	1·88	5·08	10·15	12·25	11·76	8·40
Midnapore	1·13	1·54	5·39	10·23	12·43	12·82	9·61
Hooghly	1·28	2·07	5·50	10·28	12·02	12·53	8·83
Howrah	1·02	1·64	5·27	10·93	11·53	11·40	9·45
24-Parganas	1·29	1·73	5·49	10·89	12·98	13·29	10·04
Nadia	1·48	2·82	6·72	10·00	10·36	10·96	8·48
Murshidabad	0·90	1·65	5·13	10·15	10·90	10·45	9·35
Jessore	1·81	3·30	7·13	11·69	10·64	10·67	8·45
Khulna	1·49	2·61	6·45	12·77	13·10	12·32	9·55
Bhagalpur	0·44	0·90	3·15	8·34	12·72	11·66	10·19
Purnea	0·49	1·57	5·41	12·61	18·16	14·98	15·44
Darjeeling	1·76	4·26	9·29	23·36	32·08	24·86	18·22
Cuttack	1·17	1·27	4·23	9·71	18·89	12·77	10·19
Balasore	1·49	1·79	5·06	9·10	12·06	11·85	11·13

APPENDIX III—*continued.*

Statement of Rainfall from March to September each year from 1902 to 1906.

Name of district.	Rainfall in 1902.							Rainfall in 1903.							Rainfall in 1904.						
	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Burdwan	1·76	4·77	4·57	6·99	10·84	7·50	8·34	2·22	0·99	3·65	7·69	6·11	9·45	9·54	1·05	6·10	6·58	9·54	17·19	8·20	3·46
Midnapore	1·54	·88	7·12	3·99	16·91	13·20	6·74	1·65	1·33	2·87	7·46	6·85	10·09	15·57	2·07	0·87	5·02	13·21	17·27	9·88	6·33
Hooghly	1·21	5·65	7·86	7·49	11·58	9·56	9·02	1·90	1·64	5·09	9·04	7·09	9·38	12·64	1·66	0·30	6·09	11·10	16·34	7·95	4·46
Howrah	2·00	3·77	8·46	4·22	15·09	11·23	5·90	0·99	1·61	2·28	10·66	11·59	10·94	13·03	2·63	0·65	5·88	10·75	21·71	7·56	5·70
24-Parganas ...	2·30	4·66	7·88	6·91	12·81	11·14	9·08	1·46	1·65	3·01	8·99	7·22	12·91	13·74	1·84	0·38	7·51	12·49	17·60	9·40	5·78
Nadia	2·35	5·01	8·99	7·03	8·72	8·83	9·42	2·08	1·39	3·57	10·33	5·34	14·62	11·35	0·86	2·73	10·71	7·52	14·81	6·64	8·13
Murshidabad ...	1·47	3·64	7·18	6·04	14·98	12·50	14·01	1·53	0·79	4·11	11·21	4·17	11·37	8·81	0·29	1·31	10·39	9·03	16·27	8·78	6·15
Jessore	3·14	8·60	10·31	8·62	10·47	8·38	12·32	3·05	0·47	4·65	14·59	5·76	10·88	10·03	1·03	6·40	12·55	9·06	11·41	6·35	6·76
Khulna	3·16	5·21	9·76	9·70	16·62	12·00	9·73	2·96	0·33	2·59	12·62	5·28	11·70	7·69	2·18	2·74	11·02	10·63	18·25	7·56	5·50
Bhagalpur	1·60	1·21	3·94	5·11	11·51	9·31	18·33	0·07	0·09	1·05	9·51	4·46	13·22	5·96	0·06	0·40	6·90	6·75	15·24	12·55	4·21
Purnea	2·47	1·49	6·70	9·90	17·08	13·22	17·24	0·10	0·02	2·30	11·92	8·15	19·66	9·60	Nil	0·52	7·76	6·90	14·34	10·11	5·12
Darjeeling	2·90	5·71	8·18	21·76	35·65	26·42	45·90	0·34	1·37	7·36	27·12	19·86	33·87	14·64	0·26	4·52	11·78	21·98	30·35	25·64	14·50
Cuttack	0·41	2·60	3·43	5·20	21·97	12·39	7·52	0·37	0·15	2·34	7·61	13·08	11·68	10·83	0·46	0·01	3·87	12·92	8·10	12·47	8·75
Balasore	2·15	4·16	4·14	5·62	17·47	9·71	7·50	1·80	1·52	2·43	7·76	13·48	8·84	14·35	1·42	0·46	4·45	12·75	9·63	11·14	9·72

APPENDIX III—*concluded.*

Statement of Rainfall from March to September each year from 1902 to 1906.—concluded.

Name of District.	Rainfall in 1905.							Rainfall in 1906.						
	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September up to
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Burdwan	3·95	3·61	6·92	3·15	21·92	9·76	9·19	2·46	0·01	3·47	4·77	8·69	15·97	2·68
Midnapore	3·62	3·10	4·87	2·93	19·04	10·38	10·98	2·40	0·02	2·58	7·87	14·35	8·37	5·86
Hooghly	2·05	5·00	7·33	2·54	23·72	8·29	9·97	3·27	0·01	4·30	4·94	10·39	9·23	3·44
Howrah	4·11	4·11	6·96	2·00	27·70	6·99	10·63	2·73	0·01	4·08	6·24	13·83	9·52	3·75
24-Parganas ...	3·43	5·21	8·06	2·10	23·76	8·61	14·52	2·05	0·02	4·57	7·37	12·50	7·82	4·60
Nadia	4·42	4·77	10·12	4·26	18·98	11·64	13·22	1·92	0·01	4·53	6·90	7·06	14·22	3·95
Murshidabad ...	3·91	2·83	8·88	4·03	17·43	14·53	14·20	1·62	0·13	2·85	7·11	9·07	15·39	4·21
Jessore	3·33	4·80	8·06	4·69	22·13	13·91	14·89	2·04	Nil	7·96	7·26	7·02	13·47	2·79
Khulna	5·81	5·76	6·17	4·84	26·67	15·02	16·64	1·58	0·16	4·58	7·07	10·55	9·24	4·58
Bhagalpur ...	1·55	1·13	5·18	2·26	21·31	15·07	16·97	0·36	0·05	2·53	10·26	14·74	14·99	2·37
Purnea	1·25	2·70	6·38	6·46	16·01	26·37	17·37	0·21	0·09	3·45	11·88	20·79	25·09	3·11
Darjeeling... ...	1·66	3·81	9·62	16·97	33·81	36·20	21·15	1·97	0·75	8·38	19·20	37·22	48·73	5·67
Cuttack	2·13	1·50	4·70	3·92	9·85	7·36	11·25	0·26	0·20	2·22	8·92	8·34	6·61	4·44
Balasore	3·57	3·89	2·71	3·95	11·57	4·51	11·81	2·32	0·06	3·80	9·30	9·06	6·04	6·09

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 15th October 1906.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	2·55	7½	7½	More rain wanted. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and steeping of jute nearly over. Harvesting of winter rice begun in Katwa subdivision. Weeding still going on in places. Prospects of winter rice improved. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	1·02	7	7½	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	4·73	9	10	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops about to be finished. Recent rain done much good. Sowing of *rabi* going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	0·52	9	10*	Rainfall general. More rain wanted, especially in the north and west of the district. Sowings of linseed, rapeseed, mustard, tobacco and late cotton progressing. Prospects good. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease in thanas Dantan and Gorbetta.
5	HOOGHLY ...	...	...	7	Report not received.
6	HOWRAH ...	0·59	7	7½	Weather seasonable. More rain needed. The harvesting of *aus* paddy is going on. Nearly three-fourths of the jute crops steeped in water and fibre extracted. Winter rice and others doing well. No cattle-disease reported. Water and fodder sufficient. Cheapest kind of rice selling at $7\frac{5}{16}$ seers at Ulubaria.
7	24-PARGANAS	0·57	7½	7¼	Weather seasonable. Good rainfall in Basirhat and Diamond Harbour. More rain wanted in Barasat. Harvesting of jute still continuing. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. State of standing crops good. Prospects good. Flight of locusts seen in Barasat, Barrackpore and Basirhat subdivisions, but no damage reported. Condition of cattle good. Fodder insufficient in Barrackpore and Basirhat. Total number of persons on relief during the week in different thanas are:—Sonarpur 220, Tollygunge 234, Vishnupur 1,998, Behala 201, Canning 548, Mohestala 397, Baruipur 1,652, Falta 984, Magrahat 2,063, Diamond Harbour 243, Mathurapur 139, Kulpi 158, Jaynagar 3,018, Dum-Dum 32, Khardaha 90, Barrackpore 30.
8	NADIA ...	1·04	7½	8	Rainfall general, lowest at Sadar. Prospects of standing crops good. Sowing of *mung* and *kalai* going on. Washing of jute almost complete. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
9	MURSHIDABAD	0·50	7	8	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. Jute is being cut. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JESSORE ...	2·40	7	$6\frac{25}{32}$	Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. Harvesting of jute going on. Sowing of *rabi* crops still in progress. Flood water subsiding. *Aman* paddy much damaged by floods in Magura and Narail. Appearance of locusts throughout the district, except in Magura. No damage of crops yet reported. High prices of rice and other food-grains. Slight distress. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.

* New rice

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
11	KHULNA ...	0·18	7½	7	Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. State of winter rice improving. Sowing of linseed at Satkhira estimated at 75 per cent., that of rape and mustard not yet commenced. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	0·12	8½ 13*	9½ 14*	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops commenced. Prospects of paddy, sugarcane and other standing crops good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
13	GAYA ...	0·14	8¾ 14 1/16*	8 1/16 14⅜*	Weather sultry. Sugarcane and winter rice doing well. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on. Prospects of the paddy crop generally good. Prices almost stationary. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
14	SHAHABAD ...	0·20	9 12*	9 12*	Rainfall not general. Rain badly wanted for paddy in Buxar and Sadar subdivisions. Sugarcane doing well. *Rabi* sowings commenced. *Makai* sells at 16 seers a rupee at Sassaram. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	Nil	8¾ 13*	9 13*	Weather hot. Threshing of maize finished, but that of *bhadoi* paddy still going on. Sowing of *rabi* crops commenced in places. Rain wanted for winter rice. Daily average number of persons relieved from the District Board funds during the week:—1 woman, 1 child at Maharuni out-post, in the Gopalganj subdivision; 58 men, 181 women and 61 children in the Siwan subdivision; 16 men, 34 women and 18 children in the Sadar subdivision, besides 116 men, 207 women and 478 children gratuitously relieved by the Hathwa Raj. One more test-work opened in the Siwan subdivision during the week 58 men, 69 women and 48 children on an average daily on the two test-works in the Siwan subdivision; 982 men, 508 women and 481 children on average daily on the Hathwa Raj relief-works during the week. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient everywhere except in the river-side villages.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	9½ 12*	9½ 11½*	Weather bright and hot. Harvesting and threshing of *bhadoi* crops still continuing. Rain urgently wanted for winter rice. *Rabi* sowings commenced in places and fields being prepared for *rabi* sowings. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	0·13	8 13*	8	Weather hot, sometimes cloudy; slightly cold at night. Slight rain received in the week. More urgently required for winter rice and *rabi* sowings. Common rice and *makai* selling at 8 and 11½ seers in the Sitamarhi subdivision and 7½ and 12½ seers in the Hajipore subdivision. Cholera reported in the Sadar and Sitamarhi subdivisions. Three Civil Hospital Assistants working on cholera duty. Daily average on gratuitous relief at kitchen—5,534. Water-supply sufficient. Some complaint of scarcity of fodder in Sursand and Bela thanas.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
18	DARBHANGA ...	0·02	8 3/16 12*	8 3/16 11*	Days hot, and at times cloudy. Nights cold. Local showers at places in the Madhubani subdivision by which *aghani* crop benefited. More rain urgently wanted everywhere. A shock of earthquake felt on the morning of the 10th instant at about 7 A.M. No damage. *Rabi* sowings commenced vigorously. *Takavi* loans now almost all distributed. Number of persons relieved at kitchens on the last day of the week—Darbhanga 3,929, Bahera 8,889, Roserah 15,050, Samastipur subdivision 2,840, Madhubani subdivision 2,164. Number of persons on test-works for the last day available:—Manihas 191, Ojhoul 65, Anar 42, Bahaitha 656, Ratwara 817, Chakmeahsi 217, Hathourighat 22, Sakalohra 38, Gangdah 27, Salepur 448, Dahauth 132, Balha 379, Talajarsa 201, Larja ghat 18. Number of workers on test-works steadily increasing. Cholera reported from almost all parts of the Madhubani subdivision. Fodder sufficient except in Roserah. No cattle-disease.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	6 1/2 13*	6 1/2 13*	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter rice fairl good. Harvesting commenced in Jamui subdivisio Lands being ploughed for *rabi* crops. No cattl disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	0·03	8 3/16 14*	7 2/3 13 1/4*	Weather hot in the day, night rather cool. Rainfa at Madhipura (1·65 inches) much improved th prospect of winter rice. More rain urgently wante elsewhere. Lands being prepared for *rabi* crop Harvesting of jute in Supaul nearly finished. *Kurti* in good condition in Madhipura. Cattle-disea reported from two thanas only.
21	PURNEA ...	0·43	7 12*	7 11*	More rain wanted. Lands being prepared for *ra* crops. Washing of jute still going on. High pric of food-grains still prevailing. Agricultural loan being given. Prospects of standing crops fair. A slight damage done to *kurthi* by the locusts i Kishenganj subdivisions. No cattle-disease. Fodd and water sufficient.
22	DARJEELING ...	...	...	6 12*	Report not received.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	0·76	6 1/13 15*	6 2/3 17 1/2*	Weather seasonable. More rain wanted, though th prospects of sugarcane, winter rice and othe standing crops much improved by recent showers Some cases of cattle-disease reported. Fodder an water sufficient.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	11 1/8	11 1/17	Early cotton being plucked. *Sarad* coming into ea Sugarcane, *mung* and *arhar* thriving. No cattl disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	0 43	11	11	Weather hot. Weeding of *sarad* and harvesting o *beali* paddy and jute and ploughing of *rabi* fields goin on. Sugarcane and vegetables progressing wel Prospects fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and wate sufficient.
26	ANGUL ...	0·03	11	11	More rain wanted. Harvesting of *bhadoi* crops ove Sowing of *rabi* crops going on. *Laghu* paddy o uplands in ear. Sugarcane, cotton, *arhar* and othe miscellaneous crops doing well.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches			
27	PURI ...	0·85	10½	10½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. Sugarcane getting on well. Cotton thriving. Re-weeding of *sarad* paddy going on. *Kulthi* being sown. *Laghu* paddy in ear. Miscellaneous crops doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease. price of common rice stationary.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	0·04	10½	10½	Rainfall insufficient. Sowing of *mung* nearly completed. Reaping of *ât* and *borchha dhan* nearly finished. Harvesting of maize and *autumn* rice in progress. The prospects of *mal dhan* not hopeful owing to deficiency of rain in Bargarh. Prospects of standing crops good. Prospects of maize and *maghi til* good in Sambalpur *tahsil*. Prospects of *bahal* and *bsrna dhan* good in Bargarh *tahsil*. Cattle-disease reported from 14 villages. Fodder and water-supply sufficient.
29	HAZARIBAGH	...	10	10	Prospects of standing crops good. *Rabi* lands being ploughed and sown. Common rice selling at 8 seers at Giridih. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from four thanas.
30	RANCHI ...	0·14	10½	10½	Weather little cloudy. Harvesting of *gora* continues. Standing crops doing well. Lands being prepared for *rabi* sowings. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	Nil	10 11/16	10 11/16	Weather seasonable. *Rabi* sowings continue. Paddy doing well. Cattle-disease reported from four thanas. Fodder and water abundant.
32	MANBHUM ...	0·22	9½	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. but more rain wanted. Cattle-disease reported from Purulia thana. Fodder and water sufficient.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	0·50	9	9	Harvesting of *aus* paddy in progress. Damage to crops by insect pests reported from some villages in Kharsawan Political States. Fodder and water sufficient. Common rice selling at 10½ seers and 10 seers per rupee at Seraikella and Kharsawan respectively.
34	COOCH BEHAR	1·04	6⅞	6⅞	Rainfall general. Weather seasonable. The condition of standing crops improved by recent showers Cattle-disease reported from thanas Dinhata and Mathabhanga. Fodder and water sufficient.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—There was good rainfall in Birbhum, Bankura, Nadia, Jessore, Cooch Behar and in some subdivisions of Burdwan and the 24-Parganas, but there was no rain in Saran, Champaran, Monghyr, Cuttack and Palamau. In other districts, the rainfall was very light. More rain is wanted in many districts, especially in most parts of Bihar. Damage to *aman* paddy by floods is reported from Jessore. Locusts passed through the 24-Parganas, Jessore and Purnea. Distress continues in the 24-Parganas, Jessore, Saran, Muzaffarpur and Darbhanga. The number of persons receiving gratuitous relief is—24-Parganas, 12,007, Saran, 1,171, Muzaffarpur, 5,534, Darbhanga, 32,872, total—51,584. The number of persons attending test-works is—Saran, 2,146, Darbhanga, 3,256. Fodder is reported to be insufficient in four districts. The water-supply is generally sufficient. Cholera prevails in Muzaffarpur and Darbhanga. The price of common rice has risen in eleven and fallen in seven districts.

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TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS

District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Burdwan	Kalna	...	...	0·78	0·05	0·31	0·12	...	0·07	...	...	0·35	6·90	0·08	0·05	...	...	...	0·50	...	...
	Burdwan	...	...	..	0·01	0·02	0·02	0·32	...	0·06	0·07	0·01	0·17	0·03	0·51	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Katwa	...	..	...	0·25	...	0·14	0·39	...	...	0·10	...	6·72	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	...
	Raniganj	...	0·99	0·03	...	0·36	0·09	0·35	...	...	0 56	1·32	0·03	0·30	0·02	...	0·23	0·04	...	...	...
	Mankar	0·17	..	0·48	0·35	0·27	0·70	0·74	...	...	...	...	...	1·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Birbhum	Suri	...	...	0·35	...	...	0·79	0·34	0·30	...	1·07	0·02	0·21	0·36	0·30	...	...	0·02	...	...	...
	Hetampur	...	...	0·24	...	0·76	0·16	0·17	0 26	...	0·35	...	0·31	0·28	0·28	...	...	0·46	0·47	...	...
	Rampur Hat		...	..	...	0·40	0·80	...	0·08	...	0·29	1·01	1·20	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hetpur	...	...	...	...	0·31	0·20	0·60	0·12	...	...	0·66	0·95	0·15	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...
	Murari	...	...	...	...	0·23	0·15	0·30	0·07	1·10	0·33	0·30	1·34	0·20	...	...	0·08	...	...	0·30	...
	Labpur	0·07	0·06	...	0·03	0·11	0 14	0·21	0 06	...	0·18	0·14	0·47	0·29	...	...	...	0·43	...	...	...
Bankura	Bankura	...	...	...	...	0·30	0·13	0·14	0·12	...	...	0·03	0·60	0·30	0·11	...	...	0·02	...	...	...
	Vishnupur	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·20	0·20	0·18	...	1·78	2·33	...	0·18	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mallara	...	0·52	0·03	0·30	0·08	0·20	...	...	...	0·28	0·08	1·06	1·15	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khatra	...	...	..	0·31	0·47	0·25	...	...	...	0·06	0·21	0·06	0·33	0·23	...	...	...	0·19	...	...
	Indas	...	...	...	..	0·14	...	0·62	...	...	0·27	...	..	1·26	...	...	0·31	...	...	...	...
	Kotulpur	...	...	...	...	0·44	...	0·94	...	...	...	0·85	0·06	0·42	0·33	...	...	...	0·23	...	...
	Onda	...	...	0·15	0·40	0·11	0·19	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·06	0·42	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gangajalghati	...	0·12	0·03	0·12	0·17	0·41	0·02	...	...	0·44	1·63	0·09	1·83	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kanpur	...	...	0·06	...	0·43	..	0·35	...	...	1·25	0·17	0·82	2·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sonamukhi	...	...	2·11	0·07	..	0 15	...	...	...	0·16	1·29	0 30	0·41	0·94	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapore	Contai	...	0·33	0·03	0·49	0·28	1·90	1·64	0·10	...	0·03	0·78	2·42	0·70	1·02	...	...	...	...	0·15	...
	Tamluk	...	0·90	0·40	1·01	0·24	0·04	...	0·23	0 32	...	0·54	1·96	0·51	0·06	...	...	...	1·78	...	...
	Midnapore	...	...	0·23	0·22	0 26	0·03	0·05	0 01	0·80	0·43	0·90	1·81	0·17	...	0·03	0·03	...	...	...	...
	Ghatal	0·05	...	...	...	0·01	0·24	0·01	0·04	0·25	...	...	0·67	0·17	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kukrahaty	...	...	...	0·06	0 13	0·71	0·13	0·04	0·00	0 24	...	1 07	0·57	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Garhbeta	0·01	...	0·50	0·14	0·27	0·03	0·06	...	0·33	0·42	0·12	1·40	1 40	0·15	...	...	0·03	...	...	...
	Panskura	0·02	0·63	...	...	0·61	0 03	0·05	...	...	...	1·18	0·06	1·65	1·11	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dantan	...	...	...	0·90	0·75	0·40	0·30	...	...	0·50	0·40	3·43	1·22	1·06	...	0·23	...	...	...	...
Hooghly	Serampore	0·20	1·79	...	0·06	5·18	0·10	0·01	0·04	0·02	0·55	1·27	0·53	0·16	0·05	...	...	1·24	0·02	0·22	...
	Hooghly	0·13	0·16	...	0 16	0·10	0 04	...	0·03	0 50	0·08	0·70	0·83	0·17	..	0.13	...	1·08	0·25	0·46	...
	Arambagh (Jahanabad)	0·09	0·06	...	0·15	0·41	0·03	0·19	0·27	0·06	...	...	0·25	0·60	0·23	0·11	...	...	0 13	...	...
Howrah	Howrah	0·63	...	0·48	...	...	0·75	0·50	0·11	...	2·01	0·07	0·57	0·52	0·04	...	1·02	1·33	...	...	...
	Mohenreks	0·60	...	...	0·02	0·13	0·02	0·50	...	...	1·15	0·06	0 56	0·20	...	...	...	1·52	0·05	...	...
	Uluberia	0·43	...	...	...	0·28	0·12	...	...	...	0 07	0·08	1·05	0·22	...	...	...	0·43	...	...	...
	Amta	...																			
24-Parganas	Sagor Island	...	0·05	0·02	0·07	0·20	0·75	0·21	0·50	0·02	0·36	0·42	1·84	0·24	1·10	...	...	...	0·16	0·84	...
	Diamond Harbour	...	0·24	0·03	0·10	0·22	0·12	0·04	0·13	0·02	0·88	0·03	1·50	0·57	0·03	...	0·02	...	0·38	...	...	...
	Budge-Budge	0·55	...	0·03	...	0·38	0·43	0·03	0·05	...	0·94	0·18	1·61	0·31	0·02	...	...	...	0·20	0·05	...
	Canning Town	...	0·79	...	...	0·75	0·24	0·40	0·09	0·11	2·11	0·79	1·44	0·83	0·04	...	...	0·59	..	0·26	...
	Alipore (Obsy.)	0·01	0·09	0·92	0·01	0·35	0·01	0·71	0·01	...	1·48	0·09	1·04	0·61	0·02	...	0·57	0·24	...	...	...
	Barrackpore	...	1·05	...	...	...	0·15	...	0·05	...	0·14	1·25	0·53	0·09	0·05	...	...	...	0·75	1·05	...
	Dum-Dum	1·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·48	1·12	0·51	0·54	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Barasat	...	0·07	...	0·05	0·11	0·04	0·30	0·11	...	0·30	0·54	1·04	0·07	0·01	...	0·23	0·93	0·15	...	...
	Pasirhat	..	...	...	0·59	0·49	0·10	...	0·05	...	0·75	...	0·04	1·12	...	...	...	0·50	0·29	...	...
Nadia	Ranaghat	0·01	1·18	...	0·89	....	0 07	0·08	0·45	1·04	0·15	0·47	0·39	0 12	...	0·01	...	...	0·25	0·30	...
	Krishnagar	...	...	...	0·51	0·06	...	0·12	0·31	0·04	...	...	1·06	0·15	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...
	Chuadanga	...	...	0·07	0 09	0·17	...	0·02	1·05	0·40	...	0·09	0·85	0 08	...	...	...	0·06	0·06	...	...
	Meherpur	...	...	0·09	1·30	0·30	0·01	0·16	0·53	0·53	0·03	1 92	1·15	0·55	...	...	...	...	...	0·66	0·09
	Kushtia	0·09	...	0·42	...	0·20	0 41	1·11	0·12	0·16	...	...	0·36	...	...	0·13	0·25	0·00	0·11	...	...
Murshidabad	Kandi	...	0·04	1·60	0·23	0·05	0·41	..	0·41	...	0 12	0·33	0·94	0·10	0·06	...	...	0·05	0·69	1·54	...
	Berhampore	...	0·13	0·86	2·33	1·00	0 30	1·06	0·04	0·08	0·15	0·32	0·60	0·09	0·10	...	...	0·11	...	0·46	...
	Lalbagh	...	0·15	1·37	0 89	1·24	0·17	...	0·10	...	0·29	0·54	0·75	...	...	...	...	1·68	...	2·07	...
	Azimganj	...	...	0·28	2·75	0·45	0·15	0·56	0·40	0·01	...	0·02	0·13	0·14	...	...	...	0·88	0·17	0·04	...
	Jangipur	...	...	...	0 16	...	0·24	...	0·47	...	1·17	0 25	0·39	0·39	0·15	...	...	...	0·20	...	...
	Lalgola	...	...	...	0·28	0·25	0·23	0·25	0·31	...	...	0·82	0·30	0·11	...	...	...	...	0·61	...	...
	Akriganj	...	...	1·62	0·07	...	0·55	...	...	0·05	...	0 50	0·12	0·10	0·02	...	...	1·41	...	...	...
	Patkabari	...	...	1·20	...	0·90	0 10	0·20	...	0·40	...	0·10	1·70	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	2·80	...
	Dumka	...	...	0·55	...	...	0·40	0·17	0·35	1·00	0·15	...	0 17	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kuliyanganj	...	0·86	0·60	0·43	0·50	0·31	1·24	...	0 14	...	0·82	1·34	0·04	...	...	...	0·23	...	...	...
Jessore	Narail	...	...	0·48	0·08	0·31	0·32	0 09	0·05	0·38	...	0·15	0·48	0·20	...	0·80	...	...	0·07	1·10	...
	Jessore	...	...	0·18	0·22	0·20	0·11	0·42	0·01	0·02	0·02	...	0·43	0·06	...	...	1·48	0·97	1·30	1·25	...
	Jhenida	...	...	..	1·88	1·28	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	1·08	0·05	...	...	0·38	...	1 15	...	1·61
	Magura	...	...	0·18	0·14	0·35	...	0·25	0·15	0·82	...	...	0·10	0·09	0·08	...	...	...	...	1·82	...
	Rangia	...	...	...	0·78	0·01	0·12	0·06	...	1·15	...	0·07	0·09	0·41	...	...	...	0·12	0·05	0·07	...
Khulna	Satkhira	...	...	0·17	1·05	0·35	0·80	0·06	0·08	0·04	0·29	0·21	0·03	0·72	0·05	...	...	...	0·09	0 13	...
	Bagerhat	...	...	0·23	0·31	0·28	1·15	0·18	8·09	0·00	0·08	1·00	1·03	1·01	0·04	...	...	...	...	0·02	...
	Khulna	...	...	0·14	0·27	1·02	0·04	0·22	...	...	0·35	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	...	0·08	...
	Kaliganj	1·80	...	1·00	0·26	...	0·43	...	0·10	...	2·83	0·80	0·43	1·73	...	...	...	0·40	...	1·04	...
	Nakipur	...	...	...	0·10	0·50	0·53	0·60	0·35	0·21	0·09	0·53	0·50	0·60	0·16	0·20	0·10	...	0·80	...	...
	Dumuria	0·04	0·02	1·05	1·02	2 02	1·15	2·05	3·02	0·95	0·75	1·05	0·35	0·06	0·02	...	...	0·75	0·30	0·04	...
	Rampal	...	...	0·21	0·46	...	0·28	0·27	0·25	...	0·29	0 34	2·32	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·67
	Kalaroa	...	...	0·29	0·66	0·58	0 08	0·30	0·03	0·30	0·06	...	0·26	0·38	...	...	...	...	...	1·08	...
	Paikgachha	...	...	...	1·02	...	0·21	0·11	0·14	0·15	...	0·27	0·63	0·21	...	...	...	1·12	2·21	0·13	...
	Mollahat	...	...	0·44	...	0·21	1·04	0·16	0·01	0·14	0·04	0·30	0·31	0·05	0·25	...	...	...	0·02	...	...
	Morelganj	...	...	0 24	0·15	1·08	1·20	0·52	1·57	...	0·07	0·02	0 1	1·07	0·09	...	...	0·59	...	1·27	0·33
	Tala	...	0·26	...	0·22	0·41	...	0·12	0·25	...	...	0·12	0·38	0·00	...	...	2·00	1 52	0·06	0·75	...
Patna	Patna	...	...	2·15	...	...	0·36	0·47	0·26	0·85	0·16	...	0·04	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dinapore	...	...	0·06	...	...	0·61	0·17	0·06	0·07	0·46	...	...	0·12	0·04	0·12	...	...	...	...	...
	Bihar	0·03	...	...	0·42	0·26	...	...	0·03	0·45	1·70	...	0·03	0·05	0·55	...	...	...	0·15	...	...
	Barh	...	..	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	0·18	3·31	...	...	0·12	0·44	...	...	...	0·10	...	...
	Bikram	...	..	0·19	...	0·16	...	...	0·10	0·05	1·70	...	...	...	0·05	0·60	...	...	...	...	...
	Hilsa	...	..	0·90	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	1·90	...	...	...	0·55	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Islampur	...	...	1·80	0·55	0 35	0·26	0·40	...	3·85	0·26	...	...	0·68	0·80	...	1·12	...	...	...	...
	Jehanabad	...	...	0·63	0·35	0·12	...	...	1·90	2 90	...	...	0 70	1·22	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gaya	Aurangabad	...	...	1·48	...	0·05	0·03	0·22	0·02	0·56	0·06	2·44	0·24	0·32	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...
	Gaya	...	...	...	0·25	1·16	0·04	0 00	0·02	...	0·41	...	0·07	0·37	0 21	...	0·45	...	...	...	...
	Nawada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·95	...	...	0 35	0·42	0·09	...	...	...	...	...
	Jahanabad	...	...	1·11	...	0·03	0·41	0·07	0·38	...	4·28	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	0·01	...	...	...
	Arwal	...	...	...	...	...	0·38	...	0·62	...	0·54	0·06	...	0·02	...	...	...	0·22	...	...	...
	Daudnagar	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	0·05	0 07	0·09	1·40	1·35	0 52	0·28	...	...	0·03	0·04	...	...	...
	Sherghati	0·40	...	...	0·05	0·15	...	0·06	0·29	0·03	0·07	0·03	0·16	0·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rafauli	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·35	2·05	...	3·05	2·35	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pahri Nerawan	...	...	...	1·19	...	0·09	0·25	0·30	1·50	3·75	...	0 15	0·21	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Deo	0·25	...	1·25	...	0·02	0·99	...	0·19	...	0·10	2·85	0·68	0·56	0·02	0·14	...	...	...	...	...
	Aeonagar	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·61	0·20	0·04	0·06	0·33	0·22	0·03	0·06	0·05	0·23	...	...	...

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May to 30th September 1906.	Average rainfall from 16th May to 30th September.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
...	...	0·02	0·10	...	0·25	0·15	...	0·81	0·31	11	9·65	6·60	7·08	0·90	31·80	42·68	Kalna ...	Burdwan.	Burdwan.	South-West Bengal.
...	...	...	...	0·07	0·45	...	0·01	8·44	3·20	6	12·10	13·58	8·50	8·44	51·67	45·84	Burdwan			
...	...	...	...	0·19	0·08	0·49	0·04	0·75	0·30	10	11·93	4·45	8·35	1·00	34·94	43·18	Katwa.			
...	...	...	...	0·04	0·75	...	...	...	1·02	9	11·61	6·16	7·00	1·32		47·18	Raniganj.			
...	...	...	0·50	2·27	...	...	...	2·30	0·75	11	10·44	10·38	10·40	2·30	41·76	46·87	Maukur.			
...	...	...	...	0·05	0·01	0·29	...	...	0·15	10	12·68	5·06	9·77	1·07	34·65	50·42	Suri ...	Birbhum.		
...	...	...	...	0·02	0·34	...	...	...	...	12	11·77	4·34	10·08	0·76	35·44	48·01	Hetampur.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·52	0·66	0·23	...	8	12·82	4·65	11·14	1·20	40·02	47·18	Rampur Hat.			
...	...	...	...	0·00	0·08	...	...	0·40	0·27	11	11·94	4·59	9·78	0·95	46·54	46·18	Bolpur.			
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...	...	...	...	1·05	...	0·08	...	0·07	0·04	9	12·00	3·47	10·48	1·05	29·80	46·76	Labpur.			
											12·53		8·75			45·82	Bankura ...	Bankura.		
...	...	...	...	0·32	0·70	...	0·02	0·03	0·80	11	11·50	5·07	9·23	0·98	38·92	48·44	Vishnupur			
...	...	...	...	0·10	0·88	...	...	0·49	1·35	12	11·29	8·54	6·93	2·23	33·98	46·33	Maliara			
...	...	...	...	0·16	0·77	...	0·01	0·05	0·11	10	11·57	5·32	9·42	1·15	41·08	46·88	Khatra.			
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·35	...	7	8·94	4·96	7·55	1·26	43·92	48·99	Kotulpur.			
...	...	0·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·33	12	10·38	4·07	9·61	0·85	30·03	43·89	Onda.			
...	...	...	...	0·49	0·26	...	...	...	0·85	10	10·50	7·21	8·48	1·62	37·95	46·75	Gangajalghati.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·85	...	...	0·64	2·29	9	11·75	9·15	9·15	2·72	44·68	54·01	Raipur.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	...	12	10·06	9·09	8·52	2·11		43·98	Sonamukhi.			
...	...	...	...	0·58	0·61	...	...	1·29	0·59											
...	...	...	0·07	0·77	0·56	...	0·76	0·03	0·02	14	12·87	12·56	11·06	2·42		51·54	Contai ...	Midnapore.		
...	...	...	0·20	0·17	0·82	...	0·04	...	...	13	10·70	9·63	9·23	1·96	43·58	47·12	Tamluk.			
...	...	...	...	0·21	0·30	...	...	0·19	0·03	11	12·13	5·63	8·72	1·81	41·39	45·71	Midnapore.			
...	...	...	...	0·03	0·24	...	...	0·45	...	7	12·12	2·64	9·49	0·67	36·31	45·46	Ghatal.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	12·64	6·05	10·88	1·07	48·12	49·28	Kukrahaty.			
...	...	0·07	0·87	0·49	1·05	...	...	...	...	12	11·50	6·92	9·00	1·90	40·06	49·68	Garhbeta.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·14	...	0·02	0·41	0·87	10	11·01	8·92	10·01	1·63	35·95	47·42	Panskura.			
...	...	...	...	1·60	0·35	...	0·12	..	...	13	0·88	11·11	8·47	3·13	36·54	45·22	Dantan.			
...	...	...	0·32	0·70	0·90	...	...	...	...											
...	...	...	...	1·20	0·85	0·21	0·25	0·65	0·02	15	11·80	9·62	9·27	1·79	38·83	46·86	Serampore ...	Hooghly.		
...	...	...	0·10	1·26	0·19	0·69	0·34	0·82	0·06	18	11·74	8·12	8·40	1·26	28·55	46·26	Hooghly.			
...	...	...	...	0·45	0·35	...	1·00	0·36	0·05	13	12·23	4·82	8·81	1·00	34·97	48·04	*Arambagh* (Jahanabad).			
...	...	...	...	0·92	1·31	...	0·13	0·60	...	14	12·55	10·23	9·42	2·01	42·94	47·57	Howrah ...	Howrah.		
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...	...	...	...	1·52	...	...	0·20	0·06	...	9	12·50	5·01	10·15	1·52	32·08	43·96	Ulubaria.			
...	...	...	0·56								?		?			?	*Amta.*			
...	...	...	0·90	0·26	...	0·65	0·43	0·65	0·65	17	13·29	10·49	12·10	1·84	38·01	56·55	Saugor Island	24-Parganas.		
...	...	...	0·52	0·79	0·74	0·01	...	...	...	12	13·03	6·67	11·07	1·50	44·48	53·39	Diamond Harbour.			
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...	...	...	0·77	1·37	0·33	...	...	0·05	0·75	15	12·81	10·83	9·74	2·11	42·71	52·45	Canning Town.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·79	0·13	0·07	0·05	...	15	13·38	8·30	10·40	1·46	37·28	49·39	Alipore (Obsy.).			
...	...	...	...	0·41	0·61	...	0·36	0·15	0·04	13	11·32	3·31	8·81			45·67	Barrackpore.			
											12·71	8·62	9·88	1·80		48·29	Dum-Dum.			
...	...	...	0·47	0·20	1·80	...	0·34	0·38	...	13	11·94	10·05	9·43	2·90	40·31	45·60	Barasat.			
...	...	0·76	2·06	0·39	0·41	0·67	0·37	0·40	0·14	17	11·32	7·35	9·19	1·30	32·97	49·53	Basirhat.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	1·10	1·00	1·30	11										
...	...	...	...	0·92	0·92	0·20	1·13	1·10	2·00	16	10·55	11·37	7·72	2·00	30·92	43·05	Ranaghat ...	Nadia.		
...	...	...	0·43	0·79	0·06	0·35	0·05	2·51	0·12	10	10·45	6·64	7·97	2·51	32·18	41·66	Krishnagar.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	1·12	1·08	8·83	0·47	12	11·50	16·01	8·75	8·83	54·09	43·76	Chuadanga.			
...	...	0·27	...	...	...	0·98	0·32	0·74	0·20	14	10·94	9·70	8·33	1·92	45·76	43·16	Meherpur.			
...	...	...	0·06	0·12	...	0·08	0·83	2·73	0·32	15	11·05	8·33	9·62	2·73	38·93	45·90	Kushtia.			
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...	...	...	...	...	...	0·85	0·05	0·29	0·26	13	12·43	6·32	9·63	1·84	37·67	45·43	Kandi ...	Murshidabad.	Presidency.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	1·05	0·03	0·45	1·15	15	12·48	10·51	9·79	2·39	42·00	44·17	Berhampore			
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	1·67	0·83	1·30	15	12·42	13·40	10·05	2·07	52·53	47·01	Lalbagh.			
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...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	0·03	0·20	...	11	12·17	4·55	10·40	1·17	37·54	44·75	Jangipur.			
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...	...	...	...	0·18	...	0·78	1·00	0·90	0·20	11	11·60	7·53	9·15	1·62	42·45	45·30	Akriganj.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	0·20	...	...	15	7·23	9·20	6·51	2·80	36·20	35·90	Patkabari.			
0·20	...	0·30	...	...	...						10·63	3·32	8·38			43·65	Dumkal.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	1·21	0·04	0·50	0·04	12	?	8·32	?	1·34	40·98	?	*Kullyanganj.*			
0·30	...	...	...	...	...	1·02	...	0·72	0·29	13	10·70	7·77	7·44	1·02	41·54	43·15	Narail ..	Jessore.		
...	...	...	1·63	0·11	...	1·35	0·34	1·12	0·22	16	11·04	11·67	9·00	1·63	42·76	48·98	Jessore.			
...	...	...	0·13	0·15	...	1·06	1·56	6·51	2·81	12	11·47	18·53	8·88	6·51		45·71	Jhenida			
...	...	...	0·45	0·11	...	1·13	0·07	2·42	2·04	15	10·87	9·60	8·13	2·42	38·91	44·26	Magura.			
...	...	...	...	0·32	1·01	1·70	0·16	0·70	0·30	11	10·35	7·36	8·78	1·70	33·26	44·97	Bangaon.			
0·31	...	...	0·09	1·25	0·14	0·77	0·13	0·37	1·57	16	11·94	8·91	9·12	1·57	39·80	48·33	Satkhira ...	Khulna.		
0·06	0·02	0·01	...	0·01	...	0·36	1·15	0·11	0·01	13	12·47	9·14	9·91	1·15	35·44	55·04	Bagerhat			
...	...	...	...	1·40	...	1·95	0·30	0·52	1·04	13	12·57	8·52	9·37	1·35	36·64	49·61	Khulna.			
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...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	?	?	?	1·19	34·44	49·88	Nakipur.			
...	...	...	...	1·10	0·04	0·11	0·30	0·01	0·01	15	10·27	6·46	9·16	3·06	76·10	?	*Dumuria.*			
...	...	...	0·62	1·05	1·11	1·19	1·15	0·21	3·06	19	?	23·75	?	2·22	39·73	53·30	Rampal.			
...	...	0·54	0·26	...	0·20	0·18	0·18	0·10	0·92	17	12·09	8·50	10·18	4·00	38·43	?	*Kalaroa.*			
...	...	...	...	0·20	...	4·00	...	1·25	0·15	13	?	10·16	?	2·21	40·99	?	*Patkgachha.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	0·29	0·12	15	?	7·74	?	2·38	44·68	?	*Mollahat.*			
0·07	...	...	0·11	...	...	2·38	1·25	...	0·74	11	?	7·33	?	1·57	55·72	?	*Morelganj.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	1·35	0·08	0·34	16	?	11·41	?	2·00	41·93	?	*Tala.*			
0·72	0·01	...	0·02	0·14	...															
0·02	...	...	0·42	1·20	0·60	0·50	0·76	0·12	0·45	17	?	10·22	?							
...	...	...	...	0·18	0·52	...	...	...	...	9	9·29	5·20	7·82	2·15	35·31	38·92	Patna ..	Patna.	Patna.	Bihar.
...	...	...	...	0·15	0·36	...	...	...	...	7	9·09	2·23	7·30	0·61	36·74	40·32	Dinapore.			
...	...	...	...	0·31	1·27	...	...	...	...	8	9·23	5·25	6·73	1·70	32·42	39·03	Bihar.			
...	...	...	...	0·61	0·86	...	...	...	...	8	8·77	5·78	7·57	3·31	32·20	37·69	Barh.			
...	...	...	...	0·32	0·07	...	...	...	0·40	7	8·53	3·04	6·93	1·70	49·06	41·45	Bikram.			
...	...	...	...	0·30	0·90	...	...	...	...	6	7·93	4·95	6·83	1·90	33·23	4,·68	Hilsa.			
...	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	1·60	0·06	0·06	13	?	12·79	?	3·65	27 02	?	*Islampur.*			
...	...	...	...	...	0·38	...	...	...	0·37	9	?	8·56	?	2·30	34·96	?	*Asthawan.*			
...	...	...	...	1·15	0·56	...	0·03	...	2·15	9	8·94	9·24	6·84	2·42	27·99	40·21	Aurangabad ..	Gaya.		
...	...	...	...	0·16	0·37	...	1·34	...	3·64	10	9·13	8·62	6·87	3·64	41·15	37 90	Gaya.			
...	...	...	...	...	2·35	...	...	3·36	...	5	8·97	8·53	6·54	3·36	31·57	38·35	Nawada.			
...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	0·74	7	7·90	7·84	6·13	4·62	37·54	38 40	Jahanabad.			
...	...	...	...	0·23	0·20	...	...	...	1·03	7	8·13	3·76	7·18	1·03	30·80	37·49	Arwal.			
...	...	...	...	1·48	0·75	...	...	...	1·92	8	7·38	8·13	5·80	1·93	32·47	36·43	Daudnagar.			
...	...	...	...	0·61	0·08	...	0·54	...	4·64	8	8·31	7·49	6·92	4·64	25·43	36·05	Sherghati.			
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...	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	0·01	...	...	6	7·69	9·54	6·05	3·75	34·63	37·47	Pakri Barawan.			
...	...	...	2·18	1·10	...	...	...	...	2·20	11	?	11·13	?	2·55	34·35	?	*Deo.*			
...	...	...	1·02	0·30	...	...	...	...	4·48	10	?	8·14	?	4·48	31·50	?	*Nabinagar.*			
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TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS

District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Shahabad ...	Buxar ...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·02	0·47	0·28	...	...	0·02	...	0·05	0·48	...	...	...	...
	Dehri ...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	0·47	0·59	0·16	0·90	0·03	0·49	0·02	...	0·03	...	...	...	...
	Bhabhua ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·38	...	1·21	1·55	1·13	0·05	0·60	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sasaram ...	0·07	...	0·38	...	0·05	0·02	0·20	0·59	0·18	0·39	0·03	0·01	0·22	0·03	...	0·07	...	...	...	...
	Arrah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	0·25	0·05	1·22	0·04	...	0·13	0·05	0·82	...	...	...	...	...
	Mohanea ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	0·13	2·02	0·70	0·04	...	0·01	0·70	0·30	...	...	...	...	...
	Ageaon ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·41	...	0·22	1·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Ramnagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	0·10	0·25	0·12	0·05	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Koath ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	0·55	0·27	1·23	0·95	0·18	0·02	0·07	0·06	...	0·15	...	...	...	...
	Sikroul ...	0·05	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	0·48	0·49	2·46	0·35	...	0·05	...	0·39	...	...	...	...	...
	Bassowan ...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	0·13	0·08	0·38	0·18	0·09	...	...	0·35	0·34	...	...	...	...	...
	Monsharpur...	...	...	...	0·06	...	0·16	0·12	0·66	0·71	0·22	0·09	0·02	0·02	0·26	0·97	...	...	...	...	...
	Akberpur ...	...	...	1·45	0·33	0·20	...	1·21	0 30	0·21	0·15	...	...	0·52	0·80	...	...	0·25	...	...	...
Saran ...	Gopalganj ...	...	...	...	...	1·90	...	...	...	0·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Siwan ...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	0·06	0·98	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Ekma ...	...	...	0·22	...	0·15	...	...	0·11	1·02	1·53	...	0·27	...	0·29	...	...	...	0·20	...	...
	Chapra ...	...	...	0·15	...	0·01	0·90	0·20	...	0·05	1·00	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hathwa ...	0·25	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	0·05	0·44	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Amnor ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	0 75	0·25	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Basantpur ...	...	...	...	0·10	0·15	...	0·20	0·10	0·50	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Darauli ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	0·16	0 14	0·09	...	0·05	0·06	0·12	...	...	0·25	...	...	...
	Bhorch ...	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	0·25	0·49	0·13	...	...	0·14	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sripur ...	...	...	...	0·25	0·63	...	...	0·33	0·17	0·23	0·02	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Champaran ...	Motihari ...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	0·19	...	...	...	0·50	0·12	0·56	0 06	...	...	...	...	...
	Bettiah ...	...	...	...	0·25	0·82	...	...		...	0·34	...	0·06	0·18	0·39	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bagaha ...	...	...	...	...	0·16	0·50	...	0·02	...	0·12	...	...	...	0·26	0·76	...	...	...	...	...
	Harhurwa ...	...	...	...	0·03	0·90	...	...	...	1·50	...	...	0·51	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Ramnagar ...	...	...	...	0·15	0·04	...	...	0·10	0·01	...	0·11	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Narkatiganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kieseriah ...	...	...	0·08	0·42	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	0·14	0·25	0·20	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dhanaha ...	...	...	...	0·10	0·80	...	...	...	...	0·20	0 34	...	0·13	0·34	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur...	Sitamarhi ...	0·03	...	...	...	...	0·22	...	0·08	0·06	0·02	...	0·20	...	0·76	2·80	...	...	0·10	...	...
	Mumaffarpur ...									0·12	...	0·25	0·10	0·34	0·04	1·35					
	Hajipur ...	...	...	0·90	0·03	0·03	1·00	0·11	...	0·97	0·80	...	0·03	...	0·04	...	0·05	0·20	...	...	...
	Paru ...		...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	0 38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...
	Mahua ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·14	2·25	0·35	0·15	...	0·04	0·20	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...
	Shiuhar ...	...	...	...	1·34	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	0·10	0·22	0·10	1·36	0·35	...	...	...	...	...
	Pupri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	1·05	0·05	...	0·25	...	...	...
Darbhanga ...	Tajpur (Samastipur)	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	0·74	0·52	1·52	...	0·21	0·65	0·23	0·30	...	0·14	...	...	...	...
	Darbhanga ...	...	...	...	...	0·47	0·05	0 02	0·18	0·02	0·04	0·53	0·01	...	0·16	0·46	...	...	...	...	...
	Madhubani ...	...	...	...	...	0·47	0·05	0·02	0·18	0·02	0·04	0·53	0·01	...	0·16	0·46	...	...	...	...	...
	Bahera ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·15	0·40	0·54	0·05	...	0 05	0·03	0·48	0·10	...	...	0·71	...	...
	Kosorha ...	...	...	...	...	...	·A	1·14	1·33	1·13	0·76	0·12	0·84	0·16	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khutonia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	0·46	...	...	0·87	...	...	...	...	...
	Ladania ...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	0 20	...	0·48	0·20	...	0·39	0·26	...	...	...	...	...
	Laukahi ...	...	...	...	...	0·81	...	...	0·19	1·03	0·11	0·25	0·33	...	0·17	0·43	...	...	...	...	...
Monghyr ...	Begusarai ...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·25	0·23	...	2·29	2·72	0·25	0·03	0·37	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Monghyr ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·09	...	0·51	0·53	0·28	0·71	0·21	0·83	0·06	...	...	...	...	...
	Jamui ...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	0·07	...	0·85	0·11	0·18	0·08	0·13	0·08	0·22	...	...	...	...	...
	Gogri ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·67	0·23	...	1·96	3·05	0·17	0·09	0·25	0 05	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jamalpur ...	...	0·05	...	...	0·02	0·06	0·08	...	2·93	0·23	0·31	0·04	0·23	0·56	0·21	...	...	...	...	...
	Shaikhpura ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·05	0·36	...	0·02	...	0·23	0·05	0·11	0·01	...	...	...	...
	Chakri Bamda ...	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·26	0·02	0·28	...	...	0·35	...	0·05	0·11	0·01	...	...	...	...	...
	Chupreon ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·49	1·01	0 19	0·27	0·07	0·49	0·04	...	...	...	...	0·02	...
	Gidhour ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·07	...	0·70	0·15	0·50	0·15	0·20	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kharagpur ...	...	...	...	0·04	0·20	0·15	...	...	0·09	0·30	0·26	...	...	...	1 56	...	...	...	...	...
Bhagalpur ...	Madhipura ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	0·06	0·02	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	0·11	...
	Bangaon (Sylabad).																				
	Supaul ...	0·17	...	...	...	...	0·37	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·37	...	...	...	0·02	0·10	...
	Pratapganj ...	...	...	0·40	...	1·20	0·20	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bhagalpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·21	1 80	...	0·32	...	1·90	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Banka ...	...	...	0·06	...	0·30	...	0·02	...	0·70	0·26	0·46	0·06	0·12	...	0 52	...	...	...	...	...
	Colgong ...	...	...	0·71	0·41	0·52	0·15	0·36	...	...	0·62	0·49	0·16	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	0·58	...
	Banail ...	...	0·33	0·75	...	0·50	0·05	1·15	0·06	0·27	0·30	0·45	0·72	0·04	0·26	0·05	...	...	...	...	...
Darjeeling ...	Siliguri ...	...	...	0·08	...	0·09	0·02	...	0·36	1·16	...	0·22	1·15	0·05	0·30	0·16	...	0·07	...	...	...
	Darjeeling ...	...	0·24	1·56	...	0 21	...	0·20	...	0·83	0·21	0 08	1·23	0·34	0·11	0·55	...	0·78	...	0·18	0·38
	Kalimpong ...	0·04	0·19	0·05	...	0·25	...	0·95	0·43	0·24	...	0·07	1·07	2·04	0·42	0·03	...	0·02	...	0·02	...
	Mongpoo ...	0·05	...	1·10	...	0·62	0·03	0·99	0·90	0·37	0·05	0·04	1·03	0·44	...	0·24	0·10	0·54	...	0·85	0·08
	Kurseong ...	1·27	0·31	1·65	...	0·05	0·22	1·18	1·58	1·02	0·18	0·15	1·05	0·81	1·27	0·40					
	Pedong ...	0·34	0·41	1·73	...	0·13	0·02	1·67	0·68	0·70	0·23	0·04	0·37	0·11	0·10	0·01	0·01	0·16	0·09	0·27	0·04
Tibet ...	Yatung ...	0·28																			
Purnea ...	Kishangan] ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	0·36	0·05	...	...	...	0·80	0·08	0·10	0·15					
	Araria ...	...	0·10	...	...	0·50	0·13	0·05	0·60	0·10	...	...	0·63	...	0·55	1·45	...	...	...	0·05	...
	Purnea ...	...	...	...	...	0·54	...	...	0·39	...	0·38	0·05	1·53	0·03	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gondwara (*Korah*).	...	...	...	1·30	0·12	0·40	0·11	...	...	...	0·99	0·12	0·30	...	...	...	0·70	...	...	...
	Barsoe ...	1·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·10	...	...	0·80	1·00	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Forbesganj ...	...	...	0·25	...	0·30	...	0·03	0·03	0·17		0·05	0·08	0·24	0·31	0·01	...	...	...	0·04	0·08
	Kaliagan] ...																				
Sonthal Parganas.	Rajmahal ...	...	...	0·17	...	0·60	0·08	0·70	0·27	0·88	0·32	0·09	0·16	0·10	0·04	...	...	...	...	0·06	...
	Godda ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·05	0·07	0·47	0 41	...	0·12	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pakaur ...	...	0·37	0·25	...	0·07	0·17	0·34	0·58	...	0·16	0·75	0·10	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...
	Naya Dumka																				
	Deoghur ...	...	0·45	1·05	...	0·09	...	0·07	0·38	1·37	0·37	0·38	1·09	0·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jamtara ...	...	...	0·08	...	0·75	0·07	...	1·75	0·35	0 13	1·23	0·33	0·39	0·18	...	...	0·03	...	...	...
	Mohagama ...	...								...	0·75	...	0·40	0·38	...	...					
	Nanihat ...	...	1·16	...	...	0·26	0·71	0·31	0·57	...	0·32	...	0·19	...	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Asseuboni ...	0·22	...	0·38	0·92	1·00	0·67	...	0·28	0 30	0·32	0·44	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kalikund ...	...	...	0·31	...	0·04	0·62	0·18	0·26	0·11	0·75	0·00	0·40	0·16	0·08	...	0·08	0·42	...	...	...
	Madhupur ...	...	...	0·10	0·20	...	0·10	0·40	1·00	0·40	...	0·18	1·40	0·00	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sarwan ...	...	...	2·10	...	1·00	...	1·00	1·00	...	1·02	1·40	0·28	...	1·80	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sarath ...	...	...	0·08	...	...	0·50	...	...	0·30	1·75	1·00	1·00	1·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Barkopo ...	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bhagya ...	...	...	...	0·54	1·46	...	0·64	...	...	...	...	...	1·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mohespur ...																				
	Hiranpur ...	...	1·16	...	0·05	0·45	0·24	0·40	...												
	Barharwa ...	...	0·02	1·20	...	0·01	0·48	0·10	0·23	...	0·98	0·32	0·41	0·95	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Samoganj ...	0·04	...	0·04	...	1·02	...	0·40	0·22	...	0·68	...	0·63	0·25	0·04	...	...	0·13	...	...	...
	Bario ...	...	0·33	...	0·30	...	0·10	0·44	0·01	...	1·02	...	0·13	0·85	0·34	...	...	...	...	0·83	...

Bhagalpur.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May to 30th Sept. 1906.	Average rainfall from 16th May to 30th Sept.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
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														1·30				Gondwara (*Korah*).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	10·44	4·50	14·85	1·40	54·53	63·29		barsoe.		
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											12·00		18·49			83·58		Kaliaganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	10·80	3·57	11·25	0·88	29·36	45·94	Santhal Parganas.	Rajmahal ...		
...	...	...	0·05	0·23	0·41	...	0·19	0·02	...	8	11·21	2·25	9·71	0·47	27·72	42·18		Godda.		
...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	0·19	0·34	0·11	13	13·28	4·56	12·47	0·80	34·45	51·16		Pakaur.		
											13·30		10·01			49·88		Naya Dumka.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	9	12·23	6·02	8·71	1·37	39·57	44·90		Deoghar.		
...	...	...	0·03	0·02	0·21	...	...	...	0·02	9	11·32	5·76	7·84	1·75	33·11	45·76		Jamtara.		
											?		?			?		*Mohagama.*		
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...	...	...	1·50	...	0·30	0·10	0·30	...	2·50	14	12·00	9·34	10·87	2·50	36·30	48·82		Assenboni.		
...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	0·70	0·20	0·12	13	10 71	5·31	12·88	0·80	33·15	55·31		Katikund.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	0·25	12	10·14	5·53	8·58	1·40	33·17	44·63		Madhupur.		
											9·57		9·19			43·09		Sarwan.		
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...	...	0·04	0·41	...	0·15	0·24	...	0·07	...	5	12·50	1·51	11·74	0·45	29·32	46·07		Barkopo.		
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											11·14		11·55			47·07		Mohespur.		
											?		?			?		*Hiranpur.*		
...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	0·16	0·20	0·02	13	12·71	6·23	14·58	1·20	35·88	40·53		Barharwa.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·33	0·15	0·04	9	11·14	3·66	16 79	1·02	37·32	53·35		Sahebganj.		
...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	0·13	0·13	0·05	11	?	4·83	?	1·02	34·85	?		*Barlo.*		

TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS

District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Sambalpur ...	Sambalpur ...	...	...	...	0·71	0·36	0·24	0·11	0·37	0·64	0·03	...	0·23	1·65	...	0·02	...	...	0·41	...	...
	Bargarh ...	...	...	...	0·07	0·03	0·11	0·16	0·24	0 01	0·04	...	0·81	0·51	...	...	...	0·02	0·35	0·76	...
	Padampur (Barasamber).	...	...	...	0·53	0·35	0·72	0·35	0·11	...	...	0·30	0·83	0·86	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...
Uria Feudatory States.	Bhawanipatna									0·32				0·44	...	...					
	Bolangir ...	...	...	...	0·66	0·66	0·30	0·56	0·01	0·05	..	...	0·24	0·35	...	...	...	0·23	0·27	...	...
	Sonepur ...	...	...	0·19	1·06	0·05	0·75	0·25	...	...	0·08	0·30	0·20	0·01	0·09	...	...	0·56	0·42	...	...
	Rampur ...	0·19	0·34	1·38	0·40	0·04	...	...	...	...	1·31	0·75	...	2·18	0·45	0·38	...	...	0·88	1·09	...
	Deoghur ...	...	...	...	0·25	0·45	0·43	1·27	...	...	0·40	...	1·20	2·50	0·04	...	0·25	...	...	...	...
	Gangpur ...	...	...	...	...	0·80	1·90	0·04	...	0·95	0·53	0·29	3·28	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...
	Bonaigurh ...	...	...	...	1·05	0·31	...	0·14	0·01	0·03	0·03	0·29	5·10	3·87	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuttack ..	Jagatsingpur	...	...	0·10	0·32	0·53	...	0·10	0·48	...	...	0·63	1·82	1·40	...	0·10	2·85	...	...	...	...
	Banki ...	...	...	0·03	...	...	2·92	0·40	0·96	...	...	...	0·32	0·10	1·45	...	...	0·10	1·02	2·20	0·02
	Cuttack ...	...	...	0·52	0·12	0·15	2·09	0·70	0·45	0·06	...	...	0·62	0·14	0·38	...	...	0·38	0·20	10·37	0·12
	False Point ...	...	...	...	1·44	1·87	0·95	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·96	1·00	1·45	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kendrapara ...	0·35	0·52	0·02	1·75	0·77	0·70	0·62	0·31	0·03	...	...	1·10	1·00	1·48	0·01	...	...	1·62	...	...
	Jajpur ...	...	0·03	...	0·04	0·45	0·80	0·79	0·18	0·41	...	...	1·65	0·36	0·06	...	...	0·02	...	0·19	...
	Dharmsala ...	...	...	0·73	0·26	0·83	0·08	0·40	0·38	...	...	1·21	0·36	0·05	...	...	...	...	1·34	...	...
	Salepur ...	0·10	...	...	0·15	0·10	0·20	0·80	...	0·50	...	...	0·20	0·60	0·16	...	...	0·52	0·04	...	...
Balasore ..	Akhyapada ...	...	0 60	0·72	0·60	0·45	0·52	0·09	0·50	0·02	...	0·01	1·80	0 60	0·08	...	...	0·80	...	0·33	...
	Chandbali ..	...	0·67	...	1·80	0 25	0·60	...	...	1·80	...	...	2·67	1·57	0·46	...	...	0·20	1·05	...	...
	Bhadrak ..	...	0·60	...	1·10	1·77	0·72	0·02	0·06	0·14	...	...	3·22	0·30	...	...	...	...	0·13	0·16	...
	Soro ..	0·52	...	0·54	0·80	1·30	0·75	...	...	0·55	0·15	0·12	3·25	0·80	0·20	...	...	...	...	0·44	...
	Balasore ...	...	0·19	0·50	0·87	2 33	2·35	...	0·54												
	Jellasore ...	...	...	...	0·35	0·30	0·45	0·21	0·22	0·23	0·07	1·91	6·00	1·73	1·11	...	0·33	...	...	...	...
	Baliapal ...	...	...	...	0·13	0·20	1·44	0·20	0·08	...	...	0·45	5·50	2 90	2·90	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Eram (Basudebpur).	...	0·55	...	1·50	2·70	0·90	0·11	0·52	0·30	...	...	2·15	0·12	0·13	...	0·16	...	...	...	...
	Twrigaria ...																				
	Baruth ...	...	...	1·10	1·00	1·50	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	2·50	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...
Angul ...	Angul ...	..	...		0·05	1·81	..	...	...	...	...	...	1·07	0·43	2·35	...	0·28	...	0·10	0·04	...
	Bissipara ...	...	...	0·01	1·33	0·04	0 53	0·28	0·29	0·04	0·02	0·05	0·28	0·18	0·01	0·85	0·01	0·15	...	2·80	0·01
	Chhendipada ...	...	...	...	0·10	0·20	1·17	0·20	...	...	...	0·27	1·50	1·65	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...
	Tikerpara ...	...	...	1·59	0·52	0·44	0·52	0·14	0·10	...	0·11	0·14	0·83	0·04	0 12	...	...	0 60	1·59	...	0·12
	Balandapara ...	...	...	...	0·74	0 08	0·14	1·84	1·24	0·06	0·13	0·89	0·73	0·48	0·04	0·10	0·04	...	0·47	0·56	...
Orissa Tributary Mahals.	Baramba ...	...	0·08	0·12	0·62	0·28	2·43	1·26	0·03	0·18	...	...	0·37	0·05	2·02	...	...	0·22	0·35	0·28	0·02
	Kunjabongarh	...	...	...	...	0 20	0·64	0·07	...	0·36	...	0·22	0·38	0·12	...	...	...	0·23	0·42	0·31	0·06
	Dhenkanal ...	...	...	...	0·30	0·42	0·33	0·46	0·91	0·59	...	0·01	0·97	0·46	0·11	...	...	...	0·31	1·04	...
	Baisinga ...	...	...	...	2·90	0·04	...	0·51	0·13	0·09	...	...	1·40	0·09	0·77	...	...	...	...	0·14	...
	Keonjhar ...	0·38	...	0·27	0·04	0·28	0·16	0 22	...	...	0·77	4·72	1·46	0·87	0·14	...	...	0·56	0·12	...	...
	Anandapur ...	...	...	0·25	4·25	0·61	0·46	1·41	...	0·05	0·17	0·14	2·03	0 67	0·07	...	0·05	0·08	0·09	...	0·12
	Baripada ...	0·04	...	0·06	0·12	0·33	0·28	0·07	0·05	0·59	0·21	0·39	0·10	0·78	0·62	...	...	0·51	...	...	...
	Karanjia ...	1·06	...	...	...	...	0 15	...	...	0·02	...	0·24	5·40	1·13	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...
	Narsingpur ...	...	0·02	2·46	0·03	0 31	0·22	...													
	Nayagarh ...	...	...	...	0·39	1·50	1·39	3·11													
	Pal Lahera ...	...	...	...	0·65	0·59	1·45	0·30	0·20	...	...	0·67	1·70	1·10	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Ranpur ...	...	...	...	3·20	1·05	0·80	...	0·15	...	...	...	0·25	0·16	0·45	0·45	...	0·10	2·10	1·90	1·10
	Talcher ...	...	...	...	1·36	...	...	0·24	0·72	0·59	...	...	1·36	0·49	0·98	...	...	...	0·05	...	...
	Athmalik ...	...	...	...	1·33	0·13	...	0·89	0·01	0·21	...	...	1·31	0·42	1·14	1·05	...	...	0 49	0·11	...
	Hindol ...	...	...	0·76	0·35	0·12	1·63	0·76	0·01	...	...	0·76	0·18	0·82	0·40	...	0·43	0·05	0·69	...	...
	Boad ...	...	...	0·30	...	...	2·39	...	...	0·08	...	1·19	0·85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nilairi ...	...	...	0·10	0·59	0·46	1·86	2·43	...	...	0·88	1·36	1·91	0·74	0·21	...	0·08	0·07	0·23	...	...
	Athgurh ...	...	...	...	0·03	...	0·56	1 00	1·35	...	...	...	0·49	0·21	0·32	...	...	...	0·70	0·14	...
Puri ..	Puri ...	...	...	0·22	0·33	0·43	0·46	0·05	0 05	...	...	0·02	0·24	0·49	...	...	0·76	...	0·00	...	...
	Khurda ...	...	...	0 06	0·37	0·10	1·00	0·20	0 80	...	...	...	0·30	...	0·0	0·02	...	1·00	1·01	1·39	...
	Bhanpur ...	...	0·12	0·10	0·24	0·70	0·02	9 01	0·07	...	...	...	0·20	...	0·05	...	...	...	0·42	...	0·94
	Gop ...	...	0·60	0·09	...	0·49	0·10	0·02	0·35	...	..	0·45	4·11	0·39	0·17	...	1·21	...	...	...	...
	Satpara ...	...	...	0·34	0·10	1·24	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...
	Pipli ...	...	...	0·09	...	...	2·90	0·08	0·06	...	...	...	0·30	0·08	0·12	...	...	0·30	0·15	0·15	...
	Kanas ...	...	0·67	0·80	...	...	1·52	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hazaribagh	Pachamba (*Giridih*).	...	...	0·24	..0	0·12	...	0·09	0·15	...	0 74	0·11	1·42	1·15	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hazaribagh ...	...	0·46	0·09	...	0·96	...	0·31	0·11	2·52	0·15	0·49	0·18	1·77	0·28	...	0·96	...	...	...	...
	Barhi ...	...	...	...	0·21	...	...	0·07	0·02	0·21	0·46	1·06	0·36	0·51	0·00	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chatra ...	...	0·10	...	0·46	0·15	...	...	0·25	0·04	0 09	0·08	1·43	0·05	0·12	...	...	0·08	...	...	...
	Kharagdiha ...																				
	Ramgar ..	...	0·20	0·50	...	0·30	...	...	0·20	...	0·30	0·90	2·10	0 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kodarma ...	...	...	...	0·05	0·12	0·06	0·35	0·08	1·85	...	0·90	0·22	0·38	0·32	...	0·25	...	0·10	...	...
	Bagadar ...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	0·50												
Ranchi ...	Lohardaga ...	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	0·53	0·20	...	0·23	...	0·63	1·32	0·50	0·40	...	...	...	...	...
	Ranchi ...	...	...	0·45	0·53	0·08	0·27	0·48	1·12	0·07	0·01	0·02	0·28	0·88	1·39	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Silli ...	...	...	...	...	1·45	0·25	0·02	0·59	0·15	...	...	0·30	0·78	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Palkot ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	1·40	0·90	...	1·50	..	0·60	2·60	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bano ...	...	...	...	0·11	..	0·04	1·21	0·65	0 05	...	...	1·06	2·32	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tamar ...	...	...	...	0·41	0·10	0·46	0·98	1·43												
	Kurdeg ...																				
	Gamla ...	...	...	...	0·04	0 06	...	0·40	0·39	...	0·31	0·12	0·34	1·69	0·66	...	0·43	0·18	...	...	...
	Chainpur ...	...	...	...	0·14	0·08	0·46	0·78	1·45	0·35	0·45	1·12	0·86	1·68	1·20	0·60					
Palamau ...	Palamau (*Daltonganj*)	0·66	..	0·30	0·03	0·14	0·01	0·19	0·29	0·21	0·05	0·03	0·68	0·41	0·08	0·29	0·21	...	...	...	...
	Balumath ...	...	...	0·60	0·25	...	0·40	0·32	...	...	0·55	0·50	1·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hussainabad ..	..	...	...	1·23	...	0·05	0·24	0·67	...			0·48	0·15	0·20						
	Garhwa ...	...	...	0·99	0·09	0·45	...	0 22	0·46	2·06	0·11	0·33	...	0·78	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mahuadanr ...	...	...	...	...	1 20	...	...	...	0·04	0·50	2·00	0·11	1·10	0·54	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Panki ...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Latehar ...	0·71	...	0·65	0·13	...	0·20	0·20	...	...	...	0·30	0·11	0·30	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nagaruteri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	1·55	0·72	...	1·41	0·30	0·60	0·06	0·04					
	Lanka ...	...	...	3·00	...	0·36	0·15	0·45	...	0·69	1·40	0·50	...	1·00	0·40	...	0·10	...	...	...	...
	Chattarpur ...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	1·00	0·60	...	...	0·14	0·80	...	1·10	...	...	...	...	...
	Bhaonathpur ...	...	...	1·05	...	...	0·90	0·25	2 80	...	2·50	0·36	0·48	0·15	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Patan ...	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	0·72	0·32	0·60	...	...	0·30	0·50	...	0·80	...	...	...	...	...
	Monatu ...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00					
	Lesliganj ...	...	...	1·84	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·43	0·20	0·15	0·90	0·20	0·70						
	Kerh ...	...	...	4·10	...	1·00	...	...	...	0·20	...	1·50	0·40	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Garu ...	...	...	0·42	...	...	0·13	...	...	0·18	0·20	0·90	0·40	0·39	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...
Manbhum ...	Purulia ...	...	...	...	0·28	0·15	0·07	0·04	0·54	...	1·19	0·03	1·11	0·58	0·15	0·02	...	...	...	...	...
	Gobindpur ...	...	...	0·58	...	0·17	0·25	...	0·42	0·15	0·02	0 17	0 50	0·30	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Raghunathpur	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·22	...	...	1·81	0·19	1·14	0·53	...	...	...	0·22	...	...	...
	Barabhbhum ...	...	...	...	0·77	...	0·75	...	...	...	0·07	...	0·32	0·92	0·10	...	...	...	0·21	...	...
	Jhalda ...	...	1·43	...	...	0·15	0·50	2·50	...	...	...	0·28	1·00	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chas ...	0·15	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	0·50	...	0·32	1·45	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pendra ...	...	...	0·22	...	0·10	..	0·14	0·42	...	1·12	0·19	0·07	0·53	0·09	0·04	...	0·22	...	...	...
	Manbasar ...	...	...	1·12	...	...	0·30	0·86	...	...	0·25	0·13	0·55	0·50	...	...					
Singhbhum ...	Chaibassa ...	0·03	...	...	0·17	0·05	0·02	0·80	0·02	0·01	0·06	0·10	0·40	1·70	0·03	0·11	...	0·02	0·58	...	...
	Chakradharpur	...	...	0·05	0·00	0·10	0·74	...	...												
	Ghatsila ...									0·04	0·58	0·80	0·95	1·10	2·40	...					
	Baharagura ...	...	...	...	0·15	0·44	0·13	0·52	0·14	0·08	2·23	1·18	0·90	0·12	2·56	...	0·24	...	...	...	...
	Gailkura ...	...	...	...	0·15	0·63	0·13	0·44	0·07	...	0·34	0·15	0·74	1·72	0·32	...	0·30	0·35	...	...	...
	Kalikapur ...	...	...	...	0·19	0·03	0·20	0·04	...	1·51	2·35	1·20	0·40	0·49	0·26	0·56	...	...	...	...	...
	Monaharpur ...	...	...	0·36	...	...	0·33	0·80	...	0·09	0·88	2·50	4·75	0·11	...	...	0·70	...	...	...	...
	Washbund	0·06	...	...	0·25	...	...	0·07	0·81	...	...	1·70	1·43	2·15	0·15	0·13	...	...	...	...	...

1	23	25	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th May to 30th Sept. 1906.	Average rainfall from 16th May to 30th Sept.	Station.	DISTRICT.	DIVISION.	METEOROLOGICAL DIVISION.
				0·87	0·73	0·34	1·02	...	0·54	13	11·80	7·46	8·36	1·65	46·56	38·61	Sambalpur ...	Sambalpur.		
9·01	...	...	...	0·93	0·37	0·07	...	0·26	0·28	10	10·40	4·32	7·75	0·93	33·98	49·19	Bargarh.			
..	...	...	...	1·60	0·70	0·09	...	0·33	...	12	?	7·11	?	1·60	95·61	?	Padmapur. (*Baraktmber*)			
											?		?			?	Bhawanipatna.	Uria Feudatory States.		
										10	?	6·11	?	1·83	45·04	?	Bolangir.			
				1·83	1·02	0·01	...	...	...	11	?	7·16	?	2·02	35·33	?	Sonepur.			
..	...	0·06	2·02	0·93	0·15	...	...	0·01	0·03	13	?	11·10	?	2·18	38·55	?	Rampur.			
..	...	...	0·86	...	...	...	...	...	1·20	11	?	8·68	?	2·50	46·37	?	Deoghur.			
..	...	...	0·60	6·30	0·62	0·05	...	...	0·52	10	10·05	11·15	8·32	3·28	48·73	53·26	Gangpur			
..	...	...	1·45	0·56	...	...	...	1·16	0·95	11	?	12·61	?	5·00	39·43	?	Bonaigurh.			
..	...	...	0·40	0·35	0·28	...	0·20	...	0·54											
										14	11·66	12·32	9·94	3·20	42·76	44·42	Jagatsingpur	Cuttack		
..	...	1·10	3·20	0·40	...	0·29	...	...	...	11	12·94	13·87	10·02	3·55	45·56	43·92	Banki.			
..	...	..	...	0·80	3·55	...	...	...	...	14	13·00	9·00	10·46	2·09	36·18	43·69	Cuttack.			
..	...	...	...	1·86	0·90	0·04	...	...	...	9	12·93	7·61	11·17	1·57	25·78	51·17	False Point			
..	...	...	0·35	0·32	0·10	...	...	0·06	0·27	14	13·20	12·83	10·24	1·82	34·72	47·76	Kendrapara			
..	...	...	0·49	1·21	0·50	...	...	...	...	12	12·45	8·90	10·19	1·65	34·78	48·61	Jajpur.			
9·79	0·01	...	...	1·43	1·10	...	...	...	...	10	10·89	8·49	10·04	1·55	36·37	48·43	Dharmsala.			
..	...	...	1·30	1·55	...	...	...	...	...	11	11·62	5·49	9·47	2·12	27·65	47·18	Salepur.			
..	...	...	...	2·12	...	...	...	...	...											
										13	12·50	10·27	10·02	1·90	39·10	46·65	Akhyapada	Balasore.		
..	...	...	...	1·90	1·19	...	0·04	...	0·02	14	13·14	13·95	11·42	2·57	45·82	47·02	Chandbali.			
9·28	...	...	0·15	2·16	0·39	...	...	...	...	12	12·29	11·75	10·30	3·22	35·06	47·58	Bhadrak			
..	...	0·35	3·14	1·13	...	...	...	...	...	15	12·84	11·42	11·02	3·25	35·27	45·18	Soro.			
..	...	...	0·50	1·90	0·10	...	...	...	...		13·87		12·95			50·53	Balasore.			
..	...	...	...			...	...	...	...	14	12·00	14·67	10·09	6·00	43·31	47·14	Jellasore.			
..	...	...	...	1·02	0·31	...	0·37	...	...	11	?	15·61	?	5·50	27·59	?	*Balispal.*			
..	...	...	1·45	0·25	...	...	...	0·15	0·02	13	?	13·08	?	3 2·	30·81	?	*Bram (Basudebpur).*			
..	...	...	...	3·59	0·95	...	...	...	...											
											?		?			?	*Turigaria.*			
										10	?	9·50	?	2·5		?	*Basuth.*			
..	...	...	0·70	1·60	0·60	...	...	...	...											
										12	11·60	10·39	8·57	2·3	38·47	41·10	Angul ...	Angul.		
..	0·12	...	1·42	0·99	1·27	...	0·27	...	...	13	12·76	10·41	10·56	2·80	38·24	45·73	Hisipara			
..	...	...	0·95	1·63	0·98	0·01	0·14	0·02	0·02	11	?	7·97	?	1·5	36·88	?	*Chhendipada.*			
..	...	0·74	0·72	1·22	...	...	...	...	...	19	?	9·99	?	1·67	37·02	?	*Tikerpara.*			
..	0·14	0·65	1·07	0·27	0·14	0·06	...	0·16	0·04	14		12·26		3·02			*Balandapara.*			
..	...	...	3·02	1·48	0·19	...	...	0·03	...											
										14	12·83	12·55	8·93	2·13	47·46	42·90	Baramba ...	Orissa Tributary Mahals.		
..	...	..	0·07	1·73	1·08	...	0·65	...	0·01	17	11·17	7·23	9·57	1·78	48·47	40 87	Kunjabongari			
9·23	0·12	0·02	1·78	0·36	0·62	0·25	0·17	...		14	13·50	10·27	10·56	1·57	43·97	47 91	Dhenkanal			
..	...	...	1·67	1·38	0·71	...	...	...	...	11	?	9·84	?	2·80	42·12	?	*Baisinga.*			
..	1·07	...	0·14	0·55	1·50	...	...	...	...											
..	...	0·39	0·24	0·18	1·86	0·12	0·07	0·78	1·72	20	10·11	16·16	9·70	6·50	4·72	47·88	Keonjhar.			
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	16	11·89	14·22	11·81	4·25	42·70	45·29	Anandapur.			
9·10	1·80	0·40	0·26	1·16	0·05	...	...	...	0·26	18	12·77	12·54	?	6·10	43·09	50·27	Baripada.			
..	...	...	0·92	0·98	...	...	...	0·03	...		?	10·86	?	5·40	30 15	?	*Karanjia.*			
..	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	0·35	0·82	10	10·53		7·30			36·97	Narsingpur			
..	...	...									9·75		10·33			48·00	Nayagarh.			
..	...	...									12·04	10·22	8·80	1 90	43·21	60·06	Pal Lahera.			
..	...	...	0·05	0·20	1·40	...	0·60	...	0·20	13	12 75	14·30	9·75	3·20	40·11	45·17	Ranpur.			
..	...	...	...	1·70	0·30	...	...	...	...	14	10·60	9·65	8·04	1·36	30·43	43·16	Talcher.			
9·14	0·44	...	0·41	1·18	0·79	...	...	...	...	13	?	10·18	?	1·33	43·20	?	*Athmalik.*			
9·14	...	...	0·07	1·23	1·21	0·44	...	...	...	14	?	9·83	?	2·12	38·63	?	*Hindol.*			
..	...	0·11	1·06	2·12	...	...	...	...	...	14	?	7·48	?	2·29		?	*Boad.*			
..	0·43	1·80	0·86	0·04	0·08	...	...	...	...	8	?	14·42	?	2·43	48·29	?	*Nilgiri.*			
..	...	...	0·97	1·71	0·83	...	...	...	...	14	?	7·60	?	1·76	38 55	?	*Athgurh.*			
..	0·33	...	0·01	1·76	1·00	...	...	...	...	11										
										11	12·18	5·20	9·91	0·77	38·81	40·92	Puri	Puri.		
9·05	...	0·15	...	0·77	0·61	0·07	0·09	0·49	...	12	13·65	10·05	10·65	1·91	41 08	47·84	Khurda.			
..	0·05	...	...	1·75	0·70	...	...	...	...	13	13·41	5·56	9·64	1·50	40·09	40·79	Bhanpur.			
9·42	...	...	...	1·50	0·55	...	0·22	...	...	11	11·50	10·30	9 71	4·11	35·84	43·58	Gop.			
..	...	0·02	1·97	0·33	...	...	...	...	...	10	10·36	4·65	8·90	2·12	30·19	34·07	Satpara.			
..	...	0·50	...	2·12	...	...	0·04	...	...	7	13·40	7·20	9·02	2 90	39·52	46 58	Pipli.			
..	...	...	...	2·66	0·60	0·10	0·20	...	...	10	?	6·06	?	3·42	30·26	?	*Kanas.*			
..	...	...	...	2·42	...	...	...	...	...	5										
											12·77	6·54	8·53	1·42	26·84	43·16	Pachamba ... (*Giridih*).	Hazaribagh.		
..	...	...	...	0·95	0·10	...	...	...	0·40	10										
										14	11·97	10·35	8·26	2·52	31·52	44·67	Hazaribagh.			
..	...	...	...	0·62	0·25	...	...	...	1·59	9	9·88	5·68	7·82	1 92	25·13	41·45	Barhi.			
..	...	...	...	1·93	...	...	0·31	...	0·49	11	10·69	7·66	7·57	2·78	39·85	45·45	Chátra.			
..	...	...	...	0·29	0·24	...	0 02	...	2·78		10·00		9 58			48 12	Kharagdiha.			
..	...	...	...								9·69		8·48			46·26	Ramgar.			
..	...	...	...							11	?	5·58	?	1·85	33·35	?	*Koderma.*			
..	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	0·40	...	...		?		?			?	*Bagodar.*			
..	...	...	...																	
										11	12·41	5·51	9·19	1·52	38·27	44 00	Lohardaga ...	Ranchi.		
..	...	...	...	...	2·79	0·87	0·23	...	...	12	13·66	9·51	8·26	2·39		43·61	Ranchi.			
..	...	...	...	2·89	0·59	0·03	...	0·23	0·09	7	7·73	3·85	7·16	1·65	43·09	44·60	Silli.			
..	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...		8·86		8·83			57·41	Palkot.			
..	...	...	...							8	?	7·61	?	2·32		?	*Bano.*			
..	...	...	...	...	0·11	1·61	...	...	0·06		9·43		9·06			48·40	Tamar.			
..	...	...	...								?		?			?	*Kurdeg.*			
..	...	...	...								?		?			?	*Gumla.*			
..	...	...	...	0·80	0·28	0·39	0·02	...	0·21	13	?	6 43	?	1·60	50·76	?	Chainpur.			
..	...	...	...								8·86		6·36			41·19				
..	...	...	...	1·23	2·36	0·63	...	0·06	2·16	13	10·48	9·42	7·54	2·36	46·04	30·69	Palamau (*Daltonganj*).	Palamau.		
									0·60	10	9·50	8·27	8·54	3·05	37·50	46·44	Balumath.			
..	...	...	...	3·05	0·40	...	...	...			7·69		7·15			45·68	Hussainabad			
..	...	...	...								8·56		6·95			40·70	Garhwa.			
..	...	...	...	0·86	0·62	0·23	...	0·24	1·86	14	?	9·60	?	2·06	41·21	?	*Mahuadaur.*			
..	...	...	...								?		?			?	*Panki.*			
..	...	...	...								?	1·00	?	0·85		?	*Latehar.*			
..	...	...	...	0·85	...	0·15	...	...	...	2	?	0 58	?	1·60	40·07	?	*Nagaruta.*			
..	...	...	...	1·60	0·93	...	...	0·55	0·60	13	?		?			?	*Ranka.*			
..	...	...	...								?	13·30	?	4·00	50·19	?	*Chattarpur.*			
..	...	...	...	...	4·00	0·35	0·40	0·35	0·25	15	?	1· 04	?	3·40	36·09	?	*Bhaonathpur.*			
..	...	...	...	1·41	1·10	...	...	...	3·40	9	?	15 90	?	4·07	46·08	?	*Patan.*			
..	...	...	...	1·48	...	...	...	4·07	1·15	12	?	8·58	?	1·56		?	*Manatu.*			
..	...	...	...	1·12	0·60	...	...	1·06	1·56	11	?		?			?	*Lesliganj.*			
..	...	...	...								?		?			?	*Kerh.*			
..	...	...	...	2·00	2·10	0·20	...	0·69	0·44	11	?	13·03	?	4·10	53·01	?	*Garu.*			
..	...	...	...	1·30	0·75	...	...	2·00	0·60	13	?	7·48	?	2·60		?				
..	...	...	...	0·28	1·42	...	0·05	...	0·24	10	11·61	6·25	8·14	7·42	45·00	41·72	Purulia ..	Manbhum.		
..	...	...	...	0·08	0·79	...	...	...	3·40	10	11·00	6·69	8·62	3·40	37·39	47·30	Gobindpur.			
..	...	...	...	0·20	0·15	...	...	...	0·80	10	10·69	5 92	7 95	1·81		43·42	Raghunathpu.			
..	...	...	...		1·00	...	...	...		7	11·19	4·14	9·26	1·00	37·61	46·79	Barabahbum			
..	...	...	...	...	0·70	...	...	...	0·65	8	9·31	7·26	7·96	2·50	44·10	47·41	Jhalda.			
..	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	...	0·54	...	8	11·63	4·18	8 34	1·45	28·91	42·73	Chas.			
..	...	...	...	0·10	0·58	...	...	...	0·22	11	10·89	4·71	8·94	1·12	34·13	45·84	Pandra.			
..	...	...	...								?		?			?	*Manbazar.*			
..	...	...	...																	
											12·00	5 23	8·30	1·70	35·59	45·38	Chaibasa	Singhbhum.		
..	...	...	...	0·95	0·17	0·02	...	...	...	9	11·94		8·18			46·29	Chakradharpur			
..	...	...	...								10·25		8·74			49·53	Ghatsila.			
..	...	...	...							13	11·31	11·89	9·42	2·56	46·86	48·69	Saharagura.			
..	...	...	...	0·54	1·90	...	...	...	...	17	9·88	8·81	8·07	1·72	43·79	52·01	Gaikura.			
..	...	...	0·15	0·61	0·92	0·38	...	...	0·81	14	11·38	8·45	9·54	2·36	43·29	55·04	Kalikapur.			
..	...	...	0·16	0·30	0·40	0·10	...	...	0·36	12	5·86	14·86	5·09	4·73	52·52	59·17	Monoharpur.			
..	...	...	0·39	0·50	...	...	...	1·68	1·50	12	?	8·64	?	2·15	47·58	?	*Katbari.*			

DISTRICT RAINFALL TABLE OF THE PROVINCE OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1906.

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	District Observations. Rainfall. Of month. Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation from mean.	Number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.	Since 16th May 1906. Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation.	Mean number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	Burdwan	7·83	8·40	—0·57	9·40	11·01	38·96	45·53	— 6·57	8·055	56·84
		Birbhum	4·58	10·39	—5·81	8·67	12·01	37·82	47·39	— 9·57	57·34	58·81
		Bankura	6·47	8·70	—2·23	10·38	10·95	39·02	46·38	— 7·36	51·84	56·38
		Midnapore	7·72	9·61	—1·89	10·50	11·61	40·12	46·99	— 6·87	52·44	56·91
		Hooghly	7·52	8·83	—1·31	15·33	11·96	33·92	46·70	—12·78	58·67	61·00
		Howrah	6 28	9·45	—3·17	9 67	12·20	37·74	46·18	— 8·44	55·94	62·98
	Presidency	24-Parganas	7·90	10·04	—2·14	12·38	12·35	37 65	50 20	—12·55	55·02	62·23
		Calcutta	8·30	10·40	—2·10	13·10	13·38	37·28	49.39	—12·11	60·00	67 78
		Nadia	10.41	8·48	+1·93	13·40	11·02	40·38	43·51	— 3·13	58 00	58·65
		Murshidabad	7·66	9·35	—1·69	13·11	11·58	40·93	44·09	— 3·16	59 67	57·53
		Jessore	10·20	8·45	+1·75	12·01	11·07	41·19	45·22	— 4·03	58·80	60 84
		Khulna	8·31	9·56	—1·24	14·80	11·87	36·47	51·24	—14·77	65·75	64·68
Bihar.	Patna	Patna	4·27	7·20	—2·93	7·17	8·79	37·95	39·69	— 1·74	45·67	45·66
		Gaya	7·90	6·55	+1·35	7·33	8·37	38·89	38 03	— 4·14	40·77	45·00
		Shahabad	5·19	6·96	—1·77	8·00	8·37	32·03	38 13	— 5·20	43·75	43·91
		Saran	2·22	8·20	—4·98	5·50	7·96	41·05	39·72	+ 1·33	43·80	42·43
		Champaran	2 94	9·89	—6·95	6·75	8·78	59·98	47·33	+12·65	53·50	47·69
		Muzaffarpur	4·36	8·70	—3 81	6·67	8·22	49·39	40 05	+ 9·34	48·83	43·37
		Darbhanga	3·45	10·06	—6·61	7.20	9 24	53·46	44·08	+ 9·43	52·80	46·95
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr	4·60	9·57	—4·97	7·33	9·48	35·11	43·16	— 8 05	4 804	47·66
		Bhagalpur	3·19	10·90	—7·00	6·86	9·88	44·85	44·97	— 0 12	53·12	50·10
		Darjeeling	8·60	18·22	—9·62	14·33	17·00	118 84	104·34	+14 50	92·36	92·51
		Purnea	4·03	15·44	—11·41	7·50	11·26	63·19	64·64	— 1·45	58·78	59·77
		Santhal Parganas.	5·04	11·10	—6·06	8·87	11·15	36·46	46·79	—10·33	55·21	56 53
Orissa.	Orissa	Sambalpur	5·89	8·30	—2·41	11·50	11·10	40·28	50·52	—10·24	55·00	57·25
		Angul	9·19	9 57	—0·38	12·00	12 18	43·60	43·04	+ 0·56	79·18	60·12
		Cuttack	8·85	10·19	—1·34	11·25	12·19	34·53	47·52	—12·99	48·38	55·65
		Balasore	12·94	11·13	+1 81	13·75	12·59	39·98	47·34	— 7·36	57 05	56 51
		Puri	5·46	9·82	—4·37	9·00	12·25	34·95	42·30	— 7 35	43 50	51·73
Chota Nagpur.	Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	6·76	8·37	—1·61	10·40	10·83	30·29	45·00	—14·71	47·45	55·92
		Ranchi	7·49	8 30	—0 81	9·50	10·16	44 25	46·64	— 2·39	57 93	57·11
		Palamau	7·58	7·65	—0·07	10·75	9·06	38·54	42·48	— 3 94	47·31	49 25
		Manbhum	5·42	8·52	—3 10	5·42	10·90	34·32	45·49	—11 17	39·86	57·17
		Singhbhum	10·20	8·19	+2·01	12·78	10·37	45·03	50·47	— 5·44	58·44	59·39

SUMMARY OF THE RAINFALL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1906.

The most striking feature in the rainfall of September 1906 was the partial break in the rains throughout the Province from the 15th to the 24th. The rainfall was deficient in all the districts with the exception of Nadia and Jessore (in South-West Bengal), Gaya (in Bihar), Balasore (in Orissa) and Singhbhum (in Chota Nagpur), where it was in slight excess. The rainfall of the month was thus, more or less, of a local character. Expressed in percentage figures, the districts of Nadia and Jessore received 123 and 121 per cent. respectively, Balasore 116 per cent. and Singhbhum 125 per cent. From the abstract percentage table, it will be seen that South-West Bengal received 83 per cent., Bihar 49 per cent., Orissa 78 per cent. and Chota Nagpur 83 per cent. The total rainfall from January to the end of September 1906 was 92 per cent. of the normal in South-West Bengal, 97 per cent. in Bihar, 82 per cent. in Orissa, and 95 per cent. in Chota Nagpur. Full details of the rainfall registered at each rainfall station in each district of Bengal are given in the accompanying table, day by day, for the month.

The following table compares the rainfall in the four Divisions during the month of September with the normal fall, the actual being given as a percentage of the normal. The table also shows the actual falls for each of the previous months of the year, expressed in

the same way, and the last column of the table shows the total rainfall of the past nine months of the year:—

Meteorological Divisions.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	Actual Rainfall of first nine months of 1906 expressed as a percentage of the normal fall for the period.
South-West Bengal ...	4·67	4·89	1 77	3	71	62	94	95	83	92
Bihar	·81	4·24	1·13	6	73	88	104	129	49	97
Orissa	3·21	3·78	·73	11	65	86	91	·64	78	82
Chota Nagpur ...	3 76	6·93	1·92	3	58	68	105	·73	83	95

The following table affords a comparison between the actual and normal rainfall in the month of September in all districts in the Province:—

PERCENTAGE TABLE FOR AUGUST 1906.

Division.	District.	Normal rainfall for September.	Actual district rainfall for Sept. 1906.	Percentage of actual to normal rainfall.	Percentage excess (+), defect (−).
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	8·40	7·83	93	— 7
	Birbhum	10·39	4·58	44	— 56
	Bankura	8·70	6·47	74	— 26
	Midnapore	9·61	7·72	80	— 20
	Hooghly	8·83	7·52	85	— 15
	Howrah	9·45	6·28	66	— 34
	24-Parganas	10·04	7·90	79	— 21
	Calcutta	10·40	8·30	80	— 20
	Nadia	8·48	10·41	123	+ 23
	Murshidabad	9·35	7·66	82	— 18
	Jessore	8·45	10·20	121	+ 21
	Khulna	9·55	8 31	87	— 13
Bihar ...	Patna	7·20	4·27	59	— 41
	Gaya	6·55	7·90	121	+ 21
	Shahabad	6·96	5·19	75	— 25
	Saran	8·20	3·22	39	— 61
	Champaran	9·89	2·94	30	— 70
	Muzaffarpur	8·17	4·36	53	— 47
	Darbhanga	10·06	3·45	34	— 66
	Monghyr	9·57	4·60	48	— 52
	Bhagalpur	10·19	3·19	31	— 69
	Darjeeling	18·22	8·60	47	— 53
	Purnea	15·44	4·03	26	— 74
	Sonthal Parganas ...	11·10	5·04	45	— 55
Orissa ...	Sambalpur	8·30	5·89	71	— 29
	Angul	9·57	9·19	96	— 4
	Cuttack	10·19	8·85	87	— 13
	Balasore	11·13	12·94	116	+ 16
	Puri	9·82	5·45	56	— 44
Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	8·37	6·76	81	— 19
	Ranchi	8·30	7·49	90	— 10
	Palamau ..	7·65	7·58	99	— 1
	Manbhum	8·52	5·42	63	— 37
	Singhbhum	8·19	10·20	125	+ 25

The following table gives a summary of the rainfall data of the four divisions of the Province for the month of September 1906:—

Meteorological Division.	Rainfall of month.			Rainy days.			Rainfall since 16th May 1906.	
	Average for Division.	Normal average.	Variation.	Average number in month.	Normal average number in month.	Variation.	Average for Division.	Normal average.
South-West Bengal ...	7·71	9·26	−1·55	11·52	11·58	−0·06	38·57	46·79
Bihar	4·56	9·40	−4·84	7·28	9·41	−2 13	41·71	44 09
Orissa	8·06	10·36	−2·30	10·70	12·33	−1·63	36·46	45·89
Chota Nagpur ...	6·91	8·25	−1·34	9·84	10·37	−0·53	38·70	46·36

C. A. Oldham,
Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

The 10th October 1906.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 13th October 1906, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 13th October 1906.			Week ending Saturday, the 14th October 1905.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	422	59,868	587	850	95,105	1,499
Jute	760	1,95,133*	3,309	485	1,31,874†	2,207
Firewood	95	74,320	1,141	114	75,440	1,135
Other articles	761	1,57,030	1,854	880	1,68,980	2,045
Total ...	2,038	4,86,351	6,891	2,329	4,71,399	6,886

* Weight by canal measurement, 2,11,237½ maunds.
† „ Ditto ditto 1,47,135 do.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 7th to 13th October 1906.

Month.	Sum in	Number bright s	Mean at 3	Temperature. Maxim	imu	Hygrometry. bulb.	pour	w point.		Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rains.	Weather.
1906.			Inches.				Inches					Inches.	
Oct. 7th	146·9	8·5	29·831	83·3	91·4	15·3	76·1	76·2	0·810	72·9	70 SE by S and NNW	73	Nil	Chiefly clear.
8th	148·9	7·4	·852	84·3	91·4	13·3	78·1	78·0	·874	75·2	NNW and ESE	60	,,	Partially cloudy.
9th	131·9	8·3	·872	82·1	88·9	12·1	76·8	78·0	·913	76·4	82 ESE, WSW and W.	29	,,	Partially cloudy, a, p.
10th	147·9	2·2	·852	81·3	88·7	13·8	74·9	75·2	·828	73·6	81 W and WSW	45	0·04	Partially, cloudy, a, t, p.
11th	149·9	7·9	·893	81·3	89·0	14·5	74·5	76·6	·858	74·6	80 WSW and SSW	51	0·19	Partially cloudy,
12th	137·9	2·3	·939	80·4	86·9	12·0	74·9	76·4	·896	75·9	91 WNW and ENE	44	Nil	Partially cloudy, o, p,
13th	144·7	7·4	·908	80·4		14·0	74·1	76·5	·873	75·1	84 WNW and NW by W.	41	0·31	Partially cloudy.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·878
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·809
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	39·0
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	82·0
	°
The mean temperature of the seven days	81·9
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	82·7
The extreme variation of temperature	17·3
The maximum temperature	91·4
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	10
	%
The mean relative humidity	80
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	81
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 7th to 13th October 1906	0·54
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	1·38
The total fall from 1st January to 13th October 1906	51·92
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	61·77

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

a, dew; o, overcast; t, thunder; p, passing temporary showers.

O. W. PEAKE,
for *Director-General of Observatories.*

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA;
Alipore (Calcutta), the 15th October 1906.

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of July 1906, compared with the corresponding period in 1905.

DESCRIPTION OF GOODS.	1905.		1906.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	15	228	14	207	.....	.....	1	21	
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	3,300	6,453	3,125	5,643	.....	.....	175	810	
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	42	419	73	525	31	106	.....	.....	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) } Twist and yarn. { European	45	590	33	444	.....	.....	12	146	
(b) } { Indian ...	370	4,487	417	4,174	47	.....	.....	283	
(c) } Piece-goods { European	735	6,053	545	5,748	.....	.....	190	1,305	
(d) } { Indian ...	200	2,135	229	2,010	29	.....	.....	125	
(e) Others	16	149	18	205	2	56	.....	.....	
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	136	596	141	443	5	.....	.....	153	
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	9	269	21	384	12	115	.....	.....	
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.	10	77	22	143	12	66	.....	.....	
(b) Others	1,462	6,249	1,647	6,090	185	.....	.....	159	
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1. Al (Morinda citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Alizarine and aniline dyes.	3	38	1	6	.....	.....	2	32	
3. Cutch	38	261	5	62	.....	.....	33	199	
4. Indigo	4	33	4	32	.....	.....	.....	1	
5. Myrabolams	13	80	9	73	.....	.....	4	7	
6. Tanning barks	9	107	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	107	
7. Turmeric	261	2,795	115	942	.....	.....	146	1,853	
8. Others	28	313	26	270	.....	.....	2	43	
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	582	1,018	599	2,175	17	257	.....	.....	
2. Hay, straw and grass ...	155	439	171	535	16	96	.....	.....	
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	1,833	12,895	1,198	6,557	.....	.....	635	6,338	Bad mango crop.
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Gram and pulse ...	7,027	27,976	6,243	24,833	246	.....	.....	3,143	
2. Jawar and bajra ...	107	384	92	214	.....	.....	15	170	
3. } Rice { in the husk ...	1,852	5,477	1,955	6,416	103	939	.....	.....	
4. } { not in the husk	11,511	48,806	9,103	29,922	.....	.....	2,408	18,884	Less demand.
5. Wheat	6,284	24,590	3,317	14,071	.....	.....	2,967	10,519	Market dull.
6. Wheat-flour	201	916	157	888	.....	.....	44	28	
7. Makai	1,423	5,106	2,374	7,256	951	2,150	.....	.....	
8. Others	6,870	26,336	5,986	20,885	.....	.....	884	5,451	
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	2	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	12	
(b) Raw	342	2,405	431	2,714	89	309	.....	.....	
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	1	5	1	5	.....	.....	
(b) Raw	266	1,846	171	1,019	.....	.....	95	827	
XI.—Horns	9	49	8	44	.....	.....	1	5	
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	25	83	247	1,604	222	1,521	.....	.....	
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	3	81	35	179	32	260	.....	.....	
2. Gunny-bags and cloth	966	5,531	814	4,484	.....	.....	152	1,047	
XIV.—Lac	266	1,233	205	1,362	.....	129	61	.....	
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought	20	53	7	22	.....	.....	13	31	
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	22	87	22	146	.....	59	.....	.....	
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and Beer	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Spirits of all kinds, including country spirits.	4	27	3	28	.....	1	1	.....	
3. Wine	19	212	26	255	7	43	.....	.....	
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought ...	16	95	16	147	.....	52	.....	.....	
2. ,, wrought ...	99	807	89	561	.....	.....	10	246	
3. Copper, unwrought ...	1	8	1	4	.....	.....	.....	4	
4. ,, wrought ...	6	72	4	50	.....	.....	2	22	
5. Iron and steel—									
(a) Cast	32	195	87	652	55	457	.....	.....	
(b) Unwrought ...	29	149	102	289	73	140	.....	.....	
(c) Wrought	321	1,834	323	1,665	2	.....	.....	169	
(d) Manufactures ...	299	1,602	592	3,953	293	2,351	.....	.....	
6. Others	202	1,696	186	1,503	.....	.....	16	193	
XVIII.—Oils—									
1. Kerosine	1,618	6,498	2,084	8,669	466	2,171	.....	.....	
2. Castor	22	121	21	172	.....	51	1	.....	
3. Cocoanut	19	150	10	95	.....	.....	9	55	
4. Mustard and rape ...	45	295	80	604	35	309	.....	.....	
5. Others	19	132	28	125	9	.....	.....	7	

Description of Goods.	1905.		1906.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
XIX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor	519	1,508	1,084	2,458	565	950	.....	.....	
2. Earthnuts	1	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	2	
3. Linseed	2,626	10,463	6,188	24,792	3,562	13,329	.....	.....	Good crops and demand.
4. Poppy	1,214	6,438	612	2,963	.....	.....	602	3,475	
5. Rape and mustard ...	1,534	7,822	1,855	8,703	321	881	.....	.....	
6. Til or jinjili	11	60	34	241	23	181	.....	.....	
7. Others	1,287	5,590	388	1,606	.....	.....	899	3,984	
XX.—Opium	.....	79	10	2,505	10	.....	.....	2,584	An arrear adjustment.
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard ...	281	630	209	516	.....	.....	72	114	
XXII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts ...	38	410	46	589	8	179	.....	.....	
2. Ghee	168	1,300	102	1,475	.....	175	6	.....	
3. Others	1,105	4,335	910	4,004	.....	.....	195	371	
XXIII.—Railway Plant and Rolling Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(c) Others	7	31	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	31	
XXIV.—Salt	8,616	33,949	6,946	27,174	.....	.....	1,870	6,774	
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—									
1. Saltpetre	420	1,421	425	1,503	5	82	.....	.....	
2. Other saline substances	294	1,176	333	1,332	39	156	.....	.....	
XXVI.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign	.....	 5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	 5	
(b) Indian	.....		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
2. Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XXVII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts	103	1,314	103	824	.....	.....	60	490	
2. Cardamoms	3	32	1	16	.....	.....	2	16	
3. Chillies	145	1,082	423	2,211	278	1,129	.....	.....	
4. Ginger	30	256	33	219	3	.....	.....	37	
5. Pepper	23	268	16	190	.....	.....	7	78	
6. Others	172	1,142	143	1,118	.....	.....	29	24	
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	2,394	3,921	2,948	5,221	554	1,300	.....	.....	
XXIX.—Sugar—									
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	142	871	311	2,031	169	1,160	.....	.....	
2. Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar	1,499	9,596	1,895	7,780	396	.....	.....	1,816	
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	2,032	11,993	2,431	6,916	399	.....	.....	5,077	
XXX.—Tea—									
1. Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Indian	3	43	2	19	.....	.....	1	24	
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured ...	4,314	38,116	2,304	12,884	.....	.....	2,010	25,232	Crop last year was late and despatches held back.
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Cigars	5	85	1	14	.....	.....	4	71	
(b) Other sorts ...	16	169	12	122	.....	.....	4	47	
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought ...	984	3,918	816	2,324	.....	.....	168	1,594	
2. Logs	706	1,818	1,540	4,517	840	2,699	.....	.....	
3. Poles	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4. Manufactures	225	1,453	220	1,511	.....	58	5	.....	
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw	8	226	34	171	26	.....	.....	55	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs ...	9	23	1	9	.....	.....	8	14	
(b) (c) Piece-goods { European	1	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	8	
(b) (c) Piece-goods { Indian	8	78	14	123	6	45	.....	.....	
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—									
1. Indigo-seed	16	136	16	112	.....	.....	.....	24	
2. Firewood	1,148	2,311	1,041	1,649	.....	.....	107	662	
3. Others not specified above.	2,434	11,190	2,216	2,402	.....	.....	218	8,788	
Total ...	84,984	3,77,424	80,962	2,97,798	10,144	33,967	14,166	1,13,593	

T. SIDAL,
Chief Auditor.

GORAKHPUR, *the 13th October 1906.*

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th September 1906 on 2,094·73 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
raffic for the week ...	427,516	4,25,696 0 0	65,15,356 0	10,47,913 0 0	28,548 0 0	15,02,157 0 0	130,475	183,885	314,360
mile of railway ...	.....	203 3 7	.....	500 4 2	13 10 1	717 1 10	.....	.....	.....
vious 10 weeks of half-year	4,553,437*	41,30,720 0 0*	5,99,04,130 0†	95,17,119 0 0†	2,83,173 0 0‡	1,39,31,012 0 0	1,300,654§	1,661,681§	2,962,315
Total for 11 weeks ...	4,980,953	45,56,416 0 0	6,64,19,986 0	1,05,65,032 0 0	3,11,721 0 0	1,54,33,169 0 0	1,431,129	1,845,566	3,276,695
COMPARISON.									
for corresponding week of ous year.	443,159	4,35,553 14 7	57,01,210 0	8,92,603 5 3	30,737 3 8	13,58,894 7* 6	127,706	174,092	301,798
le of railway corresponding of previous year.	.....	207 12 9	.....	426 0 0	14 15 9	648 12 6	.....	.....	.....
or corresponding 11½ weeks revious year.	4,830,709	45,84,803 0 8	6,61,30,919 0	97,39,834 13 10	3,19,328 5 1	1,46,44,466 12 7	1,386,282	1,792,886	3,179,168

The increase is chiefly in food-grains.
ided No. of passengers 27,384 and Rs. 1,348
Deducted Mds. 3,19,978 and added ,, 8,084 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 4th August
Ditto ,, 1,600 } 1906.
udited figures up to 4th August 1906.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.

m ge.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
13	Week ended 7th July ...	567,167	4,48,481	69,19,072	9,99,219	25,096	14,42,796	694	304,958	4 11 8
13	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	460,804	4,04,849	63,54,825	9,32,554	29,603	13,67,006	658	301,065	4 8 8
13	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	457,480	4,35,442	57,13,738	9,49,878	27,975	14,13,295	680	298,384	4 11 9
13	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	420,063	4,03,955	45,30,696	8,06,569	28,678	12,39,202	596	274,042	4 8 4
13	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	437,011	4,48,618	58,95,837	9,09,114	28,810	13,81,542	665	303,109	4 8 11
06	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	432,023	4,15,053	58,03,354	8,95,535	30,413	13,41,001	647	285,917	4 11 1
06	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	411,734	3,80,530	59,05,519	9,16,353	28,866	13,25,749	635	280,371	4 11 8
06	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	403,404	3,63 781	57,46,952	9,18,781	28,391	13,10,953	626	284,702	4 9 8
06	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	440,749	4,13,519	64,43,747	10,06,921	27,621	14,38,061	734	313,506	4 14 9
06	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	466,850	4,21,492	64,89,890	11,22,195	27,720	15,71,407	750	317,281	4 15 3
06	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	427,510	4,25,096	65,15,356	10,47,913	28,548	15,02,157	717	314,360	4 12 5
	Totals up to date ...	4,980,953	45,56,416	6,64,19,986	1,05,65,032	3,11,721	1,54,33,169	673	3,276,695	4 11 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1·33	First 8 days of July ...	569,906	5,07,593	73,45,102	10,75,471	31,669	16,14,733	791	342,084	4 11 7
1·33	Week ended 15th ,, ...	530,093	4,89,596	55,14,313	8,18,437	29,003	13,08,036	641	291,785	4 7 9
1·33	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	453,067	4,41,862	54,65,115	8,81,667	28,775	13,52,304	662	286,188	4 11 7
1·33	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	423,430	4,40,780	60,89,066	8,88,052	27,926	13,56,758	665	280,065	4 13 6
1·33	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	425,588	4,14,472	60,12,732	8,20,683	28,394	12,63,549	619	276,531	4 9 1
1·33	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	412,045	3,84,688	54,23,290	8,43,045	25,863	12,53,596	614	274,661	4 9 0
5·03	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	422,019	3,76,084	49,30,968	7,43,810	26,601	11,46,495	561	269,757	4 4 0
9·06	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	373,357	3,72,641	64,79,724	8,63,016	26,808	12,02,465	616	271,293	4 10 5
0·33	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	382,701	3,59,779	68,75,259	9,99,026	32,849	13,91,654	679	289,906	4 13 10
1·07	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	385,255	3,91,755	62,93,480	9,14,014	30,213	13,35,982	651	295,120	4 8 5
1·07	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	443,159	4,35,554	57,01,210	8,92,604	30,737	13,58,895	663	301,798	4 8 1
	Totals up to date ...	4,830,709	45,84,804	6,61,30,919	97,39,835	3,19,328	1,46,44,467	643	3,179,168	4 9 8

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th September 1906 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	20,744	4,606 9 0	1",142 0	512 0 0	8 0 0	5,126 0 0	963	225	
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	207 3 2	.....	23 0 6	0 5	230 9 5			
For previous 10 weeks of half-year	221,862*	52,561 0 0*	95,686 0†	3,752 0 0†	0 0‡	56,407 0 0‡	9,713§	2,259§	
Total for 11 weeks ...	242,606	57,168 0 0	1,07,800 0	4,264 0 0	101 0 0	61,533 0 0	10,676	2,484	
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	20,207	4,247 9 0	10,086 30	437 6 0	8 13 9	4,693 12 9	961	225	1,186
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.		191 1 2		19 10 10	0 6 4	211 2 4			
Total for corresponding 11½ weeks of previous year.	230,110	52,925 3 11	1,27,376 30	3,810 10 0	95 1? 6•	56,831 10 5	10,848	2,496	13,344

* Deducted No. of passengers 46 and Rs. 294 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 4th
† Added Mds. 361 and " 6 } August 1906.
‡ Do, " 7
§ Audited figures up to 4th August 1906.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	* Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	Week ended 7th July ...	41,964	10,696	14,889	553	15	11,264	507	1,252	8 15 11
*22·23	" " 14th " ...	24,540	5,737	10,816	416	13	6,166	277	1,190	5 2 11
*22·23	" " 21st " ...	21,707	5,008	11,170	374	6	5,388	242	1,256	4 4 8
*22·23	" " 28th " ...	17,649	4,110	9,948	243	9	4,301	193	1,126	3 14 5
22·23	" " 4th Aug. ...	21,759	5,686	10,176	330	13	5,999	270	1,208	4 15 5
22·23	" " 11th " ...	20,019	4,621	7,832	302	5	4,988	224	1,188	4 3 2
22·23	" " 18th " ...	18,735	4,021	5,506	234	7	4,262	192	1,188	3 9 5
22·23	" " 25th " ...	17,946	3,985	10,605	435	8	4,428	199	1,188	3 11 8
22·23	" " 1st Sept. ...	17,763	3,963	8,982	347	8	4,318	194	1,188	3 10 2
22·23	" " 8th " ...	19,780	4,735	10,433	459	9	5,203	234	1,188	4 6 1
22·23	" " 15th " ...	20,744	4,606	12,142	512	8	5,126	231	1,188	4 5 0
	Totals up to date ...	242,606	57,168	1,07,800	4,264	101	61,533	253	13,160	4 10 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 8 days of July ...	25,207	5,782	11,200	364	19	6,165	279	1,296	4 12 4
22·23	Week ended 15th " ...	29,960	7,042	9,826	283	9	8,136	366	1,252	6 7 1
22·23	" " 22nd " ...	26,206	6,519	5,891	213	4	6,735	303	1,010	6 10 8
22·23	" " 29th " ...	15,086	3,679	4,292	171	14	3,864	174	1,284	2 12 8
22·23	" " 5th Aug. ...	15,806	3,494	13,446	276	9	3,779	170	1,196	3 3 7
22·23	" " 12th " ...	21,980	5,499	4,965	237	6	5,733	258	1,232	5 8 10
22·23	" " 19th " ...	19,279	4,239	43,165	637	6	4,873	219	884	5 13 6
22·23	" " 26th " ...	16,249	3,464	7,736	411	8	3,883	176	1,780	2 3 1
22·23	" " 2nd Sept. ...	16,889	3,746	7,701	311	4	4,060	183	1,186	3 6 9
22·23	" " 9th " ...	19,899	4,394	10,749	462	8	4,864	219	1,186	4 1 7
22·23	" " 16th " ...	20,267	4,246	10,067	437	9	4,694	211	1,186	3 15 4
	Totals up to date ...	230,110	52,925	1,27,977	3,811	96	56,833	239	13,344	4 4 2

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th September 1906 on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Traffic for the week	20,167	17,884 0 0	1,21,621 0	11,738 0 0	51 0 9	29,663 0 0	9,199	3,666	12,865
Per mile of railway	.....	110 2 5	.....	72 3 9	0 5 0	182 11 2	...	.....	.....
Previous 10 weeks of half-year	281,368*	2,06,691 0 0*	14,05,898 0†	1,38,764 0 0†	499 0 0‡	3,45,954 0 0	91,632§	40,301§	131,933
Total for 11 weeks ...	301,535	2,24,575 0 0	15,27,519 0	1,50,492 0 0	550 0 0	3,75,617 0 0	100,251	43,967	144,218
COMPARISON.									
1 for corresponding week of previous year.	21,640	18,950 2 10	2,11,973 0	16,995 13 0	111 15 9	36,057 15 7	7,922	3,678	11,100
mile of railway corresponding ek of previous year.	.....	116 11 6	.....	104 10 11	0 11 0	222 1 5	.....	.....	.....
1 for corresponding 11½ weeks previous year.	323,207	2,38,800 12 3	19,80,970 0	1,80,478 3 0	650 11 0	4,19,929 10 3	86,070	43,201	129,271

* Added No. of passengers 15 and deducted Rs. 2,518
† Deducted Mds. 25,089 and added ,, 953 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 4th August 1906.
‡ Added ,, 4
§ Audited figures up to 4th August 1906.

*06. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*162·36	Week ended 7th July ...	31,157	21,273	1,94,000	13,005	56	34,336	211	13,124	2 9 10
*162·36	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	28,355	20,955	98,220	15,213	54	36,222	223	14,036	2 9 3
*162·36	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	27,950	20,413	1,49,343	16,783	71	37,266	230	13,717	2 11 6
*162·36	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	26,476	18,131	1,71,547	16,351	57	34,539	213	13,986	2 10 7
*162·36	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	28,312	19,151	1,08,463	13,802	39	31,992	197	12,667	2 8 5
162·36	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	28,711	21,922	1,52,002	11,474	33	33,429	206	12,987	2 9 2
162·36	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	27,651	20,761	1,68,000	13,128	40	33,929	209	13,084	2 9 6
162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	29,808	22,928	1,56,156	13,426	42	36,496	219	13,068	2 11 6
162·36	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	28,258	21,849	1,33,785	13,395	51	35,295	217	12,821	2 12 1
162·36	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	24,690	20,208	1,34,383	13,188	54	33,450	200	12,862	2 9 7
162·36	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	20,167	17,884	1,21,521	11,738	51	29,663	183	12,865	2 4 11
	Totals up to date ...	301,535	2,24,575	15,27,419	1,50,492	550	3,75,617	210	1,44,218	2 9 9

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1906.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 8 days of July	32,258	24,092	2,04,455	20,025	63	44,178	272	14,024	3 2 7
162·36	Week ended 15th ,, ...	29,537	22,387	1,67,254	13,305	53	35,745	220	12,280	2 8 3
162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	27,090	19,733	1,50,854	17,037	62	36,832	227	10,970	3 5 9
162·36*	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	27,252	19,942	2,63,735	24,396	48	44,345	276	11,076	4 0 9
162·36	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	25,176	18,903	1,68,867	16,189	38	35,130	216	10,938	3 3 5
162·36	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	26,436	19,446	1,16,899	10,573	46	30,065	185	11,026	2 11 7
162·36	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	25,705	18,499	83,537	9,608	39	28,146	175	11,353	2 8 0
162·36	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	24,052	18,352	2,40,404	16,427	46	34,825	214	10,937	3 4 5
162·36	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	56,358	39,111	1,63,001	16,460	76	55,647	345	14,280	3 14 4
162·36	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	25,007	19,336	1,68,211	19,002	68	38,456	237	11,685	3 4 9
162·36	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	21,640	18,950	2,11,973	16,995	112	36,058	222	11,100	3 4 0
	Totals up to date ...	323,207	2,38,801	19,80,970	1,80,478	651	4,19,930	233	129,271	3 4 0

* Audited figures.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 22nd September 1906 on 2,094·73 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P. (a)	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P. (b)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	469,367	4,86,535 0 0	63,51,477 0	10,26,493 0 0	28,099 0 0	15,43,127 0 0	130,675	175,049	305,924
Or per mile of railway	...	233 3 7	...	490 0 7	13 6 7	736 10 9	...	...	...
For previous 11 weeks of half-year	4,980,973	45,86,416 0 0	6,64,19,986 0	1,06,65,032 0 0	3,11,721 0 0	1,54,33,169 0 0	1,431,129	1,845,566	3,276,695
Total for 12 weeks ...	5,450,340	50,44,951 0 0	7,27,71,463 0	1,16,91,525 0 0	3,39,820 0 0	1,69,76,296 0 0	1,562,004	2,020,615	3,582,619
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	403,136	4,09,656 5 4	51,58,016 0	8,77,049 14 9	31,121 4 0	13,17,827 8 1	126,450	166,348	292,798
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	199 11 8	...	427 9 8	15 2 9	642 8 1	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 12½ weeks of previous year	5,333,845	49,94,459 15 0	7,12,88,935 0	1,06,16,884 12 7	3,50,949 9 1	1,59,62,294 4 8	1,513,732	1,959,234	3,471,966

(a) The increase is chiefly due to "Pitri Pakha Mela" and "Durga Puja" holidays.
(b) The increase is chiefly in coal and food-grains.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.

1906. Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic. No. of passengers.	Coaching Traffic. Rs.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Mds.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Rs.	Other earnings. Rs.	Total. Rs.	Per mile of railway. Rs.	Train mileage. No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*2,078·13	Week ended 7th July	567,167	4,48,481	69,19,072	9,69,219	25,096	14,42,796		304,958	4 11 8
*2,078·13	,, ,, 14th ,,	460,364	4,04,849	63,54,825	9,32,854	29,603	13,67,006		301,015	4 8 5
*2,078·13	,, ,, 21st ,,	457,480	4,35,442	57,13,738	9,40,878	27,975	14,13,206		298,384	4 11 9
*2,078·13	,, ,, 28th ,,	430,063	4,03,955	45,80,696	8,06,569	28,678	12,39,202		274,012	4 8 4
*2,078·13	,, ,, 4th Aug.	467,011	4,43,618	59,95,837	9,09,114	28,810	13,81,542		303,109	4 8 11
*2,078·13	,, ,, 11th ,,	432,025	4,15,053	58,03,854	8,95,535	30,413	13,41,001		285,917	4 11 1
2,079·99	,, ,, 18th ,,	411,734	3,80,530	59,05,519	9,16,353	28,866	13,25,749		280,371	4 11 8
2,087·62	,, ,, 25th ,,	403,494	3,63,781	57,46,952	9,19,781	28,391	13,10,953		284,702	4 9 8
2,094·73	,, ,, 1st Sept.	446,749	4,13,519	64,43,747	10,06,921	27,631	13,58,061		312,506	4 14 9
2,094·73	,, ,, 8th ,,	460,850	4,21,492	64,89,896	11,22,195	27,720	15,71,407		317,251	4 15 3
2,094·73	,, ,, 15th ,,	427,516	4,25,696	65,15,856	10,47,013	28,548	15,02,157		314,360	4 12 5
2,094·73	,, ,, 22nd ,,	469,367	4,86,535	63,51,477	10,26,493	28,099	15,43,127		305,924	5 0 8
	Totals up to date	5,450,340	50,44,951	7,27,71,463	1,16,91,525	3,39,820	1,69,76,296	678	3,582,619	4 11 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. 1905

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,041·38	First 8 days of July	509,904	5,07,503	73,45,162	10,75,471	31,669	16,14,783	791	342,064	4 11 7
2,041·38	Week ended 15th July	530,099	4,89,596	55,14,313	8,18,437	29,993	13,08,026	661	291,785	4 7 9
2,041·38	22nd ,,	453,067	4,41,862	54,65,115	8,81,667	28,775	13,52,304	662	286,198	4 11 7
2,041·38	29th ,,	433,430	4,40,780	60,89,936	8,88,003	28,304	13,57,088	665	280,065	4 13 6
2,041·38	5th Aug.	425,583	4,14,472	60,19,788	8,43,045	25,963	12,83,596	619	276,531	4 9 1
2,041·38	12th ,,	412,015	3,84,088	54,23,290	7,43,810	26,601	11,46,495	614	274,661	4 9 0
2,041·38	19th ,,	422,019	3,76,084	49,30,968	7,43,810	26,808	13,63,465	581	269,757	4 4 0
2,045·03	26th ,,	373,367	3,72,641	64,79,724	8,63,016	25,401	13,91,054	616	271,293	4 10 5
2,049·96	2nd Sept.	382,791	3,59,779	68,75,259	9,99,026	32,849	13,35,982	679	289,906	4 12 10
2,080·23	9th ,,	395,255	3,91,755	62,93,480	9,14,014	30,213	13,58,896	651	165,120	4 8 5
2,051·07	16th ,,	445,159	4,35,554	57,01,210	8,93,604	30,737	13,57,895	663	311,798	4 8 1
2,051·07	23rd ,,	408,136	4,09,656	51,58,016	8,77,050	31,121	13,17,827	643	292,798	4 8 0
	Totals up to date	5,333,845	49,94,460	7,12,88,935	1,06,16,885	3,50,949	1,59,62,294	645	3,471,966	

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 22nd September 1906 on 22·22 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	22,623	5,251 0 0	20,343 0	786 0 0	9 0 0	6,046 0 0	963	225	1,188
Average per mile of railway	...	236 5 5	...	35 5 6	0 6 6	271 15 7	...	...	...
Total for previous 11 weeks of half-year	242,606	57,168 0 0	1,07,800 0	4,264 0 0	101 0 0	61,533 0 0	10,676	2,484	13,160
Total for 13 weeks ...	265,229	62,419 0 0	1,28,043 0	5,050 0 0	110 0 0	67,579 0 0	11,639	2,709	14,348
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	18,033	3,905 13 1	17,286 20	693 13 0	6 5 9	4,605 15 10	946	220	1,166
Average per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	...	175 11 3	...	31 3 4	0 4 7	207 3 2	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 13½ weeks of previous year	248,148	56,831 1 0	1,44,663 10	4,504 7 0	102 2 3	61,437 10 3	11,794	2,716	14,510

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.

Open lengths.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·22	Week ended 7th July ...	41,994	10,696	14,889	553	15	11,264	507	1,332	8 15 11
22·22	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	24,540	5,737	10,816	416	13	6,166	277	1,190	5 2 11
22·22	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	21,707	5,008	11,170	374	6	5,388	242	1,256	4 4 8
22·22	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	17,649	4,140	5,946	242	9	4,391	198	1,126	3 14 5
22·22	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	21,759	5,656	10,176	330	13	5,999	270	1,206	4 15 6
22·22	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	20,019	4,621	7,832	362	5	4,988	224	1,188	4 3 2
22·22	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	18,735	4,021	5,506	234	7	4,262	192	1,188	3 9 5
22·22	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	17,946	3,985	10,605	435	8	4,428	199	1,188	3 11 8
22·22	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	17,763	3,963	8,383	347	8	4,318	194	1,188	3 10 2
22·22	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	19,780	4,735	10,438	459	9	5,203	234	1,188	4 6 1
22·22	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	20,744	4,606	13,142	513	8	5,126	231	1,188	4 5 0
22·22	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	22,635	5,251	20,243	786	9	6,046	272	1,188	5 1 5
	Totals up to date ...	265,229	62,419	1,28,043	5,050	110	67,579	253	14,348	4 11 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·22	First 8 days of July ...	25,207	5,782	11,209	394	19	6,195	279	1,332	4 12 4
22·22	Week ended 15th July ...	33,950	7,843	9,626	288	9	8,134	366	1,332	6 7 11
22·22	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	26,398	6,519	5,291	212	4	6,735	303	1,010	6 10 8
22·22	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	15,036	3,679	4,223	171	14	3,864	174	1,334	2 12 6
22·22	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	15,506	3,494	13,446	276	9	3,779	170	1,196	3 3 7
22·22	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	21,980	5,499	4,943	227	6	5,732	258	1,032	5 8 10
22·22	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	19,279	4,139	42,185	637	6	4,972	219	834	5 13 6
22·22	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	16,249	3,484	7,738	411	8	3,903	176	1,780	2 3 1
22·22	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	16,899	3,745	7,701	311	4	4,060	183	1,186	3 6 9
22·22	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	19,339	4,894	16,749	462	8	4,864	219	1,186	4 1 7
22·22	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	20,267	4,948	10,087	457	9	4,894	211	1,186	3 15 4
22·22	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	18,033	3,906	17,227	694	6	4,606	207	1,186	3 15 2
	Totals up to date ...	248,143	56,831	1,44,664	4,505	102	61,438	228	14,510	4 3 9

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 22nd September 1906 on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	23,034	16,862 0 0	1,23,891 0	11,761 0 0	52 0 0	28,675 0 0	9,220	3,706	12,926
Or per mile of railway	...	103 13 8	...	72 7 0	0 5 2	176 9 10	...	...	...
For previous 11 weeks of half-year.	301,535	2,24,675 0 0	15,27,419 0	1,50,492 0 0	550 0 0	3,75,617 0 0	100,251	43,967	144,218
Total for 12 weeks ..	324,569	2,41,437 0 0	16,51,240 0	1,62,253 0 0	602 0 0	4,04,292 0 0	109,471	• 47,673	157,144
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	19,758	17,343 2 9	2,28,260 0	15,611 5 0	44 4 0	33,998 11 9	7,744	3,682	11,426
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	106 3 3	...	96 2 5	0 4 5	208 10 1	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 12½ weeks of previous year... ...	342,965	2,56,043 15 0	22,09,230 0	1,96,089 8 0	694 15 0	4,52,828 6 0	93,814	46,883	140,697

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*162·36	Week ended 7th July ...	31,157	21,273	1,34,000	13,005	68	34,336	211	13,124	2 9 10
*162·36	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	28,385	20,955	98,220	15,213	54	36,222	223	14,036	2 9 3
*162·36	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	27,960	20,413	1,49,343	16,792	71	37,266	230	13,717	2 11 6
*162·36	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	26,476	18,131	1,71,547	16,351	57	34,539	213	12,986	2 10 7
*162·36	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	28,312	19,151	1,08,463	12,802	30	31,992	197	12,667	2 8 5
162·36	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	28,711	21,922	1,52,002	11,474	33	33,429	206	12,987	2 9 2
162·36	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	27,651	20,701	1,68,000	13,128	40	33 929	209	13,084	2 9 6
162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	29,808	22,028	1,56,165	13,426	42	35,496	219	13,068	2 11 6
162·36	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	28,258	21,849	1,33,785	13,305	51	35,205	217	12,821	2 12 1
162·36	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	24,690	20,208	1,34,385	13,188	54	33,450	206	12,863	2 9 7
162·36	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	20,167	17,884	1,21,521	11,728	51	29,663	183	12,985	2 4 11
162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	23,034	16,862	1,23,821	11,761	52	28,675	177	12,926	2 3 6
	Totals up to date ...	324,569	2,41,437	16,51,240	1,62,253	602	4,04,292	208	1,57,144	2 9 2

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concld. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 8 days of July ...	32,258	24,092	2,66,455	20,023	63	44,178	272	14,024	3 2 7
162·36	Week ended 15th July ...	29,337	22,387	1,47,254	13,305	53	35,745	220	12,280	2 3 3
162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	27,096	19,733	1,50,854	17,037	62	36,832	227	10,970	3 3 9
162·36	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	27,252	19,942	2,63,736	24,858	48	44,848	276	11,076	4 0 9
162·36	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	25,176	18,903	1,68,807	16,189	38	35,130	216	10,938	3 3 5
162·36	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	26,426	19,446	1,16,599	10,573	40	30,005	185	11,028	2 11 7
162·36	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	25,703	18,499	83,527	9,608	39	28,146	173	11,253	2 8 0
162·36	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	24,052	18,352	2,41,494	16,427	46	34,825	214	10,537	3 4 5
162·36	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	58,358	34,111	1,65,001	16,460	76	55,647	343	14,280	3 14 4
162·36	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	25,907	19,386	1,68,311	19,002	68	38,456	237	11,685	3 4 8
162·36	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	21,640	16,950	2,11,913	16,996	112	33,958	222	11,100	3 4 9
162·36	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	19,758	17,243	2,28,260	15,611	44	32,898	203	11,426	2 14 1
	Totals up to date ...	342,965	2,56,044	22,03,230	1,96,089	695	4,52,828	230	1,40,697	3 3 6

• Audited figures.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 29th September 1906 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
al traffic for the week ...	46,213	29,602 0 0	4,20,042 0	50,846 0 0	8,624 0 0	89,072 0 0	11,153	16,062	27,215
per mile of railway	60·17	38·54	544·80	65·95	11·19	115·68	14·52	20·83	35·35
previous 12 weeks of half-ear	516,620	3,04,768 0 0	41,19,438 0	5,02,598 0 0	0 0	9,77,994 0 0	135,948	205,733	341,681
Total for 13 weeks*	562,833	3,34,370 0 0	45,39,480 0	5,53,444 0 0	88,662 0 0	10,06,076 0 0	147,101	221,795	
COMPARISON.									
al for corresponding week of revious year	44,533	28,069 0 0	2,94,399 0	46,923 0 0	9,295 0 0	84,287 0 0	10,248	18,649	28,897
mile of railway correspond-g week of previous year ...	57·92	36·09	382·84	61·41	12·56	114·06	13·91	25·20	39·11
al to corresponding date of revious year	477,536	2,89,924 0 0	30,64,752 0	5,27,959 0 0	67,034 0 0	8,84,917 0 0	133,991	235,060	369,051

* Includes Noakhali Railway earnings Rs. 21,331 and train-mileage 11,102.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 29th September 1906.			Receipts for week ending 30th September 1905.			Total receipts from 1st April 1906 to 29th September 1906.			Total receipts from 1st April 1905 to 30th September 1905.			Total increase in 1906.	Total decrease in 1906.
Mean-leage orked.	Receipts	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
771	89,072	115·68	740	84,287	114·06	771	19,98,598	...	740	15,85,898	...	4,12,610	.....

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 29th September 1906 on 1,518 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,518 miles open ...	248,450	(a) 87,090	7,52,310	(b) 91,010	(c) 21,300	2,00,300	40,822	(d) 37,110	84,932
Or per mile of railway	160·50	56·26	485·99	59·37	13·76	129·39	.....	.....	.....
For previous 12 weeks of half-year (e)	3,271,575	12,20,820	83,03,519	8,85,811	1,84,137	22,90,738	570,823	399,457	9,76,285
Total for 13 weeks	3,520,025	13,07,910	90,55,829	9,77,721	2,05,407	24,91,038	623,650	436,567	10,60,217
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,447 miles open	245,128	91,364	7,73,536	74,000	19,680	1,85,044	46,164	(f) 30,515	76,679
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	167·09	62·28	527·20	50·45	13·42	126·14	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	3,319,415	12,54,847	94,21,080	10,35,790	2,10,251	25,00,888	614,195	432,230	10,46,425
Maximum per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week	.....	1·86	.....	2·48	·25	2·39	.....	.....	.....
Ditto for the corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	1·98	.....	2·43	·26	2·41	.....	.....	.....

(a) Decrease mainly under local and foreign outward.
(b) Increase chiefly under foreign inward. Decrease in weight due to an adjustment of ballast train weight last year.
(c) Ditto principally under steamboat.
(d) Includes 6,985 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Ditto audited figures up to week ending 18th August 1906.
(f) Ditto 7,276 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 29th September 1906 on 1,271 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including steam-boat).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	361,610	1,68,870 8 0	25,30,700 0	4,15,243 0 0	50,880 0 0	6,34,990 0 0	58,896	63,605	122,501
Or per mile of railway ...	285	133 0 0	1,991 0	327 0 0	26 0 0*	486 0 0			
For previous 12 weeks of half-year†	4,277,638	17,46,549 0 0	2,14,47,062 0	34,24,330 0 0	2,83,187 0 0	54,54,036 0 0	715,199	634,129	1,349,328
Total for 13 weeks ...	4,639,248	19,15,419 0 0	2,39,77,762 0	38,39,560 0 0	3,34,067 0 0	60,89,046 0 0	774,095	697,734	1,471,829
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	328,298	1,01,440 0 0	25,17,770 0	4,02,406 0 0	63,466 0 0	5,67,312 0 0	57,592	52,121	109,713
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,230 miles)	267	131 0 0	2,047 0	327 0 0	52 0 0	510 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	4,184,152	17,33,485 0 0	1,96,62,732 0	34,77,200 0 0	3,63,277 0 0	55,73,962 0 0	724,171	591,728	1,315,899

* Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 17,040.
† Audited up to week ending 11th August 1906.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 29th September 1906 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	29,340	10,146 0 0	62,880 0	5,060 0 0	80 0 0	15,280 0 0	3,604	2,276	5,880
Or per mile of railway	341	118 0 0	731 0	59 0 0	1 0 0	178 0 0			
For previous 12 weeks of half-year*	4,03,296	1,13,692 0 0	6,08,117 0	56,027 0 0	2,952 0 0	1,72,671 0 0	52,119	24,053	76,172
Total for 13 weeks	4,32,636	1,23,832 0 0	6,70,977 0	61,087 0 0	3,032 0 0	1,87,951 0 0	55,723	26,329	82,052
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	35,618	10,895 0 0	1,07,530 0	7,145 0 0	249 0 0	18,289 0 0	2,985	1,891	4,876
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	414	127 0 0	1,254 0	83 0 0	3 0 0	213 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	4,14,062	1,15,906 0 0	7,28,060 0	55,158 0 0	2,060 0 0	1,73,124 0 0	42,609	23,235	65,844

* Audited up to week ending 11th August 1906.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 29th September 1906 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	4,210	1,450 0 0	99,080 0	3,570 0 0	10 0 0	5,030 0 0	504	†894	1,398
Or per mile of railway	125	43 0 0	2,966 0	107 0 0	.....	150 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 12 weeks of half-year*	28,417	10,122 0 0	3,16,050 0	14,213 0 0	218 0 0	24,553 0 0	4,248	10,523	14,771
Total for 13 weeks ...	32,627	11,572 0 0	4,15,130 0	17,783 0 0	228 0 0	29,583 0 0	4,752	11,417	16,169
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	3,534	1,3 1 0 0	13,113 0	1,021 0 0	9) 0 0	2,412 0 0	497	491	988
Per mile of railway correspond ing week of previous year ...	105	39 0 0	390 0	30 0 0	3 0 0	73 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	38,434	13,705 0 0	1,41,769 0	12,189 0 0	195 0 0	26,089 0 0	6,455	5,345	11,849

* Audited up to week ending 11th August 1906.
† Includes ballast train miles 102.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 29th September 1906 on 50·69 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	10,590	2,910 0 0	48,060 0	2,730 0 0	80 0 0	5,690 0 0	1,094	584	1,678
Or per mile of railway ...	209	57 0 0	948 0	54 0 0	1 0 0	112 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 13 weeks of half-year*	106,861	32,509 0 0	3,70,327 0	19,001 0 0	406 0 0	51,916 0 0	14,474	6,402	20,876
Total for 13 weeks ...	117,141	35,419 0 0	4,18,387 0	21,731 0 0	486 0 0	57,606 0 0	15,568	6,986	22,554
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	9,634	2,890 0 0	56,718 0	2,963 0 0	75 0 0	5,928 0 0	1,096	812	1,908
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	188	56 0 0	1,104 0	58 0 0	1 0 0	115 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	114,054	33,154 0 0	5,02,862 0	24,649 0 0	368 0 0	57,162 0 0	15,008	6,576	21,584

* Audited up to week ending 11th August 1906.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 6th October 1906	Coaching ...	9,608 0 0	
	Goods ...	10,194 0 0	19,891 0 0
	Other earnings ...	89 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1905	Coaching ...	13,055 0 0	
	Goods ...	5,056 0 0	18,221 0 0
	Other earnings ...	110 0 0	
	Increase		1,670 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 6th October 1906			390 0 4
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905			357 4 5
	Increase		33 11 11
Receipts from 1st July to 6th October 1906			2,32,529 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905			2,40,280 0 0
	Decrease		7,751 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 3411A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3550A.D.—The 17th October 1906.*—Mr. R. T. Greer, C.S.I., Commissioner of a Division, on leave, is appointed to be Commissioner of the Orissa Division and Superintendent of the Tributary Mahals, Orissa.

Orissa Division.

No. 3552A.D.—The 17th October 1906.—Mr. E. V. Levinge, Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of Muzaffarpur, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Commissioner of the Orissa Division and Superintendent of the Tributary Mahals, Orissa.

Orissa Division. Muzaffarpur.

No. 3555A.D —The 17th October 1906.—Mr. R. G. Kilby, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Muzaffarpur district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of the district.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 3574A.D.—The 18th October 1906.—Babu Prabodh Chandra Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur, is appointed to act as Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of the Bhagalpur Division, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Basanta Krishna Basu, or until further orders.

Bhagalpur.

No 3576A.D.—The 18th October 1906.—Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Malik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Purnea, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Bhagalpur district.

Purnea.
Bhagalpur.

No. 3578A.D.—The 18th October 1906.—Babu Manomohan Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Godda, Sonthal Parganas, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Purnea district.

Sonthal Parganas.
Purnea.

No. 3580A.D.—The 18th October 1906.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Abul Hayat, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Muzaffarpur, is transferred to the Godda subdivision of the Sonthal Parganas district.

Muzaffarpur.
Sonthal Parganas.

No. 3592A.D.—The 19th October 1906.—Mr. H. R. T. S. Perrott, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Begusarai subdivision of the Monghyr district.

Monghyr.

Mr. Perrott is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

No. 3615A.D.—The 19th October 1906.—Mr. J. Johnston, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district.

Ranchi.

Mr. Johnston is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

No. 3621A.D.—The 20th October 1906.—Babu Hira Lal Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Singhbhum, on leave, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district.

Singhbhum.
24-Parganas.

No. 3643A.D.—The 22nd October 1906.—Mr. W. R. Gourlay, Registrar, Co-operative Credit Societies for Bengal, is appointed to act temporarily, in addition to his own duties, as Magistrate and Collector of Purnea.

Calcutta.
Purnea.

No. 3659A.D.—The 23rd October 1906.—Mr. J. H. Kerr, Officiating Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, is appointed to be Director of Land Records, Bengal.

Calcutta.

Mr. Kerr is also appointed to act, until further orders, in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 3646A.D.—The 22nd October 1906.*—Major George Grant Gordon Honorary Aide-de-Camp to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles, is appointed to act as Commandant of that Corps, during the absence, on leave, of Lieutenant-Colonel C. R. Marindin, or until further orders, with effect from the 15th April 1906.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.—*No. 3663A.D.—The 23rd October 1906.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 45 of the Indian Councils Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., C. 67), and section 1 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892 (55 and 56 Vict., C. 14), and the orders issued thereunder, and with the previous sanction of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to nominate Babu Jogendra Chandra Ghose, M.A., B.L., to be a Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3572A.D.—The 18th October 1906.*—Babu Basanta Krishna Basu, Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of the Bhagalpur Division, is allowed leave for three months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3582A.D.—The 18th October 1906.—Babu Rajendra Chandra Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for three months, under articles 233 and 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in combination with the privilege leave granted to him under the order of the 23rd July 1906.

EDUCATION.—*No. 3626A.D.—The 20th October 1906.*—Mr. E. B. Havell, Principal, Government School of Art and Keeper of the Art Gallery, Calcutta, has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, an extension of furlough for one year.

Calcutta.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 3638A.D.—The 22nd October 1906.*—The Revd. T. E F. Cole, Chaplain of Darjeeling, is appointed to be Chaplain of St. John's Church, Calcutta, with effect from the 22nd October 1906, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge, *vice* the Revd. C. H. Barlow, going on leave.

Darjeeling. Calcutta.

POWERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3584A.D.—The 19th October 1906.*—Mr. D. J. Patterson, Covenanted Deputy Collector, Rajmahal, Sonthal Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Sonthal Parganas.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3599A.D.—The 19th October 1906.—Mr. J. E. Bown, Assistant Superintendent of Police, employed as Principal of the school for the training of Constables, Ranchi, having passed an examination in the Munda language, in accordance with the rules laid down in Appendix VI to the Rules for the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 28th May 1895, is authorized to draw the prescribed reward of Rs. 1,000.

Ranchi.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2960T.R.—The 18th October 1906.—The services of Mr. B. B. Osmaston, Deputy Conservator of Forests, Bengal, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, Revenue and Agricultural Department, for employment in the Andamans.

No. 3000T.R.—The 19th October 1906.—The date from which the promotion of Mr. F. Trafford as Officiating Deputy Conservator of Forests, first grade, should have effect, should be 25th March 1906 instead of 24th April 1906, as ordered in Notification No. 1556T.R., dated 11th July 1906.

No. 3001T.R.—The 19th October 1906.—The date from which the promotion of Mr. T. H. Monteath as Officiating Deputy Conservator of Forests, second grade, should have effect, should be 6th April 1906 instead of 6th May 1906, as ordered in Notification No. 1557T.R., dated 11th July 1906.

No. 2999T.R.—The 19th October 1906.—Babu Chandi Charan Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, now employed as Manager of the estates of Raja Sir Sourindra Mohon Tagore, KT., C.I.E., is allowed leave for thirty-seven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th October 1906.

No. 3017T.R.—The 20th October 1906.—The following candidates have pass Revenue Agents Examination held in August 1906 :—

Division.	District.	Name.
Burdwan	Burdwan	1. Debendra Nath Majumdar. 2. Jotish Chandra Koer. 3. Rama Pati Bhuttacharjea. 4. Surendra Nath Banerjea.
	Birbhum	1. Kali Das Majumdar.
	Bankura	1. Gobindo Chandra Madak. 2. Jotish Chandra Chaudhri. 3. Kedar Nath Ghose. 4. Manmatha Nath Banerjea. 5. Satis Chandra Ghose. 6. Surja Narayan Chatterjea. 7. Syama Charan Banerjea.
	Midnapore	1. Bhobananda Das. 2. Fakir Chandra Das. 3. Kailash Chandra Majea. 4. Probodh Chandra Chaudhri. 5. Promotha Nath Ghose.
Presidency	24-Parganas	1. Jadu Nath Chatterjea. 2. Kali Prasadh Das. 3. Nata Bihari Banerjea. 4. Nirod Bihari Roy Chaudhri. 5. Panchanan Kulovi. 6. Shaik Abdul Wahed.
	Nadia	1. Rajendra Lal Biswas. 2. Srikumar Chatterjea.
	Murshidabad	1. Hem Chandra Thakur. 2. Shib Chandra Banerjea.
	Jessore	1. Hari Lal Mitter. 2. Sita Nath Mukherjea.
Patna	Patna	1. Anath Nath Ghose. 2. Bhagwan Prasad. 3 Lal Babu. 4. Lala Bajrang Prasad Varma. 5. Narsingh Sahai. 6. Ram Chandra Prasad. 7. Suruj Prasad. 8. Syed Mokhul Hossain.
	Gaya	1. Bansi Dhar. 2. Deo Narain. 3. Ganga Prasad. 4. Jai Ram Narain. 5. Khagpati Narain. 6. Lakshami Narain. 7. Lalji Prasad. 8. Latafat Hossain. 9. Muhammed Abdul Ghaffar. 10. Romani Mohan Banerjea. 11. Shyam Lal.
	Shahabad	1. Bhagwati Prasad. 2. Bindeshwari Prasad. 3. Gaya Prasad. 4. Girjanand Lal. 5. Raghunandan Prasad. 6. Rajendra Prasad. 7. Ram Sewak Lal. 8. Sheo-deep Narain. 9. Syed Md. Fariduddin.

Division.	District.	Name.
Patna	Saran	1. Fateh Bahadur.
	Muzaffarpur	1. Jang Bahadur. 2. Mathura Prasad. 3. Shamsuz-zoha.
	Darbhanga	1. Jugul Kishore Chaudhuri. 2. Ramanugrah Prasad.
Bhagalpur	Monghyr	1. Bangali Sahai. 2. Jugal Prasad. 3. Parmeshwari Lal.
	Bhagalpur	1. Rasik Lal Das.
	Purnea	1. Aswini Kant Sen. 2. Baroda Prasanno Ghose. 3. Hifazatullah. 4. Muhammed Abul Hossain. 5. Muhammad Safir.
Orissa	Cuttack	1. Bipra Das Bhuttacharjea.
	Balasore	1. Makunda Prasad Das.
Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	1. Kedar Nath. 2. Shiva Sahai Lal.
	Manbhum	1. Akhil Chandra Hazra. 2. Balaram Banerjea. 3. Hari Charan Chuckerbutty. 4. Khudi Ram Chaudhri. 5. Kumud Chandra Majumdar.
	Singhbhum	1. Kulada Prasad Sarkar.

No. 3064T.R.—The 23rd October 1906.—Mr. E. Lister, I.C.S., is appointed to be Settlement Officer in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Director of Land Records, Bengal.

Ranchi.
Singhbhum.

DECLARATION.

No. 2914T.R.—The 16th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Bharowlia Brick-field, in the village of Bharowlia, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 42 bighas 4 cottahs and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Champaran.

North—By *parti* land of Bettiah Raj, paddy-fields of Bhanjan Ahir, *rabi* fields of Palakdhari Ahir;

East—By *parti* land of Bettiah Raj and Nullah;

South—By Tribeni Canal;

West—By *parti* land of Bettiah Raj and paddy-field of Palakdhari Ahir—

is required within the aforesaid village of Bharowlia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2915T.R.—The 16th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for approach and outfall channel of Kochil aqueduct, in the village of Bakooli, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran

Champaran.

it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 30 bighas 14 cottahs and 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as noted below, is required within the aforesaid village of Bakoolt—

BLOCK No. I.

North—By Ramnagar Raj land *khas*;
East—By ditto ditto;
South—By Government land, Tribeni Canal;
West—By Ramnagar Raj land *khas*.

BLOCK No. II.

North—By Government land, Tribeni Canal;
East—By Ramnagar Raj land *khas*;
South—By ditto ditto;
West—By ditto ditto.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Birbhum.

No. 3016T.R.—The 20th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Labhpur Police-station compound in the village of Mohogram, pargana Fatehpur, zilla Birbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 2 cottahs and 10 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Hiranya Bhushan Bandopadhya and Sibarani Devi's land, on the east by a pathway, on the south by the police-station compound, and on the west by *patit* land and Sibarani Devi's and others' land, is required within the aforesaid village of Mohogram

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Birbhum.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 3022T.R.—The 20th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for widening the eastern approach to the Kalighat Bridge in the village of Kalighat, dihi Panchannogram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs and 30 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the north partly by the land of Nritya Kali Devi and partly by municipal land, on the east partly by municipal land and partly by Strand Road, on the south by Government land, and on the west by the land of Nritya Kali Debi, is required within the aforesaid village of Kalighat.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Circular and Eastern Canals Division, 13 Kyd Street, Calcutta.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 3023T.R.—The 20th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Maniktolla Municipality, for a public purpose, viz., for opening up a drain at Mohesh Barik's Lane, in the village of North Narkoledanga, dihi Panchannogram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that

for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs 3 chitaks and 25 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the land belonging to Subodh Ch. Mukherji and Bama Pada Ghose, on the east by a public road, on the south by the land belonging to Tara Chand Bairagi and Sarna Bewa, and on the west by the existing drain, is required within the aforesaid village of North Narkoledanga.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Maniktolla.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION No. $\frac{8}{E.-19}$

Dated Dinapur, the 16th October 1906.

MR. J. C. LEARS, Sub-Assistant Superintendent, first grade, Survey of India, proceeded on privilege leave, with effect from the afternoon of 10th September 1906, and not from the 6th September 1906, as notified in this office Notification No. 6—E.-9-413, dated 27th September 1906.

R. CRICHTON, MAJOR, I.A.,
Supdt. of Provincial Surveys, Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 519T.O.—The 15th October 1906.—Mr. J. P. Augier, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Etawah, is granted privilege leave for eighteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 4th October 1906.

Etawah.

Mr. W. J. Jones, Assistant Opium Agent, is appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Etawah, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. P. Augier, or until further orders.

No. 534T.O.—The 20th October 1906.—Mr. G. W. D. Dick-Lauder, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, on return from combined leave, is posted to Fyzabad.

Fyzabad.

Mr. A. G. S. Shuttleworth, who is now performing the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent at Fyzabad, on being relieved by Mr. G. W. D. Dick-Lauder, reverts to his appointment as Assistant Opium Agent.

No. 535T.O.—The 20th October 1906—Rai Keshari Narayan Chadha, Assistant Opium Agent, is appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Tehta, with effect from the 20th September 1906.

Tehta (Gaya).

H. J. MCINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 378T.—Medl.—The 16th October 1906.—Dr. J. L. Hendley, Civil Surgeon, Palamau, is allowed privilege leave for one month and twenty-four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Palamau.

No. 380T.—Medl.—The 16th October 1906.—Senior Assistant Surgeon Ram Chandra Mazumdar is appointed temporarily to act as a Civil Surgeon and is posted to Palamau, with effect from the forenoon of the 12th September 1906.

Palamau

H. J. MCINTOSH,
Offg Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3412A.

LEAVE.

No. 3410A.—The 15th October 1906.—Babu Nitai Charan Ghosh,, Munsif of Narail, in the district of Jessore, is allowed leave for fifty-two days under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st November 1906.

Jessore.

POWERS.

No. 3516A.D.—The 15th October 1906.—Mr. A. H. Ley, Officiating Joint-Magistrate, Siwan, Saran, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 3613A.D.—The 19th October 1906.—Maulvi Muhammad Habibullah, Deputy Magistrate, Muzaffarpur, is vested, under section 407 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, with power to hear appeals from convictions by Magistrates of the second and third classes.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 3618A.D.—The 20th October 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Babu Manmatha Nath Mukharji, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Champaran, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Champaran.

Babu Manmatha Nath Mukharji is also vested with powers under section 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 3628A.D.—The 20th October 1906.—Maulvi Muhammad Habib-ur-Rahman, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Siliguri, Darjeeling, is vested with the powers of a Munsif within the jurisdiction of the Siliguri police-station.

Darjeeling.

No. 3630A.D.—The 22nd October 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Maulvi Anwar Ahmad, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Muzaffarpur, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Muzaffarpur.

Maulvi Anwar Ahmad is also vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 3640A.D.—The 22nd October 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Babu Manas Ranjan Sen, a Magistrate of the first class in the district of Muzaffarpur, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Muzaffarpur.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 2619J.D.—The 16th October 1906.—Babu Rakhal Das Singh is re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench in the district of Khulna.

Khulna.

POWERS.

No. 2620J.D.—The 16th October 1906.—Babu Rakhal Das Singh, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench in the district of Khulna, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Khulna.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

No. 2533P.D.—The 20th October 1906.—The following officers are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers of the Political States of Seraikela and Kharawan in Chota Nagpur, with effect from the date of joining in each case:—

Chota Nagpur.

1. Babu Ambika Prasad Barma, Sub-Deputy Collector, Saran.
2. „ Gyanendra Nath Banarji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Bihar, Patna.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

POLICE.

No. 2395P.D.—The 15th October 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant Governor is pleased to confer upon each of the undermentioned Presidents of Panchayat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by each of the said officers within the limits of the unions noted against their respective names.

24 Parganas.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by each of the said officers for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

Thana Bhangar.

Name of President.		Name and number of Union.
Naphar Chandra Naskar	...	Bamanghatta (1).
Jadu Nath Mandal	...	Beonta (2).
Saikh Muhammad Husain	...	Bhogalee (3).
Bipin Bihari Basu	...	Bhojirhat (4).
Siddheswar Ray Chaudhuri	...	Bodra (5).
Abdul Rahman Molla	...	Chattaberia (6).
Munshi Abdul Jalil	...	Chaudanesur (7).
Hari Charan Mallik	...	Harishgange (8).
Bhabanath Ray Chaudhuri	...	Howra (9).
Latfar Rahman	...	Polerhat (10).
Aghor Nath Mitra	...	Prangunge (11).
Munshi Sadar-ud-din Ahmad	...	Shampookur (12).

No. 2566P.D.—The 22nd October 1906.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that, within the territories subject to his administration outside the town of Calcutta, a European Police Sergeant shall be deemed to be of the rank of a Sub-Inspector for the purpose of the exercise of any power which has been declared under the provisions of the enactments specified below to be exercisable by a Police-officer of the rank of a Sub-Inspector:—

(1) The Bengal Public Gambling Act, 1867 (Ben. Act II of 1867), as subsequently amended;

(2) The Bengal Excise and Licensing Act, 1878 (Ben. Act VII of 1878), as subsequently amended.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 2440P.D.—The 15th October 1906.—Babu Paresh Chandra Dutt, Special Sub-Registrar, Burdwan, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 20th October 1906, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Burdwan.

No. 2442P.D.—The 15th October 1906.—Babu Jatindra Chandra Mitra, Rural Sub-Registrar, Gushkara, in the district of Burdwan, is appointed to be Special Sub-Registrar of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Paresh Chandra Dutt, or until further orders.

Burdwan.

No. 2444P.D.—The 15th October 1906.—Babu Amod Lal Barman, Rural Sub-Registrar, Burdwan. Burdwan, is appointed to be Rural Sub-Registrar, Gushkara, in that district, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Jatindra Chandra Mitra, or until further orders.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 20th October 1906.

No. 199.—Lala Trilok Nath, Executive Engineer, third grade temporary rank, is granted privilege leave for three months, combined with furlough for three months under articles. 233, 260 and 338 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th October 1906.

No. 200.—Mr. H. H Stevens, Under-Secretary to this Government, is appointed to officiate as Executive Engineer of the Arrah Division.

The 22nd October 1906.

No. 202.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following promotions in the Engineer Establishment with effect from the dates specified:—

Name.	From	To	With effect from	Nature of promotion.
			1906.	
MacCarthy, A. H. C. ...	Executive Engineer, 2nd grade.	Executive Engineer, 1st grade.	1st October ...	Permanent.
Pal, Sarada Sundar ...	Executive Engineer, 3rd grade, temporary rank.	Executive Engineer, 3rd grade.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Cross, L. D.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	7th October ...	Ditto.
Bhattacharji, Gyanesh Chandra.	Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade.	1st " ...	Ditto.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 22nd October 1906.

No 201.—Babu Gyanesh Chandra Bhattacharji, Assistant Engineer, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the Calcutta Special Works to the 2nd Calcutta Division.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 17th October 1906.

No. 22R.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of the Bengal Tramways Act, III of 1883, the Local Government is pleased to sanction the substitution of the following clause for clause 35 (*a*) and the following addition to clause 35 (*d*) of the orders sanctioning the construction of the Howrah-Amta Light Railway, published at pages 271 and 284 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 27th March 1895:—

	Per mile.
35 (*a*) Passengers—	
First class	1½ annas.
Second ,, ...	9 pies.
Inter. ,, ...	6 ,,
Third ,, ...	4½ ,,
35 (*d*) Passengers' luggage—	
Second class	30 seers.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 17th October 1906.

No. 111Marine.—It is hereby notified for general information that Porbandar is declared free from plague, and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea, which were imposed in the ports of Orissa against vessels arriving from that Port, are hereby withdrawn.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 20th October 1906.

No. 112Marine.—The following bye-law, made by the Commissioners of the Port of Calcutta, as an addition to bye-law No. 2 of the bye-laws made by them for the safe and convenient use of the Howrah Bridge and approaches thereto and for the passage of ships, boats and vessels through the Bridge, which were approved by the Lieutenant-Governor under the Notification of the Public Works Department of this Government No. 33, dated the 29th January 1876, is hereby published under section 24 of the Howrah Bridge Act 1871:—

"2A. During strong tides, a red flag by day, and a red light by night, will be hoisted on the flag-staff situated near the lookout house on the Howrah Bridge, and when this is done, no flats or cargo boats of 100 tons burden or upward shall be towed or passed through any of the openings of the Howrah Bridge without the special permission of the Commissioners."

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 23rd October 1906.

No. 113Marine.—Mr. A. H. Mauger, 1st Mate Leadsman, is promoted to the grade of Mate Pilot from the date he is put on the running list.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

The 15th October 1906.

No. 109Marine.—Under the powers conferred by section 36 of the Indian Steam-ships Act, 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor proposes, with the sanction of the Governor-General in Council, to make the alterations indicated below in the rules for regulating the grant of Certificates of Competency to Engineers of sea-going steam-ships, which were sanctioned under notification No. 46Marine, dated the 7th April 1905. The proposed alterations will be taken into consideration on the expiry of a month from the date of their publication in the Gazette, and the Lieutenant-Governor will be glad to consider any suggestions or criticisms which may be made by any person concerning them within that period.

Rule 20(a).

The following is to be inserted after the first paragraph of sub-rule (*a*) of rule 20:—

Time spent in a technical school cannot be accepted as equivalent to more than two years' artisan service, and time spent in foreign technical schools can in no circumstances be recognised.

The following is to be added as rule 24A after rule 24:—

Foreign Engineers.

24A. Foreign Engineers cannot be examined for a First Class Certificate unless they have performed the sea-service stated in rule 21, with the requisite British Certificate. The service may have been performed in foreign vessels if the candidate can produce satisfactory testimonials as to conduct and character, and is able to prove that the service has been in the required capacities, and that during the period of service he has held a British Certificate of Competency of the rank required by the Regulations [*See rule 9*].

Rule 33.

The words "fishing boats" are to be substituted for "trawlers."

Rule 36.

The following to be substituted for rule 36:—

Certificates of service.

36. An officer who has attained the rank of Engineer Lieutenant or Engineer Sub-Lieutenant in His Majesty's Navy or the rank of Engineer or Assistant Engineer in the Indian Marine Service, is entitled without examination, if an Engineer Lieutenant or Engineer, to a Certificate of Service as First-Class Engineer, and if an Engineer Sub-Lieutenant or Assistant Engineer, to a Certificate of Service as Second-Class Engineer. These officers may be examined for a Certificate of Competency on the same conditions as Engineers of the Mercantile Marine.

An officer who has attained the rank of Artificer Engineer in His Majesty's Navy or Indian Marine Service is also entitled without examination to a Certificate of Service as Second-Class Engineer.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 23rd October 1906.

No. 203.—Babu Jagat Narayan, Supervisor, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the Nadia Rivers to the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3413A.

No. 3632A.D.—The 22nd October 1906.—Babu Radha Prasad Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Jangipur, Murshidabad, is transferred to the Narail subdivision of the Jessore district.

Murshidabad. Jessore.

No. 3634A.D.—The 22nd October 1906.—Babu Narendra Kumar Bose, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Jajpur, Cuttack, is vested with the powers of a Deputy Collector for the trial of rent and other suits under Act X of 1859.

Cuttack.

No. 3657A.D.—The 23rd October 1906.—Babu Sushil Kumar Ghosh, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Barrackpore, 24-Parganas, is appointed substantively to the second grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors.

24-Parganas.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 9867, dated Calcutta, the 16th October 1906.—Senior Assistant Surgeon Umesh Chandra Das made over charge of the Jessore Jail to Civil Surgeon Ganga Gobinda Sarkar, Rai Bahadur, on the afternoon of the 6th October 1906.

No. 10039, dated Calcutta, the 17th October 1906.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. Cobb, I.M.S., made over charge of the Midnapore Central Jail to Lt.-Col. J. G. Jordan, I.M.S., on the afternoon of the 9th October 1906.

E. W. PAYNE,
Offg. Inspr.-Genl. of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2168D., dated Darjeeling, the 16th October 1906.—Second-grade Assistant Surgeon Manomohan Gupta, of the Baraset subdivision and Dispensary in the 24-Parganas, is granted furlough for one year, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the three months' privilege leave sanctioned in this Department Notification No. 4750, dated the 10th July 1906.

No. 2171D., dated Darjeeling, the 16th October 1906.—Second-grade Assistant Surgeon Satish Chandra Basu did supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the 19th July to the 15th September 1906, both days inclusive.

No. 2218D., dated Darjeeling, the 19th October 1906.—Maulvi Saiyid Ali Hasan, third grade Assistant Surgeon, is appointed, with effect from the forenoon of the 28th September 1906, to act as Teacher of Surgery and Anatomy, Temple Medical School, Patna, during the absence of third grade Assistant Surgeon Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Afzal, undergoing a course of instruction in X rays at Debra Dun.

A. M. CROFTS, COL., I.M.S.,

Offg. Inspector-Genl. of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR MR. RAM KAMAL GUPTA has been placed in charge of the Ranchi Treasury from the afternoon of the 12th October 1906 and has been authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

MANO MOHAN RAY, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RANCHI, *the 20th October 1906.*

Sheriff's Office, the 26th September 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1906 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the 26th day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

A. A. APCAR, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৬ সাল তারিখ ২৬শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে হুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৬ সালের ২৬শে নবেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালৎ ঘরে সন ১৯০৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

এঃ এঃ আপকার, সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 20th October 1906.—Babu Giriwardhari Lal, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Gaya (class IV), having returned to duty on the afternoon of the 4th September 1906, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 28th July 1906 is cancelled.

Babu Harish Chandra Khan, an Assistant Master in the Bihar School of Engineering (class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for two months and fifteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 18th October 1906 or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Babu Sris Chandra Palit, Assistant Master (Drawing Master) of the Nawab's High School and the Nawab's Madrasah at Murshidabad (class VII), is appointed to be an Assistant Master (Drawing Master) of the Purulia Zilla School, on the pay of his own grade, *vice* Babu Bibhuti Bhusan Mukerji, transferred.

Babu Annada Prasad Mitra, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Patna (substantively *pro tempore* in class II), is allowed leave of absence for two months under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th October 1906, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Babu Chamari Lal Sinha, Sub-Inspector of Schools, East Patna, on a salary of Rs. 55 a month outside the grades of the Subordinate Educational Service, is appointed to act as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Patna, and in class IV of the Subordinate Educational Service during the absence, on leave, of Babu Annoda Prasad Mitra, or until further orders.

A. EARLE,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

English Teachership Examination, 1906.

THE examination will be partly written and partly oral and practical.

2. The written examination will be held at the Training School at Calcutta on the 3rd December 1906 and the two following days. Three papers will be set, as shown below:—

						Marks.
I.—Art of teaching,	3rd December,	10 A.M.	to	2 P.M.	...	100
II.—Discipline,	4th „	10 „		2 „	...	100
III.—Organisation,	5th „	10 „		2 „	...	100

3. The oral and practical examination will be in actual class teaching and in notes of lessons. The necessary arrangements for holding this examination will be made by Inspectors of Schools. One hundred marks will be assigned to this examination.

4. In the case of a candidate who is a teacher, the Inspector may, at his discretion, conduct the practical examination at the candidate's own school. This examination may be conducted any time in the month of December 1906.

5. Candidates obtaining 50 per cent. of the marks or upwards in each of the subjects both written and practical, will be declared to have passed, and will be granted English Teachership Certificates, under the signature of the Director of Public Instruction.

6. Candidates for first-grade certificates must have passed the B. A. examination. Candidates for second-grade certificates must have passed the F. A. examination, and served as teachers for at least three years. Candidates for third-grade certificates must have passed the Entrance examination, and served as teachers for at least three years.

A teacher who has held a certificate of a certain grade with credit for five years, will also be permitted to compete for the next higher grade of certificate, if his capacity as a teacher and his knowledge of the subjects of examination are certified as satisfactory by the Inspector of Schools.

7. Candidates for the examination should apply, on or before the 2nd November 1906, to the Head Master of the Training School at Calcutta, and should send a fee of Rs. 5 at the same time.

8. Candidates who have failed at a previous examination will be admitted to the examination, if they have worked as teachers for at least six months since their failure.

9. Further particulars about the examination will be supplied on application by Head Masters of Training Schools.

CALCUTTA;
The 13th October 1906.

A. EARLE,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

VERNACULAR MASTERSHIP EXAMINATION, 1906.

THE following gentlemen have been appointed Examiners for the ensuing Vernacular Mastership Examination for Bengal in the subjects specified against their names :—

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EXAMINER.	Subject.	Date.	Marks.
1. Pandit Ramanuj Vidyarnab, Head Pandit, Hindu School, Calcutta.	Bengali Literature, Grammar, and Rhetoric.	3rd December, 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	50
2. Babu Ishan Chandra Ghosh, M.A., Head Master, Hare School, Calcutta.	Bengali Composition and Essay.	3rd December, 1-30 P.M. to 4-30 P.M.	50
3. Babu Sarat Chandra Vidyaratna, M.A., Professor of Sanskrit, Bethune College, Calcutta.	Sanskrit ...	4th December, 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	50
4. Babu Bidhu Bhusan Sen Gupta, M.A., Assistant Master, Hindu School, Calcutta.	History and Geography.	4th December, 1-30 P.M. to 4-30 P.M.	50
5. Babu Hridaya Chandra Banerjee, M.A., Demonstrator in Physics, Presidency College, Calcutta.	Physics, Hygiene and Chemistry.	5th December, 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	50
6. Dwija Das Dutt, Esq, M.A., Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.	Botany, Agriculture and Natural History.	5th December, 1-30 P.M. to 4-30 P.M.	50
7. Babu Rasamaya Mitra, M.A., Head Master, Hindu School, Calcutta.	Arithmetic, Algebra, Statics and Dynamics.	6th December, 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	50
8. Babu Surendra Kumar Basu, B.C.E., Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.	Euclid, Mensuration and Surveying.	6th December, 1-30 P.M. to 4-30 P.M.	50
9. Babu Syama Charan Gupta, M.A., Head Master, Bethune Collegiate School, Calcutta.	Art of Teaching ...	7th December, 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	100* or 150
10. Babu Keshav Chandra Sirkar, B.A., Sub-Inspector of Schools, Calcutta.	Kindergarten and Object Lessons.	7th December, 1-30 P.M. to 4-30 P.M.	75
11. Abanindra Nath Tagore, Esq., Officiating Principal, Government School of Art, Calcutta.	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	8th December, 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	40

* 100 for the first-year class ; 150 for the second year class.

2. The written examination will be conducted in the order shown in the above tabular statement.

3. The text-books, and the limits prescribed for each subject, are shown below :—

1.—BENGALI LITERATURE.

First-year class.—One paper, 50 marks—

Charupatha III, by Aksay Kumar Dutt, first 150 pages.
Raghuvansa, by Nabin Chandra Das, cantos XIII, XIV and XV.
History of Bengali Literature, by Dines Chandra Sen, pages 101—386.
Grammar, by Nakuleswar Vidyabhusan, first-half.

Second-year class.—One paper, 50 marks—

Nana Prabandha, by Raj Krishto Mukerji, page 55 to end.
Meghnada badha Kavya, last 3 cantos.
Dines Chandra Sen's History of Bengali Literature (whole, omitting first 100 pages).
Grammar, by Nakuleswar Vidyabhusan, second half.

2.—BENGALI COMPOSITION.

First-year class.—One paper, 50 marks—

Letter-writing.
Essay on some historical or scientific subject treated of in the text-books.

Second-year class.—One paper, 50 marks—

Letter-writing and essay.

3.—SANSKRIT.

First-year class.—One paper, 50 marks—

Rijupath, Part I, first half.

Vyakaran, Upakramanika.

Second-year class.—One paper, 50 marks—

Rijupath, III, up to Jatugrihadaha.

Vyakaran Sangraha, by Heramba Tattwaratna (whole).

4.—HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY.

First-year class.—One paper, 50 marks—

History of India, by Haraprasad Sastri, or by Hemlata Devi, or by Isan Chandra Ghosh.

General Geography, with special knowledge of the Geography of Bengal.

Bhuvidya, by Radhika Prasanna Mukerjee (first half).

Second-year class.—One paper, 50 marks—

Translation of Lethbridge's History of the World ... (25)

Bhuvidya, by Radhika Prasanna Mukerji ... ... (25)

5.—ELEMENTARY SCIENCE, PHYSICS, HYGIENE AND CHEMISTRY.

First-year class.—One paper, 50 marks—

Physics, properties of matter (solids, liquids and gases), molecular forces, universal attraction and gravity, pressure of fluids and gases, equilibrium of floating bodies, heat (as in Arts. 48—66 of Balfour Stewart's Physics Primer) (20 marks).

Hygiene, up to Standard IV of the new scheme of Vernacular Education .. (15)

Chemistry, ditto ... ... (15)

Second-year class.—One paper, 50 marks—

Physics—Revision of first-year course—light and electricity (as in Arts. 67 to 90 of Balfour Stewart's Physics Primer) (20)

Chemistry, up to Standard VI (15)

Hygiene, ditto (15)

6.—BOTANY, AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL HISTORY.

First-year class.—One paper, 50 marks—

Botany ... (15) ...
Agriculture ... (20) ...
Natural History (15) ...
} Up to Standard IV of the new scheme of Vernacular Education.

Second-year class.—One paper, 50 marks—

Botany ... (15) ...
Agriculture ... (20) ...
Natural History (15) ...
} Up to Standard VI of the new scheme of Vernacular Education.

7.—MATHEMATICS (*a*), ARITHMETIC, ALGEBRA, STATICS AND DYNAMICS.

First-year class.—One paper, 50 marks—

Arithmetic, the whole.

Algebra, up to the end of fractions.

Second-year class.—One paper, 50 marks—

Algebra, to the end of quadratic equations.

Statics, Arts. 1 to 25, 28, 29, 36 to 38, 51 to 55, 96 to 103, 115, 116, 122 to 127, 133 to 136, 138, 159, 162, from Loney's Elements of Statics, 5th edition.*

Dynamics, Arts. 1 to 7, 9 to 12, 32, 34, 35, 40 to 44, from Loney's Elements of Dynamics, 5th edition.

8.—MATHEMATICS (*b*), EUCLID, MENSURATION AND SURVEYING.

First-year class.—One paper, 50 marks—

Euclid, Books I and II, and first 19 propositions of the third book.

Mensuration of lines and plane surfaces, Pierpoint's Middle School Mensuration.

Second-year class.—One paper, 50 marks—

Euclid, Books I to IV.

Surveying—general elementary surveying, chain and compass surveying, plotting and field-book.

* Trigonometrical questions should not be set.

9.—ART OF TEACHING.

First-year class.—One paper, 100 marks—
Notes from Salmon's or Barnett's Art of Teaching.

Second-year class.—One paper, 150 marks—
Notes from Salmon's or Barnett's Art of Teaching.

10.—KINDERGARTEN AND OBJECT LESSONS.

First-year class.—One paper, 40 marks—
Kindergarten—Up to Infant stage.
Object Lessons—Up to Standard III.

Second-year class.—One paper, 40 marks—
Kindergarten—Up to infant stage.
Object Lessons—Up to Standard IV.

11.—DRAWING AND PRACTICAL GEOMETRY.

First-year class.—Two papers, 50 and 25 marks—
(*a*) Straight lines, simple and compound curves to be drawn to the exact size of examples (20 marks).
(*b*) Straight lines and curves to be enlarged or reduced on a given scale (30 marks).
(*c*) Practical Geometry (25 marks).
First 53 problems of Morris' Geometrical Drawing.

Second-year class.—Two papers, 50 and 25 marks—
(*a*) Freehand Drawing (25 marks).
(*b*) Model Drawing—Delineation in outline of simple solids, as cubes, cones, &c., (25 marks).
(*c*) Practical Geometry (25 marks).
First 120 problems—Morris' Geometrical Drawing.

4. Besides written examinations in the subjects specified above, candidates will be subjected to practical examinations in the following subjects, marks being awarded to them after an examination of their capacities in instructing students of the Model Schools attached to the Training Schools:—

		Full marks.
1.	Art of Teaching	100 or 150*
2.	Kindergarten...	30
3.	Object Lessons	30
4.	Drill	50

First-year class.—Sharp's book, first half.
Second-year class.—Sharp's book, whole.

5. Manual work (optional) 25

First-year.—Seed-placing, paper-plaiting, stick-laying, clay-modelling or rope work.
Second-year.—Mat-weaving and basket-making in addition to the first-year course.

* 100 for first-year candidates ; 150 for second-year candidates.

5. The following gentlemen are appointed to form Boards of Examiners for examining candidates in the subjects mentioned in paragraph 4:—

CENTRE.	Art of Teaching.	Kindergarten, Drill, Object Lessons, Manual work.
Calcutta	Deputy Inspector of Schools, Calcutta Head Master, Calcutta Training School.	Deputy Inspector of Schools, Calcutta. Teacher of the subject in the Calcutta Training School.
Hooghly	Head Master, Hooghly Branch School. Head Master, Hooghly Training School.	Head Master, Hooghly Branch School Teacher of the subject in the Hooghly Training School.
Krishnagar	Head Master, Krishnagar Collegiate School. Principal, C. M. S. Training School	Head Master, Krishnagar Collegiate School. Teacher of the subject in the C. M. S. Training School.

Candidates will be allowed, at the direction of the Board of Examiners, to use Reference books for the purpose of preparing notes for the practical examination in Object Lessons.

CALCUTTA,
The 23rd October 1906.

W. W. HORNELL,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

AN examination in the knowledge of English idiom and in pronunciation for teachers of English in Native schools will be held at the office of the Inspector of European Schools, 12 Dalhousie Square, East, on Monday, the 29th October 1906, at 11 A.M.

Teachers who intend to present themselves for examination should send (at least a week before the examination) a statement containing the following information, and should also *bring* with them their University certificates on the day of the examination :—

Name (in full).	Last University examination passed.
Name of father (in full).	Year of passing.
Name of native village and district	Signature of the applicant.
Designation and full address.	

Candidates should also state whether they have sat for this examination before, and, if so, how often, giving dates.

CALCUTTA,
The 4th October 1906.

ROBERT J. M. HORNE,
Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College.—

I.—Engineer Department.

A four-year course leading to the Engineering Degrees of the Calcutta University. Admissions made yearly in June. Admission qualification, the First Arts examination of the Calcutta University or its equivalent.

II.—Apprentice Department.

The full course of study covers five years. There are special classes in Mining and in Electrical Engineering.

After 1½ years the Sub-Overseer examination is held.

After 3½ years the Final or Overseer examination is held with special modification for Mining students.

After a further 1½ years' practical training the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate is given.

Admissions are made yearly in June to 1st year and in March to 2nd and 3rd years. Admission qualifications—

To 1st-year class, Entrance examination of Calcutta University or equivalent, to the Middle School.

To 2nd-year class, the Final examination of B Course of zilla schools.

To 3rd-year class, the Sub-Overseer examination of affiliated Technical schools.

III.—Workshops.

Artisan classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine,
Blacksmiths';	Turners;	and Foundry.

IV.—Agricultural Department.

Admission made by nomination of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor. Application to be sent to the Principal. A two-year course leading to the Agricultural Diploma of the College. Admission made yearly in November.

Admission qualifications—

As general student, B. A., B Course, of Calcutta University or equivalent.
As special student, satisfactory evidence that the candidate can benefit by the instruction.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

SIBPUR,
The 7th June 1906.

B. HEATON,
Principal.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that for the ensuing half-yearly Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates, Deputy Collectors and others to be held at 11 A.M. on the 8th November 1906 and the two following days, a Local Examination Committee will be convened at Ranchi in the office of the Commissioner, Chota Nagpur Division, to conduct the examination of candidates employed in that Division. Candidates from Palamau and Giridih will appear at Bankipur in the office of the Commissioner of the Patna Division.

MANMOHAN RAY, *Personal Assistant*, for *Commissioner*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHOTA NAGPUR DIVN., RANCHI, *the 20th October 1906*.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 6072B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1904-1905 will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Tuesday the 6th November 1906, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,400 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	2,200
Ditto ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	2,200
Total	...	4,400

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 28th November 1905, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 12th and 21st November 1906, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Pormissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 PM. of Monday, the 12th November 1906, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in fullpayment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 21st November 1906.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
ay, 4th December 1906 ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
Total ...	2,200	2,200	4,400

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

S. R. HIGNELL, for *Offg. Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 19th September 1906*.

Statement showing the quantity of salt (private property) in bonded warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of October 1906, and transactions during the half month from the 1st to the 15th October 1906.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	IN BONDED WAREHOUSES IN CALCUTTA.					TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 1ST TO THE 15TH OCTOBER 1906, INCLUSIVE.			
	...ate golas.	...n Sulkea Government golas.	...n Kidderpore golas.	Total	Quantity ...	Gross	Quantity on which has been paid	Manifest quantity ... arrived Calcutta.	Deliveries for shipboard on ... and for inland ...	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
		Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—										
Liverpool and other Panga salt.		6,46,366	5,76,833*	12,22,199	1,14,764	13,36,963	1,64,435	2,76,989	55,597	1,08,821
Other European countries—										
Spanish salt		4,26,814	59,834	4,86,648	....	4,86,648	86,880	1,792	35,550	67,825
Hamburg Brumen salt		79,815		79,815	70,572	1,50,387	28,615	1,69 096	1,925	29,500
Do. Rock salt ...		10,209	8,178	18,387		18,387	100	.....	.....	100
Port Said salt		2,36,454		2,36,454		2,36,454	5,210	83,441	2,000	2,650
Aden and Red Sea—										
Aden salt ...		1,20,211	36,946	1,57,157	1,49,722	3,06,879	33,630	1,49,722		36,010
Salif salt ...		1,14,582	6,000	1,20,582		1,20,582	1,17,900	1,10,019	13,950	1,04,482
Do. rock salt		10,260		10,260		10,260	1,000			1,200
Rawayah salt		1,642		1,642		1,642	3,100			2,400
Muscat and Persian Gulf—										
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.			6,266	6,266		6,266	3,200			3,200
Ditto ditto rock salt										
British India—										
Bombay salt		27,606	4,550	32,156		32,156	35,225*			30,114
Madras salt										
Coconada salt ...										
Vizagapatam salt										
Other places—										
Madagascar salt ...										
Total		16,72,959	6,98,607	23,71,566	3,35,058	27,06,624	4,76,995	7,91,059	1,09,022	5,86,002

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in private golas	Nil
Ditto in Sulkea golas	2,159
Ditto in Kidderpore Dock golas ...	4,648
Abandoned and destroyed	94

* This quantity includes 33,477 maunds 30 seers Bombay Karkach salt on which duty was paid at Bombay.
In transit Hamberg salt ... 1,360 mds.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

L. F. MORSHEAD,
Collector of Customs.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 23rd October 1906.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under section 9 of Act III (B.C.) of 1885, the following gentlemen have been elected at the last election as members of the Sadar Local Board (except thana Garbeta), in the district of Midnapore:—

Thana.	Name of the gentleman elected.
Sadar ...	Babu Gopal Chandra Bandopadhaya.
Kharagpur	Babu Bankim Chandra Deb.
	Peary Lal Ghosh, M.A., B.L.
Sabong ...	Babu Nari Gopal Singh, M.A., B.L.
	,, Ashutosh Ghosh.
Jhargram ...	Babu Atul Behari Singh, B.L.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Pers. Asstt.*, for *Commissioner.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 16th October 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN supersession of the Notification published at page 674 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th March 1906, declaring the election of Babu Kartic Chandra Bose to be a Commissioner for Ward No. II of the Maniktala Municipality, in the place of Babu Mahendra Nath Biswas, deceased, it is hereby notified for general information that Mr. Golam Hosain Cassim Ariff has since, under the decision of the Civil Court, been declared duly elected to be a Commissioner for that Ward in the place of Babu Mahendra Nath Biswas, deceased.

M. N. GHOSH, *Pers. Asst.*, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 19th October 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN supersession of the notification, dated the 19th September 1906, published at page 1795, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem, it is hereby notified for general information that under rule 32 of the Rules framed under section 158 (a) of the Bengal Local Self Government Act, III of 1885, the 17th December 1906 is fixed for holding an election under section 19 of the Act in thana Arambagh, in the district of Hooghly, for the purpose of filling the vacancy in the representation of that thana on the Arambagh Local Board caused by the resignation of Babu Parbati Charon Samonta.

B. DE, *Magistrate, Hooghly.*

CHINSURAH, *the 20th October 1906.*

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PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 20th October 1906.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

MEDICAL.

The 19th October 1906.

No. 884.—The services of Major W. D. Hayward, M.B., I.M.S. (Bengal), are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 19th October 1906.

No. 475.—The services of the Reverend I. R. Fraser, Junior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland on the Bengal establishment, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

H. H. RISLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENT.

Simla, the 18th October 1906.

No. 5861E O.—Mr. K. Datta, Chief Superintendent in the office of the Accountant-General, Bengal, is granted privilege leave for two months and nineteen days, with effect from the 4th of October 1906.

Babu Upendra Lal Banerjee, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant-General, Bengal, is appointed to act as Chief Superintendent in that office, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Mr. K. Datta, or until further orders.

J. S. MESTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 19th October 1906.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 540.—Second-Lieutenant Joseph Coates to be Lieutenant, *vice* Margary, deceased. Dated 14th April 1906.

A. W. L. BAYLY, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2199T.M.—The 16th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the following gentlemen have been elected to be members of the District Board of Jessore:—

Jessore.

Local Boards by which elected.	Names of members.
Sadar ...	Babu Hridoy Nath Datta „ Kalidas Mitra. „ Rajendra Nath Ghosh.
Narail ...	Babu Jogendra Nath Basu. „ Bijay Krishna Mitra.
Jhenida ...	Babu Monmotha Nath Ray. „ Radhika Charan Datta.
Magura ...	Babu Kamini Mohan Gupta. „ Kali Krishna Sarkar.
Bongaon ...	Babu Hari Charan Basu. „ Gyanoda Sankar Basu. „ Rajendra Nath Ghosh.

The following gentlemen are appointed under section 7 of the Act to be members of the Board:—

The Subdivisional Officer of Narail
" " of Magura ... } *Ex officio.*
" " of Jhenida ... }
" " of Bongaon ... }
The Deputy Inspector of Schools, Jessore }
The Civil Surgeon, Jessore ... ... } *Ex officio.*
Babu Hemendra Prasad Ghosh.
„ Umesh Chandra Ghosh (senior).
Maulvi Menhaj-ud-din.
Mr. E. G. MacLeod.
Raja Pramatha Bhushan Deb Ray.
Rai Jadu Nath Mazumdar, Bahadur.

No. 2201T.M.—The 16th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Jessore, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Hriday Nath Datta to be their Chairman.

Jessore.

No. 2203T.M.—The 16th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Narail Local Board, in the district of Jessore, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Prasanna Kumar Sen to be their Chairman.

Jessore.

No. 2205T.M.—The 16th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Jhenida Local Board, in the district of Jessore, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Kedar Nath Bakhshi to be their Chairman.

Jessore.

No. 2207T.M.—The 16th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Magura Local Board, in the district of Jessore, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Sharat Chandra Basu to be their Chairman.

Jessore.

No. 2209T.M.—The 16th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that the members of the Bongaon Local Board, in the district of Jessore, having at a meeting, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, requested the Lieutenant-Governor to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, under the said section, to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Bongaon to be the Chairman of that Local Board.

Jessore.

No. 2212T.M.—The 17th October 1906.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Katihar Municipality, in the district of Purnea, made at a meeting, to extend the provisions of the marginally noted sections of Part VI of the said Act to the above Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

Purnea.

235, 236, 232, 237, 238, 239, 240, 242A (omitting clause (c)), 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 250, 251, 251A, 251B, 251C, 251D, 258, 260, 261, 262, 262A, 265, 266, 267, 269, 270, 270 (1), 270 (2), 270 (4), 271 (omitting mention of sections 224, 227, 230, and 231), 272, 273 (1) (omitting mention of sections 235 and 242) 273 (2) (omitting mention of section 263), 273 (3) (omitting mention of section 263), 273 (5), 277, and 278.

2214T.M.—The 17th October 1906.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Katihar Municipality, in the district of Purnea, made at a meeting, to extend the provisions of section 241 of Part VI of the said Act to the above Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

Purnea.

No. 2219T.M.—The 17th October 1906.—In accordance with the provisions of clause (*c*) of section 9 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), as amended by the Bengal Municipal (Amendment) Act, 1894 (Ben. Act IV of 1894), and on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Cuttack Municipality at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare his intention to include within the limits of the said Municipality the local areas which are respectively comprised within the boundaries defined below, namely:—

Cuttack.

I. An area on the western side, which is bounded—

1. *On the north*—By the city protective embankment of the Mohanadi river, from the point where the Tulsipur road meets the embankment up to the Chahata ghat.
2. *On the west*—By the city protective embankment, from the Chahata ghat to the point where the Dhenkanal road meets the embankment.
3. *On the south*—By the northern bank of the Katjuri river from the aforesaid point where Dhenkanal road meets the city protective embankment up to the eastern end of the Satichaura burning ghat.
4. *On the east*—By the present western boundary line of the Municipality.

II. An area on the northern side which is bounded—

1. *On the north*—By the left or northern bank of the Mohanadi from and including the Nuapatna side of the Chahati ghat up to the northern end of the anicut.

2. *On the west*—By the straight line drawn from the Nuapatna side of the Chahata ghat on the left or northern bank of the Mohanadi river across the bed of the river up to and including Chahata ghat on the right or southern bank.

3. *On the south*—By the southern bank of the Mohanadi river including the city protective embankment from the Chahati ghat up to the southern end of the anicut.

4. *On the east*—By the Mohanadi anicut.

III. The whole of the area lately included within the boundaries of the Cuttack Cantonment as fixed in the Government Notification No. 2311J., dated the 17th April 1899, at pages 435 to 440 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 19th idem.

(2) The boundaries of the Municipality after the inclusion of the above defined areas will be as follows:—

1. *On the north*—By the left or northern bank of the Mohanadi from and including the Nuapatna side of the Chahati ghat up to the northern end of the anicut.

2. *On the west*—By the straight line drawn from the Nuapatna side of the Chahata ghat on the left or northern bank of the Mohanadi river, across the bed of the river up to and including the Chahata ghat on the right or southern bank and thence the city protective embankment to the point where the Dhenkanal road meets the embankment, and from that point southward along a straight line drawn across the bed of the Katjuri river to its southern bank at Chargharia.

3. *On the south*—By the southern bank of the Katjuri river between the point where the aforesaid straight line along the bed of the river meets it at Chargharia and the point to the east where the straight line drawn along the bed of the river from a point 200 yards east of Khan Nagar burning ground meets the southern bank of the river, and including the slope of the said portion of the southern bank of the river.

4. *On the east*—By the aforesaid straight line drawn from the point on the south bank of the Katjuri river to the point across the river northward, 200 yards to the east of Khan Nagar Hindu burning ghat, and thence across the northern bank of the Katjuri river to the point where the Cuttack Trunk Road meets the Katjuri river, and thence the Trunk Road up to Dolmundai, and thence the Chattrabazar Road up to bridge No 2 on the Taldunda Canal, and thence the canal itself up to its junction with the Mohanadi river up to the anicut, and thence the Mohanadi anicut itself.

(3) Any rate-payer of the said Municipality or inhabitant of any of the areas which it is proposed to include therein, who objects to such inclusion, should submit his objection, in writing, through the District Magistrate to the undersigned within six weeks from the date of the publication of this notification.

Puri.

No. 2228T.M.—The 19th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 15 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the several Local Boards in the district of Puri:—

Local Boards.	Names of members.	
Sadar	The Deputy Inspector of Schools	*Ex officio.*
	Babu Raj Kishore Das.	
	„ Umendra Nath Patnaik.	
	„ Madhusudan Das.	
	„ Bidhubhusan Banerjee.	
	Chaudhuri Kulamani Das.	
	Babu Loka Nath Bidyadhar Mahapatra.	
	„ Jagabandhu Patnaik.	
Khurda	The Subdivisional Officer, Khurda	*Ex officio.*
	Babu Radhanath Mahanti.	
	„ Hare Krishna Naik.	
	„ Lingaraj Dosa.	
	Sridhar Patnaik.	
	Ganeswar Ray.	
	Krishna Mohan Patnaik.	
	Satish Chandra Chakrabatti.	
	Kripasindhu Das.	
	Hrishikesh Rautray.	
	Raghunath Mahanti.	
	Chaudhuri Azis Muhammad.	

No. 2260T.M.—The 19th October 1906.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Vishnupur Municipality, in the district of Bankura, made at a meeting, to extend the provisions of Part IX of the said Act to certain parts of the above Municipality, specified below, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality:—

Bankura.

1. Gopalganja,	10. Kadakorli,
2. Krishtaganj,	11. Sankaribazar,
3. Goalapara,	12. Monshatola,
4. Raghunathshaier,	13. Maruibazar,
5. Rathtola,	14. Garhdarja,
6. Bakultola,	15. Napitpara,
7. Bahadoorganja,	16. Pathokpara,
8. Anisbazar,	17. Hazrapara,
9. Biswaspara,	18. Kundkundarbazar,

which are bounded—

On the north—By mauza Shyamsundarpur, Gabdoba, Gosainpara, Duaripara and Khorbangalow.

On the south—By Turkisitarampur.

On the east—By Rashtola, Shyamraishbazar, Killa and Nimtola.

On the west—By Gopalpur, Tejpal and Jamunaband Agal.

No. 2233T.M.—The 19th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Khulna Municipality, in the district of Khulna, of Babu Kunja Bihari Chakrabatti to be their Chairman.

Khulna.

No. 2240T.M.—The 20th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Jangipur Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, of Mr. S. Campbell to be their Chairman.

Murshidabad.

No. 2244T.M.—The 20th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Garden Reach Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas:—

24-Parganas.

Mr. A. E. Shorter.	Mr. R. P. Gibbes.
„ R. G. M. Mitchell.	Prince Mirza Muhammad Ibrahim Ali.
„ J. Gordon.	Mirza Muhammad Mokim.
„ D. Wilson.	Babu Satish Chandra Ghosh.
„ A. B. Duncan.	„ Shyama Charan Pal.
„ R. A. Murdoch.	„ Mohendra Nath Ghosh.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor appoints, under section 23 of the Act, Mr. R. G. Mitchell to be Chairman of the Municipality.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

(N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.)

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Murshidabad Branch, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Saturday, the 10th November 1906, corresponding with the 24th Kartic, 1313 B.S., at village Barasat.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the lands nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Nadia ...	Mauza Barasat, pargana Mamjoan.	7 to 8	Right side	0 7 1·33	0 0.15·050			Between 11 and 12 chains.	*North, East* and *West*—Plow land of village Barasat. *South*—Land acquired for Murshidabad Branch Railway.

Krishnagar, the 20th September 1906.

N. AHMAD, *for* Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of ...ly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at 12 noon for the said arrears :—

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a ...ate account is kept for that share.

Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
Mondleghat, pergana Mondleghat.	2,23,423 3 8	Nil	5a. 11k. 4 til share of the estate.	Jahur Lal Seal ...	3,970 5 2	Nil	89 7 5	Arrears of March 1905.

M. A. KADIR, Dy. Collr. in charge, for Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th November 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district ...alasore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 6th February 1907 at 11 A.M., for the said ...rs.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a ...ate account is kept for that share.

Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. A	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
								10
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P. KT		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Kt. Killa Ambahatta, Ph. Ambahatta killa.	895 13 11	Share	0 11 11 0	Dadhibabun Das and others of Panichbatra, Ph. Banchas and others.	667 3 9		833 9 1	Land Revenue. Estate under attachment by order of judicial authority.
Tk. Churamani, Ph. Ankura.	2,228 0 0	Whole		Srimatya Chandramani Dei, mother and guardian of Kanungo Krishna Prasad Rai Bhramarbar of Churamani, Ph. Ankura.		1,114 0 0		Ditto.
Tk. Mubarakhpur, Ph. Banchas.	23,042 14 8	Share	0 6 0 0	Bhagaban Chandra Das and others of Barobati, Ph. Sunhat.	8,9'8 9 6		4,469 1 5½	Ditto.
Tk. Harisingpur, Ph. Bhera.	4,339 0 0	Whole		Radhakanta Ray Mahasoy of Karpar, Ph. Randiaorgara and others.		2,147 12 6		Ditto.
Tk. Bardhanpur, Ph. Dasmalang.	661 0 0	Do.		Raghunath Das and others of Barbati, Ph. Sunhat.		330 0 0		Ditto.
Tk. Dhara, Ph. Mulgan.	1,022 0 0	Do.		Harendra Narain Rai Mahasoy of Lakhanmath, Ph. Chak Ismailpur and others.		510 15 11		Ditto.
Tk. Thekora, Ph. Kalma.	2,270 0 0	Share ...	0 5 6 10	Munshi Latifur Raheman Ahmed of Issafpur, Ph. Randiaorgara and others.	762 9 3		381 4 7½	Ditto.
Tk. Sarwanga, Ph. Randiaorgara.	1,429 0 0	Whole ...		Munshi Makbul Raheman Ahmed of Issafpur, Ph. Randiaorgara.		676 9 6		Ditto.
Tappe Chanua, Ph. Saimalang.	664 0 0	Do.		Kasinath Kar of Barbati, Ph. Sunhat and others.	.....	331 13 3		Ditto.
Ma. Derora, Ph. Senaut.	1,304 0 0	Share ...	0 10 8 0	Jadunath Prasad Dey of Damoderpur, Ph Sunhat and others.	869 5 4		434 10 7½	Ditto.
Ml. Berhapal, Ph. Shahabunder.	911 0 0	Do.	0 10 0 0	Srichandan Bhuyan Brindaban Chandra Rai of Gar Rautrapur, Ph. Sahabunder.	569 6 0		284 6 0	Ditto.

A.—All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Balasore Collectorate, the 10th October 1906. S. K. AGASTI, Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th November 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 4th February 1907, at 12 o'clock noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate not specifically mentioned in column 5 are excluded from sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of the proprietors of the property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
									10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	Ph. Banchas.	1,619 0 0		Kismat ... 9	Baladeb Prakash Brahmachari.	910 11 0		455 0 0	Due for kist November 1906.
186 2	Ditto	1,619 0 0		Do. ... 7	Chadmoni Dibya, mother and guardian of Hanuman Khuntia, minor, and others.			354 0 0	Ditto.
66	Ma. Drugadaspur, Ph. Kotrahang.	879 0 0	Whole		Bhikari Misra and others.		439 0 0		Ditto.
171	Ma. Gope, Ph. Banchas.	555 0 0	Do.		Satyabadi Patra and others.		273 4 10		Ditto.
7 6	Killah Balarampur, Ph Parchhimduai.	2,657 0 0		Kismat ... 4	Mussummat Sadatan Nissa Begam *alias* Channee Begam and others.	664 4 0		332 2 0	Ditto.

Puri Collectorate, the 15th October 1906.

P. C. MITTER, Collector.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 15th October 1906.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		1,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs. 93,55,777 7 11				
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 77,18,680 10 11		1,70,74,458	2	10
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		13,53,59,454	13	9
Bank Post Bills, &c.		9,27,843	11	8
Sundries		21,80,548	15	7
Rupees		19,00,41,805	11	10

ASSETS.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities		88,83,240	0	0
Other authorised investments		54,65,358	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities		3,85,87,714	0	0
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto		3,82,70,283	6	3
Bills discounted and purchased		3,46,86,901	9	5
Balances with other Banks		15,80,845	8	8
Bullion				
Dead Stock		18,33,511	7	5
Stamps		10,786	2	10
Sundries		6,17,923	6	8
		12,94,36,563	10	0
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 3,70,42,632 1 2				
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches† ,, 2,35,62,610 0 8		6,06,05,242	1	10
Rupees		19,00,41,805	11	10

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 38,76,255 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 3,41,407 8 0
Rs. 42,17,662 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 19th October 1906.

C. M. BASTIN, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans, 6 per cent.
Percentage 38·96.

HENRY GRAY,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

MEMORANDUM.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	
Government Balance at Head Office	15,11,585	Decrease.
Ditto at Branches ...	12,05,653	Do.
Other Deposits	21,79,326	Do.
Post Bills ...	4,48,613	Do.

ASSETS.

	Rs.	
Bank's Investments	70,259	Increase
Loans	2,57,554	Do.
Accounts of Credit	10,87,292	Do.
Mercantile Bills	12,40,984	Decrease.
Cash at Head Office	40,90,618	Do.
Do. at Branches	16,07,092	Do.

Percentage 38·96.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 15th October 1906.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th October 1906.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ per cent. Loans—							4 per cent. Loans—							4½ per cent. Loans—				Grand Total.
		Of 1848-49.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1900-01.		Total.	Of 1833-33.	Of 1835-36.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1879.		Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.	
Balance of 30th September 1906	34,90,400	1,59,44,500	10,49,40,900	2,16,02,700	1,18,09,000	15,84,700	.....	15,58,81,800	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	16,44,65,433
Add—																				
Amount of transferred to in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 21st September 1906	.....	.....	10,00,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,00,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	10,00,000
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 22nd September 1906	.....	.....	.....	12,000	.....	.....	.....	12,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	12,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th October 1906 ...	.....	50,600	21,800	2,78,500	.....	.....	.....	3,50,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	3,50,900
	34,90,400	1,59,95,100	10,59,62,700	2,18,93,200	1,18,09,000	15,84,700	.....	15,72,44,700	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	16,55,38,333
Deduct—																				
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	.....	50,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	50,000
Balance on 15th October 1906	34,90,400	1,59,45,100	10,59,62,700	2,18,93,200	1,18,09,000	15,84,700	.....	15,71,94,700	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	16,54,88,333

Note.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th August 1906—Enfaced from India 11,523 lakhs; retransferred from London, 11,237 lakhs.
" 16th August 1906 " 31st " " " " 14 " " " " 4 "
" 1st September " " 15th September " " " " 2 " " " " 3 "
" 16th " " 30th " " " " 1 lakh " " " " 1 lakh.
" 1st October " " 15th October " " " " 14 lakhs " " " " 1 "

11,554 lakhs — 11,246 lakhs.
11,246 "
Balance against India ... 308 "

J. Graves,
Offg. Superintendent.

Henry Gray,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

(1087—1)

Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal,
Calcutta, the 19th October 1906.

District Charitable Society.

Abstract of Cash Accounts of the Central Office for the month of August 1906.

Budget for 1906	RECEIPTS.	August 1906.	From 1st January to August 1906.	Budget for 1906.	PAYMENTS.	August 1906.	From 1st January to August 1906.
Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	Subscriptions—						
14,400	From Government	1,200 0 0	9,600 0 0	14,898	Grant to District Committees ...	1,232 0 0	9,970 0 0
2,829	,, the public	*700 0 9	**8,175 0 0	3,900	,, to Commissioner of Police for { Casual relief	226 2 0	2,214 15 0
5,057	Donations and new subscriptions ...	462 14 0	6,864 14 0	25,994	{ Establishment	75 0 0	600 0 0
	Allowances towards cost of establishment—				Grant to Native Committee	2,096 8 0	16,680 12 0
3,600	From Government	250 0 0	2,000 0 0	9,906	Pensions paid through Central Office	787 8 0	6,502 0 0
		.....	.....	624	Schooling fees ditto ...	53 0 0	425 0 0
350	Interest on General Reserve Fund ...	.....	140 0 0	2,350	Special Relief (on private orders) ...	276 12 9	1,827 6 3
40,779	,, on Trust Funds	6,795 2 5	26,717 15 4	3,012	Alms House :—Establishment ...	259 0 0	2,041 0 0
682	Bakery proceeds	†28 2 0	††355 2 0	5,905	Dieting ...	†666 6 6	††4,867 5 0
2,627	Workshed proceeds	§301 7 6	§§1,936 4 6	1,512	Contingencies ...	125 0 0	1,212 13 9
1,104	Refund on Casual Relief Account ...	140 15 9	1,080 8 6	...	Boots and Shoes ...	.....	.....
2,650	,, on Special ,, ,, ...	140 9 3	1,879 2 3	431	Clothing and bedding	251 13 0	251 13 0
...	Legacies	.....	.....	1,450	Repairs ...	17 13 3	219 12 6
20	Miscellaneous accounts	0 2 4	1 4 11	2,092	Bakery	164 9 3	1,783 6 0
955	Deposits	12 3 10	225 14 8	2,350	Workshed	§533 13 6	§§3,117 2 0
317	X'mas Dinner account	.....	317 0 0	7,056	Central Office : Establishment ...	632 0 0	6,076 2 1
...	G. P. Notes withdrawn from Bank's safe custody.	.....	.....	374	Commission on collections.	26 4 9	238 8 1
...	G. P. Notes by Corpus of Trust Funds ...	500 0 0	500 0 0	500	Auditing fees ...	.....	250 0 0
...	,, by Security Deposit ...	.....	.....	500	Rent (nett) ...	.....	150 14 9
200	Donation to Native Committee ...	.....	50 0 0	580	Contingencies ...	41 11 9	361 13 9
...	Govt. grant for Alms House repairs	.....	4,395 0 0	750	Printing and advertising.	26 8 0	656 12 6
...	Cash towards Corpus of Trust Funds ...	.....	19,249 3 11	...	Interest on overdraft	.....	● 0 7 10
...	Sale proceeds of stocks (Osmond Fund)	.....	398 3 10	62	Bank's commission	11 0 9	53 9 3
				300	Law charges	.....	9 14 0
				370	E. I. Railway Co. for Passes	48 12 0	‡254 14 6
				955	Deposits	14 5 2	225 11 4
				150	X'mas Dinner account	.....	319 0 0
				...	Safe custody deposit of G. P. Note ...	500 0 0	500 0 0
				...	Security refunded	.....	.....
				...	Investment	.....	19,364 11 10
				...	Duty on legacy of Osmond Fund ...	.....	404 10 0
82,971	Total ...	10,591 9 1	83,913 8 1	86,791	Total ...	8,096 15 11	79,449 7 5

New subscriptions * Rs. ; ** Rs. . | ‡ Rs. for casual relief ; Rs. for special relief.

Excluding cost of bread from Bakery for A. H. Dieting, † Rs. 314-13-0 ; †† Rs. 2,344-12-0 ; Budget being Rs. 2,970.
Excluding cost of flour from Workshed to Bakery, § Rs. 49-11-0 ; §§ Rs. 349-6-0 ; Budget being Rs. 630.

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Receipts as above	.....	83,913 8 1	Payments as above	.....	79,449 7 5
Balance at credit in Bank of Bengal on 1st January 1906	6,676 4 11		Balance at credit in Bank of Bengal on 31st August 1906	11,121 9 0	
Opening cash balance on that date	261 5 6		Cash balance in hand on that date	280 2 1*	
		6,937 10 5			11,401 11 1
			* Excluding 1 outstanding cheque for Rs. 86.		
Total		90,851 2 6		Total ...	90,851 2 6

CALCUTTA,
The 12th September 1906.

K. C. GANGULY,
Cashier.

H. S. CASHMAN,
Secretary.

District Charitable Society.

Abstract of Cash Accounts of the Central Office for the month of September 1906.

Budget for 1906.	RECEIPTS.	September 1906.	From 1st January to 30th September 1906.	Budget for 1906.	PAYMENTS.	September 1906.	From 1st January to 30th September 1906.
Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.
	Subscriptions—						
14,460	From Government	1,200 0 0	10,800 0 0	14,898	Grant to District Committees ...	1,332 0 0	11,202 0 0
...	,, the public	*541 0 0	**8,716 0 0	3,900	,, to Commissioner of Police for { Casual relief / Establishment }	208 11 9	2,483 10 9
6,067	Donations and new subscriptions ...	270 0 0	7,134 14 0			75 0 0	675 0 0
	Allowances towards cost of establishment			25,994	Grant to Native Committee	2,115 0 0	18,695 12 0
				9,906	Pensions paid through Central Office	829 8 0	7,331 8 0
3,000	From Government	250 0 0	2,250 0 0	624	Schooling-fees ditto ...	53 0 0	478 0 0
250	Interest on General Reserve Fund		140 0 0	2,450	Special Relief (on private orders) ...	186 2 0	2,013 8 3
40,770	,, on Trust Funds		23,717 15 4	3,012	Alms House:—Establishment ...	237 0 0	2,506 0 0
682	Bakery proceeds	†51 12 6	††436 14 6	5,905	Dieting	†790 14 0	††5,658 8 0
2,627	Workshed proceeds	§310 15 6	§§2,847 4 0	1,512	Contingencies ...	125 0 0	1,337 13 9
1,104	Refund on Casual Relief account	86 2 0	1,166 10 0	...	Boots and shoes ...		.....
2,630	,, on Special	201 6 0	2,080 8 3	431	Clothing and bedding		251 13 0
...	Legacies		.....	1,460	Repairs ...	28 1 9	247 14 3
20	Miscellaneous accounts	0 2 4	1 7 3	2,092	Bakery	270 5 9	2,023 11 9
955	Deposits		223 13 4	2,350	Workshed	§190 2 9	§§3,307 4 9
317	X'mas dinner account		317 0 0	7,656	Central Office:—Establishment ...	621 0 0	5,697 2 1
	G. P. Notes withdrawn from Bank's safe custody.			374	Commission on collections.	34 2 0	272 10 1
	G. P. Notes by Corpus of Trust Funds ...		500 0 0	500	Auditing fees ...	250 0 0	500 0 0
	,, by Security Deposit		.....	500	Rent (nett) ...	232 7 6	383 6 3
200	Donation to Native Committee		50 0 0	550	Contingencies ...	92 3 6	404 1 3
	Govt. grant for Alms House repairs ...	2,850 0 0	7,345 0 0	750	Printing and advertising.	59 12 0	716 8 6
	Cash towards Corpus of Trust Funds ...	...	19,249 3 11				
	Sale-proceeds of stocks (Osmond Fd. and Gen. Res. Fd.)	1,965 3 0	2,363 6 10		Interest on overdraft		0 7 10
				62	Bank's commission	6 14 7	60 7 10
				300	Law charges		8 14 0
				370	E. I. Railway Co. for passes ...		‡254 14 6
				955	Deposits		225 11 4
				150	X'mas Dinner account		319 0 0
					Safe custody deposit of G. P. Note		500 0 0
					Security refunded		.....
					Investment		19,364 11 10
					Duty on legacy of Osmond Fund		404 10 0
83,971	Total	7,726 9 4	91,640 1 5	86,791	Total	7,727 5 7	87,176 13 0

New subscriptions * Rs. ; ** Rs. | ‡ Rs. for casual relief; Rs. for special relief.

Excluding cost of bread from Bakery for A. H. Dieting, † Rs. 304-11; †† Rs. 2,640-7, Budget being Rs. 2,970.
Excluding cost of flour from Workshed to Bakery, § Rs. 40-15; §§ Rs. 390-5, Budget being Rs. 630.

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Receipts as above		91,640 1 5			
Balance at credit in Bank of Bengal on 1st January 1906	6,676 4 11		Payments as above	.....	87,176 13 0
Opening cash balance on that date	261 5 6		Balance at credit in Bank of Bengal on 30th September 1906	10,730 0 2	
		6,937 10 5	Cash balance in hand on that date	670 14 8	
					11,400 14 10
Total		98,577 11 10	Total		98,577 11 10

CALCUTTA,
The 10th October 1906.

K. C. GANGULY,
Cashier.

H. S. CASHMAN,
Secretary.

WANTED at once for the Cess Revaluation Office, Berhampore, District Murshidabad, a thoroughly experienced Head Clerk on Rs. 50 and a clerk on Rs. 40 per mensem for two years. Candidates having a thorough knowledge of Revaluation work need only apply. The clerk on Rs. 40 will be employed chiefly on outdoor work. Apply to Collector, Murshidabad, with testimonials before 30th instant.

A. G. HALLIFAX, Collector.

Dated Berhampore, the 12th October 1906.

WANTED temporarily for six months, with every prospect of being made permanent on account of the present incumbent going on promotion, a Head Clerk and Accountant qualified under paragraph 9 of the Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., of the 20th December 1901, for the District Board of Rajshahi on a salary of Rs. 80 rising to Rs. 100 by an annual increment of Rs. 5. Preference will be given to one who has experience of District Board and Public Works accounts.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 10th November 1906.

A. H. CUMING,

Chairman, District Board, Rajshahi.

Rajshahi District Board's Office, the 10th October 1906. (1075—3)

WANTED a Muhammadan candidate for the post of an Assistant Master in a Government zilla school in the Burdwan Division. The pay of the post is Rs. 30 a month for a graduate, or Rs. 25 for an F.A. certificate-holder.

Applications will be received up to the 10th November 1906.

MUHAMMAD IBRAHIM,

Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

Hooghly, the 22nd October 1906.

WANTED for the Office of the Inspectress of Schools a clerk with a good knowledge of Hindi and Urdu. Salary Rs. 40. Candidates must be graduates with some experience of office work Apply first by letter, enclosing testimonials, to Office of Inspectress, 22 Ezra Mansions, 10, Government Place Calcutta. r

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WANTED for six months an experienced Surveyo on a salary of Rs. 30, *plus* travelling allowanc of Rs. 10 a month while in the fields. Preference will be given to a passed student of the Dacca Survey School with some experience in survey works. The selected candidate will have to join at once. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th November 1906.

A. CHATTERJEE,

District Engineer, Jessore.

Jessore, the 16th October 1906. (1083—3)

Wanted

A THIRD PILOT and Harbour Master for the Port of Chittagong. Pay Rs. 250 rising to Rs. 400 by annual increments of Rs. 25 a month.

The appointment has been recommended by the Port Commissioners, but is subject to the sanction of Government.

Applicants must be under 30 years of age and hold a Master's certificate.

Applications with copies of credentials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th November 1906. Proof of sobriety and good conduct essential.

The candidate selected will be on probation for six months, and will be required to join by 1st December.

D. H. GIBSONE, COMMANDER, R.I.M.,

Port Officer.

Chittagong, the 17th October 1906. (1082—2)

SUSILMADHUB MULLICK, M.A., B.L., Pleader Judge's Court, 24-Parganas, intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.

(1085—4—923)

SUDHINDRA NATH TAGORE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court.

(1076-

Wanted.

A HEAD CLERK AND ACCOUNTANT for the District Board's Office, Jalpaiguri, on a salary of Rs 60 rising to Rs. 80 by annual increment of Rs. 5. None need apply who is not qualified under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334 L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901, and who has no experience of office works.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 20th November 1906.

W. D. RITCHIE, Vice-Chairman.

District Board's Office, Jalpaiguri, the 19th October 1906 (1086—3)

Wanted

A COPYIST and an Apprentice for the Court of the Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, Town Hall.

None need apply who has not passed the F.A. examination of the Calcutta University and does not write a good hand.

Applications will be received up to 31st October 1906, and should be made in the applicant's own handwriting.

AMRITA LAL MUKHARJI,

Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 12th October 1906.

Advertisement.

WANTED an experienced Estimator for the District Engineer's Office, Hooghly, on a monthly salary of Rs. 50. The selected candidate will have to join at once. Applications with copies of testimonials and certificates of age and health will be received up to the 8th November 1906.

B. DE, Chairman.

Hooghly District Board's Office, Chinsura, the 15th October 1906. (1078—2)

Notice.

WANTED immediately for the Land Acquisition Office, Purulia-Ranchi Railway, Ranchi, a Head Clerk and Accountant on Rs. 70.

A graduate with honours in Mathematics with some experience in Office-work will be preferred.

An original certificate of good character and respectability from a gentleman should accompany each application.

KANTI BHUSHAN SEN, Land Acquisition Officer.

Ranchi, the 11th October 1906.

Notice.

SEALED tenders are invited for the supply of Medical Stores and Surgical Instruments, etc., to the Medical Store Depôt, Calcutta, during the period 1st April 1907 to 31st March 1908.

Schedules of stores in duplicate with tender forms can be obtained on payment of one rupee from the office of the Medical Store-Keeper to Government, Calcutta, on application. Tenders will be opened on the noon of the 1st November 1906. Parties tendering are invited to attend. All tenders to be superscribed "Tenders for medical supplies."

Tenders must be accompanied by a Treasury Receipt or Government Promissory notes for amounts calculated at two per cent. on the total value of the tender as earnest money.

The Medical Store-Keeper does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

E. F. H. DOBSON, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,

Medical Store-Keeper to Government, Calcutta.

Medical Store Depôt, Hastings, Calcutta, dated the 10th October 1906.

Notice

IS hereby given that the estate of Babus Hari Das and Gyan Chandra Banerjee of No. 52 Suri Lane, Calcutta, has been brought under the management of the Court of Wards under Bengal Government order No. 2177T.R., dated the 21st September 1906.

J. H. BERNARD, Collector.

Alipore, the 10th October 1906. (1072½)

Custom House, Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty, interest, and all charges be not paid within ten days from the date of this notice on five cases of Jamaica rum marked S. C. D. & Co., Calcutta imported per S.S. *Palermo* from London and bonded by Messrs. Shib Churn Dutt & Co. on the 14th September 1903, in the Bengal Bonded Warehouse, the Jamaica rum will be sold by public auction under the provisions of section 119 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878, by Messrs. Mackenzie, Lyall & Co., of No. 4 Lyon's Range, Calcutta.

L. F. MORSHEAD,
Collector of Customs.

Custom House, Calcutta, the 19th October 1906.

(1084—2)

Currency Note.

THE following Currency Note of the Calcutta Circle is stated to have been destroyed, and payment of its value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the number. Any other person claiming a right to it is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Note wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Note.	Value. Rs.	Name of claimant.
W 236 of 1906-07	$\frac{PA}{96}$ 78084	100	Magni Ram Bhakat, care of Ashutosh Basu, No. 231 Darmahatta Street, Alooposta, Calcutta.

T. H. MORGAN,
Assistant Comptroller-General, in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 12th October 1906.

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given that unless 11 casks of molasses and 45 empty casks, including 3 in pieces, consigned to Hajee Khanoo Moosa *ex* S. S. "Upada," which are lying at the Port Commissioners' Wharf at Koilaghat since 24th August 1906, are removed on or before the 30th October 1906, and all charges due thereon paid, they will be sold by public auction in terms of section 118 of Calcutta Port Act, III of 1890, and the sale-proceeds appropriated towards payment of the charges due.

W. R. C. JEWELL, Traffic Manager.

Traffic Manager's Office, Calcutta, 22nd October 1906.

(1088—1).

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1866, and In the matter of the Pahardiah Gold Company, "Limited."

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the abovenamed Company duly convened and held at No. 8 Old Court House Street, the Registered Office of the Company, on the 8th day of August 1906, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed :—

'That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same;"

and at the same Meeting Mr. H. A. B. Evatt, of 8 Old Court House Street, a Member of the Company, was appointed Liquidator without remuneration for the purposes of such winding up

Dated the 16th day of October 1906.

W. BUSHBY, Chairman.

(1081—1—923)

Vessel.	Marks and Nos.	Description.
S.S. "Amora" ...	N. Lyall Bros. ...	1 case samples of dried fruits.
" "Laisang" ...	Elliott and Co. ...	1 parcel unknown.
" "Sulsang" ...	M. B. C. C.	1 case salmon.
" "Euryalus" ...	Robinson Morrison and Co.	1 package samples of chaff.
" "Rajah" ...	F. F. C.	1 barrel sugar.
" Do. ...	Do.	½ do. do.
" "Scindia" ...	B M	1 cask pitch.
" "Pasha"	Patent Darby Horse Food.	10 bags horse food.
" "A. Apcar" ..	M. N. Adis	2 cases wine.
" "G. Apcar" ...	P L P	1 case Japanese Beer.
" "C. Apcar" ...	Nil ...	4 pieces planks.
" Unknown ...	B Calcutta 1	1 bundle Polo sticks.
" "Qui'oa" ...	B B	1 Do. sugar.
" Do. ...	D D	1 barrel do.
" "Fooksang" ...	Miss Leslie Rose ...	1 box medicines.
" "Lightning" ...	R & T	1 bundle tea shooks.
" Ditto ...	S O	1 Do. do.
" "Crostafels" ...	Messrs. Partridge and Co.	1 parcel unknown.

The above will be sold if not cleared on or before the 14th November 1906.

L. F. MORSHEAD,
Collector of Customs.

Calcutta, the 19th October 1906.

NOTICE.
Bank of Bengal.

THE Directors have made the following changes in the Bank's European Establishment :—

Mr. W. A. Gibbs having returned from short leave has resumed his appointment as Officiating Cashier of the Bank, *vice* Mr. C. A. Croft.

By order of the Directors,

HENRY GRAY,
Offg. Secretary & Treasurer.

Calcutta, the 19th October 1906. (1079—1)

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.	Route by which despatched.
	1906. | P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	Oct. 25 | At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	,, 24 Parcels, 5 P.M.; M.-O., 4 P.M.	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ...	,, 29 At 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
† Straits Settlements, China and Japan.	,, 24 ,, 8-30	Per steamer *Lightning*.
Burma	,, 25 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	,, 27 ,, 7-30	Ditto ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	,, 26 ,, 7-30	
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	,, 29 ,, 7-30	
Mauritius, Réunion, Mayotte and Nossi-Bé.	,, 27 ,, 7-30	Per Steamer *Fultala* from Colombo.
Mauritius, Réunion, Mayotte and Nossi-Bé (Supplemental).	,, 28 ,, 7-30	
Port Blair	,, 27 ,, 7-30	*Vid* Rangoon.

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that they may proceed by any steamer from Colombo that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† On other days correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that it may proceed by the first steamer from Colombo.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—

For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 6 A.M.
For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.
For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.
For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 4-15 P.M.
For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore *vid* Bengal Nagpur Railway, at 1-15 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 1-55 P.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—

For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.
For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-55 P.M., and with a late fee of ¼ anna up to 4-15 P.M.
For the Bombay Mail *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa, Madras Presidency and Ceylon, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, Darjeeling, and places on the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway, at 7-30 P.M.
} and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.

Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—

For the Bombay Mail *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, from 5 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa, Madras Presidency and Ceylon, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

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PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

No. 165T, dated the 23rd October, 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred by rule 34 of the Rules for the Conduct of the Legislative Business of the Bengal Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following Bill, which it is proposed to introduce in the said Council on the 10th November, 1906, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons and Notes on Clauses, for general information :—

BILL

to amend and supplement the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, in the manner hereinafter appearing; VIII of 1885.

And whereas the previous sanction of the Governor General has been obtained under section 5 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, to the passing of this Act; 55 & 56 Vict., c. 14

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title and extent.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1907.

(*2*) It shall extend to all the territories for the time being under the administration of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in which the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, is in force. VIII of 1885

Repeal of sections 40 and 45 of Act VIII of 1885.

2. Sections 40 and 45 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, are hereby repealed. VIII of 1885.

Addition of Explanation to sub-section (5) of section 1.

3. To sub-section (*5*) of section 1 of the said Act, the following Explanation shall be added, namely:—

"*Explanation.*—The words 'the town of Calcutta' mean, subject to the exclusion or inclusion of any local area by notification under section 637 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, the area described in Schedule I to that Act." [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1899, s. 3 (7). Ben. Act III of 1899.

Amendment of section 3, sub-section (*5*).

4. (*1*) In sub-section (*5*) of section 3 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885,—

(*a*) after the word "money," where it occurs for the first time, and

(*b*) after the words "as if it was rent,"

the words "together with interest due thereon, or damages granted in lieu of interest" shall be inserted and added, respectively.

(*2*) In the same sub-section after the word and figures "Chapter XII" the word and figures "Chapter XIV" shall be inserted.

Addition to section 12.

5. To section 12 of the said Act, the following shall be added, namely:—

"(*4*) Nothing contained in any deed of transfer to which the landlord is not a party shall be evidence against the landlord of the permanence, fixity of rent, specification of area, transferability or any incident of any tenure or holding referred to in such deed."

New sections 17A and 17B

6. After section 17 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"17A. The acceptance by a landlord of the fees payable under the foregoing sections and under section 18, clause (*a*), shall not operate—

Saving as to acceptance of fees.

(*a*) as an admission as to the permanence, fixity of rent, specification of area, transferability or any incident of the tenure or holding, for which such fees have been paid, or

(*b*) as an express consent, under the provisions of section 88, to the division of the tenure or holding, or to the distribution of the rent thereof.

"17B. All fees now in deposit, or which may hereafter be deposited, under the foregoing sections and under section 18, clause (*a*), for payment to a landlord, may, unless claimed by the landlord within six months from the date of the commencement of this Act or from the date of service of the notice prescribed in sections 12, 13 and 15, whichever is later, be declared to be forfeited to the Government."

Forfeiture of unclaimed fees.

Amendment of section 19.

7. (*1*) Section 19 of the said Act shall be re-numbered section 19, sub-section (*1*).

(*2*) In the said sub-section (*1*), after the words "this Act," in both places where they occur, the words, brackets and figures "or the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1907," shall be inserted. Ben. Act of 1907.

(*3*) After the said sub-section (*1*), the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*2*) The inclusion of any land in the town of Calcutta by notification under section 637 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, shall not affect any right of occupancy previously acquired in such land." Ben. Act III of 1899.

Amendment of section 22.

8. In section 22 of the said Act,—

(*a*) for the words "the occupancy-right" in sub-section (*1*), and

(*b*) for the word "it" in sub-section (*2*),

the words "the tenancy" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 37.

9. In section 37 of the said Act, for the figures "40" the figures and letter "71A" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 38, sub-section (1).

10. (*1*) In sub-section (*1*) of section 38 of the said Act, after the word and brackets "(namely)" the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*a*) on the ground that the rate of rent paid by the raiyat is above the prevailing rate paid by occupancy-raiyats for land of a similar description and with similar advantages in the same village or neighbouring villages, and that there is no sufficient reason for his holding at so high a rate, or"

and the existing clauses (*a*) and (*b*) shall be re-lettered clauses (*b*) and (*c*), respectively.

(*2*) To the same sub-section the following proviso shall be added, namely:—

"Provided that where the rent of an occupancy-raiyat has been fixed or settled—

(*i*) by a lawful contract, or

(*ii*) by a Revenue-officer acting under the provisions of Chapter X, or

(*iii*) by a decree of any Court other than a decree passed *ex-parte*, or on confession of judgment or on any compromise between the parties,

such raiyat shall not be entitled to institute a suit for the reduction of his rent on the ground specified in clause (*a*)."

Addition to section 52.

11. To section 52 of the said Act, the following shall be added, namely:—

"(*6*) When in a suit under this section the landlord or tenant proves that there is a custom, in the village in which the tenure or holding is situate, of settlement being made after measurement of the land assessed with rent, it may be presumed that the area of the tenure or holding specified in any patta, kabuliyat, or rent-roll relating to it has been entered in such patta, kabuliyat or rent-roll after measurement."

Amendment of section 58.

12. In section 58 of the said Act, for sub-section (*3*), the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"(*3*) If a landlord or his agent without reasonable cause, the burden of proving which shall lie on him, fails to deliver to the tenant a receipt or statement, or to prepare and retain a counterfoil or copy of a receipt or statement as required by either of the said sections, the landlord or his agent, as the case may be, may be punished on summary trial, and conviction before the Collector with fine, which may amount to fifty rupees.

(*4*) The Collector may take cognizance of an offence under this section, either on information received from a Revenue-officer, or upon complaint of the party aggrieved, or upon the report of a Civil Court; and it shall be the duty of every Revenue and Judicial Officer to report to the Collector all such cases as may come to his knowledge.

(*5*) Where, in any case under sub-section (*3*), the Collector convicts the landlord or his agent, as the case may be, and is satisfied that the tenant has not already instituted a suit under the provisions of sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*),

the Collector may, on the application of the tenant, made either orally or in writing, award to the tenant such compensation not exceeding the penalty prescribed in sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*), as the case may be, as he thinks fit.

(*6*) A tenant to whom compensation has been awarded by the Collector under sub-section (*5*) shall not be entitled thereafter to institute a suit under the provisions of sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*) to recover any penalty from the landlord in respect of the same matter.

(*7*) Where, in any case under sub-section (*3*), the Collector acquits the landlord or his agent, as the case may be, and is satisfied that the complaint or information of the tenant on which the proceedings were instituted is false or vexatious, the Collector may, in his discretion, by his order of acquittal, direct the tenant to pay to such landlord or agent such compensation, not exceeding fifty rupees, as the Collector thinks fit. [*Cf.* Act V of 1898, s. 250 (*1*)].

(8) An appeal shall lie to the Commissioner of the Division against any order of the Collector imposing a fine under sub-section (3) or awarding compensation under sub-section (7), and the orders passed by the Commissioner on such appeal shall be final and conclusive."

New section 68A.

13. After section 68 of the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"*Damages for denial of landlord's title.*

Damages for denial of landlord's title.

"68A. (1) When, in any suit between a landlord and tenant as such, the tenant renounces his character as tenant of the landlord by setting up without reasonable and probable cause title in a third person or himself, the Court may pass a decree in favour of the landlord for such amount of damages, not exceeding ten times the amount of the annual rent payable by the tenant, as it may consider to be just. [*Cf.* Act V of 1882, s. 111].

(2) The amount of damages decreed under sub-section (1), together with any interest accruing due thereon, shall, subject to the landlord's charge for rent, be a first charge on the tenure or holding of the tenant; and the landlord may execute such decree for damages and interest, either as a decree for a sum of money, or, subject to the provisions of section 158B, in any of the modes in which a decree for rent may be executed."

Addition to section 69.

14. To section 69 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely :—

"(4) No order shall be passed on an application, under this section when, previously to such application, an application under section 121 for the distraint of the crops of a tenant has been made by the landlord and admitted by the Civil Court, and, if, after an order has been passed under this section, it appears that an application for the distraint of the tenant's crops has been made to the Civil Court before the application was made under this section, the Collector shall stay all proceedings under this section."

New section 71A.

15. After section 71 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"*Commutation.*

Commutation of rent payable in kind.

"71A. (1) Where a raiyat pays for a holding rent in kind, or on the estimated value of a portion of the crop, or at rates varying with the crop, or partly in one of these ways and partly in another, either such raiyat or his landlord may apply to have the rent commuted to a money-rent. [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 40.

(2) The application may be made to the Collector or Sub-divisional Officer or to an officer making a survey and record-of-rights under Chapter X, or to any other officer specially authorized in this behalf by the Local Government

(3) On the receipt of the application the officer may determine the sum to be paid as money-rent, and may order that the raiyat shall, in lieu of paying his rent in kind, or otherwise as aforesaid, pay the sum so determined.

(4) In making the determination the officer shall have regard to—

(a) the average money-rent payable by raiyats of the same class for land of a similar description and with similar advantages in the vicinity;

(b) the average value of the rent actually received by the landlord during the preceding ten years, or during any shorter period for which evidence may be available; and

(c) the charges incurred by the landlord in respect of cultivation or irrigation under the rent system previously in force, and the arrangements made on commutation for continuing those charges.

(5) The order shall be in writing, shall state the grounds on which it is made, and the time from which it is to take effect, and shall be subject to appeal in like manner as if it were an order made in an ordinary revenue proceeding.

(6) If the application is opposed, the officer shall consider whether under all the circumstances of the case it is reasonable to grant it, and shall grant or refuse it accordingly. If he refuses it, he shall record in writing the reasons for the refusal."

Amendment of section 88.

16. (1) In section 88 of the said Act, for the words "with his consent in writing," the words "with his express consent in writing, or with that of his duly authorized agent" shall be substituted.

(2) To the same section the following proviso shall be added, namely:—

"Provided that, if there is proved to have been made in a landlord's rent-roll any entry showing that the tenure or holding of any tenant has been divided, or that the rent payable in respect thereof has been distributed, such landlord may be presumed to have given his express consent in writing thereto within the meaning of this section."

Amendment of sub-section (2) of section 101.

17. In sub-section (2) of section 101 of the said Act,—

(1) For clause (a) the following clause shall be substituted, namely:—

"(a) where—

(i) the landlord or tenants, or

(ii) a proportion of not less than one-fourth of the total number of landlords, or

(iii) a proportion of landlords, the aggregate of whose interests in the lands of the local area, estate or tenure or part thereof is not less in value than one-fourth of the total value of the interests of all the landlords therein, or

(iv) a proportion of not less than one-fourth of the total number of tenants,

applies or apply for such an order, and on his or their depositing, or giving security for such amount for the payment of expenses as the Local Government directs;".

) To clause (c) the following shall be added, namely :—

"or a Manager appointed by the District Judge under the provisions of section 95;".

(3) To the first *Explanation* to clause (d) the following shall be added, namely:—

"but does not render it necessary to settle the rents of tenants of every class in an estate or tenure belonging to Government, when it does not appear to the Government to be expedient to do so."

New clause (cc) in section 102.

18. After clause (c) of section 102 of the said Act, the following clause shall be inserted, and shall be deemed to have been so inserted from the commencement of the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1898, namely:— Ben. Act III of 1898.

"(cc) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(i) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(ii) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;".

Insertion of section 102A in Act VIII of 1885.

19. After section 102 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, VIII of 1885. the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"102A. The Local Government may,

Power to order survey and preparation of record-of-rights as to water.

for the purpose of settling or averting disputes existing or likely to arise between landlords and tenants, or between tenants and tenants, or between landlords or tenants and riparian proprietors,

make an order directing that a survey be made, and a record-of-rights be prepared, by a Revenue-officer, in order to ascertain and record the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in any local area, estate or tenure or part thereof, in respect of—

(*a*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply; and

(*b*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land."

Amendment of section 103B.

20. For section 103B of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"103B. (*1*) In any suit or other proceeding in which a record-of-rights prepared and published under this Chapter, or a duly certified copy thereof, or extract therefrom, is produced, such record-of-rights shall be presumed to have been finally published, unless this is expressly denied, and a certificate signed by the Revenue-officer, or by the Collector of any district in which the local area, estate or tenure or part thereof to which the record-of-rights relates, is wholly or partly situate, stating that a record-of-rights has been finally published under this Chapter, shall be conclusive evidence of such publication.

Presumption as to final publication and correctness of record-of-rights.

(*2*) The Local Government may, by notification, declare, with regard to any specified area, that a record-of-rights has been finally published for every village included in such area, and such notification shall be conclusive evidence of such publication.

(*3*) Every entry in a record-of-rights so published shall be evidence of the matter referred to in such entry, and shall be presumed to be correct until it is proved by evidence to be incorrect.

Amendment of heading to Part II of Chapter X.

21. In the heading to Part II of Chapter X of the said Act, for the words "*decision of disputes*" the words "*disposal of objections*" shall be substituted.

Addition to section 105 (*4*).

22. To sub-section (*4*) of section 105 of the said Act, the following shall be added, namely :—

"and may, if the circumstances are, in his opinion, such as to make it practicable and expedient to prepare a table of rates, frame a table of rates, and settle and record all or any of the rents on the basis of such rates in the manner described in sections 104B, 104C and 104D." [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 104 A (*1*)(*c*)].

Addition to section 109A.

23. To section 109A of the said Act the following shall be added, namely :—

"(*4*) A note of all rents settled and of all decisions of disputes on revision or appeal, under section 108 or section 109A, shall be made in the record-of-rights finally published under section 103A, and such note shall be considered as part of the record." [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 107 (*2*)].

New section 109B.

24. In Part IV of Chapter X of the said Act, immediately before section 110, the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"109B. In ascertaining and recording the rents payable, and in deciding disputes under this Chapter, the Revenue-officer may give effect to any lawful agreement or compromise made or entered into by the landlord and tenant, and may frame the record accordingly ; [*Cf.* Act IV of 1882, s. 375.]

Power of Revenue-officer to give effect to agreement or compromise.

but he may refuse to do so, if, for reasons to be recorded, he considers the agreement or compromise to be illegal or unfair and inequitable,

and he shall not give effect to any agreement or compromise which contravenes the provisions of section 29."

Amendment of section 112.

25. (*1*) In sub-section (*1*) of section 112 of the said Act, the words "acting under this Chapter" shall be omitted.

(*2*) After sub-section (*1*) of the said section the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*2*) The Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, invest a Revenue-officer with power to settle or reduce rents under this section, after satisfying himself that the landlord is demanding rents which have been illegally enhanced above those entered as payable in a record-of-rights prepared under this Chapter." ;

and the existing sub-sections (*2*) and (*3*) shall be re-numbered sub-sections (*3*) and (*4*), respectively.

(*3*) After sub-section (*4*) the following shall be added, namely :—

"(*5*) The provisions of sections 104 to 104J (both inclusive) shall apply to a settlement of rent made under this section."

Amendment of section 113(*1*).

26. In sub-section (*1*) of section 113 of the said Act for the word, letter and brackets "clause (*a*)" the word, letter and brackets "clause (*b*)" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 114.

27. In section 114 of the said Act,—

(*1*) In sub-section (*1*),—

(*a*) the words "by the Government" shall be omitted, and

(*b*) for the words "from time to time in the maintenance," the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"at any time, whether before or after the preparation of the record-of-rights, in the maintenance, repair or restoration".

(*2*) After sub-section (*1*), the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*2*) The estimated amount of the expenses likely to be incurred for the maintenance, repair or restoration of boundary-marks for a period not exceeding fifteen years, or such part of such expenses as the Local Government may direct, may be recovered in advance in the same manner as if they had been already incurred.";

and the present sub-section (*2*) shall be re-numbered sub-section (*3*).

(3) After sub-section (3), the following shall be added, namely:—

"(4) The cost of the preparation of copies of the survey maps and record-of-rights, prepared under this Chapter for distribution to landlords and tenants, shall be deemed to be part of the expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions of this Chapter."

Addition to heading to Chapter XI.

28. To the heading to Chapter XI of the said Act the following words shall be prefixed, namely:—

"NON-ACCRUAL OF OCCUPANCY AND NON-OCCUPANCY RIGHTS, AND"

Amendment of section 116.

29. In section 116 of the said Act, after the words "shall apply to" the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"lands acquired under the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, for the Government or for any local body or for a Railway Company, or lands belonging to the Government within a cantonment under the Cantonments Act, 1889, while such lands remain the property of the Government, or of such local body or Railway Company, or to", I of 1894. XIII of 1889.

New sections 147A and 147B.

30. After section 147 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, the following shall be inserted, namely:— VIII of 1885.

"147A. (1) The provisions of section 375 of the Code of Civil Procedure shall not apply to any suit between landlord and tenant as such. XIV of 1882.

Compromise of suits between landlord and tenant.

(2) Where any suit between landlord and tenant as such is adjusted wholly or in part by any lawful agreement or compromise, or if the defendant satisfies the plaintiff in respect to the whole or any part of the matter of the suit, the Court may pass a decree in accordance with such agreement, compromise or satisfaction, so far as it relates to the suit; [Cf. Act XIV of 1882, s. 375.]

but may refuse to do so if, for reasons to be recorded, it considers such agreement, compromise or satisfaction to be illegal or unfair and inequitable.

(3) No decree shall be passed in accordance with any agreement or compromise which contravenes the provisions of section 29.

(4) A decree passed in accordance with any lawful agreement, compromise or satisfaction shall be final so far as it relates to so much of the subject-matter of the suit as is dealt with by such agreement, compromise or satisfaction.

"147B. In all areas in which a record-of-rights has been prepared and finally published under sub-section (2) of section 103A, a Civil Court shall, in all suits between landlord and tenant as such, have regard to the entries in such record-of-rights referring to the land in dispute which may be produced before it, unless such entries have been proved by evidence to be incorrect, and, when a Civil Court passes a decree at variance with such entries, it shall record its reasons for so doing."

Regard to be paid by Civil Courts to entries in record-of-rights.

New clause (bb) in section 148.

31. (1) In section 148 of the said Act, after clause (b), the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(bb) where the suit is for the rent of land situated within an area in which a record-of-rights has

been prepared and published, the plaint shall, unless the Court is satisfied that the plaintiff was prevented by any sufficient cause from furnishing such statement, further contain a statement of the rental of the tenancy according to the record-of-rights:

Provided that, if the Court sees fit at any time to require it, a verified or certified copy of, or extract from, the record-of-rights relating to the tenancy shall be produced by the plaintiff, or shall, if necessary, on the requisition of the Court, be supplied by the Collector without payment of fee:".

(2) After clause (*f*) of the same section, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*ff*) where any account-books, rent-rolls, or collection or measurement papers have been produced by a landlord in any Court in a suit pending therein, copies of, or extracts from, such documents, which have been certified by a duly authorized officer of such Court to be true copies or extracts, may be admitted in evidence in proof of the originals in any other suit instituted in the same or another Court, unless the Court in which such copies or extracts are produced sees fit to require the production of the originals:".

Amendment of section 153.

32. (1) Section 153 of the said Act shall be re-numbered section 153, sub-section (*1*).

(2) To section 153 the following shall be added, namely:—

"(*2*) Where, in a suit instituted by a landlord for the recovery of rent, no appeal lies under this section, no appeal shall lie from any order passed in execution of the decree in such suit."

New section 158A.

33. After section 158 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"*Summary Procedure for the Recovery of Rents under the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895.*

Ben. Act of 1895.

"158A. (*1*) Any landlord whose land is situate in an area in which a record-of-rights has been prepared and published, and in which such record is periodically revised,

[*Cf.* Bom. Act V of 1879, ss. 86, 88.]

Recovery of arrears by application of procedure prescribed in the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895, in certain areas.

may apply to the Local Government, through the Collector of the district in which his land is situate, for the application of the procedure prescribed by the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895 [as amended by the Bengal Public Demands Recovery (Amendment) Act, 1897], to the recovery of the arrears of rent which he alleges are due to him for lands in such area.

Ben. Act I of 1895. Ben. Act I of 1897.

(*2*) The Local Government may refuse to allow the landlord's application, or may allow it subject to such terms and conditions as it may see fit to impose, and may at any time add to or vary those terms and conditions, or withdraw its allowance of the application, without, in any of these cases, assigning any reason for its action.

(*3*) When any such application has been allowed, such Revenue Officer as may be appointed for the purpose may,

after inquiry and after inspection of the landlord's rent-rolls, accounts and collection papers, in accordance with such rules as the Local Government may prescribe in this behalf under this Act,

issue certificates for the recovery of the arrears alleged to be due in the Form prescribed therefor, and any such certificate shall, as regards the remedies for enforcing the same and so far only, have the force and effect of a decree of a Civil Court.

(4) The following provisions of the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895 [as amended by the Bengal Public Demands Recovery (Amendment) Act, 1897] shall, so far as they are applicable, apply to all certificates for the recovery of rent issued under sub-section (3), namely:— Ben. Act 1 of 1895. Ben. Act 1 of 1897.

'the proviso to sub-section (1) of section 7, and sections 10 to 17 (both inclusive), 19 to 22 (both inclusive), 23, 25, 26, and 29 to 33 (both inclusive).'

(5) No landlord shall institute a suit in a Civil Court for the recovery of any arrears of rent in respect of which he has applied for the issue of a certificate;

and no tenant, after the issue of any certificate against him, shall institute a suit in, or apply to, a Civil Court for the alteration of the rent payable by him, or the determination of his status as a tenant, in respect of the period during which the arrears of rent for which such certificate has been issued against him has accrued."

New section 158B.

34. In Chapter XIV of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, immediately before section 159, the following shall be inserted, namely:— VIII of 1885.

"158 B. (1) Where a tenure or holding is sold in execution of a decree for arrears due in respect thereof, or of a decree for damages under section 68A, the tenure or holding shall pass to the purchaser, provided that the decree in execution of which it has been sold has been obtained by—

Passing of tenure or holding sold in execution of decree.

(a) a sole landlord; or
(b) the entire body of landlords; or
(c) one or more co-sharer landlords, who has, or have, sued for the rent due to all the co-sharers in respect of the whole tenure or holding and made all the remaining co-sharers parties defendant to the suit.

(2) On one or more co-sharer landlords, who has, or have, sued for the rent due to all the co-sharers in respect of the whole tenure or holding and made the remaining co-sharers parties defendant to the suit, applying for the execution of the decree by the sale of the tenure or holding, the Court shall, before proceeding to sell the tenure or holding, give notice to the other co-sharers."

Amendment of sub-section (1) of section 169 and addition of proviso.

35. (1) In clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 169 of the said Act, after the words "the date of" the words "the confirmation of" shall be inserted.

(2) To the said sub-section the following proviso shall be added, namely:—

"Provided that, where a tenure or holding has been sold in execution of a decree obtained by one or more co-sharer landlords, who has, or have, sued for rent due to all the co-sharers in respect of the whole tenure or holding and made all the remaining co-sharers parties defendant to the suit,—

(i) payment of the amount due under such decree shall, notwithstanding anything contained in clause (b), be made to the decree-holder and to the other co-sharer landlords in proportion to the amount found due to each, and,

(*ii*) if there remains a balance, payment of any rent which may have fallen due in respect of the tenure or holding between the institution of the suit and the date of the confirmation of the sale shall, notwithstanding anything contained in clause (*c*), but subject to the determination, in the manner and with the effect mentioned in sub-section (*2*), of any dispute as to their respective rights to receive such rent, be made to the said decree-holder and the other co-sharer landlords in proportion to their respective shares in the tenure or holding;"

Amendment of section 170.

36. In section 170 of the said Act, after the words and brackets "(both inclusive)," the word, figures and letter "and 310A" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 174.

37. To the proviso to sub-section (*2*) of section 174 of the said Act, the following shall be added, namely:—

"and if he applies under this section, he shall not be entitled to make an application under section 311 of the Code of Civil Procedure." XIV of 1882.

Amendment of sub-section (*3*) of section 178.

38. (*1*) In clause (*g*) of sub-section (*3*) of section 178 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, for the figures "40" the figures and letter "71A" shall be substituted. VIII of 1885.

(*2*) In proviso (*iii*) to the same sub-section, after the words "cultivation of" the words "horticultural or" shall be inserted.

New section 188A.

39. After section 188 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"188A. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, every suit instituted by one or more joint landlords, whose share of the rent of a tenure or holding is collected separately, for the recovery of the arrears of such share, shall be subject to the provisions of sections 143 to 153 (both inclusive), 168, 169, 184 and 185.

Procedure in suits by joint landlords, with separate collection.

(*2*) A decree obtained in any such suit may, subject to the provisions of section 158B, be executed in the manner prescribed in the Code of Civil Procedure for the execution of a decree directing a party to pay money, and no other provision of Chapter XIV of this Act shall apply to any such decree." XIV of 1882.

New clauses (*2*) and (*3*) in section 189.

40. For sub-section (*2*) of section 189 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, the following shall be substituted, namely:— VIII of 1885.

"(*2*) to prescribe forms and the mode of service of notices under this Act where no form or mode is prescribed by this or any other Act;

(*3*) to prescribe the authority by which the fees deposited under sections 12, 13, 15, 17 and 18, clause (*a*), may be declared to be forfeited, and the mode in which such fees when so forfeited shall be dealt with."

Amendment of section 191.

41. In section 191 of the said Act, for the words "has never been" the words "is not" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 192.

42. In section 192 of the said Act, before the words "fix a fair and equitable rent" the words "or of his own motion" shall be inserted.

Amendment of Schedule III.

43. In Schedule III to the said Act,—

(*1*) After Article 1 the following shall be inserted, namely:—

1(*a*) To eject a non-occupancy raiyat on the ground of the expiration of the term of his lease.	Six months	The expiration of the term.

(*2*) In Article 3, for the words "an occupancy raiyat" the words "a raiyat or an under-raiyat" shall be substituted.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE objects of this Bill are—

(1) while, on the one hand, giving landlords greater facilities for the collection of their rents yet, on the other, to discourage their evading the provisions of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, with regard to the enhancement of rent by entering into unfair, inequitable and collusive compromises with their tenants;

(2) to give greater authority to the record-of-rights, when such record has been duly prepared and published;

(3) to give power to Government to distinguish between good and bad landlords, and to take steps in the case of the latter for the reduction of rents, when they appear to have been so unduly enhanced as to be oppressive to the cultivators of the soil, and

(4) to revise the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, to the extent of removing such defects in it as the working of the Act during the past twenty years has brought to light, and such ambiguities and anomalies as have given rise to conflict of opinion and judicial decision.

An explanation of the provisions of the Bill is given in the subjoined *Notes on Clauses*.

NOTES ON CLAUSES.

Clause 2.—Section 40, though repealed, is reproduced in an amended form as section 71A. Experience has shown that the necessity to serve a notice to quit on a non-occupancy raiyat holding under a lease is often overlooked by the landlord, and that, even when served, the landlord has no means of proving service. It is therefore proposed to dispense with the notice by repeal of section 45, at the same time transferring the provision as to limitation for a suit for ejectment of a non-occupancy raiyat to Schedule III of the Act.

Clause 3.—In the ruling of the High Court, reported in I. L. R., 27 Calc., 202, it has been held that occupancy rights may accrue in those areas which have been included within the Town of Calcutta, subsequent to the passing of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885. It is undesirable that the Act should have any application to the Town of Calcutta, as it is now constituted, or as it may hereafter be constituted under any future extension or modification of its boundaries. The proposed Explanation to section 1 (*3*) of the Act will remove any doubts on the subject. The amendment projected in clause 7 of the Bill will prevent rights of occupancy already acquired, or acquired prior to a future extension of the Act, being affected.

Clause 4.—The object of this clause is so to widen the definition of rent as to make it clear that rent includes interest on arrears and cesses. Tenures and holdings can, under the existing law, only be sold free of incumbrances for arrears of rent, and, under the present definition and the High Court's ruling in Kailash Chandra Dey *versus* Tarak Nath Mandal (I. L. R., 25 Cal, 571), interest is not rent. It is apprehended that this ruling may give rise to difficulties in practice. A landlord's claim in a rent-suit almost invariably includes cesses and interest on arrears. It is to the interest of landlords and tenants alike that the law regarding the recovery of arrears of rent should be as simple as possible, and that rent, interest and cesses, lawfully due, should be recoverable by a single proceeding.

Clauses 5 and 6.—The working of sections 12 to 17 of the present Act, relating to the transfer of permanent tenures, is not satisfactory. They induce tenants to register transfers of tenures which are not really permanent, in the hope that the acceptance of the fee by the landlord will operate as an admission of the permanence and transferability of the tenure. The landlords, on the other hand, are reluctant to accept the fees, and the result is that a very large amount of unclaimed fees has accumulated in different districts in the province. This state of things is not only a source of embarrassment to Government, but also creates doubts and difficulties in regard to the position of the transferees of tenures. It is hoped that the amendments now proposed will overcome the reluctance of landlords to accept the fees in the case of tenures which are really permanent, and that tenants will be deterred thereby from registering transfers of tenures which are not of this character.

The same considerations apply to the transfer of, and succession to, holdings at fixed rents or rates of rent, and under section 18 (*a*) of the Act, these are governed by the same conditions. Clauses 5 and 6 have been so framed as to make the proposed amendments applicable to the case of holdings at fixed rents or rates of rent.

There is no provision in the Act for the disposal of unclaimed fees. As these have accumulated, and in order to expedite claims to fees due, thus freeing the district establishments from much extra work, it is proposed that the Government should have power to deal with them in such manner as it thinks fit.

Clause 7.—The necessity for the amendment of section 19 is explained in the note to clause 3, *supra*.

Clause 8.—The object of this amendment of section 22 is to counteract the ruling of the High Court in Zuwadul Huq's case (I. L. R., 24 Cal., 143) and the Full Bench ruling in

Ram Mohan Pal *versus* Sheikh Kachu (I. L. R., 32 Cal., 386). These decisions lay down a rule opposed to the policy of the authors of Act VIII of 1885, which was to discourage the acquisition of occupancy holdings by landlords.

Clause 9.—This clause is consequential upon clauses 2 and 15.

Clause 10.—It seems fair that an occupancy raiyat should be allowed to apply for reduction of rent on the ground that his rent is above the prevailing rates. The proposed addition to section 38 will enable him to do so. It is inadvisable, however, that raiyats should be allowed to institute suits on such a ground, in cases where their rents have been fixed or settled by a Revenue-officer under Chapter X of the Act, or by a lawful contract or a decree of Court. The proviso has been framed for this purpose.

Clause 11.—The law, as it stands at present, contains no provision for the proof of excess area, otherwise than by evidence of its specific existence in each case, and the decisions of the Courts have not always been in accordance with the intentions of the framers of the Amendment Act of 1898, who, by adding sub-section (*5*) to section 52, by implication suggested that excess area may be assessed to rent, even if the landlord is unable to indicate any particular land as held in excess. The proposed modification of section 52 will allow the custom of settlement on measurement to be taken as a presumption that the area of a tenure or holding mentioned in the landlord's papers has been ascertained by actual measurement, and thus make it easier for the landlords to prove the existence of excess area.

Clause 12.—The provisions of the Tenancy Act regarding the issue of proper rent receipts by landlords are very generally disregarded in certain parts of the Province. It is considered necessary to take more active measures to enforce them. At present the provisions of section 58 can only be set in motion on the complaint of the tenant and are practically inoperative. It is proposed, therefore, to give the Collector power to take action on reports received from Revenue or Judicial officers, who will be required to bring to the Collector's notice any breaches of the law which come to their knowledge. The power to require payment of compensation to the landlord will, it is hoped, to a large extent debar the bringing of false and vexatious complaints In cases where the complaint is substantiated, the Collector should be empowered to award compensation to the tenant on the same scale as is provided in section 58 (*1*) and (*2*), and where compensation is so awarded by the Collector, the tenant should not be allowed to sue the landlord in the Civil Court for any penalty. It is inadvisable that tenants should be able to obtain damages in two different Courts; the amendments proposed will be sufficient to safeguard their rights and to secure obedience to the law.

Clause 13.—One of the main objects of the Bill is to give landlords greater facilities for collecting their rents. It is to a great extent owing to *mala fide* denials of the landlord's title that ordinary rent-suits have in so many cases become complicated and protracted title suits. The proposed new section 68A will, it is hoped, be very effectual in preventing tenants from attempting to evade payment by the setting up of false titles, while at the same time protecting those who may have acted *bona fide*

Clause 14.—The proposed addition to section 69 will prevent the powers of distraint at present enjoyed by landlords being rendered ineffectual. It is a common device of the tenants, as soon as the landlord applies to the Civil Court for distraint of their crops, to apply to the Collector for orders of appraisement under section 69 The Collector then prohibits the removal of the crops; so the landlords cannot prosecute their applications to distrain. The new sub-section is intended to defeat such devices.

Clause 15—This clause transfers the provisions regarding the commutation of produce rents to a more appropriate place in the Act, and reproduces the present section 40 with certain modifications. Under section 40, only occupancy raiyats are allowed to apply for commutation. It seems reasonable that the same privilege should be conferred on all classes of raiyats. Under section 40 (*2*) the application may be made "to an officer making a settlement of rents under Chapter X." This phrase has given rise to difficulties in practice, as where a settlement of land revenue is not being or is not about to be made, settlement of rents does not take place until after final publication. It is therefore proposed to modify the sub-section with the object of allowing applications for commutation to be filed before any officer making a survey and record-of-rights under Chapter X.

Clause 16.—The ruling reported in I. L. R. 25 Calc., 531, has given rise to doubts as to the circumstances, in which consent to the division of a tenure or holding, or distribution of the rent payable in respect thereof, may be inferred from the conduct of the landlord. The amendment will make it clear that the landlord is only bound by an express consent in writing given by himself or a duly authorised agent. The ordinary practice, however, is for the landlord to signify his consent to the division of a tenure or holding and distribution of the rent payable, by making the necessary alteration in his rent-roll, and it is accordingly provided that where such an alteration has been made, it may be presumed that the landlord has given his express consent to the division.

Clause 17.—The words "a large proportion of the landlords or of the tenants" in section 101 (*2*) (*a*) are vague and have given rise to differences of interpretation. It is desirable that the proportion of landlords or tenants, who may apply for a survey and record-of-rights, should be more clearly defined; one-fourth has been adopted as a reasonable proportion. It is always open to the Government to grant or refuse such an application if it should think fit, and the Government has also the full discretion in regard to the apportionment of the costs of the operations under section 114. In the case of co-sharer landlords, either a fourth of the

total number, or a co-sharer or co-sharers representing a fourth of the total interests, should be permitted to apply. There is sometimes difficulty in getting co-sharers to join in such applications, and it is thought equitable that a considerable minority, such as one-fourth should be permitted to submit an application for the consideration of the Government.

The addition to section 101 (*2*) (*c*) made by the clause will enable a survey and record-of-rights to be made in the case of an estate placed under a Manager appointed by the District Judge under section 95. The proper management of such estates will often be greatly facilitated by survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights. It seems reasonable that they should be placed on the same footing as estates taken over by the Court of Wards.

It has been held that *Explanation 1* to section 101 (*2*) (*d*), read with section 104 (*a*), renders it necessary to settle fair and equitable rents for tenants of every class, whenever a survey and record-of-rights is made in respect of a Government estate or tenure. This course is ordinarily adopted, but it is sometimes found inconvenient. The addition to the explanation therefore provides that it shall not be necessary to settle the rents of tenants of every class in a Government estate or tenure, when it does not appear to the Government to be expedient to do so.

Clause 18.—It has been the practice in most surveys and records-of-rights made within recent years to include among the particulars entered in the record-of-rights, a record of the rights and obligations of landlords and tenants with regard to the use of water for agricultural purposes. Conflicting opinions have been given by the legal advisers of the Government, as to whether such a record can be made under the present section 102. Such records have been found useful in areas in which irrigation is a matter of importance; this clause, therefore, is intended to authorize the making of such records in future, and also to place beyond doubt the validity of those which have already been made.

Clause 19.— The object of this clause is to give the Local Government power to make a record of the rights and obligations of landlord and tenant in regard to the use of water for agricultural purposes, independently of a general record-of-rights under section 101, when such a course appears necessary for the purpose of settling or averting disputes.

Clause 20.— This clause modifies the present section 103B, with the object of defining more clearly the weight to be attached to the entries in a finally published record-of-rights and to facilitate the proof of final publication At present, difficulties are sometimes raised in the Appellate Courts owing to the certificate of final publication not having been produced in the Original Court, because the due publication of the record was not disputed there. There may also be difficulty in furnishing the necessary certificate, if it is called for, after the settlement operations have been concluded and the Revenue Officer has left the district. It is therefore proposed that the record-of-rights shall be presumed to have been finally published, unless this is expressly denied, and that a certificate signed by the Revenue Officer or by the Collector of the district, stating that the record-of-rights has been finally published, shall be conclusive evidence of such publication. It is also proposed to make the provisions of the section applicable to all suits and proceedings in which the record-of-rights may be produced.

Sub-section (*2*) of the proposed new section 103B, will obviate the necessity of producing a certificate regarding the final publication in every case in which there is a dispute.

Clause 21.—The amendment cures a defect in the wording of the heading of the Part, which does not deal with the decision of disputes.

Clause 22.—In settling rents under section 105 the existing rent, which, under section 105(*4*), is presumed to be fair and equitable, should be taken as the starting point; but frequently, owing to disputes between landlord and tenant, it is impossible to ascertain the existing rent. It is therefore desirable that a Settlement Officer acting under section 105 should have authority to fix rents in accordance with a table of rates, such as may be used in proceedings under section 104A, in cases where such a course is practicable and expedient.

Clause 23.—This clause is intended to rectify what was apparently an oversight in the Amendment Act of 1898. Under section 107 (*2*), the Revenue Officer is required to make in the record-of-rights a note of all rents settled under section 105 and of all decisions of disputes under section 106, and this note is declared to be a part of the record. There is no corresponding provision as to the entry of orders passed regarding such rents or disputes, on revision under section 108, or on appeal under section 109A. It is clearly advisable that a note of such revisional or appellate orders should be made in the record, in order to make the record complete. The clause provides for this being done. As appeals are frequently not decided till after the Settlement Officer has left the district, the proposed section abstains from prescribing by what officer the note of the revisional or appellate decision shall be made The Government or the Board of Revenue will have power to prescribe this by rules made under the Act or by executive order.

Clause 24.—The object of this clause is to empower Revenue Officers making a record-of-rights under Chapter X to refrain from giving effect to illegal and inequitable compromises, and to make it obligatory on them to disregard compromises regarding the enhancement of rents by contract between landlord and tenant, if they contravene the provisions of section 29 of the Act. A large number of illegal and inequitable compromises regarding rent, status and other matters have been filed in the course of the settlement operations now being carried on throughout the Province, and Government has declared that it cannot consent to Revenue Officers being compelled to give effect to them in framing the record-of-rights. The necessity for adopting some such provision has been forced upon the Government by the action of certain zamindars.

Clause 25.—This clause is intended to give effect to one of the main objects of the Bill, viz., to enable Government to take steps to reduce rents, in cases where these have been illegally enhanced, so as to be oppressive to the cultivators of the soil. It is possible that the Government has power to take such action under section 112, as it stands at present, but that section was incorporated in the Tenancy Act under a guarantee that it would be used only in cases of agrarian disturbance Experience has shown, however, that certain landlords have been able to force illegal and oppressive rents on their tenantry, without creating any immediate agrarian disturbance. In such cases the Government proposes in future, to take action to reduce the excessive rents before any actual disturbance arises.

Clause 26.—This clause is consequential upon the amendment proposed in sub-section (*1*) of section 38.

Clause 27.—When a survey and record-of-rights are undertaken on the application of landlords and tenants, the costs are usually met in the first instance from deposits made by the applicants, and not from Government funds. In such cases, it is often equitable to recover a share of the expenses from the other landlords and tenants concerned, who also benefit by the preparation of the record-of-rights. The proposed omission will make clear the legality of this course.

In the course of survey and settlement operations, permanent boundary marks are erected at all points where the boundaries of three villages meet. Arrangements are made for the repair and restoration of these marks from time to time as may be necessary, after the completion of the original survey proceedings. Such marks, if properly maintained, are of great utility in preventing boundary disputes from arising, and are, in fact, a valuable adjunct to the record-of-rights. It is therefore proposed to take power to recover in advance the estimated cost of the maintenance, repair and restoration of these boundary marks for a period of fifteen years together with the cost of the preparation of the record-of-rights. The cost of maintaining the boundary marks for fifteen years will be an insignificant addition to the cost of the preparation of the record-of-rights, and it will be more convenient both to the Government and to the landlords and tenants to collect both sums simultaneously, than to have a separate proceeding for the recovery of the cost of maintenance of boundary marks. The period of fifteen years has been fixed, because this is the time for which the rents of tenures and occupancy holdings settled under Chapter X have effect under section 113.

After the preparation of a record-of-rights, it is usual to distribute copies of it, together with copies of the village maps to the landlords and tenants. No proceedings under Chapter X can be considered complete without this. In order to remove all doubt, it is proposed to provide that the cost of the preparation of these copies shall be deemed to be part of the expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions of the Chapter.

Clauses 28 and 29.—These clauses are intended to bar the accrual of occupancy and non-occupancy rights in lands acquired under the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, and the Cantonments Act, 1889, so long as they are the property of the Government or the local body or Railway Company for which they were acquired. It often happens that such lands are temporarily not required by the Government or the local body or Railway Company, but under the present law, if they are temporarily sublet to agricultural tenants, occupancy and non-occupancy rights accrue, and these have to be reacquired on payment of compensation, when the lands are again required for public purposes. This consideration often deters the Government, local bodies and Railway Companies from temporarily subletting such lands, where this course might be followed with advantage. In either case, whether the lands are temporarily sublet (the occupancy and non-occupancy rights being subsequently reacquired, when the land is again required for public purposes), or whether the lands are allowed to remain unlet from fear of this contingency, an unnecessary waste of public money occurs, and it is justifiable on this account to apply these special provisions to such lands.

Clause 30.—The proposed section 147A is intended to give to Civil Courts the same power to disregard illegal and inequitable compromises regarding rent and other matters in suits between landlord and tenant as such, as it is proposed to confer by clause 24 upon Revenue officers engaged in the preparation of the record-of-rights. Section 375 of the Code of Civil Procedure governs compromises filed in suits under the present law, and there is reason to believe that decrees have been passed giving effect to compromises containing illegal and inequitable provisions, and in particular that the provisions of section 29 regarding the limits of enhancement of rent by contract between landlord and tenant have frequently been nullified in this way. The addition to the law, which is now proposed, will enable the Civil Courts to refrain from giving effect to any compromise which is illegal, unfair or inequitable, and will make it obligatory on the Courts to refuse to give effect to any compromise which contravenes the provisions of section 29.

The proposed section 147B is intended to define more clearly the force to be attached to entries in the record-of-rights in proceedings and suits between landlord and tenant as such. Under the present Act, (section 103B), such entries are presumed to be correct until the contrary is proved. But cases have occurred which indicate that it is doubtful whether the Courts pay sufficient attention to this presumption. It is proposed therefore to provide that the Courts shall have regard to the entries in the record-of-rights, unless such entries have been proved by evidence to be incorrect, and that when a Court passes a decree at variance with such entries, it shall record its reasons for so doing.

Clause 31.—A large proportion of suits for arrears of rent are decided *ex parte* owing to the absence of the defendant raiyat. It is believed that in such cases it is the practice

of the Civil Courts to pass a decree in accordance with the landlord's claim, without any reference to the entry in the record-of-rights of the rent payable. It is generally recognised that it is desirable that the Court should have regard to the entry of rent in the record-of-rights in all suits for arrears of rent. Various expedients have been suggested for giving effect to this. It is intended to require the landlord to include in the plaint a statement of the rental of the tenancy according to the record-of-rights, and to give the Court power, when it thinks necessary, to procure from the Collector's office a verified or certified copy of, or extract from, the record-of-rights relating to the tenancy, without payment of any fee. This will save landlords the trouble and expense of procuring certified copies for themselves.

Much inconvenience is caused to landlords, owing to their original rent-rolls, collection and measurement papers and account books having to be simultaneously filed in Court in different suits for the recovery of arrears of rent. The new clause (*ff*) provides that, when the originals have been once produced in Court in any suit, the landlord may be permitted to file certified copies or extracts in subsequent suits.

Clause 32.—The ruling reported in I. L. R., 32 Calc., 907, lays down that there may be a second appeal in an execution proceeding in a suit for the recovery of rent, even when there is no such right of appeal in the original suit. It is undesirable that execution proceedings should be protracted in this way, and the object of the clause is to limit the right of appeal in an execution proceeding to that provided for the original suit.

Clause 33.—The provision of a summary procedure for the recovery of rents has for many years been urged upon the Government by landholders. The delay and expense caused by the present system are admitted, but hitherto no scheme, which has been put forward, has commended itself. The fact that records-of-rights have now been prepared for large areas in the province justifies a reconsideration of the matter. Where a record-of-rights has been prepared and is periodically revised or maintained, the annual demand due from each individual raiyat is accurately known. The only question at issue in a rent suit will be the amount due from the raiyat for the period for which rent is claimed in the suit. If the landlord's accounts and collection papers are properly maintained, and if proper rent-receipts in foil and counterfoil are habitually kept and given as required by law, this will, in the great majority of cases, be an easy matter to determine. It is therefore proposed that in areas in which a record-of-rights has been prepared and published and is periodically revised, the Local Government should take power to allow the recovery of arrears of rent by the application of the procedure prescribed by the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895, in the case of those landlords to whom, in the opinion of the Government, this privilege may safely be conceded. It is further proposed that the issue of certificates should be entrusted to a Revenue Officer, who shall have power to inspect the landlord's rent-rolls, accounts and collection papers, and to compare the receipts given to the raiyats with the counterparts kept by the zamindar, and to test their agreement with entries in the accounts. The conditions under which the summary procedure may be applied will thus resemble those under which it is extended to Government estates and estates under the Court of Wards, for the demand of each individual raiyat will be accurately known and the landlord's accounts and collection papers will be subject to inspection by a Government officer. If it is possible, with safety, to reduce the expense of rent suits, the results will be beneficial to landlords and tenants alike, and it is expedient, therefore, that a trial should be given to the scheme provided for in the clause subject to the safeguards laid down in sub-section (*2*) of the projected new section 158 A.

Clause 34.—Under the present law, considerable difficulty in realizing rents is often experienced by co-sharer landlords, who make rent collections jointly. A decree for arrears of rent, obtained by a co-sharer for the amount due to him alone, is a mere money decree (8 C. W. N., 472) and the tenure or holding, in respect of which the arrears are due, does not pass to the purchaser in a sale for the execution of such a decree (I. L. R., 29 Calc., 219) unless he can get himself recognised by the other co-sharers. Decrees for arrears of rent obtained by single co-sharers, are therefore often of little value, and the system is further objectionable, in that it exposes the tenant to the trouble of several successive suits brought by different co-sharer landlords. Considering that the majority of estates in the province are held by co-sharer landlords, it seems necessary to provide a remedy for the present state of things. As it is often impossible to get all the landlords to join in a suit for arrears of rent, a single co sharer should be empowered to sue for the rent due to all the co-sharers, and that the tenure or holding should pass in execution of a decree obtained in such a suit, provided that the other co-sharers have been made parties.

Clause 35.—As the law now stands, the decree-holder is, under section 169 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, entitled to the rent up to the date of the sale, while, under section 316 of the Civil Procedure Code, the title does not vest in the purchaser until the date of the confirmation of the sale. The proposed amendment will bring the sections into conformity.

The proviso is necessary for the carrying out of the object of the preceding clause. Each co-sharer will get his share of the proceeds of the sale in proportion to his interest and the amount of rent due to him.

Clause 36.—It has been held by the High Court that the provisions of section 310A of the Code of Civil Procedure apply to sales in execution of rent decrees. This enables persons other than the judgment-debtor to apply to have such sales set aside. It is undesirable that proceedings between landlord and tenant, relating to the recovery of rent, should be protract-

ed by the intervention of third parties, and it is accordingly proposed that section 310A of the Code of Civil Procedure shall not apply to a tenure or holding attached in execution of a decree of arrears of rent.

Clause 37.—Under section 174, as at present framed, there is nothing to prevent a tenant from applying to have a sale set aside, by paying the decretal amount, and subsequently claiming, under section 311 of the Code of Civil Procedure, that the sale was invalid. It is clearly inequitable that the tenant should be allowed to have recourse to a double procedure in applying to have a sale set aside, and the proposed addition to section 174 will prevent this.

Clause 38.—The proposed amendment in clause (*g*) of section 178 is merely consequential upon clauses 2 and 15 of the Bill. It seems reasonable that proviso (iii) to section 178 should be extended to horticultural land, temporarily let out for the cultivation of ordinary crops. If a tenant is given a temporary lease of such lands, he should not be allowed to retain them after the expiry of the lease, on the plea that occupancy rights have accrued.

Clause 39.—The object of this clause is to counteract the effect of several rulings of the High Court, two of which are cited above in the note on clause 34, as to the nature of suits brought by co-sharer landlords for arrears of rent and as to the effect of decrees obtained in such suits. Their result is that—

(1) suits in which co-sharer landlords sue for rent are not rent suits, but money suits;
(2) the provisions of section 148 do not apply to them;
(3) evidence in such suits cannot be recorded summarily;
(4) a second appeal lies in them, while an appeal is barred in the case of a decree obtained by a sole landlord;
(5) co-sharer landlords cannot sue for four years' rent as sole landlords can, under article 2 (*b*), Schedule III of the Act, and
(6) decrees obtained in suits by co-sharer landlords can be executed within twelve years, instead of within three, as in the case of ordinary rent decrees.

Such results are anomalous and inconvenient, and the clause, the introduction of which has been recommended by the High Court, will have the effect of removing them.

Clause 40.—The object of this clause is to rectify an omission in the present Act, by giving the Government power to prescribe forms for use under the Act. It will also enable the Government to frame rules for dealing with forfeited fees.

Clause 41.—The object of this clause is to extend the provisions of section 191 to estates, which though originally permanently settled, have fallen into the hands of Government by escheat or otherwise, and have been let out on a temporary settlement. It has been held that such estates are excluded from the provisions of the section, as at present worded.

Clause 42.—This clause is intended to enable the Revenue Officer, in cases where a settlement of land revenue is being made, to fix a fair and equitable rent of his own motion for all lands, in respect of which the settlement of land revenue is being made. It sometimes happens that temporary settlement-holders, in the course of a settlement, fradulently create fictitious rent-free holdings or holdings at low rates of rent, with the object of reducing the value of the estate and getting the revenue lowered. The revenue demand is fixed on a fair valuation of the lands of the estate, but unless fair and equitable rents are fixed, the settlement-holder may be unable to meet the demand, and the Government revenue may be endangered. It is considered necessary, therefore, that the Revenue Officer should have power to settle fair and equitable rents of his own motion, in cases where the settlement-holder has collusively lowered the rental demand, with the object of preventing a new settlement being made on a fair revenue.

Clause 43.—This clause gives effect to the provisions of clause 2, so far as they amend section 45, and removes the anomaly now existing (see I. L. R., 17 Calc., 930) as regards limitation between suits brought by an occupancy and a non-occupancy raiyat to recover possession of land from which they have been dispossessed by, or with the connivance of, their landlords. At present the former has two, and the latter twelve years within which to bring such a suit. It is proposed that the limit of two years should apply to both.

There is no reason why the period of limitation for the recovery of possession of land by an under-raiyat should not be the same as that provided in article 3 in the case of a raiyat, *viz.*, two years from the date of dispossession. At present the period of limitation in the case of an under-raiyat is twelve years. The amendment proposed will place both raiyats and under-raiyats on the same footing.

R. W. CARLYLE.

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CALCUTTA;
The 23rd October, 1906.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

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CALCUTTA, *the 20th October 1906.*

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, WEST COAST—TAMPAT TUAN BAY.

Tuan point—Light established.

No. 394 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 366, dated 29th September 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1054 of 1906) that on 3rd September 1906, a *white group occulting* light, showing groups of *three* occultations *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *fifteen seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*, was exhibited from an open ironwork frame structure, 45 feet high, painted white, erected on Tuan point, Tampat Tuan bay; the light, which is of the 4th order, is elevated 203 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 13 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 14¾′ N., long. 97° 10′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Acheh head to Tyingkok bay with plan of Tampat Tuan bay, No. 2760: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 75; China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 275; and Supplement, 1899, page 17.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES, WEST COAST.

Ujong Lajari—Shoal to the northward.

No. 395 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1059 of 1906) that a small mud bank, with a depth of about 6 feet over it, exists to the northward of Ujong Lajari, west coast of Celebes, in a position from which Mount Barru bears S. 60° E., distant 11½ cables, and the wreck on Bromo reef S. 53° W.

Approximate position, lat. 4° 25′ S., long. 119° 35½′ E.

(Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Ujong Jonga to Ujong Kassi, No. 3044: Also, Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 314.

CHINA SEA—SINGAPORE STRAIT.

Bulang strait—Beacon and buoys established.

No. 396 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1062 of 1906) that the undermentioned beacon and buoys have been established in the northern approach to Bulang strait:—

(*a*) An iron screw-pile beacon surmounted by a white ball, on the coast reef north of pulo Blakang Padang, in a position from which the eastern point of the island northward of Blakang Padang bears S. 7° E., distant 4½ cables, and the north point of pulo Sambu East.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 10′ N., long. 103° 53′ E.

(*b*) A white conical buoy, moored in a depth of 4½ fathoms to the eastward of pulo Blakang Padang, in a position from which the south point of Mariá island bears N. 62° E., distant 2¾ cables, and the south-east point of pulo Sambu N. 13° E.

(*c*) A black can buoy, with truncated cone topmark, situated to the south-eastward of Mariám island, in a position from which the northern point of the island northward of pulo Blakang Padang is in line with the north-eastern side of Mariám island, bearing N. 64° W., and distant 4 cables from the north point of the latter island.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 9′ N., long. 103° 54¾′ E.

(*Variation 1° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Singapore strait, No. 2403: Singapore main strait, No. 2404: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 197.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, WEST COAST.

Cape Bolinao—Character of light altered.

No. 397 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1063 of 1906) that, on the 15th July 1906, the white occulting light shown from a framework structure on Piedra point, cape Bolinao, was discontinued, and a *white group flashing* light *every ten seconds*, elevated 301 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 24 miles, was exhibited from a new concrete light-house erected on a wooded hill rising from the beach at Piedra point.

The light, which is of the 3rd, order, shows thus:—*flash*; eclipse, *two and-a-half seconds*; *flash*; eclipse, *seven and-a-half seconds.*

The keeper's dwelling and out-houses, also of concrete, stand near the light-house.

Approximate position, lat. 16° 19′ N., long. 119° 46¾′ E.

NOTE.—The duration of the flashes is not stated. It is presumed they are of the description known as lightning flashes, lasting about one-tenth of a second.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—China sea, No. 2661b; Luzon island, northern portion, No. 2454: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 679a; China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 337; Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 52; and Supplement, 1906, page 7.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—RED SEA, WESTERN SHORE—SAWAKIN APPROACH.

Towartit north reef—Beacon re-erected.

No. 398 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 338, dated 7th September, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1064 of 1906) that a new beacon has been erected on the northern extreme of North Towartit reef, in the position occupied by the former beacon.

The beacon, pyramidal in shape, is built of masonry on a solid concrete base, and the masonry top is 21 feet above high water. It is surmounted by a staff and triangle, 9 feet in height, the total height of the beacon being 30 feet above high water. The masonry is painted white, and the staff and triangle red.

Approximate position lat. 19° 31¾′ N., long. 37° 19′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Mersa Durur to Trinkitat, No. 81: Also, Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1900, page 155.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Bluff harbour—Light-vessel discontinued—Buoy placed.

No. 399 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1065 of 1906) that the light-vessel situated at a distance of 2 cables N. 18° W. from Burial point, Bluff harbour entrance, having sunk, will not be replaced; but a black buoy, without a light, will be temporarily moored in the position formerly occupied by the light-vessel.

Approximate position, lat. 46° 36½′ S., long. 168° 22½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Awarua or Bluff harbour, Nos. 2540 and 3484: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 1690; New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 313; and Revised Supplement, 1906, page 73.

CHINA SEA—NATUNA ISLANDS.

Elphinstone rock—Reef to the southward.

No. 400 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1067 of 1906) that a reef with a depth of 3 fathoms over it at low water and 30 fathoms around exists between Elphinstone rock and Low island, Natuna islands, in a position from which Elphinstone rock bears N. 7° W., distant 11 miles, and the south-east point of Low island, approximately, S. 9° W.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 11½′ N., long. 107° 52′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—China sea, No. 2660a; Natuna Islands, No. 1348: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 93.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES—GULF OF TOMINI.

Pelasa—Reef to the south-eastward.

No. 401 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1070 of 1906) that a reef of sand and coral, with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, exists to the south-eastward of Pelasa (Palasa), gulf of Tomini, in a position from which the beacon on Raaf reef bears S. 25° W., distant about 4 miles.

The reef is marked by discoloured water.

Approximate position, lat. 0° 25′ N., long. 120° 28′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, western portion No. 941b; Eastern Archipelago, eastern portion, No. 942a; strait of Makassar, No. 2636: Also Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 377.

JAPAN SEA—PETER THE GREAT BAY—VLADIVOSTOK APPROACH.

Cape Gamova—Light established—Provisional light discontinued.

No. 402 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 288, dated 10th August 1906, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1072 of 1906) that, on the 30th July 1906, a *white group flashing* light showing groups of *two* flashes, each group being of about *two seconds'* duration, *every ten seconds*, and visible from a distance of 16 miles, was exhibited from a light-house recently erected on cape Gamova, Vladivostok approach.

Near the light-house there is a siren worked by compressed air, and a bell for use during thick or foggy weather. These are probably worked in accordance with the Russian uniform system.

The provisional white fixed light has been discontinued.

Approximate position, lat. 42° 33½′ N., long. 131° 12¼′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kuril islands, No. 2405; Tumen Ula to Strelok bay, No. 2432; Trinity bay to the Eastern Bosporus, No. 511: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 189; and Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 162.

AFRICA, EAST COAST—PUNGUE RIVER.

Beira harbour—Entrance channel changed—Alterations in buoyage.

No. 403 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1075 of 1906) that amendments to the buoyage have been made, and that a new channel now called the South-east channel, has opened to the southward of the present channel into Pungue river, and that this channel has been buoyed from the entrance to its junction with the other channel to Beira as follows:—

1. Buoys established:—

SOUTH-EAST CHANNEL.

(*a*) A spherical fairway or Pilot-station buoy, painted in black and white horizontal bands, surmounted by a white staff, moored in a depth of 36 feet, at a distance of 10 miles, S. 13° E., from Macuti light-house.

(*b*) A black can buoy, surmounted by a cylindrical top mark and marked "1," moored in a depth of 21 feet, at a distance of $8\frac{4}{10}$ miles, S. 4° E., from Macuti light-house.

(*c*) A red spherical buoy, marked "2," moored in a depth of 17 feet, at a distance of $7\frac{1}{2}$ miles, S. 2° E., from Macuti light-house.

(*d*) A red conical buoy, marked "4," moored in depth of 22 feet, at a distance of $6\frac{7}{10}$ miles, S. 6° W., from Macuti light-house.

RAMBLER CHANNEL.

(*e*) A black buoy, marked "3" moored in a depth of 28 feet, at a distance of $6\frac{8}{10}$ miles S. 30° W., from Macuti light-house.

f. A red buoy, marked "6," moored in a depth of 26 feet, at a distance of $5\frac{8}{10}$ miles S. 27° W., from Macuti lighthouse.

Approximate position, Macuti lighthouse, lat. 19° 50½′ S., long. 34° 53¾′ E.

2. Buoys re-lettered or re-numbered.

ENTRANCE CHANNEL.

Nos. 1, 2, and 3 buoys, in the present or northern entrance channel have been re-marked "A," "B," and "C," respectively.

RAMBLER CHANNEL.

The buoys marked "B," "C," "D," in Rambler channel have been re-marked "8," "10," "12," respectively.

Those marked "E" and "F" have been re-marked "5" and "7."

Nos. 10 and 11 buoys in Beira harbour have been re-numbered "11" and "13," respectively.

3. Buoys withdrawn:—

a. The black buoy, marked "A," at the entrance to Rambler channel.

b. The black buoys, Nos 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 in the Old channel, westward of Rambler channel, also the two buoys with topmarks on the western side of the same channel.

4. Depths:—

The south-east channel has at present a least depth of 14 feet at low water over a muddy bottom.

The banks southward of the present entrance are extending to the south-eastward. A depth of 16 feet exists at a distance of 2 miles to the southward of the outer black buoy (A) of that channel, thence it gradually increases to the eastward to a depth of 4 fathoms on the bank now shown on the chart.

NOTE.—The channels are subject to constant change, and a stranger should either take a pilot, or carefully examine the channel before entering.

Red buoys with even numbers mark the starboard side of the channel when entering from seaward, and black buoys with odd numbers the port side.

After the 1st November 1906 the pilot vessel will be found cruising off the entrance to the south-east channel.

(*Variation 15° Westerly in 1906*).

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Delagoa bay to the river Zambesi, No. 648; Beira harbour, No. 1003: Also, Africa Pilot, part III, 1905, pages 224, 225.

CHINA SEA—TONG KING GULF.

Ha Long bay—Shoals in approach.

No. 404 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1080 of 1906) that the undermentioned shoals have been found to exist in the approach to Ha long bay, Tong King gulf :—

(*a*) A shoal, about 50 yards in extent, with a depth of 14 feet over it, situated in Henriette pass, at three-quarters of a cable westward from the north point of Dragon island.

There is a depth of 5½ fathoms between this shoal and Dragon island.

The greatest depth on the bank between Dragon island and Noisette rock is not more than 4½ fathoms, instead of 8 fathoms as is at present shown on the chart.

Approximate position, N. point of Dragon island, lat. 20° 50½′ N., long. 107° 7½′ E.

(*b*) A shoal, with a depth of 19 feet over it, situated in Crochet pass, at a distance of 6½ cables, S. 87° E., from the south point of Momie island.

Approximate position, lat. 20° 49½′ N., long. 107° 6½′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Approaches to port Courbet No. 1169 : Also, China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, pages 484, 485.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND—TIMARU APPROACH.

Jacks point—Character of light altered.

No. 405 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1085 of 1906, that, on the 23rd August 1906, the character of the light shown from Jacks point lighthouse Timaru approach, would be changed from white fixed to *white occulting every ten seconds*, thus: - light, *seven seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*.

In other respects the light will be unaltered.

Approximate position, lat. 44° 26¾′ S., long. 171° 17½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—New Zealand, No. 1212; Ninety Miles beach to Otago, No. 2532 : Also, List of Lights, part VI., 1906, No. 1265; New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 287; and Revised Supplement, 1906, page 68.

INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Talayi—Buoy marking Pinnacle rock replaced in position.

No. 406 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 185, dated 26th May last, issued by this Office, the Officiating Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No. 19 of 1906) that the small spherical buoy marking the pinnacle rock off sub-port of Talayi was replaced in position on the 27th September 1906, and that vessels should pass southward of the buoy as before.

BAY OF BENGAL—SINGAPORE MAIN STRAIT.

Coney island—Raffles lig

No. 407 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 328, dated 3rd September, issued by this office, the Acting Master Attendant, Straits Settlements, has given further notice dated 10th October stating that the three flashes from Raffles light are not all visible from all bearings within the illuminated arc. The dark sector is not yet fixed.

The 22nd October 1906.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Krishna shoal light vessel to be relieved temporarily.

No. 408 (first publication).—A telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Rangoon, stating that the light vessel stationed at the Krishna shoal will be relieved temporarily on or about the 4th November. The temporary light vessel will exhibit a white flash of five seconds' duration every forty-five seconds.

The 23rd October 1906.

AUSTRALIA—Victoria—Port Phillip approach.

Barwon head—Buoy on the S. E. withdrawn.

No. 380 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice No. 1007 of 1906) that the automatic signal buoy, situated $1\frac{6}{10}$ miles S. E. by E. $\frac{1}{2}$ E. from Barwon head, in the approach to Port Phillip, has been permanently withdrawn.

Approximate position, lat. 38° 18½′ S., long. 144° 31¾′ E.

(Variation 8° Easterly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Western approach to Bass strait, No. 1063; Bass strait, sheet II, No. 1695b; Port Phillip, No. 1171a: Also Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897, page 428.

JAPAN—Naikai—Gulf of Osaka.

Osaka road—Lights established—Light buoys withdrawn.

No. 381 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1008 of 1906) that, on the 1st June 1906, the undermentioned lights would be established on the heads of the new breakwaters in Osaka road, Inland sea, and the light buoys moored off their outer extremities would be withdrawn:—

(1) A *red fixed* light, elevated 45 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles, on the head of the South breakwater.
The light is exhibited from a red hexagonal iron tower, 25 feet in height.

(2) A *white fixed* light, elevated 45 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles, on the head of the North breakwater.
The light is exhibited from a white hexagonal iron tower, 25 feet in height.

Approximate position, North breakwater light, lat. 34° 38½′ N., long. 135° 23½′ E.

(3) A *red fixed* light on the outer end of the Tramway pier in the harbour.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Naikai or Inland sea, No. 2875; Kobe and Osaka, No. 16: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, page 171; and Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 420.

AUSTRALIA—Victoria—Port Phillip.

Gellibrand Point light—Amended sector—Anonyma shoal—Beacon removed.

No. 382 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 289, dated the 10th August 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1016 of 1906) that the *red and white occulting* sector shown from Gellibrand Point light over Hobson bay is visible between the bearings of S. 63° W. and S. 3° W., instead of between S. 63° W. and South as given in the above Notice.

Approximate position, Gellibrand Point light-house, lat. 37° 52¾′ S., long. 144° 55′ E.

Information has also been received that the chequered beacon marking Anonyma shoal, situated nearly three-quarters of a mile S. by W. from Picnic Point, has been removed.

Approximate position, lat. 37° 57½′ S., long. 144° 59½′ E.

(Variation 8° Easterly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Phillip No. 1171b; Hobson bay, No. 624: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 1320; Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897; pages 459, 455; and Supplement, 1900, page 17.

AUSTRALIA—QUEENSLAND, MORETON BAY.

Spitfire bank and East Knoll—Amended positions of buoys.

No. 383 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1025 of 1906) that the buoys marking Spitfire bank and East Knoll, Moreton bay, have been moved, and are now situated as follows:—

(1) Spitfire bank light-buoy has been moved 4 cables N. 46° E. from its former position, and is now situated with Cowan Cowan Point light-house bearing S. 49° E., distant $7\frac{5}{10}$ miles, and the south-eastern extreme of Bribie island S. 36° W.

(2) East Knoll buoy has been moved $4\frac{1}{2}$ cables S. 88° W. from its former position, and is now situated with Cowan Cowan Point light-house bearing N. 67° E. distant $1\frac{5}{10}$ miles, and Comboyuro Point light-house N. 7° E.

Approximate position, Cowan Cowan Point light-house on charts 1670*a* and *b*, lat. 27° $8\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. 153° $21\frac{3}{4}'$ E.

NOTE.—(1) It will be seen that the buoys in their new positions do not apparently guard the shoals they are intended to mark. (2) When entering Moreton by the north-west channel it is advisable to keep just northward of the line of the leading lights, as North bank appears to be extending to the northward.

(*Variation 9° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Danger Point to cape Moreton, No. 1029; Moreton bay, Nos. 1670a, 1670b: Also Australia Directory, vol II, 1898, pages 126, 127.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—MADURA STRAIT.

Pasuruan and Panarukan lights—Intended alteration in character.

No. 384 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1032 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of the undermentioned lights in Madura strait as follows:—

(1) PASURUAN LIGHT from a white fixed to a *white group occulting* light *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *twelve seconds*; eclipse, *twelve seconds*.

Approximate position, lat. 7° 37′ S., long. 112° 55′ E.

(2) PANARUKAN LIGHT from a white fixed to a *white flashing* light *every three seconds*, thus:—light, *one second*; eclipse, *two seconds*.

Approximate position, lat. 7° $41\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. 113° 56′ E.

The lights will be of the 6th order.
Further Notice will be given.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 941b; island of Java, eastern portion, No. 1654: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, Nos. 500 and 504; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, pages 134, 137.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—LOMBOK STRAIT.

Ampenan light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 385 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1033 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of Ampenan light from a white fixed to a *white group occulting* light *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *twelve seconds*; eclipse, *twelve seconds*. The light will be of the 4th order.
Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat 8° $34\frac{1}{2}'$ S., long. 116° 4′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 941b; Ampenan road on sheet No. 895: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 512; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 201.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—TIMOR, WEST COAST—KOEPANG BAY.

Fort Concordia light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 386 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1034 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of Fort Concordia light, Koepang bay, from a white fixed to a *white flashing* light *every three seconds*, thus:—light, *one second;* eclipse, *two seconds.* The light will be of the 6th order.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 10° 10′ S., long. 123° 34½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 942a; Koepang bay with plan of Koepang road, No. 3296: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 575; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 244.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES ISLAND—GULF OF TOMINI.

Gorontalo light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 387 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1035 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of the Gorontalo light, gulf of Tomini, from a white fixed to a *white group flashing* light *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *three seconds;* eclipse, *three seconds;* light, *three seconds;* eclipse, *three seconds;* light, *three seconds;* eclipse, *fifteen seconds.* The light will be of the 4th order.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 0° 29¾′ N., long. 123° 3′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 942a; Gorontalo river on sheet No. 2195: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 558; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 382.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES, NORTH COAST.

Manado light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 388 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1036 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of Manado light, Celebes island, from a white fixed to a *white group occulting* light *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *fifteen seconds;* eclipse, *three seconds;* light, *three seconds;* eclipse, *three seconds;* light, *three seconds;* eclipse, *three seconds.* The light will be of the 4th order.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 29′ N., long. 124° 50′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 942a; Manado road on sheet No. 930: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 559; Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 425; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 393.

AFRICA, EAST COAST—ZANZIBAR ISLAND.

Nungwe Point light—Intended increase of power.

No. 389 (second publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 102 of 1906) that on and after 1st September 1906, a 4th order fixed white light will be shown from Ras Nungwe Light-house in place of the present 5th order light. During the alteration the present 5th order light will be exhibited as usual. The new light will be 57 feet above High Water and visible 13 miles in clear weather.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Pangani to Kimbiji, including the approaches to Zanzibar, No. 640b; Zanzibar to Malindi, No. 664; and Africa Pilot, part III, 7th edition, 1905, page 426; also Admiralty List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 72.

AUSTRALIA—Wide Bay bar.

Alteration in channel—Directions for crossing.

No. 390 (second publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 5 of 1906) that when crossing Wide Bay Bar the square beacons on Hook Point must now be kept open twice their own width to the Northward, keeping them in that position until the triangular beacons on Inskip Point are open twice their own width to the Westward: then haul up for them, keeping them in that position until past the S. E. spit, or nearing the red buoy, when haul out and bring them into line and continue as formerly.

By night the depth of water will show when the S. E. spit has been passed.

Charts affected—Nos. 1030 and 1068.; Australia Directory, vol. 2.

BAY OF BENGAL—Chittagong coast.

Kurnafuli river—Depth of water in the channels.

No. 391 (second publication).—The Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the channels by soundings taken on the 11th October and reduced to zero:—

	Fr.	In.
Track No. 1.—Outer bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	6
Marks open to the north	14	0
Track No. 2.—Inner bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	6
Batton beacon on pillar	12	3
Track No. 3.—		
Triangle on cross and ball	17	6
Track No. 4.—Guptakhally crossing—		
Tripod on diamond	17	0

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Murdeshwar buoy replaced.

No. 392 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 208, dated the 7th June 1906, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 104 of 1906) that the Murdeshwar buoy was replaced on 21st September.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Bhatkal buoy replaced.

No. 393 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 209, dated 7th June 1906, issued by this Office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 104 of 1906) that the Bhatkal buoy was replaced on 20th September 1906.

ARABIA, NORTH-EAST—Persian Gulf.

Kishm island, south-east coast—Shoal reported.

No. 370 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 985 of 1906) of the existence of a shoal, over which the sea breaks off Shuza, on the south-east coast of Kishm island, in a position situated at a distance of about nine cables S. 20° W. from the village.

Approximate position, lat. 26° 46′ N., long. 56° 4½′ E.

The position of this shoal, which was not examined, is approximate. P. D. has therefore been placed against it on the charts.

(Variation Nil in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Entrance to Persian gulf, with plan of Kishm, No. 763; Also Persian Gulf Pilot, 1898, page 211, and Supplement 1905, page 22.

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Wellington—Time-ball discontinued.

No. 371 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 987 of 1906) that Wellington Observatory has been demolished, and that in consequence the time-ball has been discontinued.

A new observatory is to be built on Battery hill.

The chronometers from the Observatory are at present kept in the Government buildings, where comparisons can be obtained.

Further Notice will be given when the time-ball is re-established.

Approximate position of Observatory, lat. 41° 17′ S., long. 174° 46′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Nicholson, No. 1423; Lambton harbour and Evans bay, No. 803: Also New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 172; and List of Time Signals, 1904, page 32.

CHINA—EAST COAST—CHAUAN BAY.

Kwadra island—Shoal to the northward.

No. 372 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 989 of 1906) that a narrow bank of sand and mud, with a least depth of 2 fathoms over it at low water, extends in a N. N. E. direction for 1½ miles from the northern extremity of Kwadra island, Chauan bay.

This narrow bank is connected at its northern end with the shoal water now shown on the chart.

Approximate position, Kwadra island, lat. 23° 36′ N., long. 117° 17′ E.

(*Variation Nil in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Hong Kong to the Brothers, No. 1762: Also China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1904, page 161.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—STRAIT OF MALACCA—KLANG STRAIT.

Port Swettenham approach—Beacons established.

No. 373 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 994 of 1906) that four white beacons, each consisting of a tripod with staff, surmounted by a white ball, about 4 feet in diameter, have been established in Klang strait, port Swettenham approach, in the undermentioned positions:—

1. On the edge of the spit extending northward from tanjong Bakau, at the northern entrance, North Klang strait.

   Approximate position, lat 3° 5′ 15″ N., long. 101° 20′ 00″ E.

2. On the 3-fathom patch, situated to the westward of tanjong Gila, and nearly in the centre of the entrance to port Swettenham.

   Approximate position, lat. 3° 00′ 00″ N., long. 101° 21′ 18″ E.

3. On the north-eastern edge of the flat extending eastward from Pulo Labuan Kurap, on the western side of South Klang strait.

   Approximate position, lat. 2° 59′ 5″ N., long. 101° 19′ 00″ E.

4. On the south-eastern edge of the flat extending from pulo Labuan Kurap, on the western side of South Klang strait.

   Approximate position, lat 2° 58′ 13″ N., long. 101° 18′ 00″ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Klang strait, No. 3453; port Swettenham, No. 2153: Also China Sea Directory, Vol. I, 1896, page 171.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, SOUTH COAST, LAMPONG BAY.

Telok Betong light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 374 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1003 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of Telok Betung light, Lampong bay, from

a red fixed to a *white flashing* light every *three seconds*, thus:—light *one second;* eclipse, *two seconds*. The light will be of the 6th order.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 5° 26¾′ S, long 105° 16¼′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern archipelago, No. 941a; Tyingkok bay to Sunda strait, No. 2761; Sunda strait and approaches, No. 2056; Telok Betung, No. 940: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No 467; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 364.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, NORTH-WEST COAST—MALACCA PASSAGE.

Pulo Buru light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 575 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice No. 1004 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of the light shown from pulo Buru, Malacca passage, from a white fixed to a *white occulting* light *every twenty seconds*, thus:—light, *fifteen seconds;* eclipse, *five seconds*. The light will be of the 6th order.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position on chart No. 219, lat. 5° 40½′ N., long. 95° 25′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts—Bassein river to pulo Penang, No. 830; Achch head to Tyingkok bay, No. 2760; Achch head to Diamond point, No. 219: Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 392; Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 282; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 55.

CHINA SEA—GASPAR STRAIT—MACCLESFIELD CHANNEL.

Pulo Lepar Light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 576 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1005 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of the light shown from Labu, or Rocky point, pulo Lepar, Macclesfield channel, from a white fixed to a *white flashing* light *every three seconds* thus:—light, *one second;* eclipse, *two seconds*. The light, of the 4th order, will be shown from a white iron framework tower 65 feet in height.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 2° 57′ S., long 106° 54¾′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 941a; Gaspar and Banka straits, No. 2149; Gaspar strait, No 2137: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 515; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 436.

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Bombay harbour—Mine Practice Field Area.

No. 577 (third publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 92 of 1906) that on and after the 15th October 1906, a mine practice field lying in a direction N. 69° W. and S. 69° E. (True) immediately to the west of Karanja Beacon will be laid down in the Harbour

2. The area will be 1,360 yards long by 470 yards wide and will be maintained in position until 31st March 1907.

3 The Western face of this field will be marked by 3 buoys—one at each corner and one in the centre.

4. The N W. buoy will be red and in a position N. 69° W. (True) 6·6 cables from Karanja Beacon.

5. The S. W. buoy will be red and in a position N. 89° W. (True) 6·9 cables from Karanja Beacon.

6 The centre buoy will be painted in red and white checks and carry a square metal flag coloured red and white.

7. The Eastern face of the field will be marked by two buoys—one at each corner, painted black.

8. Vessels should not pass between or anchor in the area marked by these buoys.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bombay Harbour, No. 2621; Port of Bombay, No. 655: Also, West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 199.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Submerged buglow off Kundari island.

No. 378 (third publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 98 of 1906) that the Master of S.S. *Nowshera* reports that he passed a buglow floating bottom upwards in Latitude 18° 37′ N., Longitude 72° 38′ E., Kundari Island, bearing N. 63° E. (T.), distant 10 miles.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Karáchi to Vengurla, No. 826; Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug, No. 2736; and Kundari to Boria Payodi, No. 738: Also, West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 4th edition, 1898, page 193.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Gulf of St. Vincent.

Corny point lighthouse—Alteration of light.

No. 379 (third publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 14 of 1906) that it is intended, on or about the 1st January 1907, to alter the characteristics of the above Light in the following respects:—

Instead of the Light being obscured over the Webb Rock and thence inshore as at present, a Red Sector will be shown over this Arc, *i.e.*, between the bearings of N.E. ½ E. and N.E. by N. ½ N., where it is shut in by the first point to the Southward of the Lighthouse.

The Red Sector will be visible for 14 miles, the full range o the light.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 2339A.

St. L. S. Warden, Comdr., r.i.m.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

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PRELIMINARY FORECAST OF THE WINTER RICE CROP OF BENGAL, 1906.

THE following note is published for general information.

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Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 23rd October 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

PRELIMINARY FORECAST OF THE WINTER RICE CROP OF BENGAL, 1906.

On an average of five years, ending 1904-05, the area under Winter Rice, in the territory to which this forecast relates, has represented some 28·1 per cent. of the total area under this crop in British India.

Explanatory.—This forecast relates to the 33 districts, which now constitute this Province, including Sambalpur and excluding the 14 districts which have been transferred to the newly constituted Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

Character of the season.—The character of the monsoon rains has been described at length in the preliminary forecast of the *bhadoi* crops, which has been recently published by this Department. The ante-monsoon showers were generally defective throughout the Province. April was a dry month. The early portion of May was also dry, and sowings were therefore late in many districts, especially in the districts of the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions. Then, again, the rainfall in June was below the normal almost everywhere. In July and August, the rainfall was general, but it was not equally distributed in all parts of the Province. Floods did a great deal of damage to the crop in North Bihar. The outturn was injuriously affected by floods also in Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore and Khulna. In September, the rainfall was fairly general. The recent rain has done some good, but more rain is needed in the Bihar districts, and also in some districts of the Burdwan Division. In the 24-Parganas, some damage was done by insect pests. The season has on the whole been unfavourable.

2. *Area sown.*—Since the issue of the final forecast, 1905, the Collectors of Midnapore, the 24-Parganas, Khulna, Bhagalpur, Purnea, Darjeeling, Angul, Puri and Sambalpur have revised the normal areas in their districts The total normal area under winter rice for the 33 districts of this Province now stands at 21,301,700 acres. The actual area under the crop this year amounts to 20,038 700 acres, as against 20,660,900 acres sown last year. The decrease is chiefly noticeable in the districts of Monghyr, Bhagalpur and Purnea On the other hand, there has been an increase in the area sown in the Burdwan and Chota Nagpur Divisions.

3. *Outturn.*—Out of the 33 districts, two districts only, viz., Sambalpur and Ranchi, estimate an outturn above the normal. In the Sonthal Parganas and Singhbhum, a normal crop has been returned. Four districts, viz. Birbhum, Hooghly, Bhagalpur and Hazaribagh, return from 90 to 95 per cent. of a normal crop; nine districts return from 80 to 89 per cent; seven from 70 to 79 per cent; and five from 60 to 69 per cent. In Murshidabad and Muzaffarpur, the crops are estimated at 56 and 58 per cent. respectively, while in Darbhanga the estimate is as low as 38 per cent. only. Champaran returns a 59 per cent. crop; but, as this appears to be an under-estimate, I have raised it to 70 per cent. In a few other cases, the estimated percentage of outturn has been raised, where no sufficient reason has been assigned for the low figure shown. The outturn of the whole Province works out to 82 per cent. of a normal crop, against 88 per cent. last year. Considering the unseasonable character of the rainfall and the damage done by floods, this estimate may be accepted at present.

C. A. OLDHAM,

Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

DARJEELING,

The 8th October 1906.

APPENDIX I.

Preliminary Forecast of the Winter Rice Crop of Bengal, 1906.

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Burdwan...	Sadar	1,721,984	635,500	361,600	358,800	358,700	95	70	51,370	1889—92, & 1903—06.	15,396	Beginning of July in Sadar and Raniganj; end of July in Kalna; 1st week of August in Katwa.	In the Sadar subdivision, a little damage was caused, owing to want of rain at the proper time. Hence the outturn is expected to be low. In Kalna, up to the present about 75 per cent. of the normal area has been cultivated. Deficient and ill-distributed rainfall has retarded cultivation. There is some chance of some more land being cultivated if the weather proves favourable. Want of rain is also interfering with the growth of the plants. For these reasons the area and outturn are much below the normal. In Katwa, sowing of the crop was late this year in most villages for want of sufficient and seasonable rain. The general condition of the crop is good, except in tracts where rain is badly wanted. The outturn is estimated to be lower than that of last year owing to the late setting in of the rains.	
	Kalna		224,000	115,200	110,000	86,000	110	60						
	Katwa		170,000	180,200	140,000	140,000	100	80						
	Raniganj		254,700	209,000	209,000	266,100	90	73						
	District Total ...	1,721,984	1,284,200	806,000	817,800	850,800	97	73	51,370	...	15,396			

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Burdwan... *concld.*	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	The Subdivisional Officer of Raniganj reports that the estimated area under winter rice is more than what it was in the previous year. The figures are given as reported by the Police. Further enquiry is being made to ascertain if the figures are correct.	
Birbhum...	Sadar ...	708,480	486,800	393,000	393,000	393,000	80	90	...	...	...	1st week of July.	The date of sowing was normal.	
	Rampur Hat ...	412,800	299,900	211,600	230,000	220,000	100	90	...	...	...			
	District Total ...	1,121,280	786,700	604,600	623,000	613,000	78	*100	...	...	...			
Bankura...	Sadar	1,229,400	428,800	346,600	350,000	350,000	90	75	15,210	1889—92 & 1894—00	Not known.	End of May	A normal outturn is not expected as the rains set in late.	
	Vishnupur ...	448,000	214,000	160,400	190,000	190,000	90	100						
	District Total ...	1,677,440	642,800	507,000	540,000	540,000	90	84	15,210	...	...			
Midnapore	Sadar	3,319,040	1,249,300	717,500	708,700	708,700	95	85	35,342	1893—98	25,260	Middle of June in Contai; beginning of June in the rest of the district.	The date of sowing was normal in the Sadar subdivision and in Ghatal and late in Contai. For want of seasonable rain, the area has been less than normal, and for the same reason the crop is not promising. The outturn in low lands is likely to be good.	
	Contai		440,100	356,700	350,000	345,000	90	80						
	Tamluk		329,600	220,200	200,000	200,000	75	62						
	Ghatal		171,600	111,600	105,000	111,600	50	90						
	District Total ...	3,319,040	2,190,600	1,406,000	1,363,700	1,365,300	89	81	35,342	...	25,260			

Hooghly ...	Sadar	761,216	352,600	115,900	110,000	110,000	88	88	...	...	...	1st week of June.	Transplantation has not been completed as yet, but is expected to be finished soon. The average outturn is expected to be 15 annas.
	Serampore ...			85,000	85,000	89,000	100	100					
	Arambagh ...			78,900	70,000	80,000	80	90					
	District Total ...	761,216	352,600	279,800	265,000	279,000	90	92	...	...	...		
Howrah ...	Sadar	110,720	86,100	48,700	45,000	48,000	80	75	80			Middle of June.	The low outturn is due to deficiency of rainfall at the time of sowing and growth. The date of sowing was normal.
	Uluberia	215,680	169,800	75,600	51,000	75,000	100	75	...	...	...		
	District Total ...	326,400	255,900	124,300	96,000	123,000	91	75	...	...	...		
24-Parganas	Sadar	3,100,160	458,600	392,000	380,000	351,700	95	79	...	...	...	July	The figures in Column 5 have been carefully revised. The weather has not been very favourable to the *aman* crop this year. Want of rain in proper time and damage by insects account for the decrease in the estimated area and for the low outturn. In Barrackpore, the decrease in the area is attributed to more lands being sown with jute. The general condition of the crop is reported to be fair. The sowing was normal in the Diamond Harbour, Barrackpore and Sadar subdivisions and late in Barasat and Basirhat.
	Barasat		100,460	100,000	70,000	100,000	100	100					
	Barrackpore ...		77,100	24,000	20,500	17,000	110	100					
	Basirhat		203,400	141,000	142,400	142,400	95	90					
	Diamond Harbour		240,200	246,300	238,900	238,900	92	90					
	District Total ...	3,100,160	1,079,700	903,300	851,800	850,000	95	87	...	...	...		
Nadia ...	Sadar	1,787,520	217,200	18,000	19,500	22,900	72	67	...	...	...	...	The sowing was late. This and floods account for the low outturn.
	Kushtia		161,800	33,300	30,900	30,900	75	75					
	Meherpur		294,700	43,500	31,300	30,800	56	80					
	Chuadanga ...		170,900	12,400	19,300	33,400	63	80					
	Ranaghat		199,200	29,600	24,900	10,900	81	80					
	District Total ..	1,787,520	1,043,800	136,800	126,400	128,900	69	76	...	...	...		
Murshidabad.	Sadar	481,280	392,300	67,600	68,600	86,600	70	48	...	...	...	Beginning of July in Sadar and Kandi beginning of June in Lalbagh; end of June in Jangipur.	For want of rain, sowings were generally late throughout the district. Much damage was done to the crop by the flood, hence the decrease in the outturn. The general condition of the crop at present is pretty fair.
	Lalbagh	236,800	142,700	43,900	43,400	94,600	85	52					
	Jangipur	325,760	224,600	27,000	27,000	31,600	105	75					
	Kandi	327,680	225,900	138,600	124,300	123,600	75	61					
	District Total ...	1,371,520	985,500	277,100	263,300	336,400	79	56	...	...	...		

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Jessore ...	Sadar	568,960	323,500	153,300	150,000	125,300	100	65	...	...	...	15th May	The sowing was late this year owing to deficiency of rainfall at the sowing season. The decrease in the outturn is chiefly due to the damage caused by floods.	
	Jhenidah	304,000	197,700	55,000	55,000	55,000	75	65	...	...	...	15th May		
	Magura	272,000	171,500	82,000	48,000	70,100	80	53	...	...	...	1st May to 10th May		
	Narail	311,680	249,300	130,300	130,000	130,000	100	53	...	...	...	15th May		
	Bongaon	415,360	249,000	113,000	100,000	87,000	100	45	...	...	...	15th May		
	District Total ...	1,872,000	1,191,000	583,600	483,000	467,300	95	62	..	...	...			
Khulna ...	Sadar	3,049,542	293,400	224,900	225,500	202,500	95	75	25,613	1893—1900 and 1903—05.	19,146	1st week of Aug.	The rainfall was insufficient and late. The late flood appears to have damaged the plants to some extent. Both the area sown and the outturn are consequently less than last year. The normal area has been revised.	
	Bagerhat		277,100	234,000	200,000	190,000	50	62				1st June		
	Satkhira		299,500	196,800	201,800	150,000	100	82				28th July		
	Area of boundary khals and rivers of the Sundarbans.													
	District Total ...	3,049,542	870,000	655,700	627,300	542,500	82	72	25,613	...	19,146			

Patna ...	Sadar	1,329,600	198,400	109,000	109,000	109,000	100	80	73,164	1900-01	7,243	Towards the end of July.	The weather so far has been favourable to the crop, and its condition is fair. The sowing this year was a little later than usual because the rains commenced later. If the rains stop now, the outturn will be very much less than the estimate given.
	Barh		286,100	99,900	75,500	75,600	75	100					
	Bihar		378,100	237,300	200,000	200,000	100	75					
	Dinapore		225,500	92,600	92,600	92,600	95	100					
	District Total ...	1,329,600	1,082,100	538,800	477,100	477,200	95	85	73,164	...	7,243		
Gaya ...	Sadar	1,219,200	917,900	496,800	396,000	391,000	100	90	514,592	Tikari estate, 1893 to 1895.	82,242	15th June	The general condition of the crop is fair so far, but more rain is urgently wanted. The date of sowing was normal. Transplantation was late in most places for want of timely rainfall.
	Nawada	611,200	489,600	370,000	350,000	355,000	100	90		Govt. estate, 1893 to 1895.	8,396		
	Jehanabad ...	387,840	321,900	209,600	209,600	209,600	100	100		Maksundpur estate, 1900 to 1902.	16,889		
	Aurangabad ...	797,440	478,100	241,900	241,900	196,000	100	75		Deo Wards estate, 1901 to 1902.	12,371		
										Belkhara Mahal, 1893 to 1895.	27,454		
	District Total ...	3,015,680	2,207,500	1,318,300	1,197,500	1,151,600	100	90*	514,592	...	147,951		
Shahabad	Arrah	584,320	487,400	325,000	320,000	320,000	85	85	...	...	...	June ...	The prospects were at first favourable. There was a break in the rains at the end of August and beginning of September which caused anxiety. The rains of the last few days, though insufficient have improved the prospect. The date of sowing was normal.
	Buxar	428,160	340,000	234,500	230,000	234,500	80	90	...	...	...		
	Bhabhua	832,640	470,000	313,500	300,000	300,000	95	90	...	...	...		
	Sasaram	953,600	544,400	355,000	277,500	277,500	80	90	...	...	...		
	District Total ...	2,798 720	1,841,800	1,228,000	1,127,500	1,132,000	85	88	...	...	...		

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Saran ...	Sadar	1,711,199	547,500	141,200	160,000	160,000	95	75	1,633,435	1893–1901	141,229	May and June.	In the Sadar Subdivision, the weather and general condition of the crop is favourable as yet, but in low lands excessive rains and flood have damaged the crop to a considerable extent, and in some places the damage has been very serious. The sowing of the crop was normal.	
	Siwan		423,300	142,000	142,000	132,700	92	59			141,996	15th July ...	In Sewan, owing to late rainfall, the sowings were late. The flood has damaged the crop to a considerable extent, but if rain falls at intervals of a fortnight during the next two months, the outturn will be better than estimated now.	
	Gopalganj ...		386,400	90,600	90,600	90,600	80	56			90,623	June ...	In Gopalganj, the date of sowing was normal. The recent flood and constant rain in August damaged the crop on low lands.	
	District Total ...	1,711,199	1,357,200	373,800	392,600	383,300	90	67	1,633,435	...	373,848			

Champaran	Sadar	971,520	760,900	257,000	257,000	257,000	70	34	2,259,840	1892—96	550,000	15th June to 15th July.	The date of sowing was normal. Some damage has been done by floods. The figures in column 9 are those given by local police officers. There has not yet been time to test these, but the damage is almost certainly exaggerated.
	Bettiah	1,288,320	686,700	293,000	300,000	300,000	80	63					
	District Total ...	2,259,840	1,447,600	550,000	557,000	557,000	75	*70	2,259,840	...	550,000		
Muzaffarpur.	Sadar	1,942,487	654,800	216,000	216,000	216,000	62	62	1,942,400	1892—93 & 1898—99	216,618	June ...	The decrease in percentage of outturn this year is due to the excessive rain and the late floods which have affected the crops and the people badly.
	Hajipur		399,200	105,100	105,100	105,100	62	45					
	Sitamarhi ...		573,000	337,500	337,500	337,500	106	62					
	District Total	1,942,487	1,627,000	658,600	658,600	658,600	85	58	1,942,400	..	216,618		
Darbhanga	Sadar	2,141,090	617,400	382,000	380,000	380,000	75	12	2,142,690	1896—1903	382,000	May ...	Heavy floods damaged the crop to a considerable extent. The date of sowing was normal.
	Samastipur ...		392,200	123,500	135,900	137,300	52	35			123,710	June ...	
	Madhubani ...		668,400	462,400	440,000	442,000	90	66			462,400	July ...	
	District Total ...	2,141,090	1,678,000	967,900	955,900	959,300	79	38	2,142,690	...	967,910		
Monghyr.	Sadar	2,510,080	698,200	265,100	200,500	157,000	65	51	985,552	1900-04	83,347	End of May	The flood in North Monghyr was earlier this year and was more destructive. The area under paddy is consequently less this year; but in Jamui and other portions of the district the prospects are fair. The crop would have been a failure but for the rains in the beginning of September.
	Begusarai		369,300	14,700	27,300	28,300	30	45			38,379		
	Jamui		515,300	100,000	108,700	106,300	65	85			Not surveyed.		
	District Total ...	2,510,080	1,582,800	379,800	335,800	293,900	62	63	985,552	...	121,726		
Bhagalpur	Sadar	597,760	464,000	250,000	250,000	250,000	100	90	858,501	1902-04	316	2nd week of June; Transplantation from 2nd week of July.	In Madhipura and Supaul, floods made a clean sweep of the crops in large areas. Where there have been no floods, the prospects are excellent; but they are entirely dependent on another rainfall in the *kathiya*. Figures in column s 4, 5, 6 have been revised.
	Madhipura ...	752,640	574,300	237,000	206,100	25,000	100	75			236,749		
	Banka	756,480	538,000	404,100	404,100	404,100	100	100			..		
	Supaul	597,760	447,000	217,000	195,000	20,000	90	80			216,864		
	District Total ...	2,704,640	2,023,300	1,108,100	1,055,200	699,100	93	95	858,501	...	397,027		

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Purnea ...	Sadar	1,646,073	790,000	314,000	320,000	310,000	90	60	Not available.				On account of heavy floods, the crops on low lands were seriously, and in some places totally damaged. Transplantation began early this year owing to favourable weather. In some of the affected parts, re-transplantation has been carried out.	
	Kishanganj ...	861,440	630,000	350,000	434,000	210,000	100	75						
	Araria	688,640	269,400	130,000	130,000	130,000	95	50						
	District Total ..	3,196,153	1,689,400	794,000	880,000	650,000	95	*65	...	...	...			
Darjeeling	Sadar	290,960	43,200	7,600	11,500†	7,600	117†	(a)70	...	...	...	May ...	† Including Kalimpong.	
	Kurseong	118,400	4,400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		(a) The prospect is not very good owing to unfavourable weather.	
	Siliguri	161,920	64,700	52,700	52,700	48,000	100	80 (b)	147,179	1,837	46,170	May ...		
	Kalimpong ..	283,680	48,200	4,900	...	4,900	...	75	114,216	1,903	4,904	15th June ...	(b) The weather is favourable. Crops are progressing fairly.	
	District Total ...	744,960	160,500	65,200	64,200	60,500	103	78	261,386	...	51,074			
Santhal Parganas.	Dumka	914,560	269,300	92,100	92,100	92,100	95	100	...	...	...	Middle of June in Jamtara; beginning of August in Godda; beginning of July in the other subdivision.	The decrease in area in Jamtara is due to scanty rainfall, and that in Rajmahal to the cultivation of jute and to the sowing of *makai*. General prospects are favourable. The date of sowing was normal.	
	Deoghar	610,560	234,100	49,700	49,700	49,700	100	100						
	Godda	618,880	280,500	99,000	99,000	99,000	75	91						
	Jamtara	445,440	170,100	55,800	55,800	50,000	125	75						
	Pakaur	437,760	265,400	133,000	133,000	133,000	100	118						
	Rajmahal	474,240	325,900	150,000	150,000	148,700	75	97						
	District Total ...	3,500,600	1,545,300	579,600	579,600	572,500	94	100	...	...	...			

Cuttack ...	Sadar	840,960	1,223,500	332,100	355,600	357,300	75	89	2,033,437	1888—95 and 1901.	904,039	Last week of May.	The general condition of the crop is not good owing to want of rain at the time of sowing and transplantation. Though the area sown this year exceeds the normal area, still there is a decrease in the area as compared with last year. It is attributed to the fact that certain areas were left uncultivated this year for want of sufficient rain. If there is not sufficient rain hereafter, the estimated outturn will be further reduced. The sowing this year was late.
	Kendrapara ...	643,200		230,100	327,700	309,000	83	62					
	Jajpur	704,640		262,400	262,400	262,400	75	83					
	Banki (including Dompara).	149,760		32,000	32,000	32,500	68	79					
	District Total ..	2,338,560	1,223,500	916,600	1,007,700	952,200	71	65	2,033,437	.	904,039		
Balasore ...	Whole district ...	1,334,368	932,200	868,600	815,000	815,000	76	*90	1,095,778	1891-92 to 1894-95.	708,363	First week of June.	The weather has been fair. The general condition of the crop is fair. The date of sowing was normal.
Angul ...	Angul	568,840	160,000	74,600	76,200	75,200	66	85	...	...	...	Sowing, 15th June. Transplantation, 20th July.	Want of rain at the time of transplantation and puddling is the cause of the low outturn in Column 9. The date of sowing was normal.
	Khondmals ...	512,000	92,400	47,000	47,000	45,000	63	56		...	...	Sowing, 20th June. Transplantation, 15th July.	
	District Total ...	1,075,840	252,400	121,600	123,200	120,200	64	85					
Puri ...	Sadar	951,210	435,900	279,100	350,200	367,300	66	66	951,210	1888-89	365,571	1st June ...	The weather was not favourable. Owing to insufficient and untimely rainfall, the condition of the crop is not very good. The sowing was late.
	Khurda	648,150	314,400	268,600	265,100	265,600	83	98	648,150		239,770		
	District Total ...	1,599,360	750,300	547,700	615,300	632,900	73	77	1,599,360	...	604,341		The increase in area is due to the reclamation of waste-lands.

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District.	Subdivision.	Total area of subdivision and district in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation in acres.	Approximate normal area under winter rice, in acres.	Approximate area under winter rice last year (1906), in acres.	Estimated area under winter rice this year (1907), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much is represented the outturn last year (1906).	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY. Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.	Date at which the sowing has generally begun this year.	A brief statement regarding the weather and general condition of the crop and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture.
									Acres.		Acres.			
Sambalpur	Sambal ..	2,447,360	337,300	96,300	91,700	72,500	95	105	2,433,280	1884—87 & 1891—97	79,551	25th May to 15th June.	The area given in Column 7 of the final forecast, 1905, was only an estimate. The actual area has now been given in column 6. The decrease in area in the Sambalpur subdivision is due to want of seed for sowing in Kalaberia zamindari, and is also due, to some extent, to the sowing of *khadoi* paddy for fear of the early cessation of rain in Kampala Circle. The date of sowing this year was normal. The present prospects of the crop, on the whole, seem to be good.	
	Bargarhpur ..		518,700	128,600	137,600	145,300	93	105			126,939			
	District Total ..	2,447,360	856,000	224,900	229,300	217,800	95	105	2,433,280	..	206,490			
Hazaribagh.	Sadar	3,210,850	1,132,000	615,200	615,200	615,200	97	91	.	...	..	June at Sadar; July at Giridih.	The general condition of the crop is good. In the Sadar Subdivision the date of sowing was normal. In Giridih it was late. The whole normal area could not be sown for want of timely rain.	
	Giridih	1,282,560	571,000	392,500	392,500	335,200	93	100	...	..	...			
	District Total ..	4,493,410	1,703,000	1,007,700	1,007,700	950,400	94	104*	..	...	...			
Ranchi ...	Sadar and Khunti	2,242,560	891,900	661,300	661,300	661,300	75	*110	...	...	...	By the last week of June.	The prospect is better on account of seasonable rain. The date of sowing was normal.	
	Gumla	2,319,360	618,100	579,600	579,600	579,600	75	110	...	...	...			
	District Total ..	4,561,920	1,510,000	1,240,900	1,240,900	1,240,900	75	110	...	...	...			

Palamau ...	Whole district ...	3,144,960	627,600	277,900	140,000	176,000	90	100†	187,520	1596.97	15,906	Beginning of August.	The date of transplanting the crop was normal.
Manbhum	Sadar	2,140,160	1,118,500	762,500	631,000	723,300	95	83	...	...	...	Middle of July.	The low outturn is due to want of timely rain in parts of the Sadar subdivision.
	Gobindpur ...	513,920	300,700	183,000	220,100	205,800	87	100	...	...	...		
	District Total ...	2,654,080	1,419,200	945,500	851,100	929,100	93	87	...	...	...		
Singhbhum	Whole district ...	2,490,240	840,700	315,000	312,400	312,400	105	100	...	...	...	Sowing was begun at the end of June, but transplantation commenced towards the end of July.	The general condition of the crop is favourable. The sowing was a little late. The weather has been seasonable.
	GRAND TOTAL ...	74,103,479	39,110,100	21,301,700	20,660,900	20,038,700	88	82					

* Estimated by the Department.
† The Deputy Commissioner has assigned no reason of his estimate of 85 per cent.: it has been increased to the normal figure, pending explanation.

APPENDIX II.

Statement showing Rainfall from May to September 1906.

DIVISION AND DISTRICT.	MAY.		JUNE.		JULY.		AUGUST.		SEPTEMBER.	
	Normal average.	Actual rainfall.	Normal average.	Actual rainfall.	Normal average.	Actual rainfall.	Normal average.	Actual rainfall.	Normal average.	Actual rainfall.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
BURDWAN. Burdwan	5·08	3·47	10·15	4·77	12·25	8·60	11·76	15·97	8·40	7·83
Birbhum	4·07	3·25	10·96	6·36	12·40	11·48	10·93	13·63	10·39	4·58
Bankura	4·36	3·12	10·83	5·72	12·22	14·54	11·88	10·28	8·70	6·47
Midnapore	5 39	2·53	10·23	7 87	12·43	14·35	12·82	8·37	9·61	7·72
Hooghly	5 50	4·30	10·28	4·94	12·02	10·30	12·53	9·22	8·83	7·53
Howrah ...	5·27	4·08	10·93	6·24	11·53	13·83	11·40	9·52	9·45	6·28
PRESIDENCY. 24-Parganas	5·49	4·57	10·89	7·37	12·98	12·50	13·29	7·82	10·04	7·10
Nadia ...	6·72	4·53	10·00	6·90	10·36	7·06	10·96	14·76	8·48	10·41
Murshidabad.	5·13	2·85	10·15	7·11	10·90	9·07	10·45	15·39	9·35	7·66
Jessore ...	7·13	7·96	11·69	7·26	10·64	7·02	10·67	13·47	8·45	10·20
Khulna ...	6·45	4·58	12·77	7·07	13·10	10·58	12·32	9·24	9·55	8·31
PATNA. Patna ...	1·75	0·69	7·71	7·04	12·40	16·64	11·21	9·39	7·20	4·27
Gaya ...	1·18	0·50	6·52	4·23	12·40	9·99	11·72	11·35	6·55	7·90
Shahabad	0·77	0·16	6·44	6·48	12·09	11·23	11·86	9·87	6·06	5·12
Saran ...	1·55	1·56	7·95	5·10	11·77	15·59	11·09	16·01	8·20	3·24
Champaran	2·61	0·99	9·34	8·33	13·72	14·63	12·81	28·18	9·89	2·94
Muzaffarpur	2·29	2·08	7·41	6·86	12·03	14·60	11·00	22·29	8·17	4·35
Darbhanga	2·56	2·98	7·47	8·15	12·59	15·43	12·49	25·04	10·06	3·45
BHAGALPUR. Monghyr	2·16	2·42	7·62	7·18	13 33	10·74	11·41	10·91	9·57	4·60
Bhagalpur	3·15	2·53	8·34	10·26	12·72	14·74	11·66	14·99	10·19	3·19
Purnea ...	5·41	3·45	12·61	11·88	18·16	20·79	14·98	26·09	15·44	8·60
Darjeeling	9·20	8·38	23·36	19·80	32·08	37·22	24·86	48·75	18·24	4·03
Santhal Parganas.	2·75	2·09	9·79	6·95	12·68	11·84	11·66	11·65	11·10	5·04
ORISSA. Cuttack ...	4·23	2·22	9·71	8 92	11·80	8·54	12·77	6 61	10·19	8 85
Balasore ...	5·06	3·80	9·10	9·30	12 03	9 06	11·85	6·04	11·13	12 94
Angul ...	2·42	2·24	9·78	7·59	12·17	14·26	10·45	10·36	9·57	9·19
Puri ...	3 13	2·78	8·17	7 70	10·23	11·11	12·05	9·46	9·82	5·45
Sambalpur	1·23	0·01	10·46	6·78	18·37	17·11	15·18	10·49	8·31	5·89
CHOTA NAGPUR. Hazaribagh	1·89	0·76	8·43	6·07	14·33	9 88	12·60	7 12	8·37	6·76
Ranchi ...	1·69	1·30	9·64	6·18	14·58	17·07	13·31	12·41	8·30	7·49
Palamau ...	0·94	0·46	6·80	4·59	13·85	17·62	13·42	6·30	7·65	7·28
Manbhum	2·81	1·34	9 50	6·12	12·80	10·44	12·78	11·08	8·52	5,42
Singhbhum	3 33	2·20	10·57	6·82	15·07	18·15	14·54	5·38	8·19	10·10

REPORT ON THE COTTON CROP OF BENGAL, OCTOBER, 1906.

THE following note is published for general information.

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The 23rd October 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

REPORT ON THE COTTON CROP OF BENGAL, OCTOBER 1906.

[On an average of the five years, ending 1904-1905, the area under cotton crops in the territory to which this forecast relates has represented some 0·6 per cent. of the total area under Cotton Crops in India.]

Explanatory.—The sowing of the early variety of cotton commences before the break of the monsoon and the harvesting is done early in the cold weather. The late variety is sown partly before, and partly after the rainy season and is harvested in the following hot weather.

The early variety is cultivated chiefly in the Sonthal Parganas, Angul, and in the Chota Nagpur Divison. Saran, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Cuttack, and Singhbhum are the most important of the late cotton-growing districts.

The present forecast deals with the progress of sowings since the publication of the August report, and with the condition of the standing crop.

2. *Character of the Season.*—As noted in the August forecast, the date of sowing was generally normal, and the subsequent weather was favourable to the growth of the crop. In the early cotton districts, weather and rainfall conditions have continued favourable and the general prospects of the crop are so far good. The little damage done to the early crop in Sambalpur has already been noticed in the August report.

As regards late cotton, the weather has been less favourable. From Saran, where the area under late cotton comprises one-third of the total area of this crop in the Province, it is reported that continuous heavy rainfall followed by floods has damaged the crop to a considerable extent. Similar damage has been done in the important late cotton-growing districts of Muzaffarpur and Darbhanga. In Cuttack and Singhbhum, prospects are satisfactory.

3. *Area sown.*—The area sown with early cotton as given in the present forecast amounts to 37,400 acres, against 37,362 acres shown in the August forecast. The slight difference calls for no remarks. There is, however, an increase this year of nearly 2,000 acres over last year's area, which is chiefly due to a revision of estimates in Sambalpur.

Sowings of the late crop have progressed since the issue of the last forecast in Midnapore, Patna, Shahabad, Muzaffarpur, and Singhbhum. At the time of the despatch of the district reports to this office, they had not commenced in Bankura, Puri, and in parts of Cuttack. The area sown with late crop as now estimated amounts to 30,174 acres, as against 23,774 acres shown in the August report and 31,677 acres as shown in last year's October report.

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CALCUTTA;
The 8th October 1906.

Forecast of the Cotton Crops of Bengal, October 1906.

1	2	3	4	5		6	7	8	9	10	11
District.	Nature of the crop, early or late.	Area in acres sown in the current year (1906-1907).	Area in acres of the previous year (1905-1906).	Average area under cotton of preceding.		Figures from the Cadastral Survey.			Date at which the sowing of the crop was begun this year.	Brief remarks regarding the weather and general condition of the crops, and whether the date of sowing this year was early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
				Five years.	Ten years.	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under cotton during the cadastral survey.			
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		Acres.			
Bankura ...	Early cotton ...	365	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	May.	The weather was seasonable. The condition of the crop is good. Sowing of late cotton has not commenced yet.	
	Late cotton ...	.....	1,700	1,600	1,790	15,216	1889-93 to 1894-1900.	Not available.	.....		
Midnapore ...	Early cotton ...	1,700	1,700	1,880	1,880	35,342	1893 to 1898	383	15th to 20th July.	The date of sowing was somewhat early in some places. The condition of the crop on the whole is fairly satisfactory.	
	Late cotton ...	1,600	1,700	2,120	2,090						
Pa'na ...	Early cotton ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Early cotton is not grown in this district. The weather has been favourable to the crop and its condition is good. The date of sowing was normal.	
	Late cotton ...	1,300	1,500	1,100	1,520	73,164	1900 to 1901	5	Towards the end of June.		
Shahabad ...	Early cotton ...	62	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	The area under early cotton in column 4 has been taken from the August forecast, in the absence of any estimate from the Collector.
	Late cotton ...	1,260	1,100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	July.	The general condition of the crop is reported to be favourable except in the Sadar thana where the crop was badly damaged by the *Sone* floods. The time of sowing was normal.	

1	2	3	4	5		6	7	8	9	10	11
				AVERAGE AREA UNDER COTTON OF PRECEDING.		FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.					
DISTRICT.	Nature of the crop, early or late.	Area in acres sown in the current year (1906-1907).	Area in acres of the previous year (1905-1906).	Five years.	Ten years.	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under cotton during the cadastral survey.	Date at which the sowing of the crop was begun this year.	Brief remarks regarding the weather and general condition of the crops, and whether the date of sowing this year was early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		Acres.			
Saran	Early cotton ...	500	525	.....	.....	1,633,135	1893 to 1901	14,839	20th February	The date of sowing of late cotton in the Siwan and Sadar Subdivisions, as reported before, was late owing to late rains, but in the Gopalganj Subdivision, it was normal. Continued heavy rainfall has damaged the crop to a considerable extent and the prospect is not so favourable as before.	
	Late cotton ...	13,900	13,875	14,440	25,220				10th June		
Champaran ...	Early cotton ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
	Late cotton ...	1,067	923	2,040	2,120	2,259,840	1892 to 1899	2,094	April	On account of excessive rain and floods, the outturn is expected to be 50 per cent. only.	
Muzaffarpore ...	Early cotton ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
	Late cotton ...	3,000	4,05	6,107	5,763	1,942,400	1891 to 1892 and 1899 to 1900.	6,100	June		

Darbhanga ...	Early cotton ..	103	16	.....	.....	2,130,000	1896 to 1903	2,300	In February and March in the Madhubani subdivision and in June in the Samastipur Subdivision.	The general condition of the crop was fair, but floods damaged it to a certain extent. The date of sowing was normal.	
	Late cotton ...	3,607	3,212	1,380	5,360						
Monghyr ...	Early cotton ...	100	100	280	330	985,552	1901 to 1904	Not recorded.	2nd week of June.	The crop has been partly damaged by the Gandak river flood.	
	Late cotton ...	300	300	820	630						
Bhagalpur ...	Early cotton ...	300	300	4,740	7,860	1,057,948	1902 to 1904	3	1st to 2nd week of July.	The date of sowing was normal. The general condition of the crop is not good, as some damage has been caused by floods.	In the absence of of any estimate from the Collector for late cotton, the figure which now appears in column 4 has been reproduced from the August forecast.
	Late cotton ...	.....	75	1,255	1,207			44			
Sonthal Parganas.	Early cotton ...	10,700	11,000	10,160	11,520	3,272,009	1889 to 1893-1904.	16,902	10th June	The weather has been favourable. The general condition of the crop is good. The date of sowing was normal.	
	Late cotton ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Cuttack ...	Early cotton ...	500	700	2,340	2,720	2,088,437	1887 to 1895 and 1899 to 1901.	2,604	Middle of June.	The general condition of the crop is good. The date of sowing was normal. The sowing of late cotton has begun in certain parts.	The figure for late cotton in column 4 has been taken from the August forecast, as it has not been supplied by the Collector.
	Late cotton ...	.....	3,100	4,040	4,020						
Balasore ...	Early cotton ...	63	63	350	635	1,095,778	1891 to 1892 and 1894 to 1895.	111	15th to 30th June	The weather has been fair. The general condition of the crop is so far good. The date of sowing was normal.	No estimate has been supplied by the Collector for late cotton in column 4. The figure in this forecast has been taken from the August report.
	Late cotton ...	.....	200	160	153						

1	2	3	4	5		6	7	8	9	10	21
District.	Nature of the crop, early or late.	Area in acres sown in the current year (1906-1907).	Area in acres of the previous year (1905-1906).	Average area under cotton of preceding		Figures from the cadastral survey.			Date at which the sowing of the crop was begun this year.	Brief remarks regarding the weather and general condition of the crops, and whether the date of sowing this year was early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture Bengal.
				Five years.	Ten years.	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under cotton during the cadastral survey.			
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		Acres.			
Angul	Early cotton ...	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,600	563,840	1889 to 1890 ...	Although the Sadar Subdivision was cadastrally surveyed, separate figures were not ascertained under each crop	1st to 15th June.	Cotton is not grown in the Khondmals subdivision. The weather was favourable throughout. The present condition of the cotton crop is good. The date of sowing was normal.	
	Late cotton ...	.....	.....	1,380	1,440						
Puri	Early cotton ..	208	232	1,900	2,170	1,599,360	1888 to 1889 ...	422	March.	The weather was seasonable. The crop is thriving well and the date of sowing was normal this year. Some of the late crop has not commenced yet.	
	Late cotton ...	.....	420	1,120	1,740						
Sambalpur ...	Early cotton ...	9,700	7,881	9,494	7,976	2,433,920	1884 to 1887 and 1891 to 1897.	36,680	25th June.	The increase in area is mostly in the Borasambar Zamindari and is attributed to favourable weather at the time of sowing which was normal this year. The crop is reported to be doing well everywhere. Last year's cotton area was only an estimate in column 4. Actuals have been given in this forecast after careful checking.	
	Late cotton ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...		

Hazaribag ...	Early cotton ...	800	738	3,600	5,580	.....	.....	April ..	The present condition of the crop is good. The date of sowing was normal. The decrease in the area sown this year is due to want of rain in proper time in all parts of the district.
	Late cotton ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Not grown in this district.
Ranchi ...	Early cotton ...	1,700	1,700	2,840	4,260	Figures are not available. The district is being surveyed.		By the last week of June.	The weather has been favourable to the crop. The date of sowing this year was normal.
	Late cotton ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Not grown in this district.
Palamau ...	Early cotton ...	1,000	1,000	4,320	5,900	187,520	1898 to 1907	1,434	22nd June.	The date of sowing of the crop this year was normal. About 10 annas outturn is expected.
	Late cotton ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Not grown in this district.
Manbhum* ...	Early cotton ...	3,900	3,400	7,440	9,360	.....	.....	.....	1st week of June.	.....
	Late cotton ...	1,200	1,200	1,200	3,650	.....	...	.....		
Singhbhum ...	Early cotton ...	4,000	4,000	4,300	4,870	1,761,984	1895 to 1897 and 1900 to 1902.	1,813	June July.	The weather has been favourable and the general condition of the crop is good. Sowing was normal. In the settlement records, the areas under early and late cotton have not been separately shown.
	Late cotton ...	3,000		2,700	3,900					
Total ...	Early cotton ...	37,401	35,385	62,130	77,825	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	Late cotton ...	20,174	16,986	42,922	60,001	.....	.....	.....	.....	

* In the absence of any report from the Deputy Commissioner, the August figures of this year's area have been reproduced in the forecast.

PRELIMINARY FORECAST OF THE INDIGO CROP OF BENGAL, 1906.

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The 21st October 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

PRELIMINARY FORECAST OF THE INDIGO CROP OF BENGAL, 1906.

[On an average of five years, ending 1904-05, the area under Indigo in the territory to which this forecast relates has represented some 10·03 per cent. of the total area under Indigo in British India.]

Introductory.—The final forecast of the indigo crop of 1905 dealt with seventeen districts belonging to this Province and two districts (Rangpur and Malda) belonging to the new Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam. No indigo was grown in Rangpur last year, and none has been grown this year. This district has, therefore, been left out of the present forecast altogether. For a similar reason, Midnapore and Bankura belonging to this Province have also been omitted. The present forecast, therefore, deals with fifteen districts appertaining to this Province, and with Malda appertaining to the new Province. There has, however, been no cultivation of indigo in Murshidabad, Cuttack or Malda in the present year.

Character of the season.—The sowings were retarded a little by want of rain early in the season; and the crop suffered seriously later on from excessive rain and high floods in North Bihar.

Area sown.—Owing to the competition of the synthetic dye, the area under indigo has contracted so rapidly that the expression "normal area under the crop" has little meaning. The cultivation is being gradually abandoned in Lower Bengal. The area even in North Bihar (Saran, Champaran, Darbhanga and Monghyr) has decreased. The total area sown this year is 138,300 acres against 170,700 acres of last year and 223,100 acres of 1904.

Outturn.—Of the important districts, Saran reports 62 per cent. of a normal outturn per acre, Darbhanga reports 57 per cent. and Muzaffarpur 33 per cent., while Champaran reports only 27 per cent.

The estimated outturn per acre for Lower Bengal, including the minor Bihar districts, is 67 per cent. of a normal crop, and that for North Bihar, including Monghyr, only 42 per cent. The average for the Province comes to 46 per cent. against 47 per cent. of last year (1905).

According to the returns received from the District Officers, the yield of North Bihar, including Monghyr, would amount to about 12,732 factory maunds, and the yield from the remaining districts to some 3,921 factory maunds, or a total of 16,653 factory maunds, against an estimate of 21,248 factory maunds last year. According to trade returns, the outturn last year was about 23,000 factory maunds.

Messrs. Moran & Co. estimate 4,000 factory maunds from Lower Bengal and 20,000 factory maunds from *1st cuttings* in Bihar. The prospects for *khuntis*, however, are reported to be so bad as to warrant an estimate of no more than 2,000 factory maunds. The estimated total for Lower Bengal and Bihar, according to Messrs. Moran and Co., thus comes to 26,000 factory maunds.

From further enquiry made since the receipt of the district returns, there seems good reason for regarding the

returns for Bihar districts as unduly pessimistic. It is probable that 18,000 maunds will be produced from 1st cuttings in Bihar, and nearly 2,000 from *khuntis*, or 20,000 maunds in all. Adding say, 4,000 maunds for other districts, the total outturn may be estimated at about 24,000 factory maunds.

C. A. OLDHAM,
Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

DARJEELING,
The 7th October 1906.

Preliminary Forecast of the Indigo Crop of Bengal, 1906.

District.	Total area of district in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation in acres.	Approximate area sown last year (1905) in acres.	Estimated area sown this year (1906) in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn how much represented the outturn last year (1905)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn how much will represent this year's outturn (1906)?	Figures from the Cadastral Survey.			Date at which the sowing of the crop was begun this year.	Brief remarks as to the weather and general condition of the crop and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
							Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
							Acres.					
Burdwan	1,722,240	1,284,200	1,500	.....	50	...	46,164	1883 to 1902 and 1903 to 1905.	Nil	...	Indigo has not been sown in this district this year.	
Nadia	1,757,800	1,043,600	1,100	1,500	50	75	Not cadastrally surveyed			20th November 1905 and middle of January 1906.	The date of sowing was normal.	
Murshidabad	1,371,520	985,600	400	.	44		...	...	...	..	The cultivation of indigo has been given up this year.	
Jessore ..	1,872,000	1,191,000	300	300	25	75	...	...	...	...	The rain in May and June was beneficial to the plants: hence the better outturn.	
Gaya	3,015,680	2,207,500	100	100	80	100	514,592	1883 to 1885 and 1900 to 1902.	1	15th March 1906.	The deficient rainfall was favourable to the crop. The date of sowing was normal.	

District.	Total area of district in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation in acres.	Approximate area sown last year (1905) in acres.	Estimated area sown this year (1906) in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn per acre, how much represented the outturn last year (1905) ?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn per acre, how much will represent this year's outturn (1906) ?	Figures from the Cadastral Survey.			Date at which the sowing of the crop was begun this year.	Brief remarks as to the weather and general condition of the crop and whether the date of sowing was this year early, normal or late.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
							Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
							Acres.		Acres.			
Shahabad ...	2,798,720	1,841,900	400	700	70	82	...	...	...	30th June 1906.	The date of sowing was normal.	
Saran	1,711,286	1,357,200	11,000	11,200	30	62	1,633,435	1893 to 1901.	45,513	15th February.	The weather was not favourable for indigo. The date of sowing was normal, except in some places where it was a little late owing to late rainfall.	
Champaran ...	2,259,840	1,447,600	35,000	38,600	31	27	2,259,840	1892 to 1899.	90,000	1st week of March.	The figures in columns 5 and 7 are those furnished by the Secretary, Bihar Indigo Planters' Association, who reports that the growth of the plant was affected for want of early rain and the outturn was reduced by excessive heavy rain. On the other hand local information is to the effect that in many cases the produce from first cuttings alone is in excess of that from both cuttings last season.	
Muzaffarpur ..	1,942,400	1,627,000	25,000	32,700	29	33	1,942,400	1892-93 to 1898-99.	33,988	Ditto.		
Darbhanga ...	2,142,690	1,678,000	29,900	28,900	66	57	2,142,690	1896 to 1903.	52,100	In February and March.		

Monghyr ...	2,510,080	1,552,800	10,000	6,400	70	84	985,552	1900 to 1904.	17,755	1st March 1906.	
Bhagalpur ...	2,704,640	2,075,300	5,900	5,900	70	75	858,301	1902 to 1904.	1,326	15th September	Weather and general conditions were fair. The low outturn is due to damage caused by floods.
Purnea ...	3,196,153	1,689,400	22,500	11,400	70	60	...	...	...	..	The outturn is low owing to excessive rain and heavy floods.
Sonthal Parganas ..	3,500,800	1,545,300	600	600	50	75	3,272,909	1899 to 1903.	1,655	1st March	Weather favourable. The low outturn is due to the crops being damaged by high floods. The date of sowing was normal.
Cuttack ..	2,339,560	1,233,500	(10)	...	75	.....	2,088,437	1898 to 1895 and 1901.	10	.....	There is no indigo cultivation in this district this year.
Malda ...	10,566,296	716,500	2,000	Nil	100	Nil	...	...	...	.....	Ditto ditto.
North Bihar	10,566,296	7,692,600	135,900	117,800	41	42	...	..	...	...	
Bengal, including other Bihar districts ...	25,529,090	15,801,800	34,800	20,500	9	67		...	...	.. ...	
Total	36,059,386	23,494,400	170,700	138,300	47	46	..	...	...	..	

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 22nd October 1906

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	7½	7½	Rain wanted in Raniganj, as crops on high lands suffering. Standing crops doing well. Washing and steeping of jute going on. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	1·63	7	7	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	0·18	8	9	Weather seasonable. More rain wanted. Standing crops doing well. Sowing of *rabi* crops in progress. Price of Common rice rising owing to excessive export. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	1·59	9	9	Weather hot. More rain badly wanted, especially in the north and eastern parts of the district and at Tamluk. *Rabi* crops being sown. Prospect of winter rice fair. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Dantan.
5	HOOGHLY ...	0·34	6¼	6¾	Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. Lands being ploughed for *rabi* crops. Prospects of sugarcane and *aman* paddy fair. Steeping and washing of jute going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	1·14	7	7	More rain wanted. Condition of standing crops good. New jute being largely exported. Cheapest rice selling at 7¾ seers a rupee at Ulubaria. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
7	24-PARGANAS	1·40	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Good rain in Barasat. Rain wanted in places in the Diamond Harbour and Barrackpore subdivisions only. Harvesting of *aus* still continuing in places. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. State of standing crops good. Prospects good. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water reported to be insufficient in Barrackpore and Basirhat subdivisions. Number of persons on relief during the week in different thanas—Sonarpur 217, Tollygunge 176, Vishnupur 1,972, Behala 201, Canning 546, Mahestola 332, Baruipur 1,652, Fulta 1,008, Magrahat 1,863, Diamond Harbour 322, Mathurapur 140, Kulpi 222, Jaynagar 2,568, Dum-Dum 32, Khardaha 91, Barrackpore 30.
8	NADIA	0·5	8	7½	Locusts passed through Kumarkhali thana and damaged some *kalai* and *arhar* plants. Harvesting of jute nearly finished. Sowing of *mung* and *kalai* in progress. Land being prepared for *rabi* crops. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
9	MURSHIDABAD	0·32	7	7	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. Jute being cut. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JESSORE ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable with occasional clouds. Harvesting of jute continuing. Sowing of *rabi* crops still in progress. Flood-water subsided. *Aman* paddy much damaged by flood in Magura, Narail and Jhenida. Appearance of locusts throughout the district, except in Magura; but no damage to crops reported. High prices and slight distress. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
11	KHULNA ...	0·29	7	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. State of winter rice fair. Sowing of rape and mustard and of tobacco commenced at places. Outturn of autumn rice estimated at 78 per cent. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	Nil	8¾ 13½*	8½ 13*	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops good. Paddy in ear. *Rabi* sowings continuing, and *rabi* crops coming up well. Cattle-disease reported from Islampore thana. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
13	GAYA ...	1·91	8 1/16 14 6/16*	8¾ 14 1/16*	Weather bright and generally cool. Sugarcane and winter rice doing well. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on Prospects of the paddy crop generally good. Slight hail-storm on evening of the 15th at Sadar. Prices stationary. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
14	SHAHABAD ...	Nil	8½ 13*	9 12*	Sugarcane doing well. Rain wanted for paddy in some places in Bhabua and Sadar subdivisions. *Rabi* sowings in progress. *Makai* sells at 16 and 18 seers a rupee at Sasaram and Bhabua, respectively. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	Nil	8 12¾*	8¾ 13*	Weather seasonable. Rain very urgently wanted for winter rice. Threshing of *bhadoi* finished. *Rabi* sowings going on. Daily average number of persons relieved from the District Board Fund—5 men 28 women and 48 children in the Siwan subdivision; 1 man and 6 children in the Gopalganj subdivision; besides 147 men, 252 women and 400 children gratuitously relieved by the Hathwa Raj. Figures for four centres not received. 30 men, 31 women and 18 children on average daily on the test-work in the Siwan subdivision; figures for the other not received. 1,027 men, 824 women and 608 children on average daily on Hathwa Raj relief-works. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	9¼ 13½*	9¼ 12*	Weather hot, but slightly cold at night. Rain urgently wanted for winter rice. *Rabi* sowings going on, but slowly for want of rain. Threshing of *bhadoi* still going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	9 13*	8 13*	Weather hot in the day, but slightly cold at night. No rain this week. More rain urgently required for winter rice and *rabi* sowings. Paddy on high lands withering from drought. Cholera still prevalent in Sitamarhi and Sadar subdivisions. General condition of people good. Common rice and *makai* selling at 8 seers and 11½ seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi; 7⅞ and 12 1/16 seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur; daily average for gratuitous relief 6,069; figures from one centre not received. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
18	DARBHANGA ...	Nil	7 5/8 12*	8 5/16 12*	Weather hot, sometimes cloudy; cold at night. Paddy crops suffering for want of rain. *Rabi* sowings in progress. Cholera reported from all the thanas in Madhubani. Number of persons relieved at kitchens on the last day of the week—Sadar thana 3,239, Bahera 7,959, Roserah 10,888; Madhubani subdivision 2,308, Samastipur subdivision 2,104. Number of persons on test-works for last day available—Manihas 185, Ujhoul 82, Anar 30, Basaith 893, Ratwara 781, Chakmeahsi 351, Hathourighat 65, Sakalohra 118, Gangdah 107, Salepur 455, Dasauth 406, Balha 121, Tajaparsa 362, Larjaghat 66. No cattle-disease. Fodder sufficient.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	6 3/4 13*	6 3/4 13*	Weather seasonable. Rain needed except in Jamui subdivision. Prospects of winter rice fairly good. Sowings of *rabi* crops going on. Cattle-disease reported from Surajgarha and Kharagpur thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	0·02	8 5/16 10*	8 5/16 14*	Weather hot in the day and cool at night. Rain is badly wanted for *aghani* crop. Sowing of *rabi* crops commenced. Cases of cholera reported from all parts of the Supaul subdivision. Cattle-disease reported from the three subdivisions.
21	PURNEA ...	Nil	7 12*	7 12*	Rain wanted in parts for the standing crops. Lands being prepared for *rabi* crops. Washing of jute almost finished. High prices of food-grains still prevailing. Prospects of *aghani* paddy fair. Agricultural loans being given. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
22	DARJEELING ...	Nil	6 12*	6 12*	Weather seasonable. Hills—Maize, potato, winter rice, *bhadoi* crops and *mandua* in fair state. Terai—cutting of jute nearly finished. Land being prepared for mustard and tobacco.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	3·21	7 5/16 15*	6 11/16 15*	Weather seasonable. Standing crops promising well except in North Godda, where rainfall has been deficient. Cattle-disease reported from Deoghar subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	10 1/2	11 1/8	*Bialí* and jute being harvested. Early cotton, *saradh*, *arhar* and sugarcane growing. *Saradh* suffering for want of rain. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	Nil	11	11	Weather hot. Rain badly wanted generally for the district and particularly for high lands. Harvesting of *bialí*, paddy and jute continuing. *Saradh* in ear. Sugarcane and vegetables doing well. Prospects fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water available.
26	ANGUL ...	Nil	11	11	Some local showers received in the interior. More rain wanted. Sowing of *rabi* going on. Other miscellaneous crops doing well.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
27	Puri ...	Nil	10½	10⅝	Weather seasonable. Sugarcane getting on well. Cotton thriving. Re-weeding of *saradh* paddy going on. Mustard being sown. *Laghu* paddy in ear. Miscellaneous crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
28	Sambalpur ...	Nil	10½	10¼	Sowing of *mung* and harvesting of *marua* in progress in Sambalpur. Reaping and threshing of autumn rice in progress. Harvesting of *urid* completed. Prospects of standing crops and *maghi til* good. Outturn of maize 14 annas in Sambalpur *tahsil*. Cattle-disease prevalent to a small extent. Fodder and water-supply sufficient.
29	Hazaribagh ...	...	9½	10	Prospects of standing crops good. Sowing of *rabi* going on. Common rice selling at 8 seers at Giridih. Cattle-disease reported from four thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
30	Ranchi ...	0·87	10	10½	Weather cloudy. State of standing crops good. More rain wanted in thana Bundu. Harvesting of *bhadoi* pulses in progress. Cattle-disease reported from two thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	Palamau ...	0·78	10 11/16	10 11/16	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* in progress. Standing crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from two thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
32	Manbhum ...	0·17	9	9¼	Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. Rape and mustard being sown. Cattle-disease not reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
33	Singhbhum ...	1·63	9	9	Harvesting of *aus* paddy nearly finished. Damage to crops by insect-pests reported from some villages in the Kharsawan Political States. Common rice selling at 10 seers per rupee at Kharsawan. Fodder and water sufficient.
34	Cooch Behar	Nil	6⅞	6⅞	Prospects of standing crops good. Lands being ploughed for tobacco, wheat and mustards. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Dinhata and Mathabhanga. Fodder and water sufficient.

General Summary.—The rainfall was fairly general in the Burdwan, Presidency and Chota Nagpur Divisions. Good rain was received in Gaya and in the Sonthal Parganas; but no rain fell in most of the districts of Bihar and in Orissa, where it is still badly wanted. Locusts made their appearance in Nadia and Jessore, but little or no injury has been done. *Aman* paddy has been damaged by floods in the latter district. The number of persons reported to be receiving gratuitous relief is—24-Parganas, 11,372, Saran, 887, Muzaffarpur, 6,069, Darbhanga, 26,498,—total 44,826. The number of persons attending test-works is—Saran, 2,528, Darbhanga, 4,023. Cholera has shown itself in the Supaul subdivision of Bhagulpur, and is still prevalent in Muzaffarpur and Darbhanga. Cattle-disease is reported from ten districts. Fodder and water are generally sufficient. The price of common rice has risen in eleven and fallen in five districts.

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Dept. of Agriculture, Bengal,

The 25rd October 1906.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN														
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
SURDWAN DIVISION.	1 Burdwan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 4	13 0	...	...	...
	2 Birbhum ...	9 0	9 0	12 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	13 8	...	...	...
	3 Bankura ...	11 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	9 0	10 0	Old 15 0 New 18 0	...	...	...
	4 Midnapore ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 8	...	...	...
	5 Hooghly ...	8 8	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	6 10	7 0	10 0	...	...	...
	6 Howrah ...	...	...	12 0	...	...	...	7 0	8 0	11 8	...	...	...
PRESIDENCY DIVISION.	7 24-Parganas ...	10 0	10 8	14 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 4	11 0	...	...	...
	8 Calcutta ...	10 5	10 5	10 10	12 14	12 14	12 4	8 14*	7 12	8 0	...	...	...
	9 Nadia ...	11 6	11 7	13 0	14 8	14 8	21 0	8 0	8 0	11 1	...	...	...
	10 Murshidabad ...	10 8	11 0	15 0	17 0	16 0	26 0	7 8	8 0	12 8	...	...	...
	11 Jessore ...	8 0	8 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	11 4	7 0	7 0	12 0	...	...	...
	12 Khulna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	8 4	11 0	...	...	...
	BIHAR.												
PATNA DIVISION.	13 Patna ...	12 0	12 0	13 8	14 0	13 8	18 0	8 8	9 0	14 8	14 0	...	...
	14 Gaya ...	11 12	11 12	13 13	14 6	14 13	22 8	8 3	8 3	13 5	11 4	13 5	18 7
	15 Shahabad ...	11 0	11 4	14 0	12 0	13 0	18 0	9 0	9 4	14 0	...	...	...
	16 Saran ...	11 4	11 0	12 0	13 0	14 0	18 0	8 12	8 8	12 8	...	...	...
	17 Champaran ...	10 12	10 8	14 0	14 0	14 0	20 0	9 4	9 8	15 0	...	...	...
	18 Muzaffarpur ..	10 8	10 8	13 0	13 8	13 8	19 0	9 0	8 0	11 0	...	...	...
	19 Darbhanga .	10 6	10 6	14 4	13 3	13 3	22 0	8 3	8 12	15 6	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 18 seers 5 chitaks ; Raniganj 16 seers ; Kalna 17 seers 12 chitaks.

B. At Rampur Hat the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee.

C At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee.

D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contai 14 seers 8 chitaks ; Tamluk 16 seers ; Ghatal 16 seers.

E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 17 seers (Liverpool, ; Arambagh 16 seers.

F. At Jhalbariah the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee.

G. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetia 16 seers ; Barasat 14 seers; Baduria 16 seers (crushed) ; Mograhat 16 seers ; Barrackpore 13 seers (karkatch).

H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 15 seers (panga) ; Chuadanga 13 seers (karkatch) ; Meherpur 16 seers (karkatch) ; Kanaghat 12 seers (crushed).

* Middapore *Aus*, which is the new production of the year.

Station Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 15th October 1906.

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

RAJRA OR CUMBU (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine Coracana*).		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
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PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

Number.	DISTRICTS	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN															
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	BIHAR—*concluded.*												
BHAGALPUR DIVISION.	20 Monghyr ..	10 15	10 7	15 2	Not sold.	Not sold.	26 3	6 12	6 8	12 4	...	...	...
	21 Bhagalpur ...	10 11	11 6	13 14	12 12	12 12	20 4	8 2	7 8	13 14	...	...	...
	22 Purnea ...	9 0	9 0	14 0	...	...	...	6 0 & 7 0†	5 12 & 6 12*	20 0	..	..	—
	23 Darjeeling ...	...	...	...	..	...	...	6 8	7 0	9 0	...	...	..
	24 Sonthal Parganas.	9 0	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	20 0	6 11	7 8	15 0	...	...	..
	ORISSA.												
ORISSA DIVISION.	25 Cuttack ...	10 8	10 8	11 13	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	13 2	...	...	—
	26 Balasore ...	11 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	11 0	10 8	14 0	...	...	...
	27 Angul ...	6 0	6 0	8 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	15 0		...	...
	28 Puri ...	10 8	10 8	11 2	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	14 7	...	..	—
	29 Sambalpur ...	12 8	12 8	12 8	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	17 0	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPUR.												
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.	30 Hazaribagh ...	9 8	9 12	10 8	12 0	13 12	14 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	...
	31 Ranchi ...	9 0	9 0	7 0 to 10 8	15 0	14 0	15 0	10 8	11 0	11 0	...	...	...
	32 Palamau ...	12 6	11 4	14 10	14 10	14 10	16 14	10 11	9 0	11 4	...	..	...
	33 Manbhum ..	11 0	11 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	9 8	10 0	13 0	..	...	...
	34 Singhbhum ..	10 0	10 0	13 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 0	...	..	..

S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Jamui 16 seers ; Begusarai 15 seers.
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 13¾ seers ; Madhipura 13 seers and Supaul 12 seers.
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 14 seers ; Basantpur 14 seers.
V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kurseong 11 seers ; Siliguri 12 seers.
W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Godda 14 seers ; Jamtara 13 seers ; Pakour 16 seers ; Deoghar 16 seers and Rajmahal 16 seers.

* Now.
† New bhadoi (very bad quality).

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd October 1906.

Bengal on the 15th October 1906—concld.

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine Coracana*).		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
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WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS. Salt.						DISTRICTS.	Number.	
Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.					
S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			BIHAR—*concluded.*		
	Panga.							
15 11	2 16 0	2 10 0	2 8 0			Monghyr.	20	Bhagalpur Division
	Panga.							
15 8	2 6 9	2 6 9	2 9 0			Bhagalpur.	21	
	Panga.							
11 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 8 0			Purnea.	22	
12 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 5 0			Darjeeling.	23	
	Panga.							
14 8	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 10 0			Santhal Parganas.	24	
						ORISSA.		
	Karkatch.							
16 0	2 3 0	2 4 0	2 8 0			Cuttack.	25	Orissa Division.
	Panga.							
17 0	2 5 0	2 8 0	2 6 0			Balasore.	26	
	Karkatch.							
10 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	3 2 0			Angul.	27	
16 0	2 3 0	2 4 0	2 8 0			Puri	28	
	Karkatch.							
12 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0			Sambalpur.	29	
						CHOTA NAGPUR.		
	Panga.							
12 8	3 0 0	2 15 0	3 1 0			Hazaribagh.	30	Chota Nagpur Division.
	Panga.							
12 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 1 0			Ranchi.	31	
14 10	...	...	...			Palamau.	2	
	Panga.							
14 0	2 9 0	3 0 0	2 12 0			Manbhum.	33	
	Panga.							
13 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 0 0			Singhbhum.	34	

per rupee are—Kondrapara 16 seers ; Jajpur 16 seers.
eers per rupee (panga).
t the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Saukhpur 11 seers (karkatch)
rs per rupee.
ers (Bombay).
s per rupee (panga).
per rupee are—Gobindapur 16 seers (panga) ; Jhalda 11 seers.
to the fresh *mahai* brought in the market for sale.

for general information.

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., in

PRICE PER MAUND OF

Number.	Marts.	Rice (first sort).			Common rice (*mota chaul*).			Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).			Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	6 14 0	6 15 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	4 15 0	4 12 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 10 0
2	Burdwan ...	6 0 0	6 2 0	3 8 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	2 15 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Midnapore ...	6 4 0	5 12 0	3 4 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	2 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Patna ...	6 0 0	5 11 0	4 0 0	4 11 0	4 6 0	2 12 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	2 15 0	3 0 0	2 15 0	2 3 6
5	Muzaffarpur ...	6 10 6	6 10 6	5 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 6	3 5 3	3 10 0	3 10 0	2 13 9	2 13 9	2 13 9	2 0 0
6	Bhagalpur ...	6 6 6	6 10 0	3 12 0	4 14 0	5 5 0	2 13 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	2 13 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	1 15 6
7	Cuttack ...	5 5 4	5 5 4	5 9 0	3 13 0	3 13 0	3 0 9	3 13 0	3 9 9	3 3 9	...	...	...
8	Sambalpur ...	4 3 0	4 3 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	2 4 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	...	...
9	Ranchi ...	5 1 3	5 1 3	14 6	3 14 6	3 5 3	3 1 0	4 3 6	3 10 0 to 4 3 6	3 13 0 to 5 11 3	2 10 9	2 14 0	2 10 8

CALCUTTA,

The 22nd October 1906.

40 STANDARD SEERS.

Juar or Cholum (*Sorghum vulgare*).			Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*).			Gram, Chana, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*).		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
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...	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	...	...	...	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 0 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 8 0	2 14 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4 0 to 3 12 0	3 4 0 to 3 12 0	2 12 0 to 3 4 0
2 12 0	2 12 0	...	...	...	...	2 11 0	2 11 0	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 12 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	3 1 3	2 13 9	2 0 0	3 3 0	3 1 3	2 8 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 3 0	3 5 0	2 6 0
									Biri or Kalai.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 6 3	3 5 4	2 7 6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 13 0	3 13 0	2 9 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 13 3	3 14 6	3 3 0

Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Thur—Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Linseed.			Mustard and Rapeseed.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
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2 14 0	3 2 0	2 10 0	5 8 0	5 10 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 2 0	6 8 0	6 10 0	4 6 0
...	...	...	5 6 0	5 4 0	4 2 0	...	...	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 10 0
...	...	...	5 12 0	5 4 0	4 8 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 12 0	Black mustard, 6 8 0 / Rapeseed, 5 8 0	6 8 0 / 5 8 0	5 12 0 / 4 4 0
3 1 0	2 12 0	2 3 0	5 0 0	5 1 0	4 3 0	5 2 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 10 0
3 1 3	3 1 3	2 1 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	3 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3 2 0	3 2 0	1 15 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	Mustard, 6 0 0 / Rapeseed, ...	6 0 0 / ...	4 6 0 / 5 3 0
...	...	...	3 9 0	3 9 0	2 12 3	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 12 0
...	...	...	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	...	...	...	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 12 0
...	...	...	6 10 6	6 10 6	7 4 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 8 0	6 12 0	5 15 0 to 6 2 6

40 STANDARD SEERS.

Til or Jinjli seed			Sugar (raw)			Cotton (cleaned).			Jute.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
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6 4 0	6 8 0	4 8 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	5 8 0	19 8 0	19 8 0	17 0 0	10 [illegible] 0	10 12 0	7 0 0
...	...	...	5 12 0	5 10 6	6 4 0	...	...	21 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	5 4 0	5 4 0	7 4 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	25 0 0	...	...	...
6 8 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	17 8 0	18 0 0	...	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 4 0
...	...	...	4 [illegible] 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 4 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
5 2 3	5 5 3	5 2 3	4 0 6	4 0 6	6 8 0	22 13 0	22 13 0	22 13 0	...	...	...
4 14 0	4 14 0	4 6 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 0 0
...	...	...	5 11 6	5 11 6	6 10 6	22 12 0	26 10 0	26 10 0	...	...	...

PRICE PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.																	
GHI (CLARIFIED BUTTER).			TOBACCO LEAF.			HIDES (COW).			GRASS.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
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						Per 100 pieces.					
40 0 0	40 0 0	39 0 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 0 0	430 0 0	430 0 0	500 0 0	1 6 0	1 6 0	2 0 0
43 0 0	42 12 0	37 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	—	—
						Uncleaned per piece.					
			Madhukhali.			3 0 0 to 4 0 0	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	2 4 0 to 3 4 0			
42 0 0	42 0 0	38 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	Cleaned per piece.			...	...	—
			Pulta.			3 4 0 to 4 4 0	3 4 0 to 4 4 0	2 8 0 to 3 8 0			
			9 0 0	9 0 0	7 12 0						
38 0 0	38 0 0	34 0 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 12 0	...	...	...	0 4 6	0 4 6	...
40 0 0	40 0 0	35 9 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	...	...	—	—	—	...
39 8 0	39 8 0	30 0 0	7 8 0	8 0 0	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
						Per maund.					
38 1 6	41 14 6	38 1 6	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 1 6	30 0 0	30 0 0	25 0 0	0 7 6	0 7 6	0 7 0
						Per maund.					
40 0 0	40 0 0	37 8 0	22 13 0	22 13 0	16 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	38 0 0	...	...	...
						Per piece.					
37 8 0 to 40 0 0	37 8 0 to 42 0 0	35 0 0 to 40 0 0	1 0 0	16 0 0	10 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0 to 2 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 3 4

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 15th October 1906.

STRAW.			JUAR STALKS.			PRICE PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.									MARTS.
						IRON			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Nert preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
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												Panga.			
1 0 0	1 4 0	1 0 0	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 6 0	6 0 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	0 9 0	2 0	2 2 0	2 8 0	1. Calcutta.
Per pan.												Crushed.			
0 12 0	0 13 0	0 6 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7 6	2 4 6 / 2 4 0	2 5 0 / 2 4 0	2 3 6 / 2 3 0	2. Burdwan.
Per maund.												Panga.			
0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	...	...	...	2 8 0 to 4 8 0	2 8 0 to 4 8 0	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 5 0	2 5 0	2 6 0	3. Midnapore.
												Panga.			
...	...	...	...	0 3 0	...	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 0 0	0 6 6	...	0 6 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	4. Patna.
												Panga.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 11 6	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 4 0	2 10 6	2 10 6	2 12 0	5. Muzaffarp
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 6 3	2 6 9	2 6 9	2 9 0	6. Bhagalpur
												Karkatch.			
0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	3 13 4	0 4 6	0 5 0	0 5 0	2 3 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	7. Cuttack.
												Karkatch.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 3 6	0 3 6	0 4 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	8. Sambalpur.
												Panga.			
1 0 0	2 0 0	0 12 9	...	...	...	5 11 6	5 11 6	5 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 1 0	9. Ranchi.

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METEOROLOGICAL REPORT OF THE PROVINCES OF BENGAL AND OF EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1906.

District.	Representative Stations.	Air Pressure.					Wind.		Temperature.					Humidity.		Cloud.		Rainfall.
		Highest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Lowest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Mean, 8 A.M., reduced to 32°.	Mean reduced to sea-level and constant gravity, Lat. 45°.	Departure from normal.	Mean direction at 8 A.M.	Mean velocity in miles daily.	Highest of month.	Lowest of month.	Mean daily maximum temperature.	Mean daily minimum temperature.	Mean daily temperature.	Departure from normal.	Mean, 8 A.M.	Departure from normal.	Mean cloud amount, 8 A.M.	Departure, from normal, 8 A.M.	
Burdwan	Burdwan ...	29·744	29·485	29·616	29·663	—·046	E	40	94·9	74·8	90·9	79·5	85·2	+0·9	88	+2	5·7	—2·1	13·88
	Raniganj ...	29·522	29·217	29·383	29·670	—·038	S48°E	23	93·5	75·9	90·4	79·1	84·3	+1·0	89	—	4·8	—	6·16
Bankura	Bankura ...	29·528	29·203	29·391	29·654	—·035	N63°W	56	95·1	76·2	90·4	79·0	84·7	+1·6	86	—	5·0	—	7·34
Midnapore	Midnapore ...	29·606	29·352	29·536	29·653	—·051	N10°W	49	93·3	75·7	89·4	79·5	84·5	+1·2	86	—	4·5	—	6·65
24-Parganas	Saugor Island	29·835	29·559	29·696	29·657	—·034	S27°W	227	92·4	78·1	88·9	80·7	84·8	+0·9	90	0	7·8	+0·3	9·84
Calcutta	Calcutta ...	29·813	29·561	29·696	29·660	—·041	S79°E	75	92·4	75·4	88·0	78·6	83·3	+0·5	91	+4	7·5	—0·7	8·30
Nadia	Krishnagar ...	29·808	29·535	29·667	29·663	—·045	S56°E	29	94·6	75·0	90·1	78·9	84·5	+1·4	89	—	5·6	—	6·64
Murshidabad	Berhampore	29·778	29·522	29·651	29·668	—·042	S8°W	58	96·6	73·7	89·9	79·2	84·6	+0·9	86	+2	7·1	—1·4	10·81
Jessore	Jessore ...	29·817	29·535	29·663	29·663	—·050	S4°W	29	94·0	74·7	89·0	78·3	83·7	—0·3	89	+2	4·1	—4·3	11·07
Rajshahi	Rampur Boalia	29·779	29·523	29·651	29·671	—·034	E	38	93·1	73·6	89·3	78·9	84·1	+1·4	85	—	4·3	—	9·20
Dinajpur	Dinajpur ...	29·709	29·488	29·603	29·681	—·037	N39°E	68	95·8	75·5	91·3	79·4	84·9	+2·1	86	—	5·4	—	5·62
Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri ...	29·551	29·337	29·448	29·689	—·045	S79°E	34	94·9	73·6	90·8	77·5	84·2	+2·9	90	—	6·2	—	11·67
Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar	29·684	29·462	29·585	29·695	—	N81°E	41	96·4	73·6	91·5	78·4	85·0	—	85	—	5·7	—	12·16
Rangpur	Rangpur ...	29·721	29·491	29·610	29·688	—·041	S77°E	48	95·6	75·1	90·9	79·3	85·1	+2·5	84	—	6·0	—	5·03
Bogra	Bogra ...	29·764	29·513	29·646	29·659	—·054	S45°E	28	93·2	75·1	90·3	78·9	84·6	+1·7	85	—	4·5	—	14·23
Pabna	Sirajganj ...	?	?	?	?	?	E	53	95·3	74·2	88·7	79·3	84·0	+1·3	88	—	6·0	—	17·64
Dacca	Narayanganj	29·836	29·592	29·719	29·693	—·032	S50°E	105	92·5	74·8	88·9	79·2	84·1	+0·4	89	0	7·0	+0·7	16·74
Mymensingh	Mymensingh	29·801	29·549	29·682a	29·695a	—·045	S48°E	80b	96·2	74·1	89·85	78·5a	84·2b	+1·9	87a	—	7·8a	—	27·38
Faridpur	Faridpur ...	29·809	29·553	29·684	29·680	—·050	S20°E	71	92·3	72·9	88·0	78·9a	83·6a	+0·8	87	—	5·0	—	10·99
Backergunge	Barisal ...	29·852	29·577	29·722	29·680	—·046	S37°E	38	92·8	75·1	87·9	78·4	83·1	—0·3	91	—	5·4	—	12·35
Tippera	Comilla ...	29·829	29·566	29·708	29·692	—·047	S43°E	78	94·3	74·3	89·4	77·2	83 3	+1·0	90	—	4·2	—	22·60
Noakhali	Noakhali ...	29·820	29·576	29·705	29·695	—·040	S67°E	99	89·8	73·9	86·2	77·7	82·0	+0·3	89	—	6·1	—	24·45
Chittagong	Chittagong ...	29·789	29·533	29·663	29·703	—·047	S57°E	119	90·1	73·4	87·3	76·6	82·0	+0·4	90	+2	7·6	+0·5	13·71
Patna	Bankipore ...	29·648	29·423	29·528	29·664	—·035	S34°E	106	94·5	76·2	90·5	79·3	84·9	+0·4	84	—1	4·7	—2·3	5·30
Gaya	Gaya ...	29·470	29·216	29·336	29·664	—·025	N9°W	73	95·9	71·9	91·9	78·6	85·3	+0·9	82	+1	4·9	—2·5	8·62
Shahabad	Dehri ...	29·482	29·220	29·347	29·651	—·036	S3°E	141	95·3	74·0	91·3	78·3	84·8	+1·7	82	—	6·1	—	7·39
	Buxar ...	29·608	29·335	29·465	29·660	—·050	S63°E	108	95·5	75·1	91·5	78·0	84 8	+1·6	85	—	5·0	—	3·03
	Arrah ...	29·646	29·398	29·525	29·667	—·018	S33°E	39	95·4	75·7	91·4	78·6	85·0	+1·3	83	—	2·4	—	3·39
Saran	Chapra ...	29·642	29·390	29·516	29·651	—·040	S27°E	59	95·4	74·6	91·3	78·7	85·0	+1·2	87	—	2·0	—	3·54
Champaran	Motihari ...	29·617	29·360	29·492	29·676	—·030	N63°E	70	95·9	76·3	92·1	78·5	85·4	+2·2	85	—	3·7	—	2·04
Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	29·655	29·413	29·540	29·673	—·024	S72°E	31	93·7	76·5	91·1	79·1	85·1	—	84	—	1·5	—	3·67
Darbhanga	Darbhanga ...	29·679	29·427	29·558	29·676	—·027	N45°E	55b	95·1	75·8	91·3	79 3	85·4	+1·8	83	—5	2·6	—3·3	3·14
Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur ...	29·681	29·437	29·564	29·675	—·013	S76°E	48	95·2	76·1	91·3	78·7	85·0	+1·9	73	—	4·6	—	4·15
Darjeeling	Darjeeling ...	23·079	22·927	23·011	22·966	—·018	N45°E	79	73·2	54·1	67·4	56·8	62·1	+2·3	91	—1	7·6	—0·3	9·24
Purnea	Purnea ...	29·708	29·474	29·600	29·679	—·032	N60°E	65	93·2	75·2	90·9	79·2	85·1	+1·9	86	—3	4·2	—3·3	3·54
Malda	Malda ...	29·760	29·499	29·629	29·653	—·059	N14°W	?	94·1	75·1	90·5	79·8	85·1	+1·4	86	—	2·1	—	4·71
Sonthal Parganas	Naya Dumka	29·345	29·073	29·226	29·672	—·028	S72°E	44	94·5	74·4	90·2	77·4	83·8	+1·6	87	—	4·6	—	4·16
Sambalpur	Sambalpur ...	29·392	29·096	29·230	29·664	—·044	S17°W	114	93·1	75·6	88·4	77·7	83·1	—0·3	83	—	6·4	—	7·46
Angul	Angul ...	29·419	29·126	29·261	29·675	—	N59°W	147	93·1	74·1	88·9	77·1	83·0	—	85	—	4·6	—	10·64
Cuttack	Cuttack ...	29·786	29·513	29·639	29·663	—·028	S67°W	47	94·4	77·2	91·0	79·1	85·0	+0·9	85	+3	6·3	—0·3	7 67
	False Point ...	29·856	29·555	29·703	29·686	—·023	W	153	93·1	74·6	85·6	78·4	83·5	+0 5	86	—1	7·6	+0·5	7 91
Balasore	Balasore ...	29·809	29·474	29·664	29·656	—·035	N41°W	53	93·4	76·8	89·5	79·1	84·3	+0·9	84	—	6·1	—	18·06
Puri	Puri ...	29·861	29·564	29·706	29·669	—·023	N30°W	202	94·1	77·6	89·5	80·0	84·7	—	85	—	5·8	—	5·93
Ganjam	Gopalpur ...	29·814	29·509	29·661	29·674	—·019	N47°W	201	92·2	76·0	88·8	79·4	84·1	+0·8	85	—	5·4	—	7·83
	Calingapatam	29·866	29·588	29·713	29·672	—	N78°W	136						—	—	—			3·85
Hazaribagh	Hazaribagh ...	27·846	27·571	27·720	29·676	—·027	N37°W	139	88·7	70·3	85·4	73·9	79·2	+0·7	86	+1	6·3	—1·8	10·39
Ranchi	Ranchi ...	27·744	27·429	27·610	29·685	—·019	N23°W	155	88·7	70·4	85·0	72·8	78·9	+0·9	86	—	6·4	—	9·51
Palamau	Daltonganj ...	29·113	28·836	28·978	29·663	—	S63°E	57	94·1	72·0	90·6	75·3	83 0	—	88	—	4·4	—	9·42
Manbhum	Purulia ...	29·039	28·666	28·807	29·669	—	N13°W	67	93·5	75·4	90·2	77·2c	83·8c	—	89	—	5·3	—	6·35
Singhbhum	Chaibassa ...	29·083	28·742	28·940	29·651	—·037	N	?	93·4	75·2	89·5	76·8	83·2	+0·2	86	—	5·4	—	5·23
Dibrugarh	Dibrugarh ...	29·502	29·296	29·411a	29·723a	—	N63°E	64	93·9	70·5	83·5a	76·2a	82·4a	—	91b	—	6·7a	—	6 88
Sibsagar	Sibsagar ...	29·529	29·334	29·403	29·737	—·077	N63°W	38	92·6	74·2	88·1	77·2	82·7	+0·5	93	+1	8·1	—0·3	6·11
Tezpur	Tezpur ...	29·609	29·384	29·506	29·717	—	E	46	95·6	74·4	89·2	77·5	83·4	—	91	—	6·5	—	9 63
Kamrup	Gauhati ...	29·659	29·442	29·564	29·714	—	S59°E	53	96·5	74·5	91·6	77·6	84·6	—	87	—	6·5	—	8·90
Goalpara	Dhubri ...	29·719	29·485	29·605	29·675	—·064	S70°E	156	95·2	73·7	88·9	78·7	83·8	+2·8	89	—3	6·5	—0·4	11·58
Cachar	Silchar ...	29·781	29·530	29·650	29·716	—·044	Calm	0	97·1	74·3	92·1	77·1	84·6	+1·5	89	+1	6·1	—1·5	9·87
Khasia and Jaintia Hills	Shillong ...	25·182	24·967	25·076	25·028	—	S39°E	48	83·4	56·7	75·1	62·0	68·6	—	87	—	6·8	—	16·11
	Cherrapunji	25·696	25·528	25·616	25·567	—	N61°E	91	83·7	60·8	75·0	65·6	70·3	—	91	—	6·9	—	44·61

(a) Mean of 20 days. (b) Mean of 25 days. (c) Mean of 24 days.

SUMMARY OF THE METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL, AND IN EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM, FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1906.

During the last week of August a depression formed off the Orissa coast and moved westward into South Rajputana. At the beginning of the present month it ceased to influence the weather in Bengal, and rainfall stopped in North-East India except in Assam, where light to moderate rain was recorded. On the second of the month the trough of low pressure, separating the two wind systems, extended into the Bay, and as a consequence a depression commenced to form off the Orissa coast on the third of the month. Its influence on the rainfall of Bengal was felt immediately, and precipitation became fairly general in Deltaic Bengal. It crossed the coast in the neighbourhood of Puri on the fifth, and gave moderate rain to Orissa and Chota Nagpur. A second depression formed under similar conditions a few days later, crossing the coast to the west of Saugor Island on the eleventh. It was then very shallow, but intensified somewhat in its passage over land. It moved rapidly in a west-north-westerly direction into the north of the Central Provinces, and gave general rain in Deltaic Bengal, Chota Nagpur and Orissa. During the next week precipitation was fairly general, but below the normal. Over the Bay pressure was very uniform and remained so until the nineteenth of the month when a shallow low pressure area appeared off the Madras coast and gradients commenced to become steeper. This low pressure area remained for a few days without developing, and appeared to merge itself in the low pressure trough extending at that time from the Himalayas into the Bay. The depression, however, on September 23rd became more definite, and on the 25th crossed the coast near Gopalpur in the shape of a small storm. Rainfall, which had been rather scanty in the Province during the early stages of the depression, recommenced on the 24th, precipitation being fairly general in Chota Nagpur and Orissa and local in Bengal and Bihar. On the 26th a low pressure area appeared in Burmah, which moved westward and extended over Deltaic Bengal on September 27th. It apparently intensified on the same day in the north-east angle of the Bay into a small disturbance, and crossed the coast near Barisal. Under the influence of this depression very heavy rain fell in Eastern Bengal, and precipitation extended into North Bengal and South-West Bengal. The depression moved in north-westerly direction, and continued to give general and widespread rain till the end of the month.

Summary of Temperature.—The average mean of the month was above the normal mean of the month in all the meteorological divisions. As usual in the rains, variations in temperature were closely associated with rainfall, and the excess of the average mean for the month over the normal mean was lowest in Eastern Bengal, where rainfall was in excess, and highest in North Bengal, where the deficiency was greater than that of the other divisions.

The highest temperature 99·1 recorded during the month was reported from Silchar while Gaya reported the lowest temperature 71·9.

The following table gives the summary of the temperature of each of the seven Meteorological Divisions of the Provinces of Bengal and of Eastern Bengal and Assam for the month of September 1906:—

Meteorological Division.	Temperature.					
	Highest observed during month.	Lowest observed during month.	*Average for month.*			Average near of month above or below normal mean of month.
			Of highest of each day.	Of lowest of each day.	Of mean for each day.	
South-West Bengal	95·1	73·7	89·7	79·1	84·4	+ 0·9
North Bengal	96·4	73·2	90·4	78·6	84·5	+ 2·0
East Bengal	96·2	72·9	88·2	78·1	83·2	+ 0·6
Bihar	95·9	71·9	91·2	78·7	85·0	+ 1·5
Orissa	94·4	74·1	89·2	78·7	84·0	+ 0·7
Chota Nagpur[1]	94·1	70·8	87·6	74·5	81·1	+ 0·6
Assam	99·1	70·5	89·7	77·4	83·6	+ 1·6

[1] Purulia not included.

Summary of Rainfall.—The rainfall work of the Province has been placed in the hands of the Director of Agriculture, Bengal, and the usual data regarding the actual and normal rainfall during the month will be published by that Department. A short table, however, is attached to this report, giving the rainfall recorded during the month at the head-quarters of the various districts of the Province.

Rainfall was in considerable excess in Eastern Bengal, the departure from the normal being more than 100 per cent. of the normal rainfall in Mymensingh and Comilla. There was defect in all the other meteorological divisions, but, except in a few stations, principally in North Bengal, the deficiency was slight.

Actual and average rainfall and departure from normal for September 1906.

Meteorological Division.	District.	Station.	Actual.	Normal.	Departure from normal.
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	Burdwan	13·58	8·59	+ 4·99
		Raniganj	6·16	7·60	— 1·44
	Bankura	Bankura	7·34	8·75	— 1·41
	Midnapore	Midnapore	6·65	8·72	— 2·07
	24-Parganas	Saugor Island	9·84	12·10	— 2·26
	Calcutta	Calcutta	8·30	10·40	— 2·10
	Nadia	Krishnagar	6·64	7·97	— 1·33
	Murshida'ad	Berhampore	10·51	9·79	+ 0·72
	Jessore	Jessore	11·67	9·00	+ 2·67
North Bengal	Rajshahi	Rampur Boalia	9·20	10·40	— 1·20
	Dinajpur	Dinajpur	5·62	13·31	— 7·69
	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri	11·67	22·65	—10·98
	Darjeeling	Darjeeling	9·24	18·34	— 9·10
	Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar	12·16	21·82	— 9·66
	Rangpur	Rangpur	5·03	14·18	— 9·15
	Bogra	Bogra	14·23	11·65	+ 2·58
	Pabna	Sirajganj	17·64	9·08	+ 8·56
East Bengal	Dacca	Narayanganj	16·74	8·99	+ 7·75
	Mymensingh	Mymensingh	27·38	13·62	+13·76
	Faridpur	Faridpur	10·99	9·07	+ 1·92
	Backergunge	Barisal	12·35	11·33	+ 1·02
	Tippera	Comilla	22·60	11·11	+11·49
	Noakhali	Noakhali	24·45	15·51	+ 8·94
	Chittagong	Chittagong	13·71	13·03	+ 0·68
Bihar	Patna	Bankipore	5·20	7·82	— 2·62
	Gaya	Gaya	8·62	6·87	+ 1·75
	Shahabad	Dehri	7·30	6·46	+ 0·84
		Buxar	3·09	6·98	— 3·89
		Arrah	3·39	8·23	— 4·84
	Saran	Chapra	3·54	7·22	— 3·68
	Champaran	Motihari	2·04	9·46	— 7·42
	Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	3·67	8·17	— 4·50
	Darbhanga	Darbhanga	3·14	9·33	— 6·19
	Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur	4·15	8·48	— 4·33
	Purnea	Purnea	3·54	14·34	—10·80
	Malda	Malda	4·71	10·86	— 6·15
	Santhal Parganas	Naya Dumka	4·16	10·01	— 5·85
Orissa	Sambalpur	Sambalpur	7·46	8·76	— 1·30
	Angul	Angul	10·64	8·57	+ 2·07
	Cuttack	Cuttack	7·67	10·48	— 2·81
		False Point	7·61	11·17	— 3·56
	Balasore	Balasore	18·06	12·95	+ 5·11
	Puri	Puri	5·28	9·91	— 4·63
Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	Hazaribagh	10·39	8·26	+ 2·13
	Ranchi	Ranchi	9·51	8·62	+ 0·89
	Palamau	Daltonganj	9·42	7·54	+ 1·88
	Manbhum	Purulia	6·25	8·14	— 1·89
	Singhbhum	Chaibassa	5·23	8·30	— 3·07

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
The 23rd October 1906.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 20th October 1906, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 20th October 1906.			Week ending Saturday, the 21st October 1905		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs
Rice and paddy	526	1,23,733	1,123	779	83,100	1,227
Jute	878	2,20,425*	3,767	610	1,78,683†	2,966
Firewood	99	87,450	1,268	78	66,065	832
Other articles	938	1,95,482	2,167	807	1,71,210	2,029
Total ...	2,441	6,27,090	8,325	2,274	4,89,058	7,054

* Weight by canal measurement, 2,33,450 maunds.
† Ditto ditto 1,91,087½ do.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 14th to 20th October 1906.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rains.	Weather.
1906.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inches.	°	%			Inches.	
Oct.	14th	138·0	6·1	29·874	81·1	87·9	12·6	75·3	77·5	0·896	75·9	82	NW by W and SE by E.	45	Nil	Partially cloudy d.
,,	15th	143·6	7·0	·920	81·3	88·9	14·3	74·6	77·0	·882	75·4	82	SE by E and SW by S.	31	0·03	Partially cloudy
,,	16th	145·7	7·1	·936	81·7	89·2	14·	75·2	78·1	·918	76·6	83	NW by W and NNE.	38	Nil	Partially cloudy,
,,	17th	147·9	6·8	·918	82·6	89·9	13·7	76·2	77·9	·918	76·6	84	NNE and NNW	46	,,	Partially cloudy, d.
,,	18th	141·7	5·2	·877	81·2	87·9	12·4	75·5	78·1	·931	77·1	86	NNW and ENE	29	0·03	Partially cloudy, d.
,,	19th	140·9	4·5	·898	81·1	87·1	11·1	76·0	75·7	·860	74·6	85	ENE and WSW	41	0·04	Partially cloudy, o, d, g,
,,	20th	138·9	4·0	·897	80·1	86·3	11·4	74·9	77·4	·918	76·6	88	WSW, SW by W and calm.	24	0·01	Partially cloudy,

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·902
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·859
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	40·7
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	80·9
The mean temperature of the seven days	81·3
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	82·0
The extreme variation of temperature	15·3
The maximum temperature	89 9
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	8
	%
The mean relative humidity	84
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	77
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 14th to 20th October 1906	0·11
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	0 85
The total fall from 1st January to 20th October 1906	52·03
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	62·62

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from the traces of the Barograph and from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

, dew; d, drizzling rain; o, overcast; g, gloomy.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 29th September 1906 on 2,094·73 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	446,646	4,32,556 0 0	53,74,025 0	8,56,813 0 0	28,099 0 0	13,17,468 0 0	130,862	165,538	
Or per mile of railway	...	206 8 0	...	409 0 6	13 6 7	628 15 1	...	...	
For previous 12 weeks of half-year	5,450,340	50,44,951 0 0	7,27,71,463 0	1,15,91,525 0 0	3,39,820 0 0	1,69,76,296 0 0	1,562,004	2,020,615	3,582,619
Total for 13 weeks ...	5,896,986	54,77,507 0 0	7,81,45,488 0	1,24,48,338 0 0	3,67,919 0 0	1,82,93,764 0 0	1,692,866	2,186,153	3,882,019
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	409,400	4,40,809 3 4	54,29,807 0	9,27,712 12 9	29,037 9 2	13,97,559 9 3	125,756	157,624	283,380
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...		214 14 8		462 4 11	14 7 2	691 10 9			
Total for corresponding 13 weeks of previous year	5,643,345	54,35,269 2 4	7,67,11,742 0	1,15,44,597 9 4	3,80,587 2 3	1,73,60,453 13 11	1,638,468	2,116,858	3,755,346

(a) The decrease is chiefly in coal as well as in general merchandise.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earning	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*2,078·13	Week ended 7th July ...	567,167	4,48,491	69,19,072	9,69,219	25,096	14,42,796	694	304,958	4 11 8
*2,078·13	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	460,364	4,04,849	63,54,825	9,33,554	29,663	13,67,066	658	301,065	4 8 8
*2,078·13	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	457,480	4,35,442	57,13,738	9,49,878	27,975	14,13,296	680	298,384	4 11 9
*2,078·13	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	430,063	4,04,955	45,30,696	8,06,566	28,675	12,39,202	596	274,042	4 8 4
*2,078·13	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	487,011	4,43,618	59,95,837	9,00,114	28,810	13,61,542	665	303,109	4 8 11
2,072·99	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	432,025	4,15,058	58,03,854	8,95,535	30,413	13,41,001	647	285,917	4 11 1
2,087·03	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	411,734	3,80,530	59,05,519	9,16,553	28,886	13,25,749	635	280,371	4 11 8
2,094·73	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	403,404	3,63,781	57,46,952	9,18,781	28,391	13,10,953	626	284,702	4 9 8
2,094·73	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	446,749	4,13,519	64,43,747	10,96,921	27,621	15,38,061	734	312,806	4 14 9
2,094·73	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	466,850	4,21,492	64,89,890	11,22,195	27,720	15,71,407	750	317,281	4 15 3
2,094·73	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	427,516	4,25,696	65,15,856	10,47,913	28,548	15,02,157	717	314,380	4 12 5
2,094·73	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	469,387	4,88,535	63,51,477	10,26,493	28,099	15,43,127	737	305,924	5 0 8
2,094·73	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	446,646	4,32,556	53,74,025	8,56,813	28,099	13,17,468	629	299,400	4 6 6
	Totals up to date ...	5,896,986	54,77,507	7,81,45,488	1,24,48,338	3,67,919	1,82,93,764	674	3,882,019	4 11

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,041·33	First 6 days of July	559,904	5,07,593	73,45,103	10,75,471	31,669	16,14,733	791	342,064	4 11 7
2,041·33	Week ended 15th July	530,099	4,89,696	55,14,313	8,18,437	29,993	13,08,026	641	291,785	4 7 9
2,041·33	,, ,, 22nd ,,	483,067	4,41,862	54,05,115	8,81,667	28,775	13,52,304	662	286,188	4 11 7
2,041·33	,, ,, 29th ,,	433,430	4,40,780	60,89,066	8,88,063	27,920	13,56,763	665	280,065	4 12 6
2,041·33	,, 5th Aug.	425,563	4,14,472	60,12,732	8,20,083	28,394	12,63,549	619	276,831	4 9 1
2,041·33	,, 12th ,,	413,045	3,84,688	56,23,390	8,43,045	25,963	12,53,596	614	274,961	4 9 0
2,045·03	,, 19th ,,	423,019	3,76,084	49,30,968	7,43,810	26,001	11,46,895	561	269,757	4 4 0
2,049·96	,, 26th ,,	373,567	3,72,641	64,79,794	8,63,016	26,808	13,02,465	636	271,293	4 10 5
2,050·28	,, 2nd Sept.	382,791	3,59,779	68,75,259	9,93,026	32,849	13,01,654	679	280,006	4 12 10
2,051·07	,, 9th ,,	395,255	3,91,755	62,93,480	9,14,014	30,213	13,35,982	651	295,120	4 8 5
2,051·07	,, 16th ,, ...	443,159	4,35,554	57,01,210	8,92,604	30,737	13,58,895	663	301,798	4 8 1
2,051·07	,, 23rd ,, ...	403,136	4,09,686	51,68,016	8,77,050	31,121	13,17,857	643	293,798	4 8 0
2,051·07	,, 30th ,, ...	409,400	4,40,809	54,29,807	9,27,713	29,038	13,98,100	682	283,380	4 14 11
	Totals up to date ...	5,643,345	54,35,269	7,67,11,742	1,15,44,596	3,80,587	1,73,60,454	646	3,755,346	4 10 0

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 29th September 1906 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	21,004	4,884 0 0	18,033 0	755 0 0	9 0 0	5,648 0 0	963	225	1,188
Or per mile of railway	...	219 11 3	...	33 15 5	0 6 6	254 1 2	...	...	...
For previous 12 weeks of half-year	265,229	62,419 0 0	4,28,043 0	5,050 0 0	110 0 0	67,579 0 0	11,639	2,709	14,348
Total for 13 weeks ...	286,233	67,303 0 0	1,46,076 0	5,805 0 0	119 0 0	73,227 0 0	12,602	2,934	15,536
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	18,997	3,942 1 9	13,811 30	633 10 0	5 13 0	4,581 8 9	917	225	1,142
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	...	177 5 4	...	28 8 1	0 4 2	206 1 7	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 13¼ weeks of previous year	266,240	60,773 2 9	1,58,475 0	5,138 1 0	107 15 3	66,019 3 0	12,711	2,941	15,652

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	Week ended 7th July	41,984	10,696	14,889	553	15	11,264	507	1,252	8 15 11
*22·23	,, ,, 14th	24,540	5,737	10,816	416	13	6,166	277	1,190	5 2 11
*22·23	21st ,,	21,707	5,008	11,170	374	6	5,388	243	1,256	4 4 8
*22·23	28th ,,	17,640	4,140	5,948	242	9	4,391	198	1,126	3 14 5
*22·23	4th Aug.	21,759	5,656	10,176	330	13	5,999	270	1,208	4 15 5
22·23	11th ,,	20,019	4,631	7,832	362	5	4,988	224	1,189	4 3 2
22·23	18th ,,	18,735	4,021	5,506	234	7	4,262	192	1,188	3 9 5
22·23	25th ,,	17,946	3,985	10,605	435	8	4,428	199	1,188	3 11 8
22·23	1st Sept.	17,763	3,963	8,283	347	-	4,310	194	1,188	3 10 2
22·23	8th ,,	19,780	4,735	10,433	459		5,203	234	1,188	4 6 1
22·23	15th ,,	20,744	4,606	12,142	512		5,126	231	1,188	4 5 0
22·23	22nd ,,	22,623	5,251	20,243	786		6,046	272	1,188	5 1 5
22·23	29th ,,	21,004	4,884	18,033	755		5,648	254	1,188	4 12 1
	Totals up to date	286,233	67,303	1,46,076	5,805	119	73,227	253	15,536	4 11 5

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 8 days of July ...	25,207	5,783	11,209	394	19	6,196	279	1,268	4 12 4
22·23	Week ended 15th July ...	33,950	7,842	9,826	283	9	8,134	366	1,352	6 7 11
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	26,398	6,519	5,291	212	4	6,735	303	1,010	6 10 8
22·23	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	15,036	3,670	4,322	171	14	3,854	174	1,284	2 12 6
22·23	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	15,506	3,404	13,446	276	9	3,779	170	1,196	3 3 7
22·23	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	21,980	5,499	4,949	227	6	5,732	258	1,032	5 8 10
22·23	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	19,379	4,230	42,165	627	6	4,872	219	834	5 13 6
22·23	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	16,249	3,654	7,788	411	8	3,903	176	1,780	2 3 1
22·23	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	16,869	3,745	7,701	311	4	4,060	183	1,186	3 0 9
22·23	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	19,359	4,394	10,749	403	8	4,804	219	1,186	4 1 7
22·23	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	20,267	4,248	10,087	437	9	4,694	211	1,186	3 15 4
22·23	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	18,033	3,906	17,287	694	6	4,606	207	1,186	3 15 2
22·23	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	16,047	3,942	13,811	633	6	4,581	206	1,142	4 0 2
	Totals up to date ...	266,240	60,773	1,58,475	5,138	108	66,019	296	15,652	4 3 6

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 29th September 1906 on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	29,263	20,344 0 0	1,04,497 0	13,848 0 0	52 0 0	34,244 0 0	9,258	3,455	12,713
Or per mile of railway		125 4 10	...	85 4 8	0 5 1	210 14 7	...	...	...
For previous 13 weeks of half-year.		2,41,437 0 0	16,51,240 0	1,62,253 0 0	602 0 0	4,04,292 0 0	109,471	47,673	157,144
Total for 13 weeks	353,832	2,61,781 0 0	17,55,737 0	1,76,101 0 0	654 0 0	4,38,536 0 0	118,729	51,128	169,857
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year		20,233 4 2	1,49,549 20	14,039 6 0	46 11 9	35,319 5 11	7,784	3,869	11,653
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...		124 9 11		92 0 3	0 4 7	216 14 9		...	
Total for corresponding 13 weeks of previous year	365,895	2,76,277 3 2	23,58,779 20	2,11,028 14 0	741 10 9	4,88,047 11 11	101,598	50,752	152,350

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*162·36	Week ended 7th July ...	31,187	21,273	1,34,000	13,005	58	34,336	211	13,124	2 9 10
*162·36	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	29,355	20,055	98,220	15,213	54	36,323	225	14,036	2 9 3
*162·36	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	27,050	20,413	1,49,343	16,782	71	37,266	230	13,717	2 11 6
*162·36	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	26,476	18,131	1,71,547	16,351	57	34,539	213	12,986	2 10 7
*162·36	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	28,312	19,151	1,08,483	12,812	39	31,992	197	12,667	2 8 5
162·36	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	28,711	21,922	1,52,002	11,474	33	33,429	205	12,987	2 9 2
162·36	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	27,651	20,761	1,08,000	13,128	40	33,929	209	13,084	2 9 6
162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	29,808	22,028	1,56,165	13,426	42	35,496	219	13,068	2 11 6
162·36	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	28,288	21,849	1,33,785	13,315	51	35,205	217	12,821	2 12 1
162·36	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	24,090	20,208	1,34,383	13,188	54	33,450	206	12,863	2 9 7
162·36	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	20,187	17,884	1,21,521	11,728	51	29,663	183	12,8.5	2 4 11
162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	23,024	16,962	1,23,821	11,761	52	28,675	177	12,926	2 3 6
162·36	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	29,263	20,344	1,04,497	13,848	52	34,244	211	12,713	2 11 1
	Totals up to date ...	353,832	2,61,781	17,55,737	1,76,101	654	4,38,536	208	1,69,857	2 9 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concld. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 8 days of July ...	32,258	24,092	2,04,455	20,023	63	44,178	*272	14,024	3 2 7
162·36	Week ended 15th July ...	29,337	22,387	1,47,264	13,306	53	35,745	220	12,280	2 3 3
162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	27,096	19,783	1,50,354	17,037	62	36,882	227	10,070	3 5 9
162·36	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	27,252	19,943	2,53,735	24,858	48	44,848	276	11,076	4 0 9
162·36	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	25,176	18,903	1,68,867	16,189	38	35,130	216	10,033	3 3 5
162·36	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	26,426	19,446	1,16,599	10,573	46	30,065	185	11,078	2 11 7
162·36	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	25,705	18,499	83,527	9,008	30	28,146	173	11,253	2 8 0
162·36	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	24,052	18,852	2,47,494	16,437	46	34,825	214	10,057	3 4 5
162·36	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	58,858	39,111	1,65,001	16,469	76	55,647	343	14,280	3 14 4
162·36	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	25,907	19,386	1,08,211	19,002	68	38,456	237	11,085	3 4 8
162·36	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	21,040	18,950	2,1.,973	10,996	112	30,058	223	11,100	2 4 9
162·36	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	19,758	17,249	2,28,260	15,611	44	32,898	203	11,426	2 14 1
162·36	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	22,030	20,233	1,49,550	14,940	47	35,220	217	12,653	2 8 4
	Totals up to date ...	365,895	2,76,277	23,59,780	2,11,029	742	4,88,048	220	1,52,350	3 3 3

* Audited figures.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th October 1906 on 2,094·73 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P. (a)	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P. (b)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	416,385	4,04,053 0 0	55,71,945 0	9,08,001 0 0	28,099 0 0	13,40,215 0 0	131,201	160,830	292,121
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	192 14 3	.....	433 7 11	13 6 8	639 12 10	.....	.....	.....
For previous 13 weeks of half-year	5,907,044*	54,55,747 0 0†	7,70,64,198 0†	1,24,40,936 0 0†	3,05,482 0 0†	1,82,63,165 0 0	1,694,409§	2,189,114§	3,883,613
Total for 14 weeks ...	6,323,429	58,59,800 0 0	8,32,36,133 0	1,33,48,997 0 0	3,03,581 0 0	1,96,02,378 0 0	1,825,790	2,349,944	4,175,734
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	439,829	4,51,763 2 9	52,28,286 0	8,59,058 15 8	32,550 9 6	13,43,972 11 6	127,037	160,162	287,199
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.		220 4 2		419 2 0	15 13 11	655 4 1			
Total for corresponding 14½ weeks of previous year.	6,063,074	58,87,032 5 1	8,19,40,028 0	1,24,04,256 8 7	4,13,137 11 9	1,87,04,426 9 5	1,705,525	2,277,020	4,042,545

(a) Decrease due to Doorga Pooja Holidays in 1905.
(b) Increase is chiefly in food-grains.
* Added No. of passengers 10,658 and deducted Rs. 21,760
† Deducted Mds. 4,81,500 and „ 7,102
‡ Ditto „ 2,437
} On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 11th August 1906.
§ Audited figures up to 11th August 1906.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*2,078·13	Week ended 7th July ...	567,167	4,48,481	69,19,072	9,69,219	25,006	14,42,706	694	304,058	4 11 8
*2,078·13	„ „ 14th „ ...	469,864	4,04,849	63,51,825	9,32,554	29,003	13,67,006	658	301,065	4 8 8
*2,078·13	„ „ 21st „ ...	457,480	4,35,442	57,13,738	9,49,878	27,975	14,13,295	680	298,384	4 11 9
*2,078·13	„ „ 28th „ ...	420,063	4,03,555	45,30,696	8,05,569	28,678	12,39,202	596	274,012	4 8 4
*2,078·13	„ „ 4th Aug. ...	487,011	4,43,518	59,05,837	9,09,114	28,810	13,81,542	665	303,109	4 8 11
*2,078·13	„ „ 11th „ ...	412,083	3,93,273	53,42,654	8,88,133	27,976	13,09,382	630	287,511	4 8 10
2,087·62	„ „ 18th „ ...	414,734	3,80,630	59,05,519	9,16,353	28,966	13,25,749	635	280,371	4 11 8
2,094·73	„ „ 25th „ ...	403,404	3,63,781	57,46,962	9,18,781	24,391	13,10,953	626	284,702	4 9 8
2,094·73	„ „ 1st Sept. ...	446,719	4,19,519	64,43,747	10,06,921	27,621	15,38,061	734	312,506	4 14 9
2,094·73	„ „ 8th „ ...	466,850	4,21,492	64,89,890	11,22,195	27,720	15,71,407	770	317,281	4 15 3
2,094·73	„ „ 15th „ ...	427,516*	4,25,696	65,15,856	10,47,913	28,648	15,02,157	717	314,360	4 12 5
2,094·73	„ „ 22nd „ ...	469,387	4,88,535	63,51,477	10,26,493	28,099	15,43,127	737	305,024	5 0 8
2,094·73	„ „ 29th „ ...	440,616	4,32,556	53,74,025	8,56,513	28,099	13,17,468	629	299,400	4 6 5
2,094·73	„ „ 6th Oct. ...	416,385	4,04,053	55,71,945	9,08,001	28,099	13,40,213	640	292,121	4 9 5
	Totals up to date ...	6,323,429	58,59,800	8,32,36,133	1,33,48,997	3,03,581	1,96,02,378	671	4,175,734	4 11 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,041·38	First 8 days of July* ...	583,994	5,07,593	73,45,162	10,75,471	31,669	16,14,733	791	342,064	4 11 7
2,041·38	Week ended 15th „ ...	530,190	4,60,596	55,14,313	8,18,437	29,993	13,09,026	641	291,785	4 7 9
2,041·38	„ „ 22nd „ ...	453,067	4,41,862	54,65,115	8,81,667	28,775	13,52,304	662	286,188	4 11 7
2,041·38	„ „ 29th „ ...	423,439	4,40,780	60,89,666	8,88,662	27,926	13,57,768	665	280,035	4 13 6
2,041·38	„ „ 5th Aug. ...	425,585	4,14,472	60,12,732	8,20,683	28,394	12,63,549	619	276,531	4 9 1
2,041·23	„ „ 12th „ ...	412,045	3,84,088	54,25,290	8,43,545	25,863	12,53,496	614	274,661	4 9 0
2,045·03	„ „ 19th „ ...	422,019	3,76,084	49,36,933	7,43,810	26,601	11,46,495	561	269,757	4 4 0
2,049·96	„ „ 26th „ ...	373,357	3,72,641	64,79,724	8,63,016	26,836	12,62,493	616	271,203	4 10 5
2,050·29	„ „ 2nd Sept. ...	384,791	3,59,779	68,75,259	9,99,026	27,640	13,86,554	679	289,006	4 13 10
2,050·07	„ „ 9th „ ...	395,255	3,91,755	62,94,480	9,14,014	30,213	13,35,982	651	295,120	4 8 5
2,050·07	„ „ 16th „ ...	418,159	4,33,554	57,01,210	8,22,604	30,737	13,58,895	663	301,798	4 8 1
2,051·07	„ „ 23rd „ ...	403,136	4,01,656	51,58,010	8,77,050	31,121	13,17,827	643	292,798	4 8 0
2,051·07	„ „ 30th „ ...	429,400	4,40,809	55,22,807	9,27,713	29,638	13,98,160	682	283,380	4 14 11
2,051·07	„ „ 7th Oct. ...	439,829*	4,51,763	52,28,286	8,59,059	32,551	13,43,373	655	287,199	4 10 10
	Totals up to date ...	6,063,074	58,87,032	8,19,40,028	1,24,04,257	4,13,138	1,87,04,427	646	4,042,545	4 10 0

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th October 1906, on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	22,020	5,721 0 0	25,345 0	987 0 0	9 0 0	6,717 0 0	963	22	
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	257 5 8	.....	44 6 5	0 6 6	302 2 7	.....	.....	
For previous 13 weeks of half-year	286,248*	67,283 0 0*	1,46,178 0†	5,773 0 0†	126 0 0‡	73,182 0 0	12,530§	2,918§	
Total for 14 weeks	308,268	73,004 0 0	1,71,523 0	6,760 0 0	135 0 0	79,899 0 0	13,493	3,143	
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	24,027	5,876 8 3	14,795 20	655 0 0	8 0 0	6,539 8 3	858	198	1,056
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	264 5 8	.....	29 7 5	0 5 9	294 2 10	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 14 weeks of previous year.	290,267	66,649 11 0	1,73,270 20	5,793 1 0	115 15 3	72,558 11 3	13,569	3,139	16,708

* Added No. of passengers 15 and deducted Rs. 20 } On account of difference between approximate and audited figures for week ended 11th August
† Do. Mds. 102 ,, ,, 32 } 1906.
‡ Do. ,, 7
§ Audited figures up to 11th August 1906.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Average of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	Week ended 7th July	41,964	10,696	14,889	553	15	11,264	507	1,252	8 15 11
*22·23	14th ,,	24,540	5,737	10,816	416	13	6,166	277	1,190	5 2 11
*22·23	21st ,,	21,707	5,008	11,170	374	6	5,388	242	1,256	4 4 8
*22·23	28th ,,	17,619	4,140	5,948	224	9	4,373	198	1,126	3 14 5
*22·23	4th Aug.	21,759	5,656	10,176	330	13	5,999	270	1,208	4 15 5
*22·23	11th ,,	20,034	4,901	7,134	330	12	4,943	222	1,100	4 7 11
22·23	18th ,,	18,735	4,021	5,506	236	7	4,262	192	1,188	3 9 5
22·23	25th ,,	17,044	3,985	10,615	435	8	4,428	199	1,188	3 11 8
22·23	,, ,, 1st Sept.	17,763	3,963	8,283	347	8	4,318	194	1,188	3 10 2
22·23	,, ,, 8th ,,	19,780	4,735	10,433	459	9	5,203	234	1,188	4 6 1
22·23	,, ,, 15th ,,	20,744	4,606	12,112	513	8	5,126	231	1,188	4 5 0
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,,	22,023	5,251	20,243	788	9	6,046	272	1,188	5 1 5
22·23	,, ,, 29th ,,	21,904	4,884	18,033	755	9	5,648	254	1,188	4 12 1
22·23	,, ,, 6th Oct.	22,020	5,721	25,345	987	9	6,717	302	1,188	5 19 5
	Totals up to date	308,268	73,004	1,71,523	6,760	135	79,899		16,636	4 12 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. 1905

			No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 8 days of July ...		25,207	5,782	11,200	394	10	6,186	279	1,208	4 12 4
22·23	Week ended 15th ,, ...		33,050	7,844	9,826	283	9	8,136	366	1,152	6 5 11
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...		26,308	6,519	5,291	213	4	6,736	303	1,019	6 10 8
22·23	,, ,, 29th ,, ...		15,930	3,670	4,222	171	14	3,855	174	1,384	2 12 8
22·23	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...		19,506	3,494	13,446	276	9	3,779	170	1,196	3 3 7
22·23	,, ,, 12th ,, ...		21,980	5,499	4,983	227	6	5,732	258	1,072	5 8 10
22·23	,, ,, 19th ,, ...		19,279	4,239	42,105	627	6	4,872	219	884	5 13 6
22·23	,, ,, 26th ,, ...		16,249	3,444	7,738	411	8	3,903	176	1,780	2 8 1
22·23	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...		16,896	3,746	7,701	311	4	4,060	183	1,186	3 6 9
22·23	,, ,, 9th ,, ...		19,339	4,394	10,749	462	8	4,864	219	1,186	4 1 7
22·23	,, ,, 16th ,, ...		20,267	4,248	10,087	437	9	4,694	211	1,186	3 15 4
22·23	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...		17,033	3,906	17,287	694	6	4,606	207	1,186	3 15 2
22·23	,, ,, 30th ,, ...		18,097	3,942	13,841	633	6	4,581	206	1,142	4 0 2
22·23	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...		24,027	5,877	14,796	655	8	6,540	294	1,056	6 3 1
	Totals up to date ...		290,267	66,650	1,73,271	5,793	116	72,559	231	16,708	4 5 6

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 6th October 1906 on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Actual traffic for the week	25,689	21,099 0 0	1,34,302 0	16,411 0 0	52 0 0	37,562 0 0	9,362	3,676	13,038
Do. per mile of railway	.....	129 15 3	.....	101 1 3	0 5 1	231 5 7	.....	.....	.....
Total previous 13 weeks of half-year	352,395*	2,57,694 0 0*	16,85,255 0†	1,73,974 0 0†	679 0 0‡	4,32,347 0 0	117,965§	50,858§	168,823
Total for 14 weeks ...	378,084	2,78,793 0 0	18,19,557 0	1,90,385 0 0	731 0 0	4,69,909 0 0	127,327	54,534	181,861
COMPARISON.									
Actual for corresponding week of previous year.	23,626	21,018 2 11	1,23,536 0	15,743 10 0	60 1 0	37,421 13 11	* 8,063	3,590	11,653
Do. per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	133 2 5	.....	96 15 6	0 5 11	230 7 10	.....	.....	.....
Actual for corresponding 14½ weeks of previous year.	389,521	2,97,895 6 1	24,82,316 20	2,26,772 8 0	801 11 9	5,25,469 9 10	109,660	54,342	164,002

* Deducted No. of passengers 1,437 and Rs. 4,037
† Do. Mds. 70,483 and ,, 2,127 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 11th August 1906.
‡ Added ,, 25
§ Audited figures up to 11th August 1906.

6. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open Mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	Week ended 7th July ...	31,157	21,273	1,34,000	13,005	58	34,336	211	13,124	2 9 10
162·36	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	28,355	20,955	98,220	15,213	54	36,222	223	14,036	2 9 3
162·36	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	27,950	20,413	1,40,343	16,782	71	37,266	230	13,717	2 11 6
162·36	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	26,476	18,131	1,71,547	16,351	57	34,539	213	12,986	2 10 7
62·36	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	28,312	19,151	1,08,463	14,802	39	31,992	197	12,667	2 8 5
162·36	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	27,724	17,835	81,520	9,347	58	27,240	168	11,983	2 4 6
162·36	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	27,651	20,701	1,08,000	13,128	40	33,929	209	13,084	2 9 6
162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	29,808	22,028	1,56,155	15,426	42	37,496	219	13,068	2 11 6
162·36	,, ,, 1st Sept. ..	28,258	21,849	1,33,785	13,395	51	35,295	217	12,821	2 12 1
162·36	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	24,690	20,238	1,34,383	13,189	54	33,450	206	12,863	2 9 7
162·36	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	20,107	17,884	1,21,621	11,728	51	29,663	183	13,805	2 4 11
162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	23,034	16,862	1,23,821	11,761	52	28,675	177	12,928	2 3 6
62·36	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	29,263	20,344	1,04,497	13,848	52	34,244	211	12,714	2 11 1
62·36	,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	25,689	21,099	1,34,302	16,411	52	37,562	231	13,038	2 14 1
	Totals up to date ...	378,084	2,78,793	18,19,557	1,90,385	731	4,69,909	207	1,81,861	2 9 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. 1906

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2·36	First 8 days of July	32,258	24,092	2,64,455	20,023	68	44,178	272	14,024	3 2 7
3·36	Week ended 15th ,, ...	29,337	23,387	1,47,254	15,305	55	38,748	220	12,280	3 3 3
3·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	27,096	19,793	1,50,854	17,037	62	36,832	227	10,970	3 5 9
3·36	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	27,252	19,942	2,63,735	24,858	48	44,848	276	11,076	4 0 9
3·36	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	25,176	18,903	1,68,867	16,189	39	35,130	216	10,939	3 3 5
2·36	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	26,426	19,446	1,16,599	10,573	44	30,065	185	11,073	2 11 7
1·36	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	26,705	18,499	83,527	9,008	39	28,146	173	11,353	2 8 0
1·36	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	24,052	18,352	2,40,494	16,427	46	34,825	214	10,637	3 4 5
1·36	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	58,358	39,111	1,65,001	16,460	76	55,647	343	14,280	3 14 4
1·36	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	25,907	19,386	1,66,211	19,002	68	38,456	237	11,985	3 4 9
1·36	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	21,640	18,960	2,11,973	16,996	112	36,068	222	11,100	3 4 9
1·36	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	19,758	17,248	2,28,290	15,611	44	32,898	203	11,426	2 14 1
1·36	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	22,930	20,233	1,49,550	14,940	47	35,220	217	11,653	3 0 4
1·36	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	23,626	21,018	1,23,536	15,744	60	37,422	230	11,652	3 3 5
	Totals up to date ...	389,521	2,97,895	24,82,316	2,26,773	802	5,25,470	239	164,002	3 3 3

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 6th October 1906 on 769 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	46,060	31,835 0 0	5,10,449 0	71,798 0 0	8,69. 0 0	1,12,325 0 0	11,6.3	17,874	29,497
Or per mile of railway ...	59·97	41·45	664 06	93·12	11·27	146·84	15·13	23·18	38·31
For previous 13 weeks of half-year	563,194	3,34,529 0 0	46,27,493 0	6,41,881 0 0	89,461 0 0	10,62,871 0 0	117,830	23,178	3,1,008
Total for 14 weeks* ...	609,254	3,66,364 0 0	51,37,942 0	7,16,679 0 0	98,153 0 0	11,81,196 0 0	159,433	241,052	400,566
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	43,413	31,773 0 0	2,59,798 0	43,477 0 0	6,942 0 0	* 82,192 0 0	10,321	19,154	29,475
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	56·01	43·11	351·08	58·75	9 38	111·24	14·00	25·88	39·88
Total to corresponding date of previous year	520,949	3,21,658 0 0	33,24,550 0	5,71,435 0 0	73,977 0 0	9,67,110 0 0	144,312	256,214	399,526

* Includes Noakhali Railway earnings Rs. 22,903 and train-mileage 11,036.

The increase of Rs. 50,138 as compared with the corresponding period of 1905 is due to heavy bookings of Rangoon rice from Chittagong due to failure of rice crops in Eastern Bengal and Assam.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 6th October 1906.			Receipts for week ending 7th October 1905.			Total receipts from 1st April 1906 to 6th October 1906.			Total receipts from 1st April 1905 to 7th October 1905.			Total increase in 1906.	Total decrease in 1906.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
771	1,12,325	145·84	740	82,193	111·24	771	21,13,028	...	740	16,68,090	...	4,44,938	.....

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 6th October 1906 on 1,518 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,518 miles open ...	253,450	(a) 92,240	9,13,200	(b) 1,24,910	(c) 18,470	2,35,620	48,320	(d) 40,509	88,829
Or per mile of railway	166·73	59 59	585·92	80·09	11·93	152 21	.....	.....	.....
For previous 13 weeks of half-year (e)	3,544,507	13,10,011	91,88,010	9,71,877	2,19,991	25,08,889	631,481	432,373	10,63,854
Total for 14 weeks ...	3,797,957	14,02,251	99,96,810	11,04,787	2,37,471	27,44,509	679,781	472,883	11,52,663
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,467 miles open	219,865	65,151	5,96,334	70,863	12,658	1,68,673	46,967	(f) 29,536	75,403
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	149·87	58·04	3.9·68	48·31	8·22	114·57	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	3,539,280	13,39,093	1,00,07,593	11,06,655	2,22,309	26,68,060*	629,263	461,620	11,21,883
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-miles respectively during the week	.....	1·91	.....	3·68	·21	2·65	.....	.....	.....
Ditto for the corresponding week of previous year	.....	1·85	.....	2·41	·16	2·23	.....	.....	.....

(a) Increase chiefly under local and foreign outward.
(b) General increase mainly under foreign inward and outward, grain for Bengal.
(c) Ditto principally under steamboat.
(d) Includes 7,745 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Ditto audited figures up to week ending 1st September 1906.
(f) Ditto 5,976 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 6th October 1906 on 1,271 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including steam-boat).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	371,840	1,01,920 0 0	21,49,170 0	4,53,041 0 0	25,790 0 0	6,43,750 0 0	59,040	64,013	123,053
Or per mile of railway ...	293	130 0 0	1,691 0	356 0 0	1 0 0*	497 0 0*	.....	.....	.....
For previous 13 weeks of half-year†	4,647,173	10,12,761 0 0	2,42,02,356 0	38,75,030 0 0	3,24,488 0 0	61,22,309 0 0	777,614	638,003	1,475,617
Total for 14 weeks ...	5,0 0,819	20,77,681 0 0	2,64,11,526 0	43,28,100 0 0	3,50,278 0 0	67,66,059 0 0	836,654	702,016	1,598,670
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	416,989	1,89,759 0 0	16,51,931 0	3,56,631 0 0	23,527 0 0	5,62,047 0* 0	57,430	56,546	113,976
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,230 miles)	339	154 0 0	1,343 0	285 0 0	1 0 0	440 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	4,601,141	19,23,244 0 0	2,13,34,713 0	38,27,851 0 0	3,37,801 0 0	61,38,909 0 0	781,601	648,274	1,429,875

* Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 25,023.
† Audited up to week ending 18th August 1906.
Increase is chiefly in jute traffic.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 6th October 1906 on 85 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	21,100	10,120 0 0	69,150 0	5,670 0 0	240 0 0	16,230 0 0	3,562	2,218	5,780
Or per mile of railway	248	121 0 0	803 0	65 0 0	3 0 0	189 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 13 weeks of half-year*	4,71,706	1,23,816 0 0	6,72,720 0	63,979 0 0	2,047 0 0	1,90,643 0 0	57,737	24,133	81,870
Total for 14 weeks ...	4,92,806	1,34,236 0 0	7,42,170 0	69,649 0 0	2,287 0 0	2,06,873 0 0	61,299	26,351	87,650
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	27,984	11,705 0 0	62,756 0	5,199 0 0	150 0 0	16,964 0 0	2,678	1,966	4,644
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	315	136 0 0	709 0	59 0 0	2 0 0	197 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	4,41,146	1,27,611 0 0	7,10,845 0	64,287 0 0	2,210 0 0	1,93,088 0 0	45,287	25,201	70,488

* Audited up to week ending 18th August 1906.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 6th October 1906 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	3,010	1,210 0 0	13,370 0	1,060 0 0	10 0 0	2,280 0 0	490	1,332†	1,702
Or per mile of railway	90	36 0 0	396 0	49 0 0	.....	85 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 13 weeks of half-year*	31,939	11,353 0 0	4,17,165 0	18,198 0 0	241 0 0	29,792 0 0	5,004	12,651	17,655
Total for 14 weeks ...	34,949	12,563 0 0	4,30,535 0	19,258 0 0	251 0 0	32,072 0 0	5,494	13,983	19,447
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	2,830	1,212 0 0	17,630 0	1,604 0 0	5 0 0	2,881 0 0	490	514	1,004
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	116	36 0 0	507 0	50 0 0	.....	86 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	42,320	14,916 0 0	1,58,8.8 0	13,854 0 0	200 0 0	23,070 0 0	6,945	5,859	13,804

* Audited up to week ending 18th August 1906.
† Includes ballast train miles 660.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 6th October 1906 on 50·69 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	9,910	2,940 0 0	65,760 0	3,450 0 0	50 0 0	6,440 0 0	2,098	782	2,880
Or per mile of railway ...	196	58 0 0	1,297 0	67 0 0	1 0 0	126 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 13 weeks of half-year*	116,939	35,148 0 0	4,19,002 0	21,740 0 0	451 0 0	57,339 0 0	15,812	7,007	22,908
Total for 14 weeks ...	126,849	38,088 0 0	4,84,762 0	25,190 0 0	501 0 0	63,749 0 0	17,939	7,849	25,788
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	9,501	2 917 0 0	35,792 0	1,870 0 0	60 0 0	4,847 0 0	1,102	654	1,756
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	185	57 0 0	697 0	36 0 0	1 0 0	95 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	123,255	35,075 0 0	5,38,654 0	26,519 0 0	418 0 0	62,099 0 0	16,170	7,139	23,309

* Audited up to week ending 18th August 1906.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 13th October 1906 on 1,271 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including steam-boat).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	350,630	1,69,761 0 0	2,235 130 0	4,75,010 0 0	23,150 0 0	6,68,420 0 0	60,007	65,237	125,244
Or per mile of railway	276	120 0 0	1,775 0	374 0 0	(a)1 0 0	501 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 14 weeks of half-year*	5,014,993	20,06,755 0 0	27,236,600 0	42,99,407 0 0	3 62,155 0 0	67,28,207 0 0	840,988	762,030	1,603,018
Total for 15 weeks ...	5,365,623	22,27,515 0 0	29,472,030 0	47,74,507 0 0	3,85,305 0 0	73,87,127 0 0	900,995	828,197	1,728,862
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year...	307,113	1,35,671 0 0	1,781,115 0	3,84 772 0 0	19,313 0 0	5,39,756 0 0	56,053	80,942	116,994
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,230 miles)	250	110 0 0	1,448 0	313 0 0	1 0 0	424 0 0	...	...	...
To al to corresponding date of previous year	4,908,254	20,18,915 0 0	23,115,823 0	42,12,613 0 0	4,05,017 0 0	66,76,615 0 0	839,083	705,116	1,544,709

(a) Excluding steam earnings, Rs 22,331.
* Audited up to week ending 25th August 1906.
Increase is chiefly in mute traffic.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 13th October 1906 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	39,169	12 559 0 0	80,560 0	8,480 0 0	70 0 0	21,180 0 0	3,056	2,824	5,880
Or per mile of railway ...	455	145 0 0	937 0	100 0 0	1 0 0	246 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 14 weeks of half-year*	459,313	1,33,857 0 0	763,300 0	71,407 0 0	3,787 0 0	2,49,051 0 0	62,696	24,978	87,674
Total for 15 weeks ...	498,482	1,46,387 0 0	843,859 0	79,887 0 0	3,857 0 0	2,70,231 0 0	65,752	27,802	93,554
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	21,702	8,102 0 0	64,275 0	4,379 0 0	137 0 0	13,118 0 0	2,612	1,800	4,412
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	251	94 0 0	747 0	57 0 0	2 0 0	156 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	462,748	1,35,713 0 0	855,121 0	65,146 0 0	3,347 0 0	2,03,206 0 0	47,899	26,861	74,760

* Audited up to week ending 27th August 1906.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 13th October 1906 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	3,470	1,330 0 0	35,180 0	2,200 0 0	10 0 0	3,540 0 0	522	(a)1,270	1,792
Per mile of railway ...	103	40 0 0	1,047 0	65 0 0	...	105 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 14 weeks of half-year*	84,909	12,604 0 0	307,980 0	17,948 0 0	273 0 0	30,825 0 0	5,740	14,547	20,287
Total for 15 weeks ...	88,439	13,934 0 0	403,060 0	20,148 0 0	283 0 0	34,365 0 0	6,262	15,817	22,079
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	2,820	923 0 0	16,008 0	1,207 0 0	8 0 0	2,203 0 0	433	565	998
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	85	28 0 0	479 0	38 0 0	....	66 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	45,171	5,814 0 0	174,908 0	15,121 0 0	208 0 0	21,143 0 0	7,428	6,364	13,792

* Audited up to week ending 25th August 1906.
(a) Includes ballast train-miles 609.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 13th October 1906 on 50·69 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	13,263	3,519 0 0	62,021 0	7,370 0 0	70 0 0	10,959 0 0	1,400	1,100	2,500
Per mile of railway	262	69 0 0	1,224 0	145 0 0	1 0 0	214 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 14 weeks of half-year*	126,226	37,479 0 0	493 013 0	25,572 0 0	516 0 0	63,967 0 0	18,119	7,949	26,068
Total for 15 weeks ..	139,489	40,999 0 0	555,033 0	33,142 0 0	586 0 0	74,717 0 0	19,519	9,049	28,568
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,294	1,714 0 0	68,706 0	2,637 0 0	43 0 0	4,394 0 0	1,113	603	1,716
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	142	34 0 0	1,143 0	51 0 0	1 0 0	86 0 0	...	...	..
Total to corresponding date of previous year	131,819	36,736 0 0	597,300 0	29,156 0 0	461 0 0	66,403 0 0	17,283	7,733	25,016

* Audited up to week ending 25th August 1906.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 13th October 1906	Coaching ...	9,319 0 0	
	Goods ...	11,876 0 0	21,266 0 0
	Other earnings ...	81 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1905 ...	Coaching ...	10,441 0 0	
	Goods ...	10,447 0 0	21,933 0 0
	Other earnings ...	12 0 0	
	Increase ...		283 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 13th October 1906			416 15 8
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905			411 6 11
	Increase ...		5 8 9
Receipts from 1st July to 13th October 1906			2,53,795 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905			2,61,263 0 0
	Decrease ...		7,468 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 3414A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3676A.D.—The 24th October 1906.*—Babu Sudam Charan Naik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Cuttack district.

Cuttack.

No. 3695A.D.—The 25th October 1906.—Mr. Atul Krishna Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Puri district.

Puri.

No. 3703A.D.—The 26th October 1906.—Mr. E. H. Berthoud, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district.

Ranchi.

He is also appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

No. 3705A.D.—The 26th October 1906.—Babu Ganga Gobinda Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darjeeling, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district.

Darjeeling.
Ranchi.

No. 3708A.D.—The 27th October 1906.—Mr. J. Johnston, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, who has, under the order of the 19th October 1906, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district, is appointed to act temporarily as District and Sessions Judge, Darbhanga, *vice* Mr. S. S. Skinner, about to go on

Ranchi.
Darbhanga.

No. 3714A.D.—The 27th October 1906.—Mr. H. C. Woodman, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Deputy Commissioner, Manbhum, *vice* Mr. H. C. Streatfeild about to go on leave.

Manbhum.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3719A.D.—The 29th October 1906.*—Mr. S. S. Skinner, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Darbhanga, is allowed combined leave for two years, viz., privilege leave for two months and nine days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he is elieved, and furlough for the remaining period, under article 308 (*b*) of the Regulations.

Darbhanga.

No. 3735A.D.—The 30th October 1906.—Mr. H. C. Streatfeild, Deputy Commissioner, Manbhum, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (*b*) of the Regulations.

Manbhum.

POLICE.—*No. 3697A.D.—The 26th October 1906.*—Mr. H. C. L. Bamber, Superintendent of Police, Hazaribagh, is allowed leave for ten days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 1st September 1906.

Hazaribagh.

EDUCATION.—*No. 3699A.D.—The 26th October 1906.*—The order of the 1st September 1906, granting privilege leave for one month to Miss Lilian Brock, Inspectress of Schools, Bengal, with effect from the 4th October 1906, is cancelled.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3108T.R.—The 24th October 1906.—Messrs. J. H. Waddingham and E. O. Shebbeare, appointed by His Majesty's Secretary of State to the Forest Department in Bengal as Assistant Conservators, second grade, are posted to the Singhbhum and Sundarbans Forest Divisions, respectively, as Attached Officers.

Singhbhum. Sundarbans.

No. 3062T.R.—The 24th October 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*c*) and section 101 (2) (*d*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included in villages (1) Gomsa Oh Sherghatty, tauzi No. 4561, (2) Chardaha, tauzi No. 4509, (3) Bandasa Oh Sherghatty, tauzi No. 4489, (4) Fatehpore Sandha Oh Arwal, tauzi Nos. 419 to 425 (7 estates), belonging to Government in the district of Gaya.

Gaya.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;
(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat; and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;
(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;
(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;
(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid;
(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed—whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;
(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;
(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;
(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;
(*j*) the custom of the village regulating the methods of irrigation, and the duties and rights of both landlords and tenants with respect to the use and maintenance of the means of irrigation.

No. 3080T.R.—The 23rd October 1906.—Declaration No. 1425T.R., dated the 20th June 1905, published at page 1152, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th idem, regarding the acquisition of the land required for the inspection bungalow at Edilpur, Damodar left embankment, 18¼ miles, in the village of Edilpur, pargana Burdwan, district Burdwan, is hereby cancelled.

Burdwan.

No. 3090T.R.—The 24th October 1906.—Babu Hara Krishna Mahanty, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is appointed to be Settlement Officer, Parikud, in the district of Puri, with effect from the 1st November 1906.

Cuttack.
Puri.

No. 3104T.R.—The 24th October 1906.—So much of Notification No. 2309T.R., dated the 17th September 1906, as relates to the appointment of Babu Rajani Kanta Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Gaya, as Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Bhagalpur and Purnea, is hereby cancelled.

Gaya.
Bhagalpur.
Purnea.

No. 3172T.R.—The 27th October 1906.—The following officers are authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C) of 1898, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of that Act so far as they relate to Revenue Officers, for the purposes of a survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights in the districts of Purnea, Bhagalpur and Monghyr They are also vested with the powers of Assistant Settlement Officers in the same districts under Rule 1, Chapter VI of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act:—

Purnea.
Bhagalpur.
Monghyr.

1. Babu Janaki Nath Mukharji, Munsif.
2. „ Baku Lal Biswas,
3. „ Sita Nath Ghosh,
4. „ Jagadish Chandra Sen,
5. „ Rohini Kanta Mitra,
6. „ Durga Prosad Ghosh,
7. „ Abinash Chandra Nag,
8. „ Nalini Mohan Banarji,

No. 3173T.R.—The 27th October 1906.—The following officers are authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of that Act, as extended to the Chota Nagpur Division, except the district of Manbhum, by Government Notification No. 721L.R., dated the 9th February 1903, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers for the purposes of a survey and the preparation of a record of rights in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum.

Ranchi.
Singhbhum.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer in the same districts, under Rule 1, Chapter II of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, for the Chota Nagpur Division (except the district of Manbhum), published under Government Notification No. 3395L.R., dated the 24th November 1903:—

1. Babu Chuni Lal Bose, Munsif.
2. „ Bepin Bihari Mukharji, „
3. „ Manmatha Nath Mallik, „
4. „ Ashutosh Mukharji, „

No. 3174T.R.—The 27th October 1906.—With reference to the provisions of section 3 (1) *(a)* of the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, IV (B.C) of 1897, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following officers to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer for the purpose of commuting predial conditions and services under section 9A of that Act in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum:—

Ranchi.
Singhbhum.

1. Babu Chuni Lal Bose, Munsif.
2. „ Bepin Bihari Mukharji, „
3. „ Manmatha Nath Mallick, „
4. „ Ashutosh Mukharji, „

No. 3175T.R.—The 27th October 1906.—The officers named below are authorized, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898 to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer, under the provisions of that Act, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers, for the purposes of a survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

2. They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Rule I, Chapter VI of the Rules, under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

(1) Babu Durga Das Chakravarti.
(2) „ Rajendra Nath Biswas.

Sonthal Parganas

No. 3180T.R.—The 29th October 1906.—In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 9 of the Sonthal Parganas Settlement Regulation, III of 1872, as amended by section 4 of the Sonthal Parganas Rent Regulation, II of 1886, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to declare that a revision of settlement shall be made in the case of the areas specified below, situated within the undermentioned estates in the Sonthal Parganas:—

Name of estate.	Nature of estate.	Tauzi No.	No. of villages.	Area in square miles.
Subdivision Deoghur.				
Rohini	Ghatwali ...	27, 28, 29, 30 and 31.	258	63·8
Banhati	Do. ...	10	38	16·2
Punasi	Ghatwali ...	46	69	25·2
Dhanoria	Do. ...	9	15	5·3
Tangidih	Do. ...	8	8	3·2
Deogharabad	Do. ...	16	4	1 5
Subdivision Jamtara.				
Pabia	Zamindari ...	558	227	175·5
Narainpur	Ghatwali ...	12	67	32·3
Sitakata (Pindari) ...	Sikmi Ghatwali ...	15	1	0·5
Subdivision Dumka.				
Ghat Dumka	Zamindari ...	6	8	3·9
Karaya	Do. ...	15	10	4 0
Cheptiam	Do. ...	20	10	9·01
Dhadkia	Do. ...	23	5	2·8
Gandrakpur	Do. ...	14	8	3·3
Palma	Do. ...	4	7	4·3
Shikarpur	Do. ...	27	23	10·7
Ashna	Do. ...		17	
Dhunria	Do. ...		52	
Goal Simla	Do. ...		20	
Goremala	Do. ...	2 of Birbhum Collectorate.	29	93·3
Kumrabad	Do. ...		33	
Porepahar	Do. ...		4	
Ranibahal	Do. ...		13	
Sirsa	Do. ...		19	
Saraiya containing six taluks—				
(1) Mohila	Do. ...		13	
(2) Mathakeso ...	Do. ...		10	
(3) Jhapnia	Do. ...	457 of Bhagalpur Collectorate.	17	36·94
(4) Kakni	Do. ...		16	
(5) Pindey Keso ...	Do. ...		19	
(6) Tetma	Do. ...		17	
Lakhanpur	Do. ...	21	39	21·9
Beladabor	Do. ...	10	14	4·5
Sunkara	Do. ...	17	109	30·8
Subdivision Godda.				
Barkope	Zamindari ...	481	201	64·0
Belbathan	Mokarari ...	445 of Bhagalpur Collectorate.	35	40·08
Kitta Bhadrain (pargana Godda.	Do. ...			·06
				724·11

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3083T.R.—The 23rd October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway for a public purpose, viz., for new Loco-yard and staff-quarters on opening of Grand Chord Line at Gaya station on the Patna-Gaya Railway, in the villages of Nawada, Baragibigha, Kharkoora, Bhaluhai and Mandrajbigha, pargana Pahra, zilla Gaya, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose four pieces of land measuring, more or less, 112 bighas 17 cottahs 13·76 chitaks of standard measurement (corresponding to 37 acres 1 rood 11·20 poles), bounded as noted below, are required within the aforesaid villages of Nawadah, Baragibigha, Kharkoora, Bhaluhai and Mandrajbigha.

Gaya.

PLOT No. I.

North and East—By the land of Tikari Raj;
South and West—By the land of East Indian Railway Company.

PLOT No. II.

North and West—By the land of Wahid Khan;
South and East—By the lands of East Indian Railway Company.

PLOT No. III.

North—By the land of Brij Bhushan Awasthy;
West and part of South—By the land of Sree Chand;
East and part of South—By the land of East Indian Railway Company.

PLOT No. IV.

South and West—By the land of Udi Singh and Abater Bhakat,
North and East—By the land of East Indian Railway Company.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the lands, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the lands are being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, at Gaya.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3084T.R.—The 23rd October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for cook-shed for Goari outpost in the town of Krishnagar, pargana Ukhra, zilla Nadia, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs and 3 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the house of Kali Pado Bhattacharya, on the east by Chinta Vaisanavi's house, on the south by the Goari outpost, and on the west by the public road, is required within the aforesaid town of Krishnagar.

Nadia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Nadia.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3120T.R.—The 25th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for carrying a sewer in connection with Suburban drainage, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land of No. 68-2 Beniapukur Road in Calcutta, district 24-Parganas,

Calcutta.

measuring, more or less, 1 cottah, 2 chitaks and 1 square foot is required. The boundaries of the lands are as follows :—

On the North, East and West—Municipal sewer main.
On the South—The remaining portion of No. 68-2 Beniapukur Road.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Corporation.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3121T.R.—The 25th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Nowrangia Distributary in the villages of Dardari, Nowrangia and Kotraha, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 24 bighas 10 cottahs 11 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages of Dardari, Nowrangia and Kotraha

Champaran.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3122T.R.—The 25th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a beat-house for the shelter of officers and men during the time the cars are at the "Garden House," in the villages of Matiapara Sahi, Kundhaibent Sahi and Kumbharpara Sahi, pargana Rahang, zilla Puri, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·067 acres of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Matiapara Sahi, on the east by Kumbharpara Sahi, on the south by Baradand, and on the west by Kundhaibent Sahi, is required within the aforesaid villages of Matiapara Sahi, Kundhaibent Sahi and Kumbharpara Sahi.

Puri.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Magistrate of Puri.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3148T.R.—The 26th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company, viz., for the purpose of the proposed spur near the Kudra River, on the Moghalsarai-Gaya Railway in the village of Lachmipur, pargana Sasaram, zilla Shahabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 13 cottahs 11·80 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the

Shahabad.

North—By East Indian Railway Company's land under relinquishment,
East—By the river Kudra,
South and West—By the village land of Lachmipur,

is required within the aforesaid village of Lachmipur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Shahabad.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3149T.R.—The 26th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for constructing quarters for the Munsif at Arambagh, in the village of Kistopur, pargana Jahanabad, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 5 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Hooghly.

North and East—By Government land,
West—By the Arambagh municipal lands, on which are the quarters of the Assistant Surgeon and the Public Works Department Contractor,
South—By the land and tank of Naba Gopal Bose and Afsar Kazi,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kistopur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, No. 13 Kyd Street, Calcutta, and of the Collector of Hooghly.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3150T.R.—The 26th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for brick-field at Chapra station in the village of Ratunapura, pargana Manjhi, zilla Saran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 8 bighas 6 cottahs 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Saran.

North—By nala,
East—By the field of Dr. Apoorab Krishna Dass,
South—By the station boundary,
West—By the road to Khaira,

is required within the aforesaid village of Ratunapura.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Saran.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2361.—The 25th October 1906.—The following Resolution issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry is republished for general information.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 8073—8087-18, dated Simla, the 12th October 1906.

RESOLUTION—By the Govt. of India Dept. of Commerce and Industry.

THE Government of India have received from His Majesty's Secretary of State for India a copy of an Act passed by the Parliament of the Commonwealth of Australia to amend the Immigration Restriction Act of 1901, extracts from which were published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*, dated 10th May 1902, with Resolution No. 13—38-2, dated the 9th May 1902. The more important provisions of this law, which is entitled "The Immigration Restriction Amendment Act, 1905," are noted below for general information.

2. The portion of section 3 of the Principal Act which relates to the dictation test is as follows:—

"The immigration into the Commonwealth of the persons described in any of the following paragraphs of this section (hereinafter called "prohibited immigrants") is prohibited, namely:—

(*a*) Any person who when asked to do so by an officer fails to write out at dictation and sign in the presence of the officer a passage of fifty words in length in an European language directed by the officer."

This section has now been amended by section 4 of the new Act, the material provisions of which are as follows:—

"4. Section 3 of the Principal Act is amended—

(*a*) by omitting the whole of paragraph (*a*), and inserting in lieu thereof the following paragraph:—

"(*a*) Any person who fails to pass the dictation test: that is to say, who, when an officer dictates to him not less than 50 words in any prescribed language, fails to write them out in that language, in the presence of the officer.

No regulation prescribing any language or languages shall have any force until it has been laid before both Houses of the Parliament for thirty days and, before or after the expiration of such thirty days, both Houses of the Parliament by resolution, of which notice has been given, have agreed to such regulation."

3. A section has been enacted which makes intermediate provision for the application of section 3, as amended, as follows:—

"5. Until a regulation prescribing any language or languages under section 3 of the Principal Act as amended by this Act shall come into force any language authorized by section 3 of the Principal Act before the commencement of this Act shall be deemed to be a prescribed language within the meaning of that section as so amended."

4. The following new section has been inserted:—

"4-B. (1) Any person who has resided in Australia for a period or periods in the aggregate of not less than five years, and who is about to depart from the Commonwealth, may in manner prescribed apply to an officer authorized in that behalf for a certificate in the prescribed form excepting him, if he returns to the Commonwealth within the period limtied in the certificate, from the provisions of paragraph (*a*) of section 3 of this Act.

"(2) The officer may in his discretion give the certificate on payment of the prescribed fee, or, without assigning any reason, withhold it.

"(3) Where the Minister is satisfied that a certificate given under this section has been obtained by any untrue statement of fact or intention, the Minister may revoke the certificate, which shall thereupon be taken to be of no effect and shall on demand be delivered up to the Minister.

"(4) A person to whom a certificate under this section has been issued (which certificate has not been revoked) shall not, on his return to the Commonwealth within the time limited by the certificate, if he produces and delivers the certificate to an officer, be required to pass the dictation test"

5. Section 5 of the Principal Act has been amended, and now reads thus—

"(1) Any immigrant who evades an officer or who enters the Commonwealth at any place where no officer is stationed may if at any time thereafter he is found within the Commonwealth be *required to pass the dictation test*, and shall if he fails to do so be deemed to be a prohibited immigrant offending against this Act.

"(2) Any immigrant may at any time within one year after he has entered the Commonwealth be *required to pass the dictation test*, and shall if he fails to do so be deemed to be a prohibited immigrant offending against this Act.

The following sub-section has also been added:—

"(3) In any prosecution under the last preceding sub-section, the averment of the prosecutor contained in the information that the defendant has entered the Commonwealth within one year before his failing to pass the dictation test shall be deemed to be proved in the absence of proof to the contrary."

6. Section 6 of the Principal Act has been amended, and now stands as follows:—

"Any prohibited immigrant within the meaning of paragraph (*a*) only of section 3 may if thought fit by an officer be allowed to enter the Commonwealth or to remain within the Commonwealth upon the following conditions:—

(*a*) He shall on entering the Commonwealth or on failing *to pass the dictation test* deposit with an officer the sum of one hundred pounds.

(*b*) He shall within thirty days after depositing such sum obtain from the Minister a certificate of exemption in the form of the schedule or depart from the Commonwealth, and thereupon the deposit shall be returned; but otherwise the deposit or any part thereof may be forfeited and he *shall be deemed to be* a prohibited immigrant offending against this Act.

7. It will be observed that the most important change effected by the amending Act is the substitution of "any prescribed language" for "an European language" in the case of the dictation test. The languages will be prescribed by the Regulations which will be framed under the Act. The Governor-General in Council requests all Local Governments to take such measures as seem to them best calculated to make the provisions of the Act generally known to Natives of India, more especially in places from which emigration to the Australian Colonies is believed to be most common. Intending emigrants should be warned at the ports of embarkation of the difficulties they may encounter in proceeding to these Colonies.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 543T.S.R.—The 20th October 1906.—Babu Charu Chandra Mukherji, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Bankura, *vice* Babu Amal Krishna Mukherji, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Bankura.

No. 563T.O.—The 29th October 1906.—Mr. G. W. Oliphant, Assistant Opium Agent, Gorakhpur, is transferred from the Benares to the Bihar Opium Agency and is posted to Siwan.

Benares Agency.
Bihar Agency.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 425T.Medl.—The 24th October 1906.—Lieut.-Colonel F. J. Drury, I.M.S., Officiating Civil Surgeon, stationed at Howrah, is confirmed as a Civil Surgeon, with effect from the 17th February 1906, *vice* Major L. Rogers, I.M.S. He will continue to act as a Civil Surgeon of the first class until further orders.

Howrah.

No. 432T.Medl.—The 25th October 1906.—Babu Surendra Nath Sen Gupta II, a passed student of the Medical College, Calcutta, is admitted into the service of Government as an Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 4th August 1906.

Calcutta.

No. 453T.Medl.—The 25th October 1906.—The services of Captain F. H. Watling, I.M.S., Officiating Civil Surgeon, Sambalpur, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.

Sambalpur.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 427T.Medl.—The 24th October 1906.—The services of the following officers are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department, with effect from the 16th October 1905:—

Lieut.-Colonel R. N. Campbell, M.B., I.M.S.
Major D. R Green, M.D., I.M.S.
Captain W. D. Hayward, M.B., I.M.S.
" S. Anderson, M.B., I.M.S.
" T. H. Delany, M.B., I.M.S.
" H. Innes, M.B., I.M.S.
" W. V. Coppinger, M.D., I.M.S.
" A. C. MacGilchrist, M.B., I.M.S.
Dr. R. S. Ashe.
Kumar Bhobendra Narayan.
Dr. R. H. Pulipaka.
Lieut. H. Day, I.S. M.D.
Military Assistant Surgeon A. E. DuBois.
" " " J. R. Rodricks.
" " " H Mansfield.
Civil Assistant Surgeon Kunjalal Sanyal.
" " " Durga Nanda Sen.
" " " Debendra Nath De.
" " " Kashi Nath Ghosh.
" " " Hari Charan Sen.
" " " Kshirod Chandra Ray.
" " " Gopal Chandra Chatarji, M.B.
" " " Gopal Chandra Mukharji.
" " " Gopal Chandra Mukharji, M.B.
" " " Shaikh Ilahi Bakhsh.
" " " Bharat Chandra Dhar, M.B.
" " " Suresh Chandra Banarji, M.B.
" " " Chuni Lal Nandi.
" " " Nripendra Nath Basu.

Civil	Assistant	Surgeon	Banamali Ray.
,,	,,	,,	Nani Lal Pramanik.
,,	,,	,,	Hem Chandra Sarkar.
,,	,,	,,	Harendra Kumar Das.
,,	,,	,,	Barada Shankar Bhattacharji, M.B.
,,	,,	,,	Brajendra Nath Basu.
,,	,,	,,	Shah Jahan Ali.
,,	,,	,,	Narendra Nath Mukharji.
,,	,,	,,	Basanta Kumar Bhaumik.
,,	,,	,,	Sarasi Lal Sarkar.
,,	,,	,,	Upendra Nath Ray Chaudhuri.
,,	,,	,,	Ashutosh Datta.
,,	,,	,,	Binay Lal Mazumdar.
,,	,,	,,	Kshetra Gopal Mukharji.
,,	,,	,,	Rajani Kanta Das Gupta.
,,	,,	,,	Basanta Kumar Ray.
,,	,,	,,	Upendra Nath Bakhshi.
,,	,,	,,	Ashwini Kumar Das.
,,	,,	,,	Satish Chandra Ghosh.

H. J. MCINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3415A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3717A.D.—The 29th October 1906.—Babu Ramdulal Deb, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Narail, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Nitai Charan Ghosh, or until further orders.

Jessore.

No. 3727A.D.—The 29th October 1906.—Babu Kishori Lal Sen, Munsif of Chapra, in the district of Saran, is appointed to act as Subordinate Judge of Saran, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Sarada Prasad Basu, or until further orders.

Saran.

No. 3729A.D.—The 29th October 1906.—Babu Gaur Krishna Basu, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Saran, to be ordinarily stationed at Chapra, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Kishori Lal Sen, or until further orders.

Saran.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 2673J.D.—The 22nd October 1906.—Babu Mrittunjoy Chatterjee is re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Raniganj, in the district of Burdwan.

Burdwan.

No. 2677J.D.—The 22nd October 1906.—The gentlemen named below are re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Tamluk, in the district of Midnapore:—

Midnapore.

(1) Babu Sarat Chandra Mukerjee. | (2) Babu Rajani Kanta Ghose.

No. 2757J.D.—The 29th October 1906.—Babu Janaki Nath Ganguli is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Kanchrapara, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 2760J.D.—The 29th October 1906.—Rai Kali Bhusan Ghosh Bahadur is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Barasat in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 2686J.D.—The 23rd October 1906.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Triloke Nath of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Daudnagar Independent Bench, in the district of Gaya.

Gaya.

No. 2690J.D.—The 23rd October 1906.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Gurudas Ghose of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Satkhira Independent Bench, in the district of Khulna.

Khulna.

No. 2752J.D.—The 29th October 1906.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Krishna Chandra Ghatak of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Naihati Independent Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

POWERS.

No. 2674J.D.—The 22nd October 1906.—Babu Mrittunjoy Chatterjee, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Raniganj, in the district of Burdwan, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class. He is also authorised to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Burdwan.

No. 2678J.D.—The 22nd October 1906.—The gentlemen named below, who have been re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Tamluk, in the district of Midnapore, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, and are empowered, under section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language:—

Midnapore.

(1) Babu Sarat Chandra Mukerjee. | (2) Babu Rajani Kanta Ghose.

No. 2680J.D.—The 22nd October 1906.—Babu Sarat Chandra Mukerjee, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Tamluk, in the district of Midnapore, is authorised to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him by the Subdivisional Officer of Tamluk.

Midnapore.

No. 2758J.D.—The 29th October 1906.—Babu Janaki Nath Ganguli, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Kanchrapara, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class. He is also empowered, under section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

24-Parganas.

No. 2761J.D.—The 29th October 1906.—Rai Kali Bhusan Ghosh Bahadur, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Barasat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class. He is also empowered, under section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, to take down evidence in Criminal cases in the English language.

24-Parganas.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2999J.—The 30th October 1906.—In exercise of the powers vested in him by clause (1) of section 14 of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that, with effect from the 1st November 1906, the Munsif's Court, which is held at Raniganj, in the district of Burdwan, shall be held at Asansol, in the same district.

Burdwan.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

No. 2662P.D.—The 29th October 1906.—Rai Brajanandan Prasad Singh, Sub-Deputy Collector, and now employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Bhagalpur and Purnea, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer of the Political States of Seraikela and Kharsawan, in Singhbhum, Chota Nagpur, with effect from the date on which he joins his appointment.

Singhbhum.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 29th October 1906.

No. 204.—Mr. W. T. Jolly, Assistant Engineer, first grade (supernumerary), and District Engineer, Monghyr, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India furlough for one week in extension of that previously granted.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 29th October 1906.

No. 206.—Mr. B. A. Blenkinsop, Assistant Engineer, second grade, is, on return from privilege leave, posted to the Champaran Division.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 27th October 1906.

No. 114Marine.—It is hereby notified that rule 14 of the Regulations for the admission of locally-selected candidates into the Bengal Pilot Service, published under Notification No. 66 Marine, dated the 16th June 1906, as quoted below, is cancelled:—

"14. The Government of Bengal reserves to itself the right to require all Pilots to obtain a Home Trade Master Mariner's certificate before they are promoted to be Senior Master Pilots."

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 29th October 1906.

No. 115Marine.—It is hereby notified for general information that under the provisions of section 15 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, Mr. H. R. Schuler, of Messrs. Ernsthausen, Limited, has been re-elected by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce to be a Commissioner of the Port of Calcutta, *vice* Mr. W. Bleeck, who has been granted leave by the Commissioners for a further period of five weeks, with effect from the 12th October 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

The 20th October 1906.

No. 112Marine.—The following bye-law, made by the Commissioners of the Port of Calcutta, as an addition to bye-law No. 2 of the bye-laws made by them for the safe and convenient use of the Howrah Bridge and approaches thereto and for the passage of ships, boats and vessels through the Bridge, which were approved by the Lieutenant-Governor under the Notification of the Public Works Department of this Government No. 33, dated the 29th January 1876, is hereby published under section 24 of the Howrah Bridge Act 1871:—

"2A. During strong tides, a red flag by day, and a red light by night, will be hoisted on the flag-staff situated near the lookout house on the Howrah Bridge, and when this is done, no flats or cargo boats of 100 tons burden or upward shall be towed or passed through any of the openings of the Howrah Bridge without the special permission of the Commissioners."

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.

The 16th October 1906.

No. 109Marine.—Under the powers conferred by section 36 of the Indian Steam-ships Act, 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor proposes, with the sanction of the Governor-General in Council, to make the alterations indicated below in the rules for regulating the grant of Certificates of Competency to Engineers of sea-going steam-ships, which were sanctioned under notification No. 46Marine, dated the 7th April 1905. The proposed alterations will be taken into consideration on the expiry of a month from the date of their publication in the Gazette, and the Lieutenant-Governor will be glad to consider any suggestions or criticisms which may be made by any person concerning them within that period.

Rule 20(a).

The following is to be inserted after the first paragraph of sub-rule (*a*) of rule 20:—

Time spent in a technical school cannot be accepted as equivalent to more than two years' artisan service, and time spent in foreign technical schools can in no circumstances be recognised.

The following is to be added as rule 24A after rule 24:—

Foreign Engineers.

24A. Foreign Engineers cannot be examined for a First Class Certificate unless they have performed the sea-service stated in rule 21, with the requisite British Certificate. The service may have been performed in foreign vessels if the candidate can produce satisfactory testimonials as to conduct and character, and is able to prove that the service has been in the required capacities, and that during the period of service he has held a British Certificate of Competency of the rank required by the Regulations [*See rule 9*].

Rule 33.

The words "fishing boats" are to be substituted for "trawlers."

Rule 36.

The following to be substituted for rule 36:—

Certificates of service.

36. An officer who has attained the rank of Engineer Lieutenant or Engineer Sub-Lieutenant in His Majesty's Navy or the rank of Engineer or Assistant Engineer in the Indian Marine Service, is entitled without examination, if an Engineer Lieutenant or Engineer, to a Certificate of Service as First-Class Engineer, and if an Engineer Sub-Lieutenant or Assistant Engineer, to a Certificate of Service as Second-Class Engineer. These officers may be examined for a Certificate of Competency on the same conditions as Engineers of the Mercantile Marine.

An officer who has attained the rank of Artificer Engineer in His Majesty's Navy or Indian Marine Service is also entitled without examination to a Certificate of Service as Second-Class Engineer.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 29th October 1906.

No. 205.—Babu Rajendra Nath Mukharji (Junior), Supervisor, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, is granted, under articles 260 and 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for one month combined with leave on medical certificate for five months, with effect from the 25th October 1906, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 207.—Babu Kshetra Mohan Palit, Supervisor, second grade, and Toll Collector, Hanskhali, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for two months, with effect fromthe 17th November 1906, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3416A.

No. 3720A.D.—The 29th October 1906.—Babu Brajasundar Mardaraj, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Kendrapara, Cuttack, is vested with the powers of a Deputy Collector for the trial of rent and other suits under Act X of 1859.

Cuttack.

No. 3725A.D.—The 29th October 1906.—Babu Haripada Chatarji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Shahabad, is posted to the Bhabhua subdivision of that district

Shahabad. Saran.

This cancels the orders of the 22nd September 1906, posting Babu Haripada Chatarji to the Gopalganj subdivision of the Saran district, cancelling the order of the 8th September 1906, posting him to the head-quarters station of the Shahabad district.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2244D., dated Darjeeling, the 26th October 1906.—Babu Surendra Nath Sen Gupta, II. 3rd grade Assistant Surgeon, did supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the 4th August to the 5th October 1906, both days inclusive.

No. 2352D., dated Darjeeling, the 26th October 1906.—Babu Abinash Chandra Banarji, 1st grade Assistant Surgeon of the Diamond Harbour Subdivision and Dispensary, in the 24-Parganas, is granted privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the forenoon of the 14th October 1906.

No. 2357D., dated Darjeeling, the 26th October 1906.—Babu Kula Chandra Guha, 3rd grade Assistant Surgeon, is appointed, with effect from the forenoon of the 14th October 1906, to act at the Diamond Harbour Subdivision and Dispensary, in the 24-Parganas, during the absence, on leave, of 1st grade Assistant Surgeon Abinash Chandra Banarji, or until further orders.

A. M. CROFTS, COL., I.M.S.,
Offg. Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

Sheriff's Office, the 26th September 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1906 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the 26th day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

A. A. APCAR, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৬ সাল তারিখ ২৬শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে শ্রীযুত বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৬ সালের ২৬শে নবেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতায় হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

এঃ এঃ আপকার, সরিফ।

ECCLESIASTICAL.

Dated the 23rd day of October 1906.

THE Revd. Walter Lambert, Chaplain of Dibrughar, has been appointed by the Right Revd. the Lord Bishop of Calcutta a Surrogate for granting Episcopal Licenses of Marriage within the Diocese of Calcutta.

H. G. PEARSON,
Offg. Registrar.

Dated the 25th day of October 1906.

THE Revd. Russell Payne, Chaplain of Muzaffarpur, has been appointed by the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Calcutta a Surrogate for granting Episcopal Licenses of Marriage within the Diocese of Calcutta.

H. G. PEARSON,
Offg. Registrar.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 23rd October 1906.—Babu Radha Charan Das, B.A., Sub-Inspector of Schools, Central Mahanadi Circle, Orissa Tributary Mahals (Class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st September 1906, or any subsequent date on which he may have availed himself of it.

The 24th October 1906.—Maulvi Mahammad Mohsin, B.A., an Assistant Master, on probation, in the Muzaffarpur Zilla School on a salary of Rs. 30 a month, is appointed, on probation for one year, to be a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Gaya, and substantively *pro tempore* in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, *vice* Babu Gopal Das.

Babu Trisuldhari Sinha, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Hazaribagh (Class IV), is allowed furlough for nine months, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 27th July 1905.

The 30th October 1906.—Miss J. Russell, Assistant Mistress in the Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong (Class V), was absent on leave for three days, under articles 232 and 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to her under the orders of the 28th March 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

English Teachership Examination, 1906.

THE examination will be partly written and partly oral and practical.

2. The written examination will be held at the Training School at Calcutta on the 3rd December 1906 and the two following days. Three papers will be set, as shown below:—

				Marks.
I.—Art of teaching,	3rd December,	10 A.M. to 2 P.M. ...	...	100
II.—Discipline,	4th „	10 „ 2 „ ...	...	100
III.—Organisation,	5th „	10 „ 2 „ ...	...	100

3. The oral and practical examination will be in actual class teaching and in notes of lessons. The necessary arrangements for holding this examination will be made by Inspectors of Schools. One hundred marks will be assigned to this examination.

4. In the case of a candidate who is a teacher, the Inspector may, at his discretion, conduct the practical examination at the candidate's own school. This examination may be conducted any time in the month of December 1906.

5. Candidates obtaining 50 per cent. of the marks or upwards in each of the subjects both written and practical, will be declared to have passed, and will be granted English Teachership Certificates, under the signature of the Director of Public Instruction.

6. Candidates for first-grade certificates must have passed the B. A. examination. Candidates for second-grade certificates must have passed the F. A. examination, and served as teachers for at least three years. Candidates for third-grade certificates must have passed the Entrance examination, and served as teachers for at least three years.

A teacher who has held a certificate of a certain grade with credit for five years, will also be permitted to compete for the next higher grade of certificate, if his capacity as a teacher and his knowledge of the subjects of examination are certified as satisfactory by the Inspector of Schools.

7. Candidates for the examination should apply, on or before the 2nd November 1906, to the Head Master of the Training School at Calcutta, and should send a fee of Rs. 5 at the same time.

8. Candidates who have failed at a previous examination will be admitted to the examination, if they have worked as teachers for at least six months since their failure.

9. Further particulars about the examination will be supplied on application by Head Masters of Training Schools.

CALCUTTA;
The 13th October 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

A.

Lower Primary Scholarship Course for 1908.

Name of Division.	Vernacular or Science Reader.	Arithmetic.
I.—Presidency ...	Lower Primary Science Reader (Bijnan Path), by Rai Ram Brahma Sanyal Bahadur.	Sisusiksha Patiganit, by Narayan Das Banerji.
II.—Burdwan ...	Bijnan-prabesh (Science Primer, Standards I and II), by Colonel K. P. Gupta and Trailokya Nath Mukerji.	Ganitankur, by Manomohan Chakravarti.
III.—Patna ...	(*a*) *Bengali.*—Lower Primary Science Reader, by Messrs. Longmans, Green & Co. (*b*) *Hindi.*—Lower Primary Science Reader, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co. (*c*) *Urdu.*—Lower Primary Science Reader, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	(*a*) *Bengali.*—Ganit Binode, by Sarada Prasanna Das. (*b*) *Hindi.*—Anka Ganit, Part I, by Gokarna Sinha. (*c*) *Urdu.*—Lower Primary Patiganit, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.
IV.—Bhagalpur ...	The same books as those prescribed for the Patna Division.	(*a*) *Bengali.*—Ganit Binode, by Sarada Prasanna Das. (*b*) *Hindi.*—Lower Primary Patiganit, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co. (*c*) *Urdu.*—Lower Primary Patiganit, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.
V.—Chota Nagpur ...	Ditto ...	The same books as those prescribed for the Bhagalpur Division.
VI.—Orissa ...	Lower Primary Science Reader, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	Prathamik Anka Siksha, by Sheikh Maniruddin, or Anka Pustak, by Rao and Das.

CALCUTTA,
The 23rd October 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

B.

Upper Primary Scholarship Course for 1908.

Name of Division.	Vernacular Literature and Grammar.	Science Reader.	History of Bengal.	Geography.	Arithmetic.	Practical Geometry and Mensuration.
I.—Presidency	Jnan Probesh, by Promode Prokash Chatterji.	Upper Primary Bijnan Reader, by Girish Chunder Bose.	Siupathya Bangalar Itihas, by Isan Chandra Ghose.	Bhugol Prosanga, by Hara Nath Bose.	Patiganitkar, by Sarada Prasanna Das.	Byabaharik Jyamiti-o-Parimiti for the Upper Primary, by Kedar Nath Dutt.
II.—Burdwan...	Siksha Probesh, by Jogindra Nath Sircar.	Bijnan Mala, by Sasadhar Sen.	Sankshipta Bangalar Itihas, by Nilmani Mukerji.	Bhugol Path, Part I, by S si Bhusan Chatterji.	Saral Patiganit, Part II, by Gouri Sankar De.	Saral Byabaharik Jyamiti-o-Parimiti, by Upendra Lal Baksi.
III.—Patna ...	(a) *Bengali.*—Sahitya Siksha, Part I, by Nrisinha Chandra Mukerji. (b) *Hindi.*—Bhasabodh, Part III, by Behari Lal Choubo. (c) *Urdu.*—Talim-ul-Atfal, Part I, by Muhammad Habibulla.	*Bengali, Hindi, Urdu.*—Upper Primary Science Reader, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	(a) *Bengali.*—Pratham Siksha Bangalar Itihas, by Raj Krishna Mukerji. (b) *Hindi.*—History of Bengal, by Gokarna Sinha. (c) *Urdu.*—Upper Primary History Reader, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	(a) *Bengali.*—Siupathya Bhugol Bibaran, by Isan Chandra Ghose. (b) *Hindi.*—The Upper Primary Geographical Reader, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co. (c) *Urdu.*—The Upper Primary Geographical Reader, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	(a) *Bengali.*—Ganit Path, Part II, by Nrisinha Chandra Mukerji. (b) *Hindi.*—Arithmetic, Parts II and III, by T. C. Lewis.	(a) *Bengali.*—Practical Geometry and Mensuration for Standards IV and V, by P. Ghose. (b) *Hindi.*—Upper Primary and Middle Vernacular Practical Geometry and Mensuration, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co. (c) *Urdu.*—Practical Geometry and Mensuration, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.
IV.—Bhagalpur	The same books as those prescribed for the Patna Division.	The same books as those prescribed for the Patna Division.	(a) *Bengali.*—Pratham Siksha Bangalar Itihas, by Raj Krishna Mukerji. (b) *Hindi.*—The Upper Primary History Reader, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co. (c) *Urdu.*—The Upper Primary History Reader, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	The same books as those prescribed for the Patna Division.	The same books as those prescribed for the Patna Division.	The same books as those prescribed for the Patna Division.
V.—Chota Nagpur.	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ...	The same books as those prescribed for the Bhagalpur Division.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
VI.—Orissa ...	Sahitya Manjari, by Srimati Abanti Debi.	Upper Primary Science Reader, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	The Upper Primary History Reader, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	The Upper Primary Geographical Reader, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	Anka Pustak, Part II, by Rao and Das, or Utkal Patiganit, Part II, by Umes Chandra Basu.	Practical Geometry and Mensuration, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.

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C.

Middle Scholarship Course for 1908.

NAME OF DIVISION.	Vernacular Literature and Grammar.	Science Reader.	History of India.	Geography.	Arithmetic.	EITHER OF THE TWO.		ENGLISH READERS.	
						Euclid.	Practical Geometry and Mensuration.	Standard V, 1907.	Standard VI, 1907.
I.—Presidency ...	Sahitya Path (Part II), by Jajneswar Banerji.	Middle Vernacular Bijnan Reader, by Girish Chander Bose.	Sachitra Bharatbarser Itihas, by Jajneswar Banerji.	Bhugol Path (Part II), by Sasi Bhusan Chatterji.	Patiganitsar, by Sarada Prasanna Das.	Euclid's Geometry, by Kedar Nath Datta.	Saral Byabaharik Jyamiti-o-Paramiti, by Sarada Prasanna Das.	A Reader for Middle Classes in Bengal, by E. Marsden and M. M. Bose.	A Reader for Middl Classes in Bengal, b E. Marsden and M M. Bose.
II.—Burdwan ...	Sahitya Path (Part II), by Sasi Bhusan Chatterji.	Middle Vernacular Bijnan Reader, by Girish Chander Bose.	Bharatbarser Saral Itihas, by C. R. Wilson.	Bhugol Path, by Messrs. Blackie & Son.	Saral Patiganit, Part II, by Gouri Sanker De.	Jyamitisar (Part I), by Kunja Bihari Dass Gupta.	Saral Byabaharik Jyamiti-o-Paramiti, by Upendra Lal Baksi.	Blackie's Indian Standard Readers (Book II).	Blackie's Indian Standard Readers (Book II).
III.—Patna	(a) *Bengali.*—Sahitya Darpan (Part II), by Nrisinha Ram Mukerji. (b) *Hindi.*—Sahitya Bhusan, by Ram Din Sinha.	(a) *Bengali.*—The Middle Vernacular Science Reader, by Subal Chandra Mitra. (b) *Hindi.*—Science Reader for Middle Schools, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	(a) *Bengali.*—Bharatbarser Itihas, Madhya-Bengala, by E. Marsden. (b) *Hindi.*—Marsden's History of India, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	(a) *Bengali.*—Bhougolic Path, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co. (b) *Hindi.*—Geography Reader for Middle Schools, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	(a) *Bengali.*—Ganit Path (Part II), by Nrisinha Chandra Mukerji. (b) *Hindi.*—The Elements of Arithmetic (Part III), by Gokarna Sinha.	(a) *Bengali.*—Geometry, (Book I), by Saroda Ranjan Ray. (b) *Hindi.*—Euclid for Middle Schools, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	(a) *Bengali.*—Byabaharik Jyamiti-o-Parimiti, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co. (b) Upper Primary and Middle Vernacular Practical Geometry and Mensuration, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	(a) *Anglo-Bengali.*—Blackie's Indian Standard Readers (Book II). (b) *Anglo-Hindi.*—A General Reader for Middle Classes, by C. De-la-Fosse.	(a) *Anglo-Bengali.*—Blackie's Indian Standard Readers Book II. (b) *Anglo-Hindi.*—A General Reader for Middle Classes, by C. De-la-Fosse.
	(c) *Urdu.*—Moulvi-mut-Tahsib (Part III), by Mohammad Habibullah.	(c) *Urdu.*—The Middle Vernacular Science Reader, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	(c) *Urdu.*—History of India for Middle Schools, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	(c) *Urdu.*—Geography Reader for Middle Schools, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	.....	(c) *Urdu.*—Euclid's Elements of Geometry, by Atma Ram.	(c) *Urdu.*—Practical Geometry and Mensuration, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	(c) *Anglo-Urdu.*—A General Reader for Middle Classes, by C. De-la-Fosse.	(c) *Anglo-Urdu.*—A General Reader for Middle Classes, by C. De-la-Fosse.
IV.—Bhagalpur ...	The same books as those prescribed for the Patna Division.	The same books as those prescribed for the Patna Division.	The same books as those prescribed for the Patna Division.	The same books as those prescribed for the Patna Division.	(a) *Bengali.*—Ganit Path (Part II), by Nrisinha Chandra Mukerji. (b) *Hindi.*—Arithmetic (Part IV), by T. C. Lewis and Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	The same books as those prescribed for the Patna Division.	The same books as those prescribed for the Patna Division.	(a) *Anglo-Bengali.*—A Reader for Middle Classes by E. Marsden and M. M. Bose. (b) *Anglo-Hindi.*—The book prescribed for the Patna Division. (c) *Anglo-Urdu.*—The book prescribed for the Patna Division.	(a) *Anglo-Bengali.*—A Reader for Middl Classes, by E. Mar den and M. M. Bose. (b) *Anglo-Hindi.*—Th book prescribed f the Patna Division. (c) *Anglo-Urdu.*—Th book prescribed f the Patna Division.
V.—Chota Nagpur ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	The same books as those prescribed for the Bhagalpur Division.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	The same books as those prescribed for the Bhagalpur Division.	The same books those prescribed f the Bhagalpur Di sion.
VI.—Orissa ...	Sahitya Taranga, by Maulvi Sultan Mian.	The Middle Vernacular Science Reader, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	History of India for Middle Schools, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	Middle Vernacular Geography Reader, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	Anka Pustak (Part II), by Rao and Das, or Utkal Patiganit (Part II), by Umes Chandra Basu.	Geometry (Book I), by Sita Nath Roy.	Practical Geometry and Mensuration, by Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	There is no approved Anglo-Uriya Reader.	

Note.—Pupils who have already purchased for use in the lower Standards Arithmetic books which contain the course prescribed for Standards V and VI should not be required to purchase the Arithmetic books prescribed in this list, if the books previously purchased are still in their possession.

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D.

Consolidated List of English and Vernacular Books approved by Government for use in Schools following the new Scheme of Vernacular Education.

FOR STANDARDS V AND VI (*See Appendix*).

).	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	LITERATURE.			As.	
	Bengali.				
1	Sahitya Path, Part II ...	Sasi Bhusan Chatterjee ...	.....	6	
2	Middle Vernacular Course ...	Nilmoni Mukerjee ...	.....	6	
3	Siksha, Part II ...	Gangadhar Banerjee and Isan Ch. Ghose.	.....	6	
4	Sahitya Path, Part II ...	Hemendra Nath Mitra ...	.....	6	
5	Sahitya Siksha, Part II ...	Bireswar Pande ...	.....	6	
6	Bhasa Siksha, Part II ...	Charu Sila Devi ...	.....	6	
7	Sahitya Pustak ...	Prasanna Chandra Vidyaratna.	.....	6	
8	Sandarva Mala ...	Mritunjoy Banerjee ...	.....	6	
9	Sahitya Path, Part II ...	Radha Govinda Gangooly ...	.....	6	
0	Sahitya Parijat ...	Narayan Chandra Vidyaratna.	.....	6	
1	Bibidha Path	Nakari Ghose	.....	6	
2	Nitipath, Part II ...	Jagad Bandhu Modak ...	.....	6	
3	Jnanmala, Part III (revised).	Sasadhar Sen	.....	6	
4	Kirti Kalap	S. K. Devi	.....	6	
5	Sahitya Path, Part II ...	Jajneswar Banerjee ...	Manik Ch. Ghose, Lila Printing Works.	.....	Omitting Kadas as Kumardas.
6	Charu Sandarva ...	Sarat Ch. Sastri ...	B. Banerjee & Co.	...	
7	Sahitya Darpan, Part II (revised).	N. R. Mukerjee ...	A. K. Ray & Co. ...	6	
8	Sahitya Siksha, Part II (revised).	S. C. Mitra	Sarat Chandra Mitra ...	6	
	Hindi.				
1	Bhasabodh, Part IV ..	Bihari Lal Choube ...	.....	6	
2	Sahitya Bhusan ...	Ram Din Sinha ...	.....	6	
	Probandha Manjari ...	Vyas Ram Sankar Sarma ...	.....	6	
	Third Book of Hindi	Harish Chandra ...	.....	6	

STANDARDS V AND VI (*See Appendix*)—continued.

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	REMARKS
1	2	3	4	5	6
	LITERATURE—*concld.*			As.	
	Urdu.				
1	Mouli-mut-Tahzib, Part III, with Appendix.	Mohammed Habibulla ...	.....	7	
	Uriya.				
1	Sahitya Taranga ...	Madhu Sudan Rao ...	.....	6	
	MATHEMATICS.				
	Patiganit.				
	Bengali.				
1	Sisu Ranjan Patiganit, Parts III and IV.	K. P. Basu	.....	8	
2	Patiganit, Part II ...	Tarini Kanta Masumdar ...	.....	8	
3	Patiganit	Locke and Lewis ...	Macmillan & Co. ...	8	
4	Patiganitsar	Saroda Prosanna Das ...	.....	10	In stiff covers.
5	Patiganit and Suvankari ...	P. Ghose	.....	8	
6	Patiganit	Ambica Charan Bose and Kedar Nath Bose.	.....	8	
7	Patiganit, Part II ...	Hari Ballav Mondle ...	.....	8	
8	Saral Patiganit, Part II ...	Jadab Chandra Chakravarty	.....	8	
9	Saral Patiganit ...	Gouri Sankar De ...	.....	8	
10	Ganitpath, Part II ...	N. C. Mukerjee ...	S. C. Auddy & Co. ...	.....	

FOR STANDARDS V AND VI (*See Appendix*)—continued.

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	MATHEMATICS—*concluded.*			As.	
	Hindi.				
1	Elements of Arithmetic, Part III.	Gokarna Sinha... ...	.....	8	
	Arithmetic, Part IV. ...	T. C. Lewis	Macmillan & Co. ...	8	
	Urdu.				
	Uriya.				
1	Anka Pustak, Part II ...	Rao and Das	.....	8	
2	Utkal Patiganit, Part II ...	Umesh Chandra Basu ...	.....	8	

FOR STANDARDS V AND VI (*See Appendix*)—continued.

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	Remarks.
	2	3	4	5	6
	GEOMETRY AND MENSURATION.				
	Bengali.			As.	
1	Euclid's Geometry ...	Brahmo Mohan Mallick ...	.....	4	
2	Ditto ...	Kedar Nath Datta ...	.....	4	
3	Euclider Jyamiti, Book I ...	Half and Stevens ...	Macmillan & Co. ...	4	
4	Byabaharik Jyamiti-o-Parimiti.	.....	Ditto ...	4	
5	Geometry, Book I ...	Sarada Ranjan Ray ...	.....	4	
6	Euclid's Geometry, Book I	Nrisinha Chandra Mukerjee	.....	4	
7	Jyamiti Sar, Book I ...	Kunja Behari Das Gupta ...	.....	4	
8	Khetra Tattwa, Book I ...	Mohan Ch. Basak ...	.....	4	
9	Jyamiti Bikas	Ditto	.....	4	
10	Practical Geometry and Mensuration for Standards IV and V only.	P. Ghosh. Adapted by E. P. Ghosh.	.....	.....	
11	Practical Geometry and Mensuration for Standard VI only.	Ditto ditto ...	.....	.....	
12	Saral Byabaharik Jyamiti-o-Parimiti.	U. L. Baksi	.....	4	
13	M. V. Mensuration ...	.....	Longmans, Green & Co.	4	
14	Saral Byabaharik Jyamiti-o-Parimiti (revised).	S. P. Dass	Hare Press ...	4	
15	Byabaharik Jyamiti-o-Parimiti.	N. C. Mukerjee ...	S. C. Auddy & Co. ...	4	
16	Euclider Jyamiti, Book I ...	U. L. Baksi	B. Banerji & Co. ...	4	
17	Ditto ditto ...	S. P. Das	.....	4	

FOR STANDARDS V AND VI (*See Appendix*)—continued.

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	REMARKS
1	2	3	4	5	6
	GEOMETRY AND MENSURATION—*concluded.*			As.	
	Hindi.				
1	Euclid's Elements of Geometry.	Peman Pande	.....	4	
2	Euclid for Middle Schools ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	4	
3	U. P. and M. V. Practical Geometry and Mensuration.	.....	Ditto ...	4	
	Urdu.				
1	Euclid, Book I. ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	5	
2	Practical Geometry and Mensuration.	.....	Ditto ...	4	
3	Euclid's Elements of Geometry.	B. Atma Ram ...	.....	6	
	Uriya.				
1	Geometry, Book I ...	Sita Nath Ray ...	.....	4	
2	Practical Geometry and Mensuration.	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	4	
3	Easy Mensuration and Practical Geometry.	Umes Chandra Basu ...	.....	4	
4	Mensuration and Practical Geometry.	Ditto ...	.....	4	

FOR STANDARDS V AND VI (*See Appendix*)—continued.

o.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	History.				
	Bengali.			As.	
1	Bharat Barser Saral Itihas	C. R. Wilson	.....	5	in boards.
2	Bharat Barser Itihas Madhya-Bangala.	E. Marsden	Macmillan & Co. ...	4	
3	Bharat Barser Itihas ...	Abdul Karim	.....	6	
4	History of India (revised) ...	Isan Chandra Ghose ...	.....	4	
5	Bharat Barser Itihas (omitting foot-note on page 116)	Hemlata Davi	.....	4	
6	Pratham Siksha Bharat Itihas.	B. Dhar	.....	4	
7	Bharat Samrajyer Itihas ...	.....	Chatterjee & Co. ...	4	
8	Bharat Barser Itihas ...	Satis Ch. Mittra ...	.....	.....	
9	Sankhipta Bharat Britta ...	.....	Bhattacharyya & Sons.		
10	Sachitra Bharat Barser Itihas	Jajneswar Banerji ...	.....	4	
	Hindi.				
1	History of India ...	Maulvi Abdul Karim ...	.. ...	6	
2	Marsden's History of India (Hindi and Nagri).	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	4	
3	History of India ...	Gokarna Sinha ...	.....	4	
4	Ditto	Megh Nath Bhattacharyya...	.....	4	
	Urdu.				
1	History of India for Middle Schools	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	4	
2	Citizen of India ...	Sir W. Lee Warner ...	Ditto ...	8	

FOR STANDARDS V AND VI (*See Appendix*)—continued.

No.	Names of books	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6
	HISTORY—*concluded.*			As.	
	Uriya.				
1	History of India for Middle Schools.	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	4	
	GEOGRAPHY.				
	Bengali.				
1	Bhugol Path ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	4	
2	Ditto ...	.....	Blackie & Son ...	4	
3	Ditto, Part II ...	S. B. Chatterjee ...	.....	4	
4	M. V. Geographical Reader	R. N. Ghose ...	Macmillan & Co. ...	4	
	Hindi.				
1	Geography Reader, for Middle Schools.	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...		
2	Geographical Reader, Part II.	Gokarna Sinha ...	.....		

FOR STANDARDS V AND VI (*See Appendix*)—continued.

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	GEOGRAPHY—*concluded.*			As.	
	Urdu.				
1	Geography Reader, for Middle Schools.	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	4	
	Uriya.				
1	M. V. Geography Reader ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	4	
	SCIENCE.				
	Bengali.				
1	Middle Vernacular Science Reader.	.....	Longmans, Green & Co.	7	
2	Bijnan Path ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	7	
3	Do. Reader ...	Giris Chandra Bose ...	.....	7	
4	M. V. Science Reader (revised).	S. C. Mitra ...	S. C. Auddy & Co. ...	7	

FOR STANDARDS V AND VI (*See Appendix*)—continued.

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1	2	3	4	5	6
	SCIENCE—*concld.*			As.	
	Hindi.				
1	Science Reader for Middle Schools.	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	7	
2	Middle Science Reader ...	G. C. Bose	.....	7	
	Urdu.				
1	M. V. Science Reader ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	10	
	Uriya.				
1	Middle Vernacular Science Reader.	...	Macmillan & Co. ...	7	

FOR STANDARDS V AND VI (*See Appendix*)—*continued.*

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	REMARKS
1	2	3	4	5	6
	(ENGLISH. OPTIONAL SUBJECT.)			As.	
	(*a*) Books approved under the old syllabus of English.				
	For Standard VI only.				
1	Junior Course of Reading ...	N. Chatterjee ...	.....	6	
2	Simple English Reader ...	Gobinda Hari Dhar ...	.....	6	
3	Popular Selections from Modern English Literature.	B. K. Banerjie ...	B. Banerjie & Co. ...	6	
4	New Century Reader ...	.....	B. Banerjie & Co. ...	6	
5	The Indian Newton Reader, Book II.	.....	Blackie & Son ...	6	
6	Moral Readings ...	G. Dutt	.....	1 8 6	
	For Standard V only.				
1	Victoria Lessons, Part I ...	Som and Bhattacharyya ...	.....	3	
2	The Lower Reader ...	Chandra Nath Bose ...	.....	3	
3	Modern English Reader, 1st Book.	Lily Soward	.....	3	
4	The New Scheme Reader ...	U. L. Baksi	.....	3	
5	Fifth Standard Reader ...	P. C. Mazumdar ...	.....	4	
6	The Indian Newton Reader, Book I.	.....	Blackie & Son ...	3	
	(*b*) Books approved under the new syllabus of English.				
	For Standards V and VI.				
1	A Reader for Middle Class (Anglo-Bengali).	Marsden and Bose ...	Macmillan & Co.		
2	A Reader for Middle Class (Anglo-Urdu).	Ditto	Ditto.		
3	A Reader for Middle Class (Anglo-Hindi).	Ditto	Ditto.		
4	Indian Standard Readers, Book No. II.	.....	Blackie & Son.		
5	A General Reader for Middle Class (Anglo-Urdu).	C. De-la-Fosse ...	Macmillan and Co. ...	8	
6	A General Reader for Middle Class (Anglo-Hindi).	Ditto	Ditto	8	
7	Model Lessons (Anglo-Bengali).	G. Bhattacharyya ...	Sanskrit Press Depository	6	

FOR STANDARDS V AND VI *(See Appendix)—concluded.*

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	REMAR
1	2	3	4	5	6
	FOR TEACHERS ONLY. *Bengali, Hindi, Urdu and Uriya.*				
1	Senior Teachers' Manual	Dwijendra Nath Neogi.			
2	The Oriental School Drawing Books, Parts III and IV.	E. B. Havell	Macmillan & Co.		

FOR STANDARDS III AND IV.

	LITERATURE. *Bengali.*			As.
1	Niti-siksha	T. N. Mukerjee and Preo Lal De.	.....	3
2	Sahitya Path, Part I ...	Radha Gobinda Ganguly ...	.....	3
3	Mukul	Surendra Nath Banerjee ...	.....	3
4	Balyabinode	Svarna Kumari Devi ...	.....	3
5	Jnan Bikhas	Parameswar Bhattacharyya	.....	3
6	Siksha, Part I	Gangadhar Banerjee and Isan Ch. Ghose.	.....	3
7	Sisu Sakha	Bipradas Mukerjee ...	.....	3
8	Sahitya Path, Part I ...	Sasi Bhusan Chatterjee ...	.....	3
9	Sahitya Sar	Sarat Chandra Chaudhuri ...	.....	3
10	Bimal Path, Part II ...	Amar Chandra Dutt ...	.....	3
11	Nava Siksha	Sri Nath Chanda ...	.....	3
12	Jnan Mala, Part II ...	Sasadhar Sen	.....	3
13	Monohar Path	Hara Nath Bose ...	.....	3
14	Upper Primary Course ...	Nilmani Mukerjee ...	.....	3
15	Sahitya Mukul... ...	Hari Ch. Banerjee ...	.....	3
16	Sahitya Pustak... ...	Prasanna Ch. Vidyaratna ...	.....	3
17	Sahitya Kusam, Part I ...	Tarani Kanta Mazumdar ...	.....	3
18	Charu Prosanga ...	Pares Nath Mahalanabis ...	.....	3
19	Sangraha Kusum, Part II ...	Iswar Ch. Chatterjee ...	.....	3
20	Niti Mukul	R. D. Chatterjee ...	.....	3
21	Sahitya Siksha, Part I ...	Bireswar Pande ...	.....	3
22	Siksha Probes	J. N. Sircar	.....	3
23	Bhasa Siksha, Part I ...	Charu Sila Devi ...	.....	3
24	Sahitya Path, Part I ...	Guru Das Chatterjee ...	.....	3
25	Patha Mala	Bidhu Bhusan Mukerjee ...	.....	3
26	Ditto	Subhashini Devi ...	Karuna Kanta Chakravarty.	3
27	Jann Prasuna	Sumati Devi	.....	3
28	Sahitya Kusum ...	Tarini Charan Basu Chowdhury.	.....	3
29	Nava Siksha	Chiranjib Sarma ...	.....	3
30	Nitipath, Part I ...	Jagad Bandhu Modak ...	.....	3
31	Adarsa Path	J. N. Basu	.....	3
32	Sahitya Manjari ...	Hari Prosad Chatterjee ...	.....	3
33	Rachana, Book I ...	G. C. Mukerjee ...	.....	3
34	Nava Path, Part II (revised)	K. K. Bhattacharjee ...	.....	3
35	Sahitya Ratna (revised) ...	S. P. Sen Gupta ...	.....	3
36	Sahitya Kusum, Part II (revised).	Mati Lal Chakravarty ..	.....	3
37	Jnan Probesh	Promod Prokash Chatterjee	.....	3
38	Riju Path (revised edition)	N. C. Vydyaratna ...	.....	3
39	Asa o Alo (revised) ...	S. N. Goswami ...	.....	3
40	Sahitya Siksha, Part I (revised).	N. C. Mookerjee ...	S. C. Auddy & Co. ...	3

FOR STANDARDS III AND IV—*continued*.

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	Rema
1	2	3	4	5	6
	HISTORY.			As.	
	Bengali.				
1	Sisu Pathya Banglar Itihas.	Isan Chandra Ghose ...	.....	3	
2	Aitihasik Path ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	3	
3	Bangalar Itihas ...	Rajani Kanta Gupta ...	.....	3	
4	Pratham Siksha Bangalar Itihas.	Raj Krishna Mukerjee ...	.....	3	
5	Sisu Ranjan Bangalar Itihas.	Sasadhar Sen ...	.....	3	
6	Bangalar Aitihasik Prasanga.	Hara Nath Bose ...	.....	3	
7	Sankhipta Bangalar Itihas (revised).	Nilmani Mukerjee ...	.....	3	
8	Banga Desher Itihas ...	B. Dhar.			
9	Sisubodh Bangalar Itihas ...	Kali Prasanna Banerjee ...	.....	3	
	Hindi.				
	History Reader, U.P. ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	3	
	History of Bengal ...	Isan Chandra Ghose ...	.....	3	
	Ditto ...	Gokarna Sinha ...	.....	3	

FOR STANDARDS III AND IV—*continued.*

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6
				As.	
	HISTORY—*concluded.*				
	Urdu.				
1	U. P. History Reader ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	3	
	Uriya.				
1	U. P. History Reader ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	3	

FOR STANDARDS III AND IV—*continued.*

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	Remarks.
	2	3	4	5	6
	GEOGRAPHY.			As.	
	Bengali.				
1	Bhugol Path, Part I ...	S. B. Chatterjee ...	.....	3	
2	Ditto, U. P. ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	3	
3	Bhugol Bibaran ...	Isan Chandra Ghose ...	.....	3	
4	Bhugol Prasanga (revised) ...	Hara Nath Bose ...	.....	3	
5	U. P. Geographical Reader...	R. N. Ghose ...	Macmillan & Co. ...	3	
6	Bhugol Path, Part I (revised)	.. ...	Blackie & Son ...	3	
	Hindi.				
1	Geographical Reader, U. P.	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	3	
2	Ditto ...	.....	Ditto ...	3—6	In Dev Nagri.
3	Elementary Geographical Reader.	Isan Chandra Ghose ...	.....	3	In Kaithi.
4	Geographical Reader, Part I	Gokarna Sinha ...	.....	3	

FOR STANDARDS III AND IV—*continued.*

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	GEOGRAPHY—*concld.*				
	Urdu.				
1	U. P. Geographical Reader...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	3	
	Uriya.				
1	U. P. Geographical Reader...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	3	
	SCIENCE.				
	Bengali.				
1	The Upper Primary Science Reader.	.....	Longmans, Green & Co.		
2	Bijnan Path, U. P. ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	4	
3	Upper Primary Bijnan Reader.	G. C. Bose ...	.....	4	
4	Bijnanmala (revised) ...	Sasadhar Sen ...	Metcalfe Press ...	.....	
5	U. P. Science Reader (revised).	S. C. Mittra ...	S. C. Auddy & Co. ...	4	

FOR STANDARDS III AND IV—*continued.*

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	Rem.
1	2	3	4	5	
	SCIENCE—*concld.*				
	Hindi.				
1	Science Reader, U. P. ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	6 as.	
2	Ditto, U. P. ...	G. C. Bose	.....	6 „	
	Urdu.				
1	U. P. Science Reader ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	6 „	
	Uriya.				
1	U. P. Science Reader ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	4 „	

FOR STANDARDS III AND IV—*continued*.

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	ENGLISH (OPTIONAL SUBJECT).				
	For Class VII (A) of High Schools and III of Middle Schools.				
	(*a*) Books approved under the old syllabus of English.				
1	The Newton Readers Infant Reader.	.....	Blackie & Son.		
2	Anglo-Hindi King Reader I	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	4 as.	Cheap ed
3	Anglo-Urdu King Reader I	.....	Ditto ...	4 „	Ditto
	(*b*) Books approved under the new syllabus of English.				
1	Anglo-Bengali King Reader, No. I.	.....	Ditto ...	4 „	
2	Indian Standard Readers, Book No. 1.	.....	Blackie & Son ...	6*d*.	
3	Second Book of Reading, (revised).	Lethbridge and Sircar ...	Macmillan & Co. ...	5 as.	
	For Class VII (B) of High Schools and IV of Middle Schools.				
	(*a*) Books appoved under the old syllabus of English.				
1	Longmans' Readers (Anglo-Bengali), 1st and 2nd Primers.*	......	.....	2 as.	
2	English Primer for Indian Schools.	Charu Ch. Mitra ...	.....	2 „	
3	Modern English Primer ...	Lily Soward	.....	2 „	
4	Model Spelling Book ...	Brindaban Dhar ...	.....	2 „	

* Editions other than that of 1902.

FOR STANDARDS III AND IV—*concluded.*

Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	REMARKS.
2	3	4	5	6
For Class VII (B) of High Schools and IV of Middle Schools—concld.				
(*a*) Books approved under the old syllabus of English.				
English-Hindi Primer ...	... ...	Macmillan & Co. ...	1-6 as.	
English-Urdu Primer ...	.....	Ditto ...	1-6 „	
Anglo-Hindi King Primer ...	.....	Ditto ..	2 „	
Anglo-Urdu King Primer ...	.....	Ditto ...	3 „	Cheap edition.
(*b*) Books approved under the new syllabus of English.				
Child's English Primer (revised).	P. C. Ghose	.....	3 „	
Anglo-Bengali King Primer	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	3 „	
Anglo-Bengali Primer	... ...	Blackie & Son ...	3*d.*	Cheap edition.
King Primer (Anglo-Hindi)	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	3 as.	
English Primer ...	P. N. Mahalanabis ...	.....	3 „	
Anglo-Bengali Primer ...	"Oriel"	Thacker Spink & Co. ...	3 „	
English Reader for United Provinces of Agra and Oudh. Primer-English-Urdu-Hindi.	.....	Messrs. Macmillan & Co.		
First Book of reading (revised).	Lethbridge and Sircar ...	Macmillan & Co. ...	3 „	

FOR STANDARDS I AND II.

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	REMARK
1	2	3	4	5	6
	SCIENCE.				
	Bengali.				
1	The Lower Primary Science Reader.	.....	Longmans, Green & Co.	3 as.	
2	Nimna Prathamic Baijnanic Path.	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	3 „	
3	Nimna Primary Reader ...	G. C. Bose	.....	3 „	
4	Bijnan Path	Ramendra Sundar Trivedi and Isan Ch. Ghose.	.....	3 „	
5	Bijnan Siksha for L. P. ...	T. N. and N. G. Mukerjee	.....	3 „	
6	Sisu Bijnan for L. P. ...	Sasadhar Sen	.....	3 „	
7	Bijnan Siksha (revised) ...	Surendra Nath Banerjee ...	... ..	3 „	
8	Bijnan Probesh ...	Col. K. P. Gupta & T. N. Mukerjee.	G. N. Haldar ...	3 „	
9	Bijnan Path	R. B. Sanyal	City Book Society ...	3 „	
	Hindi.				
1	Science Reader, L. P. ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	5 as.	
2	Ditto L. P. (Nagri)	G. C. Bose	.....	5 „	
3	Ditto L. P. (Kaithi)	G C. Bose	.....	6 „	
4	L. P. Science Reader ...	Trivedi and Ghose ...	.....	5 „	
	Urdu.				
1	L. P. Science Reader ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	5 „	

FOR STANDARDS I AND II—*continued.*

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	REMARKS
1	2	3	4	5	6
	SCIENCE—*concluded.*			As.	
	Uriya.				
1	L. P. Science Reader ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	3	
2	Nimna Prathamic Bijnan-path.	G. C. Bose	.....	3	
	ARITHMETIC.				
	Bengali.				
1	Sankhipta Sisu Ranjan Patiganit.	K. P. Basu	.....	.....	Bound boards.
2	Sankhipta Patiganit ...	Srinath Bhattacharyya ...	.....	3	
3	Nimna Prathamic Patiganit.	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	3	
4	Ganit Path, Part I ..	N. C. Mukerjee ...	.....	3	
5	Sisu Ganit	K. C. Banerjee ...	.....	3	
6	Ganit Probesh	Ram Dayal Chatterjee ...	.....	3	
7	Primary Pariksha ...	Ganga Dhar Saha ...	.....	3	
8	Ganit Binode (revised) ...	S. P. Das	.....	3	
9	Patiganit, Part I ...	T. K. Mazumdar ...	.....	3	
10	Saral Patiganit, Part I ...	J. C. Chakravarti ...	.....	3	
11	Ganit Prokas (revised), Part I.	Ambica Ch. Bose ...	.....	3	
12	Anka Siksha	M. N. Guha	.....	3	
13	Ganit Probesh	P. N. Kali	.....	3	
14	Sisu Siksha Patiganit for L. P.	N. D. Banerjee ...	.....	3	
15	Sisubodh Patiganit (revised).	Adhar Chandra Mukerjee ...	.....	3	
16	Sisubodh Patiganit, Part 1	Kedar Nath Dutt ...	.....	4	Bound Boards.
17	Pratham Siksha Patiganit	Basanta Kumar Bose ...	.....	4	Do.
18	Ganitankur	M. M. Chakravarti ...	Students' Library ...	4	Do.
19	Sisu Patiganit	Subhashini Devi	Navakalpa Library ... / K. K. Chakravarti ...	3	
20	Sisu Ranjan Patiganit, Parts I and II.	K. P. Basu	S. C. Basu ...	8	Uttam karam.
21	Nimna Ganit Siksha ...	T. C. Basu Choudhury ...	Gandaria Press, Dacca.		
22	Nava Ganitpath (revised) ...	M. N. Guha	Bhattacharyya and Sons	4	Bound boards.
23	Pratham Siksha Patiganit ...	Ganga Charan Bhattacharyya	N. C. Bhattacharyya, 3-4, Gour Mohan Mukerjee's Street.		
24	Sachitra Patiganit (revised)	K. P. Chattoraj ...	City Book Society ...	3	
25	Sisu Ganit Sopan (revised)	.....	Students' Library ...	3	

FOR STANDARDS I AND II—*continued.*

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	REM.
1	2	3	4	5	
	ARITHMETIC—*continued.*			As.	
	Hindi.				
1	L. P. Patiganit ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	5	
2	Ankaganit, Part I ...	Gokarna Sinha ...	.....	5	
3	Elements of Arithmetic ...	Ramyad Sinha ...	.....	5	
4	Arithmetic, Part I ...	T. C. Lewis, M.A. ...	.....	5	
5	Manas Ganit Mala ...	Indra Lal	.....	3	
6	Sankhipta Sisuranjan Patiganit, Parts I and II.	K. P. Basu	.....	5	
	Urdu.				
1	L. P. Arithmetic ...	.....	Macmillan & Co. ...	7	
	Uriya.				
1	Ankapustak	Rao and Das	.....	3	
2	Prathamic Anka Siksha ...	Sheik Maniruddin ...	.....	3	

FOR STANDARDS I AND II—*concluded.*

Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	REMARKS.
2	3	4	5	6
FOR TEACHERS ONLY.			As.	
Junior Teachers' Manual in Bengali, Hindi and Urdu.	Dwijendra Nath Neogi.			
The Oriental School Drawing Book, Part I.	E. B. Havell	Macmillan & Co.		
Bangiya Kindergarten ...	K. P. Basu	.....	8	
Patra-o-Daliladir Adarsa, Part I.	P. N. Kali	Sanyal & Co. ...	1-6	
FOR THIRD YEAR OF INFANT CLASS.				
Bengali.				
Sopan	Gangadhar Sen ...	.....	2	
Galpa Swalpa, Part II (revised), omitting Ram Mohan Ray.	S. K. Devi	.....	2	
Saral Niti	P. K. Guha	.....	2	
Probeshika	S. N. Goswami ...	.....	2	
Nava Path, Part I ...	K. K. Bhattacharya.			
Galpa Swalpa, Part I (revised).	S. K. Devi	.....	2	
Nava Siksha	S. B. Chatterjee ...	.....	2	
Parimal Path, Part I ...	A. C. Datta	Bhattacharyya & Sons ...	2	
Hitopadesha	Isan Ch. Ghose ...	Nababibhakar Press ...	2	
Sachitra Sisu Path ...	Chandra Nath Bose ...	S. K. Lahiri & Co. ...	2	
Saral Path, Part III ...	Jagad Bandhu Modak ...	Sanskrit Press Depository	2	
Saral Sisu Path (revised) ...	S. N. Banerjee ...	Banerjee & Co. ...	2	
Saral Path	N. C. Mukerjee ...	S. C. Auddy & Co. ...	2	
Suniti Path	Ganga Ch. Banerjee ...	.....	2	
Saisab Binode	G. C. Bhattacharyya ...	Sanskrit Press Depository	2	

FOR INFANT CLASSES—*continued.*

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	FOR THIRD YEAR OF INFANT CLASSES—*concluded.*			As.	
	Hindi.				
1	Hindi Reader No. II ...	Saheb Prosad Sinha ...	.....	2	
	Uriya.				
1	Sisubodh	Artababallav Ghose ...	.....	2	
	FOR INFANT CLASSES.				
	Bengali.				
1	Balya Path	Gopal Chandra Banerjee ...	.....	1	
2	Barna Siksha	Nirsingha Ch. Mukerjee ...	.....	1	
3	Pratham Siksha ...	T. N. Mukerjee ...	.....	1	
4	Sachitra Barnobodh ...	Svarna Kumari Devi ...	.....	1	
5	Nutan Sisu Path ...	Isan Ch. Ghose ...	.....	1	

FOR INFANT CLASSES—*continued.*

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	For Infant Classes—*continued.*			Rs.	
	Bengali—concld.				
6	Barnamala-o-Banan Siksha...	S. K. Adhikari ...	.....	1	
7	Barna-o-Banan Siksha ...	Sasadhar Sen ...	.....	1	
8	Sisu Siksha	Radha Gobinda Ganguly ...	.....	1	
9	Sisu Bodh (revised) ...	Sarat Cnandra Chowdhury ...	.....	1	
10	Barna Parichaya ...	Narayan Chandra Vidyaratna	.....	1	
11	Balya Siksha ...	Ram Sundar Basak ...	.....	1	
12	Balak Path	G. C. Banerjee ...	.....	1	
13	Nutan Bangala Path, Part I.	.....	Student's Library ...	1	
14	Saral Barna Siksha ...	Mati Lal Dutt ...	...	1	
15	Lekhapara	... ..	N. C. Chakravarty ...	1	
16	Pratham Path (omitting *Shiyal Bhai*).	Pratul Chandra Banerjee ...	.....	1	
17	Kindergarten Primer ...	S. B. Chatterjee ...	.....	1	
18	Saral Path	Jagat Bandhu Modak ...	.....	1	
19	Barnabodh (revised) ...	Rajendra Lal Bhattacharyya	.....	1	
20	Sisu Ranjan Barna Siksha (revised).	Mojammal Huq ...	.....	1	
21	Nutan Balyapath (revised)	Mati Lal Chakravarty (omitting the word "Panchanan" in page 18).	.....	1	
22	Barnabodh (revised) ...	Nilmani Mukerjee ...	.....	1	
23	Pratham Siksha ...	Radhkia Mohan Basak ...	.....	1	
24	Saral Siksha (2nd edition) ...	Padma Lochan Ghose ...	Metcalfe Press ...	1	
25	Sachitra Pratham Path (re-revised).	Chandra Nath Basu ...	S. K. Lahiri & Co. ...	1	
26	Akshar Parichaya (revised)	Ram Dayal Chatterjee ..	S. C. Auddy & Co. ...	1	
27	Sachitra Sisupath ...	P. N. Kali ...	Metcalfe Press ...	1	
28	Sisutosh	Man Mohan Sen ...	Sannyal & Co. ...	1	
29	Banan Siksha (revised) ...	S. K. Mitra	Banerji & Co. ...	1	
30	Balbodh (revised) ...	H. K. Ganguli ...	S. C. Majumdar ...	1	
31	Balya Sakha ...	.....	Karunakanta Chakravarti	1	
32	Nava Sisu Siksha ...	R. M. Sen	S. C. Basu	1	
33	Sachitra Barnaparichay (revised).	S. P. Das	.....	1	
	Hindi.				
1	Sachitra Barnaparichay ...	Mathura Nath Sinha ...	.....	1	
2	Barna Siksha ...	Gokarna Sinha ...	.....	1	
3	Sachitra Hindi and Sabda Nirman Siksha.	Sasadhar Sen	.....	1	
4	Sachitra Barna Parichaya	Peman Pande	.....	1	
5	Hindi Kitab, No. 1 (Hindi, Kaithi and Nagri).	Munshi Radha Lal ...	.....	1	
6	Barnobodh, Part I ...	Haranath Prosad Khattri ...	.....	1	
7	Valophar	Pandit Behari Lal Choube ...	.....	1	
8	Sisubodh	Devaki Nandan Sahai ...	.....	1	
9	Barnamala-o-Bakya Binyas	.....	Messrs. Macmillan & Co.	1	
10	Alphabet and Spelling Book	Yasada Nandan Choube ...	.....	1	
11	Stri Siksha, Part I ...	Sabal Prosad Sinha ...	.....	1	
12	Pahari Prokas ...	Shoomran Lal	.. ...	1	
13	Balkeli	Beni Madhav Tripathi ...	.....	1	
14	Barna Parichay ...	Pratap Narayan Misra ...	.....	1	

FOR INFANT CLASSES—*continued.*

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors.	Names of publishers.	Price.	REMARKS
1	2	3	4	5	6
	FOR INFANT CLASSES—*concluded.*				
	Urdu.				
1	Talim-i-Ajib	Mohammed Habibulla ...	...	1½	
2	Urdu ki pahli kitab ...	Sasidhar Sen	...	1	
3	Haroof Tahji	Raja Shiva Prosad ...	...	1	
	Uriya.				
1	Barnabodh	Madhusudan Rao ...	...	1	

FOR INFANT CLASSES—*concluded.*

No.	Names of books.	Names of authors	Names of publishers.	Price.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	FOR TEACHERS ONLY.				
1	Adarsa Chitravali, Parts I and II.	Sasadhar Banerjee ...	Bhujendra Nath Banerjee	3½	
2	Prathamic Aukan Siksha, Parts I and II.	Santosh Kumar Das ...	...	4	
3	Kindergarten Manual (Bengali).	S. B Chatterjee ...	...	1	
4	Hindi Kindergarten, Parts I, II and III.	Ram Din Sinha ...	...	1	
5	Kindergarten-o-Bastu-Bijnan, Part I (revised).	Som and Das	B Banerji & Co. ...	4	
6	Sachitra Sahaj Balika Drill-o-Vyayam (revised).	G. C. Karforma ...	Students' Library ...	2	

CALCUTTA,
The 23rd October 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

APPENDIX.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM.

THE subjoined tabular statement shows accurately the classes of high, middle and primary schools, which correspond, in educational standard, to the new standards, under Government Resolution No. 1 of 1st January 1901:—

High School on vernacular basis.	Middle School.	Upper Primary School.	Lower Primary School.	New standards under Government Resolution No. 1 of 1st January 1901.
1	2		4	5
Class I (Entrance class)	.....	.....	.....	.....
,, II	.....	.....	.....	.....
,, III	.....	.....	.....	.....
,, IV	.....	.....	.....	.....
,, V	Class I	.....	.....	Standard VI.
,, VI	,, II	.....	.....	,, V.
,, VII (Section A) ...	,, III (Upper Primary class) ...	Class I (Upper Primary class) ...	.....	,, IV.
,, VII (,, B) ...	,, IV	,, II	.....	,, III.
,, VIII (,, A) ...	,, V (Lower Primary class) ...	,, III (Lower Primary class) ...	Lower Primary class	,, II.
,, VIII (,, B) ...	,, VI	,, IV (A class of Lower Primary Schools).	A class	,, I.
,, VIII (,, C) ...	,, VIA (B class of Lower Primary School).	,, IV (B class of Lower Primary Schools).	B ,, ...	Third year of Infant class.
Infant class	,, VIB (C class of Lower Primary School).	,, IV (C class of Lower Primary School).	C ,, ...	Second year of Infant class.
,, ,, ...	,, VIC (Infant class)	,, IV (Infant class)	(Infant class)	First year of Infant class.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College.—

I.—Engineer Department.

A four-year course leading to the Engineering Degrees of the Calcutta University. Admissions made yearly in June. Admission qualification, the First Arts examination of the Calcutta University or its equivalent.

II.—Apprentice Department.

The full course of study covers five years. There are special classes in Mining and in Electrical Engineering.

After 1½ years the Sub-Overseer examination is held.

After 3½ years the Final or Overseer examination is held with special modification for Mining students.

After a further 1½ years' practical training the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate is given.

Admissions are made yearly in June to 1st year and in March to 2nd and 3rd years. Admission qualifications—

To 1st-year class, Entrance examination of Calcutta University or equivalent, to the Middle School.

To 2nd-year class, the Final examination of B Course of zilla schools.

To 3rd-year class, the Sub-Overseer examination of affiliated Technical schools.

III.—Workshops.

Artisan classes in the following shops :—

Carpentors';	Fitters';	Machine,
Blacksmiths';	Turners;	and Foundry.

IV.—Agricultural Department.

Admission made by nomination of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor. Application to be sent to the Principal. A two-year course leading to the Agricultural Diploma of the College. Admission made yearly in November.

Admission qualifications—

As general student, B. A., B Course, of Calcutta University or equivalent.
As special student, satisfactory evidence that the candidate can benefit by the instruction.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

SIBPUR,
The 7th June 1906.

B. HEATON,
Principal.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 6472B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1904-05, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 4th December 1906, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,400 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of	...	2,200
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of	...	2,200
Total	...	4,400

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 28th November 1905, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 19th December 1906, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 10th December 1906, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 19th December 1906.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. P. YAKCHEE, for *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 24th October 1906.*

No. 6072B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1904-1905 will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Tuesday the 6th November 1906, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,400 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory, consisting of	...	2,200
Ditto ditto at the Ghazipur Factory, consisting of	...	2,200
Total	...	4,400

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 28th November 1905, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 12th and 21st November 1906, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Pormissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 PM. of Monday, the 12th November 1906, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in fullpayment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 21st November 1906.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 4th December 1906 ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
Total ...	2,200	2,200	4,400

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

S. L. HIGNELL, for *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 19th September 1906.*

No. 6608B.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.

Dated Calcutta, the 29th October 1906.

IN supersession of the rules published under Notification, dated the 25th September 1894, in Part I, pages 1108 and 1109 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 31st October 1894, as amended by the Resolution by the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, No. 3998.R., dated the 19th January 1904, published at pages 157 and 158 of the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*, dated the 6th February 1904, the following rules framed by the Board of Revenue, L. P., under section 75 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878) for the landing and shipping of passengers' baggage and the passing of the same through the Customs House are published for general information. The fee to be charged under rule 17 has been sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

BAGGAGE RULES.

EXAMINATION ON BOARD SHIP OR AT THE LANDING PLACE.

1. Ordinarily in Calcutta an Inspector with a staff of Baggage Officers will board passenger steamers at Garden Reach, and proceed to examine all cabin baggage and such hold baggage as can be conveniently produced, before the vessel reaches her moorings. But when there is not likely to be time to complete such examination before the vessel is ready to discharge her passengers, as in the case of large passenger vessels proceeding direct to the docks or jetties, or in the case of vessels discharging passengers by launch at Garden Reach, in such cases the examination shall be conducted at the place at which the baggage is landed, and will not be commenced on board-ship.

2. Upon boarding a vessel, the Baggage Officers shall distribute declaration forms in Customs Form No. 478, and give all necessary information to passengers for filling them up.

3. The Inspector shall also obtain from the Chief Officer a list of the passengers and of the unaccompanied baggage carried by the vessel. The Baggage Officers on board are not permitted to pass the latter. In the event of there being no unaccompanied baggage, a certificate to that effect must be obtained from the Chief Officer.

4. In examining, Baggage Officers shall be guided by the following directions :—

(*a*) When no suspicion of an attempt to smuggle dutiable goods, or introduce merchandise or firearms, etc., is entertained, the officers may dispense with the examination of hand-bags, rugs and parcels and satisfy themselves by the examination of a selected portion of the other baggage to the extent of one or more representative packages according to the number brought by each passenger or set of passengers.

(*b*) The right to open any or every package remains, however, and can be exercised at the discretion of the officers.

(*c*) The officers are to put to each passenger the following question :—

"Have you anything in your possession liable to duty, such as firearms, ammunition, alcoholic liquor, perfumed spirits, or any other article which is for sale?" They shall at the same time draw attention to the rules printed on the reverse of the declaration form.

(*d*) The utmost tact and courtesy are needed in every case. The rights of the revenue mut be asserted, but no delay or unnecessary annoyance must be caused on any account to passengers.

5. If no dutiable articles are declared or detected, the Baggage Officer shall issue a pass in Customs Form No. 479. The declaration form entered by the passenger shall also be taken by the Baggage Officer at the time of passing and the entries completed.

6. If any dutiable articles are declared or found on examination, the passenger will be referred to the Baggage Inspector, who will receive duty, and issue a receipt in Customs Form No. 480.

7. Should a claim be made to pass dutiable articles free of duty under the concessions allowed for articles of private personal property re-imported, the Inspector may pass such goods free only if there are authenticated documents, in each case, substantiating the claim. In all other cases the passenger shall be referred to the Collector of Customs, with the option, should he wish to remove the article at once, of paying duty and applying for a refund afterwards.

The receipt in Form 480 shall be issued for all dutiable articles whether duty be levied or not, and shall contain a sufficient description of each article to permit of subsequent identification, as well as, in the case of any on which duty is not levied under the preceding clause, a note explaining the reasons. In the case of firearms, the details on the back of the form shall be filled up. Firearms of every description must be carefully examined.

8. Baggage Inspectors are authorised to pass free of duty firearms and ammunition in reasonable quantities belonging to passengers from Customs ports, or forming part of the equipment of an officer entitled to wear diplomatic, military or police uniform, etc., provided that the following particulars should in such cases be noted on the back of the receipt form, namely, the name, rank, position and address of the passenger, under his signature, in addition to the particulars of the arms required under the preceding rule, and particulars of the ammunition, if any.

Baggage Inspectors are also authorised to pass a gun, pistol, sword or knife, the property of a native officer or soldier arriving from a coast port when covered by a license from the Commanding Officer of the regiment to which he belongs.

9. Baggage Inspectors may not, however, pass the following, which shall be sent to the Custom House, and reported for orders :—

(1) Arms imported by a native officer or soldier arriving from Hongkong.

(2) Martini-Henry rifles and rifles of ·303 bore and ammunition for these weapons imported by any passenger, or any other rifles of a military pattern or ammunition the importation of which is prohibited.

Exceptions.—When an officer of the British or Indian Army or of the Imperial Service Troops arrives in Calcutta by sea on duty and carries a rifle or carbine ostensibly as part of his military equipment, such weapon, even if of a prohibited bore, may be passed by the Baggage Officer on board, provided it is of a service or military pattern and bears the stamp and mark that indicate that it is the property of the State, or in the case of Imperial Service Troops, of the Native State concerned.

10. Passengers' baggage need not be detained owing to arms or ammunition or other dutiable articles being found in their boxes, unless they have in any way attempted to conceal them. In such cases the articles shall not be passed, but shall be sent to the Custom House with a special report.

11. Baggage shall be marked with the Baggage Officer's initials as soon as passed, and may then be removed. An officer shall be deputed to see that no packages leave the vessel without being marked. Passengers on vessels proceeding to the jetties or docks should be instructed to send the baggage pass along with the baggage to enable it to pass the jetty or dock gates. Baggage Officers must see that packages are removed as soon as possible after examination.

12. All packages which cannot be conveniently presented or opened for examination on board-ship, or at the time of landing, and all unaccompanied baggage, shall be sent to the Custom House.

If the vessel is discharging in the stream, such packages shall be forwarded by the baggage staff in charge of a Baggage Officer or peon, with a green boat note. Unaccompanied baggage shall be shown separately in the boat-note.

If the vessel is discharging at the jetties, such packages shall be forwarded by officers of the Port Trust as soon as possible after landing with a challan.

If the vessel is discharging at the docks, such packages may remain at the docks for a day or two before being forwarded by the officers of the Port Trust. In this case passengers shall be informed how long their baggage will remain in the docks before transfer to the Custom House.

The list of passengers and of unaccompanied baggage obtained under rule 3, or the certificate in the case of there being no unaccompanied baggage, shall be forwarded by the Baggage Inspector to the Inspector in charge of the Custom House Division when the baggage is forwarded to the Custom House. Unaccompanied baggage may only be passed at the Custom House.

Articles detained for any special reason shall be forwarded by the baggage staff to the Superintendent of the Preventive Service in charge of a Baggage Officer or peon.

13. Baggage Officers must see that no delay occurs in forwarding packages to the Custom House.

14. The Baggage Inspector on board shall forward the duty collected with a statement in Customs Form No. 453 accompanied by his receipt book and the passengers' baggage declarations to the Superintendent of the Preventive Service who shall compare the items in the statement with the foils of the receipts issued, initialling the last foil in token of his examination.

The statement with the cash shall then be sent to the cashier through the accountant, the amount remitted being entered in a register in Customs Form No. 403 in which the cashier shall give his acknowledgment.

15. The Superintendent shall forward the necessary reports to the Collector in the case of articles detained with the least possible delay.

16. Receipts shall be granted in Customs Form No. 576 for all baggage received in the Custom House ; the receipts shall be serially numbered, and the number of the corresponding receipt will be noted in the green boat note or Port Trust chalan accompanying the packages.

17. A landing charge of 8 annas shall be leviable for every package brought into the Custom House.

EXAMINATION AT THE CUSTOM HOUSE.

18. Baggage brought into the Custom House shall be examined by the Inspector of the Custom House Division and his staff. Fresh declarations in Form No. 478 are not required, but otherwise, except in the case of unaccompanied baggage when manifested, the procedure in examination shall follow the rules already laid down. The Inspector shall assess and realize landing fees and any wharf rent that may be chargeable in addition to duty. Such realization shall be entered in counterfoil receipts in Form No. 349 and brought to account in the manner prescribed in rule 14. Persons applying to clear unaccompanied baggage that is manifested shall be directed to present a bill-of-entry, which will be passed under the ordinary import procedure.

19. A register in Form No. 570 shall be maintained for all baggage upon which wharf rent accrues. Entries shall be commenced as soon as the rent becomes leviable, and be completed when the goods are passed out. A weekly inspection must be made to ensure that entries are regularly made. The boat-note or chalan number to be shown in column 2 of this register will be the serial number given under rule 16.

APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES INCLUDING THEATRICAL PARAPHERNALIA.

20. Article 41 of Schedule IV of the Tariff admits apparatus and appliances and parts thereof free, when imported by a passenger as part of his personal baggage and in actual use by him in the exercise of his profession or calling. Theatrical paraphernalia may be admitted free under this article, provided that the goods fall under the conditions specified therein, and in any orders issued from time to time by the Government of India. The examination of theatrical paraphernalia may be conducted on the importer's premises under suitable precautions.

EXPORT. SHIPMENT OF BAGGAGE.

21. Shipping bills are not required for the shipment of *bona fide* passengers' baggage.

22. Preventive officers shall at their discretion examine baggage brought for shipment to China, the Straits, Mauritius, and Ceylon, and report for orders any case in which they have good reasons to suppose that baggage for other ports contains dutiable or contraband articles.

23 When passengers embark at Diamond Harbour, it shall be the duty of the Preventive Officer in charge of the station to see that neither opium nor ganja is taken on board in their baggage.

LIST OF FORMS.

		C. H. No.
1.	Passenger's Baggage Declaration	478
2.	Baggage Pass	479
3.	Receipt for Passenger's Baggage	576
4.	Statement of duty and charges realized on Baggage ...	453
5.	Baggage Receipt	480
6.	Register of Passenger's Baggage	570
7.	Register of Baggage Duty	403

C. H. No. 478.

PASSENGER'S BAGGAGE DECLARATION.

ATTENTION IS DRAWN TO THE RULES AND NOTICE ON THE REVERSE.

Ship *Dated*——————————*190* .

I HEREBY declare that my baggage comprises the following :—

	Passed.	Sent to Custom House or detained at Docks.
Number of open packages		
Number of nailed-down packages		

Baggage Officer.

GENERAL CONTENTS:

Entries in this space will be made and signed by the Baggage Officer,

In the case of goods discharging at the Docks, passengers will ascertain from the Baggage Officer how long their packages will remain at the Docks before being forwarded to the Custom House.

My baggage contains the following DUTIABLE ARTICLES only :—

Description.	Quantity or number.	VALUE. Rs.	A.	P.	REMARKS. [Note if any articles have paid duty in India before.]

Passenger's Signature.

*Rules * for the exemption of passengers' baggage from Customs duty.*

1. The *bonâ fide* baggage of a passenger is exempt from duty when it accompanies him; does not form part of the cargo; and is not included in the manifest.

2. *Bonâ fide* baggage shall include wearing apparel and personal effects, provided that the articles are not for sale and are imported for the personal use of the passenger or for the use of members of his family travelling with him; but it shall not include the following articles on which duty must be paid in all cases:—

(*a*) Arms, ammunition and all other articles enumerated in Schedule II of the Tariff Import Schedule.

(*b*) Alcoholic liquor, exceeding two quarts, perfumed spirit, exceeding one quart, and all other articles enumerated in Schedule III.

(*c*) Cigars and cigarettes exceeding 100 in number, whether in opened or unopened boxes, and other tobacco exceeding 1 pound in weight.

(*d*) Pianos, pianolas, carriages, motor-cars and motor-cycles.

(*e*) Articles for household use such as furniture, pictures, carpets, glass, crockery, cutlery, and silver and plated-ware, except such articles (other than furniture or carpets) as shall appear to the Customs authorities to be imported in a moderate quantity and to be required for the personal use of the passenger whilst travelling or immediately upon his arrival at his destination.

3. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in Rule 1, *bonâ fide* baggage landed at any Customs port within one month before or after the arrival of a passenger in India may, subject to the exceptions specified in Rule 2, be passed free at the discretion of the Collector of Customs.

* Published under the Resolution by the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 6095–6099 –68, dated 3rd August 1906, at page 1580 of the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*, dated 4th August 1906.

NOTICE

1. Any person making a false declaration or attempting to pass dutiable goods without payment of duty is liable to a heavy penalty in addition to having his goods confiscated.

2. For all information regarding the landing and clearing of baggage, passengers are requested to apply to the Baggage Officers on Board or in the Baggage Godown at the Custom House.

3. A charge of eight annas per package is made upon all baggage sent to the Custom House to cover the expenses of landing and removal.

4. A further charge is made on account of wharf rent if baggage is not cleared from the Custom House within seven days from date of its receipt.

C. H. No. 479.

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS.

BAGGAGE PASS.

Ship _____

Passenger's name _____

Number of packages in (words) _____

CALCUTTA,

The _____ *190* .

Baggage *Inspector / Officer.*

C. H. No. 576.

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS.

RECEIPT FOR PASSENGER'S BAGGAGE.

No. _____

Received from _____

Ship's Name _____

No. of Packages _____

Condition of Packages _____

Address or Marks _____

Inspector, *Custom House Division / Baggage Officer*

C. H. No. 453.

Statement of Duty and Charges realized on Baggage.

Baggage Receipt Number.	Duty. Rs.	Landing Fees. Rs.	Wharf Rent. Rs.	Remarks.
Total				
Grand Total				

Grand Total in words.

*Dated*_____*190* .

Baggage Inspector.

C. H. No. 480.

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS.

BAGGAGE RECEIPT.

Ship_____

Passenger's Name_____

Date_____

Description of Articles.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.	Duty. Rs.	A.	P.
Total duty ...						
Landing fees ...						
Wharf rent ...						
Total ...						

Passenger's signature.

Baggage Inspector.

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS.

BAGGAGE RECEIPT.

Ship_____

Passenger's Name_____

Date_____

Description of Articles.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.	Duty. Rs.	A.	P.
Total duty ...						
Landing fees ...						
Wharf rent ...						
Total ...						

The passengers is advised to keep this foil in case of future re-importation of the goods.

Baggage Inspector.

FIRE-ARMS.

Description ... ...

Maker's name and number ...

Bore ... ...

Single or double-barrelled ...

Rifle or smooth-bore ... ...

Range to which sighted ...

Whether fitted for bayonet or not

Baggage Inspector.

FIRE-ARMS.

Description	
Maker's name and number	
Bore	
Single or double-barrelled	
Rifle or smooth-bore	
Range to which sighted	
Whether fitted for bayonet or not	

Baggage Inspector.

J. H. No. 570.

Register of Passenger's Baggage.

Serial number.	Boat-note or challan number.	Passenger's name.	Number of packages.	Date of receipt.	Inspector's initials.	Baggage receipt number.	Duty.	Landing charges.	Wharf rent.	Date of passing out.	Inspector's initials.	REMARK
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13

C. H. No 403.

Register of Baggage Duty.

Date.	Name of Vessel.	Amount realized.			Cashier's Receipt.
1	2	3			4
		Rs.	A.	P.	

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the bye-election held under the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, in Ward No. V of the Chandrakona Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, Babu Ashutosh Ray has been duly elected a Commissioner of the Municipality in the place of Babu Urdhab Chandra Khan, deceased.

E. H. WALSH, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 25th October 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held under the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, on Saturday, the 12th January 1907, in Ward No. I of the Khirpai Municipality in the district of Midnapore to fill up a vacancy caused by the death of Babu Kailash Chandra Banerjee.

E. H. WALSH, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 25th October 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Gumla, in the district of Ranchi:—

1. Subdivisional Officer, Gumla.
2. Revd. Father Bretaudeau, S.J.
3. „ F. Kasten.
4. Maulvi Muhammad Yusuf.
5. Babu Debi Lal Sahu.
6. Bara Lal Nawal Kishore Nath Shah Deo, of Palkot.
7. Akhouri Tanri Charan.
8. Babu Lalit Mohan Sen.
9. The 2nd Manager, Wards and Encumbered Estates.

E. A. GAIT, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHOTA NAGPUR, *the 22nd October 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Bundu, in the district of Ranchi:—

1. Thakur Jagar Nath Sahi Deo.
2. Babu Paresh Nath Ghosh, Sub-Inspector of Schools.
3. „ Jadu Nath Sen.
4. „ Mata Saran.
5. „ Rung Lal Sahu.
6. „ Mung Raj Marwari.
7. „ Bishu Nath Bhagat.
8. „ Khetra Mohan Ghatak, Manager, Bundu Estate.

E. A. GAIT, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHOTA NAGPUR, *the 22nd October 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, Babu Lalgabind Singh, Mokhtar, is appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Madhubani, in the district of Darbhanga, in place of Babu Sham Chandar Narayen, deceased.

H. WHEELER, *Addl. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 23rd October 1906.*

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PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 27th October 1906.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

EXAMINATIONS.

The 26th October 1906.

No. 696.—With reference to rules 4 and 9 of the rules published with the Home Department Notification No. 529, dated the 8th September 1899, it is hereby notified that the examination prescribed for filling up vacancies in the lower division of the Secretariat Clerical Service of the Government of India and attached offices will be held at Calcutta in the Senate House of the Calcutta University, commencing on Saturday, the 5th January 1907.

No examination will be held during 1907 for filling up vacancies in the clerical establishment of the offices subordinate to the Government of Bengal.

The examination at Allahabad and Lahore will be held at the same time at the places to be appointed by the Governments of the United Provinces and the Punjab respectively. The hours of examination at Calcutta will be from to 10 A.M. to 1 P.M. and from 1-30 P.M. to 4-30 P.M. daily.

The probable number of vacancies in the lower division of the Secretariat Clerical Service of the Government of India and attached offices to be competed for is nine. Of these, five will be reserved for candidates domiciled in the United Provinces, the Punjab, the Central Provinces, Rajputana, Central India, and Baluchistan, provided that a sufficient number of such candidates duly qualified appear for the examinations to be held at Allahabad and Lahore. The remaining vacancies will be offered for competition among the candidates examined at Calcutta, and such candidates temporarily resident, but not domiciled in any of the provinces enumerated above as may be permitted to present themselves for examination at Allahabad and Lahore.

Candidates should pay the prescribed fee (Rs. 10) into the nearest treasury and forward the treasury receipt to the Secretary to the Board of Examiners, Calcutta. Candidates paying their fees in Calcutta should pay them into the Bank of Bengal.

Application for permission to appear at the examination should be made to the Secretary to the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, between the date of this notification and the 15th December next (inclusive). The attention of intending candidates is called to rule 8 of the rules* published with the Home Department Notification of the 8th September 1899, prescribing the particulars and documents which should accompany the application for permission to appear at the examination.

* *Particulars and documents prescribed in rule 8 of the rules published with the Home Department Notification of 8th September 1899—*

(1) Evidence that the candidate at the date of making his application is not less than 18 and not more than 24 years of age. The date of the candidate's birth must be stated.

(2) In case the candidate has been educated at a school in which students' good-conduct registers are kept, the candidate's register for the last year of his attendance at school when a year has not elapsed since he left school. In other cases a certificate that the candidate is of good moral character from the head of the institution in which he has last been educated, or from some respectable householder to whom he is well known in private life, and who is himself known to a District or Subdivisional Magistrate or to the head of some Government office,—this last fact being certified by the countersignature of the officer in question.

(3) If the candidate is employed under Government, a certificate by the head of the office or department to the effect that, in his opinion, there is no objection to the candidate appearing at the ensuing clerkship examination.

(4) A statement whether the candidate has appeared at any previous clerkship examination and, if so, in what year.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

The 26th October 1906.

No. 1890.—The following telegram is published for general information:

Telegram, dated Pera, the 24th October 1906.

From—His Britannic Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Constantinople,

To—His Excellency the Viceroy.

MEASURES against Port Said, medical inspection, disinfection and rat destruction. Same quarantine measures adopted against Adalia.

H. H. RISLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

SEPARATE REVENUE.

STAMPS.

Judicial.

The 26th October 1906.

No. 6069-Exc.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 35 of the Court-fees Act, 1870 (VII of 1870), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to remit the fees chargeable under the said Act on all applications and petitions presented to a Collector, or any Revenue officer having jurisdiction equal or subordinate to a Collector, for advice or assistance from the Agricultural Department of the Province.

J. S. MESTON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, are republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 26th October 1906.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 556.—Arthur William Slater, gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant to complete the establishment. Dated 3rd September 1906.

Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 557.—Captain George Moyle (Paymaster) resigns his commission, and is permitted on retirement to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the corps. Dated 20th August 1906.

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2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 562.—Second-Lieutenant Ralph Emmerson to be Lieutenant to complete the establishment. Dated 1st April 1906.

A. W. L. BAYLY, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2249T.M.—The 29th October 1906.—Whereas by a notification of the Government of Bengal in the Revenue (Jurisdiction) Department, No. 2675-Jur., dated the 10th September 1906, published at page 1734, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, the name of the "Raniganj" subdivision, in the district of Burdwan, has been changed to "Asansol," it is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the Local Board of Raniganj shall, with effect from 1st November 1906, be known as the Asansol Local Board.

Burdwan.

No. 2278T.M.—The 23rd October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Kushtia Municipality, in the district of Nadia, of Babu Banka Behari Nandi to be their Chairman.

Nadia.

No. 2280T.M.—The 23rd October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 11 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Midnapore:—

Midnapore.

Mr. H. R. D. Oldman.	Babu Gyanendra Kumar Nag.
Babu Gosain Das Datta.	„ Kali Kamal Sarkar.
„ Hemanga Chandra Basu.	„ Srikrishna Basu.
„ Abinash Chandra Mitra.	Maulvi Mazhar-ul Hakk.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased to appoint the following gentlemen, under section 10 of the Act, to be members of the Board:—

Babu Raghu Nath Das.	Babu Kshetra Mohan Mukharji.
„ Radha Gobinda Pal.	„ Bhagaban Chandra Deb.
„ Brajendra Kumar De.	„ Purna Chandra Mitra.
„ Saroj Ranjan Chaudhuri.	„ Pran Krishna De.

No. 2295T.M.—The 26th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 11 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the Ulubaria Local Board, in the district of Howrah:—

Howrah.

Babu Nibaran Chandra Ghatak.	Babu [illegible] Chandra Ghosh.
„ Premananda Das.	„ Dakshina Pada Ray Chaudhuri.
Babu Jogendra Nath Sen.	

H. J McIntosh,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Murshidabad Branch, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Saturday, the 10th November 1906, corresponding with the 24th Kartic, 1313 B.S., at village Barasat.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the lands nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Consecutive number of lot.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Nadia ...	Mauza Barasat, pargana Mamjoan.	7 to 8	Right side	0 7 1·33	0 0 15·059	.....	.....	Between 41 and 42 chains.	*North, East* and *West*—Fallow land of village Barasat. *South*—Land acquired for Murshidabad Branch Railway.

Krishnagar, the 20th September 1906.

N. AHMAD, *for* Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before th next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at 12 noon for the said arrears:

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
26-4	Mondleghat, pargana Mondleghat.	2,23,423 3 8	Nil	5g. 11k. 4 til share of the estate.	Jahur Lal Seal ...	3,970 5 3	Nil	89 7 5	Arrears of Mare 1905.

M. A. KADIR, Dy. Collr. in charge, for Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or befo the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th November 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the distri of Balasore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 6th February 1907 at 11 A.M., for the sa arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood tha separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares. A	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amou of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P. KT.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
977 Ij.	Kt. Killa Ambahatta, Ph. Ambahatta killa,	895 13 11	Share ...	0 11 11 0	Dadhibaban Das and others of Panichbatra, Ph. Banchas and others.	667 3 9	.....	833 9 1	Land Revenu Estate under at chment by order judicial authority
950	Tk. Churamoni, Ph. Ankura.	2,228 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Srimatya Chandramani Dei, mother and guardian of Kanungo Krishna Prasad Rai Bhramarbar of Churamani, Ph. Ankura.	.....	1,114 0 0	.....	Ditto.
994 Ij.	Tk. Mubarakhgur, Ph. Banchas.	23,948 14 8	Share ...	0 6 0 0	Bhagaban Chandra Das and others of Barobati, Ph. Sunhat.	3,978 9 6	.....	4,489 1 6½	Ditto.
962	Tk. Havisingpur, Ph. Bhera.	4,339 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Radhakanta Ray Mahasoy of Karpar, Ph. Randisorgara and others.	.....	2,147 12 6	.....	Ditto.
746	Tk. Bardhanpur, Ph. Dasmalang.	661 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Raghunath Das and others of Barbati, Ph. Sunhat.	.....	330 0 0	.....	Ditto.
713	Tk. Dhara, Ph. Mulgan.	1,062 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Harendra Narain Rai Mahasoy of Lakhannath, Ph. Chak Ismailpur and others.	.....	510 15 11	.....	Ditto.
1589 Ij.	Tk. Thekora, Ph. Kalma.	2,270 0 0	Share ...	0 5 6 10	Munshi Latifur Raheman Ahmed of Issafpur, Ph. Randisorgara and others.	762 9 3	.....	381 4 7½	Ditto.
8	Tk. Sarmanga, Ph. Randisorgara.	1,429 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Munshi Makbul Raheman Ahmed of Issafpur, Ph. Randisorgara.	.....	676 9 6	.....	Ditto.
809	Tappe Chanua, Ph. Satmalang.	664 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Kasinath Kar of Barbati, Ph. Sunhat and others.	.....	331 13 3	.....	Ditto.
48 Ij.	Ma. Darora, Ph. Senaut.	1,304 0 0	Share ...	0 10 8 0	Jadunath Prasad Dey of Damoderpur, Ph. Sunhat and others.	869 5 4	.....	434 10 7½	Ditto.
1164	Ml. Berhapal, Ph. Shahabunder.	911 0 0	Do. ...	0 10 0 0	Srichandan Bhuyan Brindaban Chandra Rai of Gar Rautrapur, Ph. Sahabander.	569 6 0	.....	284 6 0	Ditto.

A.—All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Balasore Collectorate, the 10th October 1906.

S. K. AGASTI, Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th November 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 4th February 1907, at 12 o'clock noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate not specifically mentioned in column 5 are excluded from sale.

No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of the proprietors of the property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
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164/1	Ta. Ganeswarpur, Ph. Banchas.	Rs. A. P. 1,619 0 0		Kismat ... As. 9	Baladeb Prakash Brahmachari.	Rs. A. P. 910 11 0	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 455 0 0	Due for kist November 1906.
166/2	Ditto .	1,619 0 0		Do. ... 7	Chadmoni Dibya, mother and guardian of Hanuman Khuntia, minor, and others.	708 5 0		354 0 0	Ditto.
66	Ma. Drugadaspur, Ph. Kotrahang.	879 0 0	Whole		Bhikari Misra and others.		439 0 0		Ditto.
171	Ma. Gope, Ph. Banchas.	555 0 0	Do.		Satyabadi Patra and others.		278 4 10		Ditto.
	Killah Baharampur, Ph. Paschhimduai.	2,657 0 0		Kismat ... 4	Musummat Sadatan Nissa Begam *alias* Chunee Begam and others.	664 4 0		332 2 0	Ditto.

Puri Collectorate, the 15th October 1906.

P. C. MITTER, Collector.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 23rd October 1906.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs. 91,16,512 10 3			
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 83,42,960 8 7	1,74,59,473	2	10
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	13,86,67,173	0	4
Bank Post Bills, &c.	6,76,169	3	2
Sundries	22,32,303	13	2
Rupees ...	19,35,35,119	3	6

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	85,68,078	0	0
Other authorised investments ...	54,23,778	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	3,87,21,224	14	0
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	4,29,49,478	2	1
Bills discounted and purchased	3,39,69,775	10	9
Balances with other Banks	16,92,483	0	0
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	18,38,803	4	10
Stamps	10,882	7	10
Sundries	6,27,758	10	3
	13,38,01,757	1	9
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 3,14,41,862 6 10			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches† ... 2,82,91,499 10 11	5,97,33,362	1	9
Rupees ...	19,35,35,119	3	6

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 1,03,1 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 3,41,302 8
Rs. 4,44,42 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 25th October 1906.

C. M. BASTIN, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans, 6 per cent.
Percentage 37·55.

HENRY GRAY,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.
(1096—1)

WANTED temporarily for six months, with every prospect of being made permanent on account of the present incumbent going on promotion, a Head Clerk and Accountant qualified under paragraph 9 of the Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., of the 20th December 1901. for the District Board of Rajshahi on a salary of Rs. 80 rising to Rs. 100 by an annual increment of Rs. 5. Preference will be given to one who has experience of District Board and Public Works accounts.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 10th November 1906.

A. H. CUMING,
Chairman, District Board, Rajshahi.

Rajshahi District Board's Office, the 10th October 1906. (1075—3)

WANTED a Muhammadan candidate for the post of an Assistant Master in a Government zilla school in the Burdwan Division. The pay of the post is Rs. 30 a month for a graduate, or Rs. 25 for an F.A. certificate-holder.

Applications will be received up to the 10th November 1906.

MUHAMMAD IBRAHIM,
Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

Hooghly, the 22nd October 1906.

WANTED for the Office of the Inspectress of Schools a clerk with a good knowledge of Hindi and Urdu. Salary Rs. 40. Candidates must be graduates with some experience of office work Apply first by letter, enclosing testimonials, to Office of Inspectress, 22 Ezra Mansions, 10, Government Place, Calcutta.

WANTED for six months an experienced Surveyor on a salary of Rs. 30, *plus* travelling allowance of Rs. 10 a month while in the fields. Preference will be given to a passed student of the Dacca Survey School with some experience in survey works. The selected candidate will have to join at once. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th November 1906.

A. CHATTERJEE,
District Engineer, Jessore.

Jessore, the 16th October 1906. (1083—3)

Wanted

A THIRD PILOT and Harbour Master for the Port of Chittagong. Pay Rs. 250 rising to Rs. 400 by annual increments of Rs. 25 a month.

The appointment has been recommended by the Port Commissioners, but is subject to the sanction of Government.

Applicants must be under 30 years of age and hold a Master's certificate.

Applications with copies of credentials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th November 1906. Proof of sobriety and good conduct essential

The candidate selected will be on probation for six months, and will be required to join by 1st December.

D. H. GIBSONE, COMMANDER, R.I.M.,
Port Officer.

Chittagong, the 17th October 1906. (1082 3)

SUSILMADHUB MULLICK, M.A., B.L., Pleader, Judge's Court, 24-Parganas, intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (1085—4—922)

SUDHINDRA NATH TAGORE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court. (1076—4—915)

BABU SATIS CHANDRA BHATTACHARYA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court. (1099—4—935)

Wanted.

A HEAD CLERK AND ACCOUNTANT for the District Board's Office, Jalpaiguri, on a salary of Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 80 by annual increment of Rs. 5. None need apply who is not qualified under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334 L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901, and who has no experience of office works.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 20th November 1906.

W. D. RITCHIE, Vice-Chairman.

District Board's Office, Jalpaiguri, the 19th October 1906. (1086—3)

Wanted

A COPYIST and an Apprentice for the Court of the Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta, Town Hall.

None need apply who has not passed the F.A. examination of the Calcutta University and does not write a good hand.

Applications will be received up to 31st October 1906, and should be made in the applicant's own handwriting.

AMRITA LAL MUKHARJI,
Municipal Magistrate, Calcutta.

Town Hall, Calcutta, the 12th October 1906.

Advertisement.

WANTED an experienced Estimator for the District Engineer's Office, Hooghly, on a monthly salary of Rs. 50. The selected candidate will have to join at once. Applications with copies of testimonials and certificates of age and health will be received up to the 8th November 1906.

B. DE, Chairman.

Hooghly District Board's Office, Chinsura, the 15th October 1906. (1078—2)

Notice.

WANTED immediately for the Land Acquisition Office, Purulia-Ranchi Railway, Ranchi, a Head Clerk and Accountant on Rs. 70.

A graduate with honours in Mathematics with some experience in Office-work will be preferred.

An original certificate of good character and respectability from a gentleman should accompany each application.

KANTI BHUSHAN SEN, Land Acquisition Officer.

Ranchi, the 11th October 1906.

Notice.

WANTED for the Mymensingh District Board an Overseer qualified under rules published in Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901, on a salary of Rs. 80 rising to Rs. 100 a month and fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 30. The appointment is temporary, but in all probability will be permanent.

Applicant to state age, whether able to join at once, if able to ride a bike, and send medical certificate. Applications will be received up to 12th November 1906.

H. S. CHESHIRE,
District Engineer.

Mymensingh District Engineer's Office, the 23rd October 1906. (1093—1)

Notice.

WANTED a retired Deputy Collector-Magistrate for the revision of Chaukidari Unions in the Saran district for a period of six months on a consolidated salary of Rs. 200 a month, including travelling allowance. The application should reach the undersigned by the 15th November 1906. Preference will be given to candidates from Patna and Bhagalpur Divisions.

(ILLEGIBLE),
Chaukidari Deputy Magistrate.

Chapra, the 22nd October 1906. (1095—3)

Custom House Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that if the duty, interest and all charges be not paid within ten days from the date of this notice on five cases of Jamaica rum marked S. C. D. & Co., Calcutta imported per S.S. *Palermo* from London and bonded by Messrs. Shib Churn Dutt & Co. on the 14th September 1903, in the Bengal Bonded Warehouse, the Jamaica rum will be sold by public auction under the provisions of section 119 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878, by Messrs. Mackenzie, Lyall & Co., of No. 4 Lyon's Range, Calcutta.

L. F. MORSHEAD,
Collector of Customs.

Custom House, Calcutta, the 19th October 1906.

(1084—2)

Currency Note.

THE following Currency Note of the Calcutta Circle is stated to have been destroyed, and payment of its value has been claimed by the person whose name is placed against the number. Any other person claiming a right to it is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Note wholly destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of claimant.
		Rs.	
W 236 of 1906-07	$\frac{PA}{96}$ 78084	100	Magni Ram Bhakat, care of Ashutosh Basu, No. 231 Darmahatta Street, Alooposta, Calcutta.

T. H. WORGAN,
Assistant Comptroller-General, in charge Paper Currency.

Paper Currency Department, the 12th October 1906.

Notice.

THE six Government Promissory Notes for Rs. 35,000 showing the number, loan, amount and name of original holder of each as detailed below and last endorsed to Syed Mahammad Fayaz Ali Khan, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the said notes and the interest thereon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of Duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the said notes.

Nos. of Notes.	Loans.	Names of original holders.	Amounts.
			Rs.
029122 027645 012050	3½ per cent. of 1900-01	Bank of Bengal ...	25,000
		Prosad Das Boral and Bros. ...	5,000
		Binoy Krishna Hazra ...	2,000
036741		Ditto ...	1,000
037167 037168	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	Bank of Bengal ...	1,000
		Ditto ...	1,000
6		Total ...	35,000

Name of Advertiser—Syed Mahammad Fayaz Ali Khan.

Residence—Deorhi Jaffraganj, post Nashipur, district Murshidabad.

(1078½—3—937)

Notice.

IS hereby given that the District Board of 24-Parganas, at their meeting held on the 16th October 1906, have resolved that the Road Cess be levied at the maximum rate of half anna in the rupee on the annual value of all lands in the district during the year 1907-08.

J. H. BERNARD,
Chairman, District Board, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 22nd October 1906. (1097—3)

Vessel.	Marks and Nos.	Description.
S.S. "Amora"	N. Lyall Bros. ...	1 case samples of dried fruits.
" "Laisang"	Elliott and Co. ...	1 parcel unknown.
" "Suisang"	M. B. C. C.	1 case salmon.
" "Suryalus"	Robinson Morrison and Co.	1 package samples of chaff.
" "Rajah"	F. F. C.	1 barrel sugar.
" Do.	Do.	1 do. do.
" "Scindia"	B M	1 cask pitch.
" "Pasha"	Patent Derby Horse Food.	10 bags horse food.
" "A. Apcar"	M. N. Adis	2 cases wine.
'G. Apcar'	P L P	1 case Japanese Beer.
'C. Apcar'	Nil	4 pieces planks.
Unknown	B Calcutta	1 bundle Polo sticks.
Quilon	B B	1 Do. sugar.
" Do.	D D	1 barrel do.
'Fooksang"	Miss Esslie Rose ...	1 box medicines.
'Lightning'	R & T	1 bundle tea shooks.
" Ditto	S O	1 Do. do.
'Crustafels'	Messrs. Partridge and Co.	1 parcel unknown.

The above will be sold if not cleared on or before the 14th November 1906.

L. F. MORSHEAD,
Collector of Customs.

Calcutta, the 19th October 1906.

Notice.

A CERTIFICATE under section 36 of Act II of 1874 to the estate of Mrs. H. R. Alphanso, late of Gadag, in district Dharwar, who died at Gadag on 6th February 1906 intestate, has been granted to W. H. Taylor of 5 and 6 Koilaghat Street, Calcutta, as the constituted attorney of Dr. J. B. Alphanso of Gadag, district Dharwar, husband of the deceased, to enable him to administer the estate. All persons being indebted to or having claims against the estate should communicate with the said W. H. Taylor.

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

3, Council House Street, Calcutta, 25th October 1906. (1038—1)

Tingalibam Company, Limited (in Liquidation).

NOTICE.

THE Company having been wound up, notice is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the shareholders will be held on Friday, the 30th day of November 1906, at twelve o'clock noon, at 12, Mission Row, Calcutta, when the following resolutions will be submitted :—

(1) That the Liquidator's final account, which has been circulated among the Shareholders setting forth the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property disposed of, be passed as correct.

(2) That under section 199 of the Indian Companies Act, 1882, the custody of the books, accounts and documents belonging to the Company be committed to Messrs. Begg, Dunlop & Co., Calcutta.

E. V. CRUICKSHANK, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 23rd October 1906. (1094—1—934)

Notice under Section 12 of Act V of 1875 and Section 20 of Act I of 1887.

To ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVISION No. A, GRAND DIVISION No 6, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 10th October 1906.

Notice under Section 12 of Act V of 1875 and Section 20 of Act I of 1887.

To ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVISION No P, GRAND DIVISION No 6, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 10th October 1906.

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875.

To ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVIS ON No. K, GRAND DIVISION No. 4, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundari s demarcated of all revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the ma are open to inspection. You are therefore requested t prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after whic the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 15th October 1906.

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875 and section 20 of Act I of 1887.

To ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVISION No L, GRAND DIVISION No. 4, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 15th October 1906.

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875.

To ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVISION No. M, GRAND DIVISION No. 4, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5, Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 15th October 1906.

No. 4, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 15th October 1906.

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875 and section 20 of Act I of 1887.

To ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVISION No. O, GRAND DIVISION No. 4, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R B. SMART,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 15th October 1906.

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875 and section 20 of Act I of 1887.

To ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVISION No. 17, GRAND DIVISION No. 3, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made a... demarcated of all municipal and r.venue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 24th October 1906.

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875 and section 20 of Act I of 1887.

To ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVISION No. 18, GRAND DIVISION No. 3, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any obection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 24th October 1906.

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875 and section 20 of Act I of 1887.

To ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVISION No. 19, GRAND DIVISION No. 3, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 24th October 1906.

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875 and section 20 of Act I of 1887.

To ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVISION No. 21, GRAND DIVISION No. 3, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 24th October 1906.

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875 and section 20 of Act I of 1887.

To ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVISION No. 22, GRAND DIVISION No. 3, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

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R. B. SMART,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 24th October 1906.

In the 2nd Court of Sub-Judge of Shahabad.

EXECUTION CASE No. 333 OF 1906.

Ch. Kesho Prosad Singh, decree-holder, *versus* Dewan Mahmood Khan, judgment-debtor.

FOLLOWING property will be sold by the Nazir of the Court on 5th November 1906 in the Court:—16 annas share of mauza Sarunan, *asli mai dakhali*, appertaining to taluq Jamuaon, pargana Chainpur, bearing old tauzi No. 1275 and present tauzi No. 2565 and jama sadar of the entire mahal Rs. 1,639-11-11 and jama sadar of mauza Sarunan Mahsua Rs. 1,036-10-8, valued at Rs. 9,000.

L. SINGH, Sub-Judge.

Arrah, the 24th October 1906. (1100—1)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to a decree and an order of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, made in Suit No. 488 of 1901 (Brindabun Chunder Dutt *versus* Sushil Chunder Gupta and other), and dated, respectively, 4th August 1901 and 26th January 1906, by the Registrar of the said Court in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 24th day of November 1906, at 12 o'clock noon, the following properties:—

Lot No. 1.—No. 8 Madhusudhan Gupta's Lane, being a two-storied brick-built house and the piece of land thereunto belonging and whereon the same is erected, containing by measurement 8 cottahs 11 chittaks and 6 square feet, more or less, comprised in holding No. 460 in block No. 11 of the North Division of the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north partly by the house of Joy Gopal Gupta, being known as the premises No. 18 Cathedral Mission Lane and partly by the premises No. 17-1 Brojo Nath Dutt's Lane, on the east partly by a private passage jointly belonging to the premises Nos. 17-1 Brojo Nath Dutt's Lane and 8 Madhusudhan Gupta's Lane and partly by the house of Grees Chunder Dass and others, being known as the premises No. 17-1 Brojo Nath Dutt's Lane, on the south by Madhusudhan Gupta's Lane, and on the west partly by the house of Kanoy Lall Seal, being premises No. 9 of the same lane and partly by a private passage jointly belonging to the premises Nos. 8 and 9 of the same lane; the annual revenue of the entire holding being Rs. 5-2-9.

This property now comprises the premises No. 17-5 Panchanontolla Lane described in Part I of the Schedule to the mortgage, the portions of the premises No. 17 Madhusudhan Gupta's Lane described in Part II of the said Schedule and firstly described in Part III of the said Schedule.

The abstract of title and the conditions of sale may be seen at the Registrar's office in the Court-house, or at the office of the Plaintiff's Attorneys, Messrs. G. C. Chunder & Co., at No. 2 Old Post Office Street in Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

G. C. Chunder & Co., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 28th day of August 1906. (1077—1—924)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 34 OF 1906.

RAJKRISHNA MALIK, of Kharpara-Sankarpur, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, was, on the 3rd September 1906, declared an insolvent and discharged on the 17th idem. The 23rd November next has been fixed for framing a schedule of debts and creditors, when persons having claims against him are to prove them in this Court.

S. B. CHAUDHURI, District Judge.

Hooghly District Judge's Court, the 23rd October 1906. (1092—1—936)

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	1906.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	Nov. 1	At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	Oct. 31	Parcels 5 P.M.; M.-O., 4 P.M.	Ditto ditto
* Australasian Colonies ...	Nov. 5	At 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
† Straits Settlements, China and Japan.	,, 3	,, 8-30	Per steamer *G. Apcar.*
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Burma, Penang and Singapore.	,, 3	,, 7-30	Ditto ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	,, 2	,, 7-30	
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	,, 5	,, 7-30	
Port Blair	,, 3	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Malaraja.*
South Africa (Letters) ...	,, 5	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Umfuli* from Colombo.
Ditto (Parcels)	,, 5	,, 5	
South Africa (Letters), Supplemental.	,, 6	,, 7-30	
Ditto (Parcels), Supplemental.	,, 6	,, 5	

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For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 10 A.M.
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For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-55 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 4-15 P.M.
For the Bombay Mail *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
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} and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.

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For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
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NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

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CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 30th October 1906.*

JOHN OWENS, *Presidency Postmaster.*

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 19th October 1906.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water soundings. Ft.	in.	REMARKS
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	16	0	
	Thence to Geriah ...	10	0	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	11	0	Alampur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	6	0	Azamganj.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa...	8	0	Giridharipur.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	11	6	Dadupur.
Bhairab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	9	0	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	7	0	Khamardiar.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	10	0	Harirampur.
	Thence to Patkabari	11	6	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	12	6	Taranagor.
Mathabhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...	7	6	
	Thence to Dewanganj ...	5	3	Madhugari.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	6	9	Megna.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	7	6	Pirtala.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...	7	9	Mahammadpur
	,, Chuadanga to Kissenganj and Hanskhali ...	13	0	Natungram.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level.	REMARKS
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
	Shebganj	20-10-1906	8	6	74	Fall.
	Rampur Boalia...	.....	...	...	...	...
Ganges ...	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah...	18-10-1906	A.M. 7	13·70	61·70	Fall.
	Entrance of Bhairab Jalangi, Akriganj ..	21-10-1906	A.M. 7	10 4½"	48·39	Do.
	Entrance of Mathabhanga ...	.....	...	...	...	...
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	21-10-1906	A.M. 8	31·10	57·90	Fall.
	Berhampore ...	22-10-1906	A.M. 7	13·08	46·95	Do.
	Katwa ...	20-10-1906	P.M. 5	16·80	31·96	Rise.
Jalangi	Krishnagar ...	19-10-1906	... Noon	16·6	...	...
	Sarupganj ...	21-10-1906	12	13·00	13·00	Fall.
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali ...	20-10-1906	P.M. 4	12·60	23·68	Do.

U. P. BAGCHI, *Accts.*,
for Offg. Exe. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.

Berhampore, the 22nd October 1906.

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 26th October 1906.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water soundings. Ft.	in.	REMARKS.
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges	13	0	Entrance.
	Thence to Geriah	5	0	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	5	0	Kannpur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	4	6	Sampur.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa	7	0	Giridharipur.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	10	5	Hazraponta.
Bhairab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	7	0	Entrance.
	Thence to Akriganj	5	0	Sarisa.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi ...	5	6	Goraipur.
	Thence to Patkabari	9	0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	9	0	Gowghatta.
Matha-bhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ..	4	3	Entrance.
	Thence to Dewanganj .	7	0	Dewanganj.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	6	0	Megna.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	6	0	Seala.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...	7	9	Mahomedpur.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissengunj and Hanskhali	13	0	Hanskhali.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea-level.	REMARKS.
Ganges ...	Sahibganj ...	27-10-1906	A.M. 3	Ft. 5·0	Ft. 73·0	Falling.
	Rampur Boalia	...	...	...	...	...
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah	28-10-1906	A.M. 7	11·20	59·20	Falling.
	Entrance of Bhairab-Jalangi Akriganj ...	28-10-1906	A.M. 7	8·22	46·20	Do.
	Entrance of Matabhanga ...	...	...	...	...	...
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	28-10-1906	A.M. 8	28·80	55·60	Falling.
	Berhampore ...	29-10-1906	A.M. 7	10·62	44·50	Do.
	Katwa ...	27-10-1906	P.M. 5	13·50	28·60	Do.
Jalangi ...	Krishnagar ...	26-10-1906	...	14·25	...	Do.
	Sarupganj ...	29-10-1906	Noon 12	11·80	11·80	Do.
Matha-bhanga.	Hanskhali ...	27-10-1906	P.M. 4	10·10	20·95	Do.

U. P. BAGCHI, *Accts.*,
for *Offg. Exec. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.*
Berhampore, the 29th October 1906.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 25th October 1906.*

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—MELVILLE ISLAND AND DUNDAS STRAIT.

Parry Shoal—Depth of water incorrectly shown on chart.

No. 409 (first publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 15 of 1906) that the Master of the S.S. *Empire* reports that when passing Parry Shoal at 6 P.M. on the 6th May 1906, at a distance of half-a-mile, he noticed a very heavy break on the five-fathom Patch, marked on the Chart—

Lat. 11° 10′ S.
Long. 129° 40″ E.

From this the Master presumed that the depth of water as shown on the Chart is incorrect.

Mariners are warned to avoid the vicinity.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—BACKSTAIRS PASSAGE.

Yatala Shoal—Buoy with spherical top placed.

No. 410 (first publication).—The President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 16 of 1906) that, on or about 24th September, a buoy with a Spherical Top surmounted by a Half Globe, round side up, and painted red and white (horizontal bands), will be placed in five (5) fathoms L.W.S. on the N.W. side of the Yatala Shoal.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—SPENCER GULF.

Middle bank lightship replaced in position.

No. 411 (first publication).—Referring to the removal of the light-vessel from Middle bank for overhaul, the President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given further notice (No. 17 of 1906) informing Masters of vessels and others that the lightship has been replaced.

This affects Admiralty Chart 8389B.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—Gulf of St. Vincent.

Port Adelaide river—Additional new beacons placed—Amended sailing directions.

No. 412 (first publication).—The President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 18 of 1906) that in accordance with previous notices, eight extra Beacons have been placed on the north and east side of the cutting. The Beacons are painted black, and the lanterns green, from which a green light showing towards the cutting is exhibited; a white light is also exhibited from the back of each lantern showing towards the shore.

All the green light Beacons are numbered from the first or seaward Beacon with the letter "G" added, as follows:—No. 0G being outside Beacon; No. 1G, near the reflecting Beacon; No. 2G, opposite the old boat channel. This light indicates the turning point from No. 2 (red) lead towards No. 3 All the others, that is, Nos. 3G to 9G, both inclusive, are placed opposite the corresponding numbers of the white light Beacons on the other side of the cutting.

All the single light Beacons are placed about 15 feet back from the cutting, and painted red to starboard and black to port. The lights are white to starboard and green to port from seaward.

The red light on the pile Beacon south of No. 3 being no longer required has been discontinued.

In consequence of the above alterations the sailing directions have been amended to read as follows:—

Sailing directions.

By Night.—In approaching the Anchorage, vessels of deep draught should not bring the white light on the old structure to bear north of N.E. by E. in order to avoid the four-fathom patch, which bears N.W. half N. from the light on Wonga Shoal; then get No 1 lead (which consists of two red lights vertical 10 feet apart, and two white lights vertical 11 feet 9 inches apart) in line; keep these in line passing between the occulting light on the red buoy and the outer green light on the north bank, also between the other green lights on the north bank and the white lights on the revetment mound.

Steer on the same line until the two red lights of No. 2 lead are coming on; then steer with them in line until abreast of No. 2G Beacon; then direct the course to pass between No. 3 and No. 3G Beacons; and so on from Beacon to Beacon round the point until No. 9 is reached. From a safe distance off No. 9 the lights of No. 10 lead will be seen; keep them in line until the red light is about a quarter of a point open to the right of the white light of No. 11 lead; then gradually alter the course to bring the lights of No. 11 lead in line; keep them in line (a sharp look-out being kept for the mooring buoys on the starboard hand) until the lights of No. 12 lead are seen coming into line; proceed as before by altering the course before the lights are on with each other. The same applies in the change from No. 12 to No. 13 lead. When the lights on the wharves are seen opening out off Luff Point, alter the course so as to round the point at a safe distance, and then up the centre of the channel, looking out for the mooring buoys on the starboard hand.

In going outwards the directions are just the opposite to those given for coming inwards; but in such case, in changing from one lead to another, the course should be gradually altered when abreast of the low (red) Beacon of each lead, except No. 2 lead. In this case, when abreast of No. 6 Beacon, gradually alter the course to a safe distance off No. 2G until the two red lights of No. 2 lead are in line, then proceed outwards with No. 2 lead in line.

By Day.—The directions by day are the same as by night, merely substituting the Beacons for the Lights.

This affects Admiralty Charts 2389A and B, 1750 and 1752.

During the progress of the work at the Light's Passage Harbour Works, masters of vessels exempt from pilotage may, if they so desire, avail themselves of the services of a pilot to assist them in passing such works, either in or out, at one-half the usual rates.

If the usual exemption flag is not hoisted it will be taken as a signal that a pilot is required. At night if a pilot is required the usual signal for a pilot should be shown.

N.B.—Owing to the nature of the work in progress, this notice may require to be amended from time to time, and therefore should be treated as tentative only.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—Spencer Gulf.

Corny Point light—Alteration in character.

No. 413 (first publication).—The President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 19 of 1906) that it is intended, on or about the 1st January 1907, to alter the characteristics of the above Light in the following respects:—

Instead of the Light being obscured over the Webb Rock and thence inshore as at present, a Red Sector will be shown over this Arc, *i.e.*, between the bearings of N.E. ¼ E.

and N.E. by N. ½ N., where it is shut in by the first point to the Southward of the Light-house.

The Red Sector will be visible for 14 miles, the full range of the Light.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 2389A.

Note.—This cancels Notice to Mariners No. 379, dated 6th October 1906, issued by this

CHINA—YANG TSE KIANG.

Harvey point channel—Buoys removed. Actæon shoal—Colour of S.E. Spit buoy altered.

No. 414 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1091 of 1906) that, owing to the disuse of Harvey point channel, Yang tse kiang, the buoys marking it, viz., Cone Tree buoy, N.E. Actæon buoy, the Fairway buoy, and Mason Bank buoy, have been withdrawn.

A red spar buoy has been placed in the position formerly occupied by Mason Bank buoy for the guidance of native craft.

The S.E. Spit light-buoy, formerly painted in red and black vertical stripes, has been painted red.

Approximate position, S.E. Spit buoy, lat. 31° 35¼′ N., long. 121° 18½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Shanghai to Nanking, No. 2809: Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 431.

CHINA—YANG TSE KIANG ENTRANCE.

South channel—Buoys established.

No. 415 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1095 of 1906) that a good channel having been formed through the banks of the South channel, Yang tse kiang entrance, northward of Tungsha light-vessel and Middle ground, this channel would, on or about the 5th August 1906, be buoyed provisionally as follows:—

(*a*) Tungsha bank buoy, red conical, surmounted by staff and black ball, moored in a depth of 25 feet at low water to the south-eastward of the Tungsha banks, at a distance of 8 miles, S. 77° E., from Tungsha light-vessel.

(*b*) Tungsha buoy, red conical, surmounted by staff and black triangle, moored in a depth of 18 feet, to mark the southern edge of the Tungsha banks, at a distance of 2¼ miles, N. 17° E., from Tungsha light-vessel.

Approximate position, Tungsha light-vessel, lat. 31° 8¾′ N., long. 122° 0′ E.

(*c*) House island buoy, red spherical, moored in a depth of 17 feet, to mark the edge of the bank extending south-eastward from House island, at a distance of 4 miles, S. 48° E., from House island beacon.

(*d*) House island crossing buoy, conical, painted in red and black vertical stripes, surmounted by staff and black diamond, moored in a depth of 17 feet, to mark the crossing on to the Kiutoan flats, at a distance of $1\frac{9}{10}$ miles, S. 47° W., from House island beacon.

(*e*) Kiutoan flats buoy, black conical, moored in a depth of 17 feet, to mark the northern edge of the Middle ground, at a distance of $2\frac{9}{10}$ miles, S. 86° W., from House island beacon.

Approximate position, House island beacon, lat. 31° 16½′ N., long. 121° 51½′ E.

(*Variation 2° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kue shan islands to the Yang tse kiang, No. 1199; approaches to the Yang tse kiang, No. 1602: Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, pages 406—408.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES—GULF OF BONI.

Cape Tabako—Reef to the north-westward.

No. 416 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice No. 1101 of 1906 that a reef, about 50 yards in extent, with a depth of 10 feet over it at low water, exists to the north-westward of cape Tabako, gulf of Boni.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 12½′ S., long. 120° 47¾′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, western portion No. 941b; Eastern Archipelago, eastern portion, No. 942a: Also Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 354.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—BALI ISLAND—BALI STRAIT.

Lichin Point—Light buoy established.

No. 417 (first publication)—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 251, dated 26th June 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice No. 1105 of 1906 that a light buoy, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every twenty seconds*, thus :—light, *ten seconds*; eclipse, *ten seconds*, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles, has been moored off Lichin Point, Bali, strait.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 7¼′ S., long. 114° 25⅔′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Java island, No. 1664; plan of Bali strait on No. 934: Also Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 147.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, NORTH-EAST COAST—ARU BAY.

Babalan channel—Tide-gauge established.

No. 418 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice No. 1106 of 1906) that a tide-gauge, surmounted by a red ball, has been erected in Babalan channel, Aru bay, between the black light-buoy at the entrance to the Babalan river, and the white conical buoy northward of it.

Approximate position, black light-buoy, lat. 4° 6′ N., long. 98° 19′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart—Aru bay, No. 3586 : Also China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 78 : and Supplement, 1899, page 7.

JAPAN (NIPON)—YOKOHAMA BAY.

Mandarin bluff—Light-buoy to the north-east withdrawn.

No. 419 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1107 of 1906) that the red conical buoy, exhibiting a white fixed light, shown on the chart at a distance of 9½ cables, N. 50° E., from Mandarin bluff, Yokohama bay, has been permanently withdrawn.

Approximate position, lat. 35° 26¼′ N., long. 139° 40½′ E.

(Variation 4° Westerly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Gulf of Tokyo, No. 2657 : Yokohama to Uraga, No. 3548; Yokohama bay, No. 3109.

CHINA, NORTH—MANCHURIA—PECHILI STRAIT—KWANG TUNG PENINSULA.

Port Arthur—Mines removed in approach.

No. 420 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 131, dated 12th April 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1112 of 1906) that the mines in the western approach to Port Arthur have been cleared away.

Vessels, however, must still exercise due caution, as solitary mines may yet exist on this area, though it is believed that the sweeping operations carried out have been effective.

The cautionary note respecting mines will, for the present, be retained on the charts until it is known that the whole coast in this locality is free from these dangers.

Approximate position, Port Arthur, lat. 38° 47′ N., long. 121° 16′ E.

(Variation 4° Westerly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Gulf of Pechili and Liau tung, No. 1256; Kwang tung peninsula, No. 1798 : Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, pages 592, 594.

The 29th October 1906.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, WEST COAST—TAMPAT TUAN BAY.

Tuan point—Light established.

No. 394 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 366, dated 29th September 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1054 of 1906) that on 3rd September 1906, a *white group occulting* light, showing groups of *three* occultations *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *fifteen seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*, was exhibited from an open iron work frame structure, 45 feet high, painted white, erected on Tuan point, Tampat Tuan bay; the light, which is of the 4th order, is elevated 203 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 13 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 14¾′ N., long. 97° 10′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Acheh head to Tyingkok bay with plan of Tampat Tuan bay, No. 2760: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 75; China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 275; and Supplement, 1899, page 17.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES, WEST COAST.

Ujong Lajari—Shoal to the northward.

No 395 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1059 of 1906) that a small mud bank, with a depth of about 6 feet over it, exists to the northward of Ujong Lajari, west coast of Celebes, in a position from which Mount Barru bears S. 60° E., distant 11½ cables, and the wreck on Bromo reef S. 55° W.

Approximate position, lat. 4° 25′ S., long. 119° 35½′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Ujong Jonga to Ujong Kassi, No. 3404: Also, Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 314.

CHINA SEA—SINGAPORE STRAIT.

Bulang strait—Beacon and buoys established.

No. 396 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1062 of 1906) that the undermentioned beacon and buoys have been established in the northern approach to Bulang strait:—

(*a*) An iron screw-pile beacon surmounted by a white ball, on the coast reef north of pulo Blakang Padang, in a position from which the eastern point of the island northward of Blakang Padang bears S. 7° E., distant 4½ cables, and the north point of pulo Sambu East.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 10′ N., long. 103° 53′ E.

(*b*) A white conical buoy, moored in a depth of 4½ fathoms to the eastward of pulo Blakang Padang, in a position from which the south point of Mariá island bears N. 62° E., distant 2¾ cables, and the south-east point of pulo Sambu N. 13° E.

(*c*) A black can buoy, with truncated cone topmark, situated to the south-eastward of Mariám island, in a position from which the northern point of the island northward of pulo Blakang Padang is in line with the north-eastern side of Mariám island bearing N. 64° W., and distant 4 cables from the north point of the latter island.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 9′ N., long. 103° 54½′ E.

(*Variation 1° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Singapore strait, No. 2403; Singapore main strait, No. 2404: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 197.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, WEST COAST.

Cape Bolinao—Character of light altered.

No. 397 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1063 of 1906) that, on the 15th July 1906, the white occulting light shown from a framework structure on Piedra point, cape Bolinao, was discontinued, and a *white group flashing* light *every ten seconds*,

elevated 301 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 24 miles, was exhibited from a new concrete light-house erected on a wooded hill rising from the beach at Piedra point.

The light, which is of the 3rd, order, shows thus:—*flash*; eclipse, *two and-a-half seconds*; *flash*; eclipse, *seven and-a-half seconds*.

The keeper's dwelling and out-houses, also of concrete, stand near the light-house.

Approximate position, lat. 16° 19′ N., long. 119° 46¾′ E.

NOTE.—The duration of the flashes is not stated. It is presumed they are of the description known as lightning flashes, lasting about one-tenth of a second.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—China sea, No. 2661b; Luzon island, northern portion, No. 2454: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 679a; China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 337; Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 52; and Supplement, 1906, page 7.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—RED SEA, WESTERN SHORE—SAWAKIN APPROACH

Towartit north reef—Beacon re-erected.

No. 398 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 338, dated 7th September, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1064 of 1906) that a new beacon has been erected on the northern extreme of North Towartit reef, in the position occupied by the former beacon.

The beacon, pyramidal in shape, is built of masonry on a solid concrete base, and the masonry top is 21 feet above high water. It is surmounted by a staff and triangle, 9 feet in height, the total height of the beacon being 30 feet above high water. The masonry is painted white, and the staff and triangle red.

Approximate position lat. 19° 31¾′ N., long. 37° 19′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Mersa Durur to Trinkitat, No. 81: Also, Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1900, page 155.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Bluff harbour—Light-vessel discontinued—Buoy placed.

No. 399 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1065 of 1906) that the light-vessel situated at a distance of 2 cables N. 18° W. from Burial point, Bluff harbour entrance, having sunk, will not be replaced; but a black buoy, without a light, will be temporarily moored in the position formerly occupied by the light-vessel.

Approximate position, lat. 46° 36¼′ S., long. 168° 22½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Awarua or Bluff harbour, Nos. 2540 and 3484: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 1690; New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 313; and Revised Supplement, 1906, page 73.

CHINA SEA—NATUNA ISLANDS.

Elphinstone rock—Reef to the southward.

No. 400 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1067 of 1906) that a reef with a depth of 3 fathoms over it at low water and 30 fathoms around exists between Elphinstone rock and Low island, Natuna islands, in a position from which Elphinstone rock bears N. 7° W., distant 11 miles, and the south-east point of Low island, approximately, S. 9° W.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 11½′ N., long. 107° 52′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—China sea, No. 2660a; Natuna Islands, No. 1348: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 93.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES—GULF OF TOMINI.

Pelasa—Reef to the south-eastward.

No. 401 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1070 of 1906) that a reef of sand and coral, with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, exists to the south-eastward of Pelasa (Palasa), gulf of Tomini, in a position from which the beacon on Raaf reef bears S. 25° W., distant about 4 miles.

The reef is marked by discoloured water.

Approximate position, lat. 0° 25′ N., long. 120° 28′ E.

(Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.)

* *This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, western portion No. 941b; Eastern Archipelago, eastern portion, No. 942a; strait of Makassar, No. 2636: Also Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 377.*

JAPAN SEA—PETER THE GREAT BAY—VLADIVOSTOK APPROACH.

Cape Gamova—Light established—Provisional light discontinued.

No. 402 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 288, dated 10th August 1906, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1072 of 1906) that, on the 30th July 1906, a *white group flashing* light showing groups of *two* flashes, each group being of about *two seconds'* duration, *every ten seconds*, and visible from a distance of 16 miles, was exhibited from a light-house recently erected on cape Gamova, Vladivostok approach.

Near the light-house there is a siren worked by compressed air, and a bell for use during thick or foggy weather. These are probably worked in accordance with the Russian uniform system.

The provisional white fixed light has been discontinued.

Approximate position, lat. 42° 33½′ N., long. 131° 12¼′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kuril islands, No. 2405; Tumen Ula to Strelok bay, No. 2432; Trinity bay to the Eastern Bosporus, No. 511: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 189; and Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 162.

AFRICA, EAST COAST—PUNGUE RIVER.

Beira harbour—Entrance channel changed—Alterations in buoyage.

No. 403 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1075 of 1906) that amendments to the buoyage have been made, and that a new channel now called the South-east channel, has opened to the southward of the present channel into Pungue river, and that this channel has been buoyed from the entrance to its junction with the other channel to Beira as follows:—

1. Buoys established:—

SOUTH-EAST CHANNEL.

(*a*) A spherical fairway or Pilot-station buoy, painted in black and white horizontal bands, surmounted by a white staff, moored in a depth of 36 feet, at a distance of 10 miles, S. 13° E., from Macuti light-house.

(*b*) A black can buoy, surmounted by a cylindrical top mark and marked "1," moored in a depth of 21 feet, at a distance of $8\frac{14}{16}$ miles, S. 4° E., from Macuti light-house.

(*c*) A red spherical buoy, marked "2," moored in a depth of 17 feet, at a distance of 7½ miles, S. 2° E., from Macuti light-house.

(*d*) A red conical buoy, marked "4," moored in depth of 22 feet, at a distance of $6\frac{1}{16}$ miles, S. 6° W., from Macuti light-house.

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(*e*) A black buoy, marked "3" moored in a depth of 28 feet, at a distance of $6\frac{8}{16}$ miles S. 30° W., from Macuti light-house.

f. A red buoy, marked "6," moored in a depth of 26 feet, at a distance of $5\frac{8}{16}$ miles S. 27° W., from Macuti lighthouse.

Approximate position, Macuti lighthouse, lat. 19° 50½′ S., long. 34° 53¾′ E.

2. Buoys re-lettered or re-numbered.

ENTRANCE CHANNEL.

Nos. 1, 2, and 3 buoys, in the present or northern entrance channel have been re-marked "A," "B," and "C," respectively.

RAMBLER CHANNEL.

The buoys marked "B," "C," "D," in Rambler channel have been re-marked "8," "10," "12," respectively.

Those marked "E" and "F" have been re-marked "5" and "7."

Nos. 10 and 11 buoys in Beira harbour have been re-numbered "11" and "13," respectively.

3. Buoys withdrawn:—

a. The black buoy, marked "A," at the entrance to Rambler channel.

b. The black buoys, Nos 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 in the Old channel, westward of Rambler channel, also the two buoys with topmarks on the western side of the same channel.

4. Depths:—

The south-east channel has at present a least depth of 14 feet at low water over a muddy bottom.

The banks southward of the present entrance are extending to the south-eastward. A depth of 16 feet exists at a distance of 2 miles to the southward of the outer black buoy (A) of that channel, thence it gradually increases to the eastward to a depth of 4 fathoms on the bank now shown on the chart.

NOTE.—The channels are subject to constant change, and a stranger should either take a pilot, or carefully examine the channel before entering.

Red buoys with even numbers mark the starboard side of the channel when entering from seaward, and black buoys with odd numbers the port side.

After the 1st November 1906 the pilot vessel will be found cruising off the entrance to the south-east channel.

(*Variation 15° Westerly in 1906*).

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Delagoa bay to the river Zambesi, No. 648; Beira harbour, No. 1003: Also, Africa Pilot, part III, 1905, pages 224, 225.

CHINA SEA—TONG KING GULF.

Ha Long bay—Shoals in approach.

No. 404 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1080 of 1906) that the undermentioned shoals have been found to exist in the approach to Ha long bay, Tong King gulf:—

(*a*) A shoal, about 50 yards in extent, with a depth of 14 feet over it, situated in Henriette pass, at three-quarters of a cable westward from the north point of Dragon island.

There is a depth of 5½ fathoms between this shoal and Dragon island.

The greatest depth on the bank between Dragon island and Noisette rock is not more than 4½ fathoms, instead of 8 fathoms as is at present shown on the chart.

Approximate position, N. point of Dragon island, lat. 20° 50¼′ N., long. 107° 7¼′ E.

(*b*) A shoal, with a depth of 19 feet over it, situated in Crochet pass, at a distance of 6½ cables, S. 87° E., from the south point of Momie island.

Approximate position, lat. 20° 49½′ N., long. 107° 6½′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Approaches to port Courbet No. 1169: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, pages 484, 485.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND—TIMARU APPROACH.

Jacks point—Character of light altered.

No. 405 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1085 of 1906, that, on the 23rd August 1906, the character of the light shown from Jacks point lighthouse,

Timaru approach, would be changed from white fixed to *white occulting every ten seconds*, thus:—light, *seven seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*.

In other respects the light will be unaltered.

Approximate position, lat. 44° 26½′ S., long. 171° 17½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—New Zealand, No. 1212; Ninety Miles beach to Otago, No. 2532: Also, List of Lights, part VI., 1906, No. 1665; New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 287; and Revised Supplement, 1906, page 68.

INDIA, WEST—Malabar coast.

Talayi—Buoy marking Pinnacle rock replaced in position.

No. 406 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 185, dated 26th May last, issued by this Office, the Officiating Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No. 19 of 1906) that the small spherical buoy marking the pinnacle rock off sub-port of Talayi was replaced in position on the 27th September 1906, and that vessels should pass southward of the buoy as before.

BAY OF BENGAL—Singapore Main strait.

Coney island—Raffles light.

No. 407 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 328, dated 3rd September, issued by this office, the Acting Master Attendant, Straits Settlements, has given further notice dated 10th October stating that the three flashes from Raffles light are not all visible from all bearings within the illuminated arc. The dark sector is not yet fixed.

The 22nd October 1906.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Krishna shoal light vessel to be relieved temporarily.

No. 408 (second publication).—A telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Rangoon, stating that the light vessel stationed at the Krishna shoal will be relieved temporarily on or about the 4th November. The temporary light vessel will exhibit a white flash of five seconds' duration every forty-five seconds.

The 23rd October 1906.

AUSTRALIA—Victoria—Port Phillip approach.

Barwon head—Buoy on the S. E. withdrawn.

No. 380 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice No. 1007 of 1906) that the automatic signal buoy, situated 1$\frac{4}{10}$ miles S. E. by E. ½ E. from Barwon head, in the approach to Port Phillip, has been permanently withdrawn.

Approximate position, lat. 38° 18½′ S., long. 144° 31¾′ E.

(*Variation 8° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Western approach to Bass strait, No. 1063; Bass strait, sheet II, No. 1695b; Port Phillip, No. 1171a: Also Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897, page 428.

JAPAN—Naikai—Gulf of Osaka.

Osaka road—Lights established—Light buoys withdrawn.

No. 381 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1008 of 1906) that, on the 1st June 1906, the undermentioned lights would be established on the heads of the new breakwaters in Osaka road, Inland sea, and the light buoys moored off their outer extremities would be withdrawn:—

(1) A *red fixed* light, elevated 45 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles, on the head of the South breakwater.

The light is exhibited from a red hexagonal iron tower, 25 feet in height.

(2) A *white fixed* light, elevated 45 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles, on the head of the North breakwater.
The light is exhibited from a white hexagonal iron tower, 25 feet in height.

Approximate position, North breakwater light, lat. 34° 38½′ N., long. 135° 23½′ E.

(3) A *red fixed* light on the outer end of the Tramway pier in the harbour.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Naikai or Inland sea, No. 2875; Kobe and Osaka, No. 16: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, page 171; and Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 420.

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA—PORT PHILLIP.

Gellibrand Point light—Amended sector—Anonyma shoal—Beacon removed.

No. 382 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 289, dated the 10th August 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1016 of 1906) that the *red and white occulting* sector shown from Gellibrand Point light over Hobson bay is visible between the bearings of S. 63° W. and S. 3° W., instead of between S. 63° W. and South as given in the above Notice.

Approximate position, Gellibrand Point light-house, lat. 37° 52¾′ S., long. 144° 55′ E.

Information has also been received that the chequered beacon marking Anonyma shoal, situated nearly three-quarters of a mile S. by W. from Picnic Point, has been removed.

Approximate position, lat. 37° 57½′ S., long. 144° 59½′ E.

(*Variation 8° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Phillip No. 1171b; Hobson bay, No. 624: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 1320; Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897; pages 459, 455; and Supplement, 1900, page 17.

AUSTRALIA—QUEENSLAND, MORETON BAY.

Spitfire bank and East Knoll—Amended positions of buoys.

No. 383 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1025 of 1906) that the buoys marking Spitfire bank and East Knoll, Moreton bay, have been moved, and are now situated as follows:—

(1) Spitfire bank light-buoy has been moved 4 cables N. 46° E. from its former position, and is now situated with Cowan Cowan Point light-house bearing S. 49° E., distant $7\frac{2}{10}$ miles, and the south-eastern extreme of Bribie island S. 36° W.

(2) East Knoll buoy has been moved 4½ cables S. 88° W. from its former position, and is now situated with Cowan Cowan Point light-house bearing N. 67° E. distant $1\frac{6}{10}$ miles, and Comboyuro Point light-house N. 7° E.

Approximate position, Cowan Cowan Point light-house on charts 1670*a* and *b*, lat. 27° 8¼′ S., long. 153° 21¾′ E.

NOTE.—(1) It will be seen that the buoys in their new positions do not apparently guard the shoals they are intended to mark. (2) When entering Moreton by the north-west channel it is advisable to keep just northward of the line of the leading lights, as North bank appears to be extending to the northward.

(*Variation 9° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Danger Point to cape Moreton, No. 1029; Moreton bay, Nos. 1670a, 1670b: Also Australia Directory, vol. II, 1898, pages 126, 127.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—MADURA STRAIT.

Pasuruan and Panarukan lights—Intended alteration in character.

No. 384 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1032 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of the undermentioned lights in Madura strait as follows:—

(1) PASURUAN LIGHT from a white fixed to a *white group occulting* light *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *twelve seconds*; eclipse, *twelve seconds*.

Approximate position, lat. 7° 37′ S., long. 112° 55′ E.

(2) PANARUKAN LIGHT from a white fixed to a *white flashing* light *every three seconds*, thus:—light, *one second*; eclipse, *two seconds*.

Approximate position, lat. 7° 41¼′ S., long. 113° 56′ E.

The lights will be of the 6th order.
Further Notice will be given.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 941b; island of Java, eastern portion, No. 1654: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, Nos. 500 and 504; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, pages 134, 137.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—LOMBOK STRAIT.

Ampenan light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 385 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1033 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of Ampenan light from a white fixed to a *white group occulting* light *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *twelve seconds*; eclipse, *twelve seconds*. The light will be of the 4th order.
Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 34¼′ S., long. 116° 4′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 941b; Ampenan road on sheet No. 895: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 512; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 201.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—TIMOR, WEST COAST—KOEPANG BAY.

Fort Concordia light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 386 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1034 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of Fort Concordia light, Koepang bay, from a white fixed to a *white flashing* light *every three seconds*, thus:—light, *one second*; eclipse, *two seconds*. The light will be of the 6th order.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 10° 10′ S., long. 123° 34¼′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 942a; Koepang bay with plan of Koepang road, No. 3296: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 575; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 244.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES ISLAND—GULF OF TOMINI.

Gorontalo light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 387 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1035 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of the Gorontalo light, gulf of Tomini, from a white fixed to a *white group flashing* light *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *fifteen seconds*. The light will be of the 4th order.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 0° 29¾′ N., long. 123° 8′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 942a; Gorontalo river on sheet No. 2195: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 558; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 382.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES, NORTH COAST.

Manado light—Intended alteration in character.

No. 388 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1036 of 1906) that it is intended to alter the character of Manado light, Celebes island, from a white fixed to a *white group occulting* light *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *fifteen seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*. The light will be of the 4th order.

Further Notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 29′ N., long. 124° 50′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 942a; Manado road on sheet No. 930: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 559; Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 425; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 393.

AFRICA, EAST COAST—ZANZIBAR ISLAND.

Nungwe Point light—Intended increase of power.

No. 389 (third publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 102 of 1906) that on and after 1st September 1906, a 4th order fixed white light will be shown from Ras Nungwe Light-house in place of the present 5th order light. During the alteration the present 5th order light will be exhibited as usual. The new light will be 57 feet above High Water and visible 13 miles in clear weather.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Pangani to Kimbiji, including the approaches to Zanzibar, No. 640b; Zanzibar to Malindi, No. 664; and Africa Pilot, part III, 7th edition, 1905, page 426; also Admiralty List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 72.

AUSTRALIA—WIDE BAY BAR.

Alteration in channel—Directions for crossing.

No. 390 (third publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 5 of 1906) that when crossing Wide Bay Bar the square beacons on Hook Point must now be kept open twice their own width to the Northward, keeping them in that position until the triangular beacons on Inskip Point are open twice their own width to the Westward: then haul up for them, keeping them in that position until past the S. E. spit, or nearing the red buoy, when haul out and bring them into line and continue as formerly.

By night the depth of water will show when the S. E. spit has been passed.

Charts affected—Nos. 1030 and 1068; Australia Directory, vol. 2.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Kurnafuli river—Depth of water in the channels.

No. 391 (third publication).—The Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the channels by soundings taken on the 11th October and reduced to zero:—

	Ft.	In.
Track No. 1.—Outer bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	6
Marks open to the north	14	0
Track No. 2.—Inner bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	6
Batten beacon on pillar	12	3
Track No. 3.—		
Triangle on cross and ball	17	6
Track No. 4.—Guptakhally crossing—		
Tripod on diamond	17	0

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Murdeshwar buoy replaced.

No. 392 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 208, dated the 7th June 1906, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 104 of 1906) that the Murdeshwar buoy was replaced on 21st September.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Bhatkal buoy replaced.

No. 393 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 209, dated 7th June 1906, issued by this Office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 104 of 1906) that the Bhatkal buoy was replaced on 20th September 1906.

St. L. S. Warden, Comdr., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

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LIBERALITY OF BABU RADHA KISHOR BHATTACHARJI.

No. 2299T.—M., dated Darjeeling, the 26th October 1906.

From—H. J. McINTOSH, Esq., Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Municipal Department,

To—The Commissioner of the Patna Division.

I AM directed to refer to the correspondence ending with your letter No. $\frac{207}{E.79}$, dated the 11th October 1906, in which you report that Babu Radha Kishor Bhattacharji has made a free gift of his proprietary interest in a plot of land of the value of Rs. 1,245 for a public square at Bhaurpokher, within the Patna Municipality.

2. I am to request that you will be so good as to convey to the donor an expression of the Lieutenant-Governor's appreciation of his liberality and public spirit.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 29th October 1906.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	0·97	7½	7½	Weather foul. Paddy affected in some places on high lands for want of rain. Harvesting of paddy going on. Lands being prepared for sowing *rabi* crops; and sowing begun in some places. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	0·53	8	8	Weather cloudy and rainy. Standing crops doing well. Sowing of *rabi* going on. Common rice selling at 9 seers a rupee at Vishnupur. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	0·66	8	9	Weather cloudy. Prospects of winter rice dependent on further rain which is badly wanted at Tamlook, Sabang and Naraingarh. *Til*, cotton and sugarcane thriving. *Rabi* crops being sown. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from Dantan.
5	HOOGHLY ...	...	6½	6½	Rainfall at Sadar not reported Rainfall general in the district. Weather seasonable. More rain wanted in Serampore. Prospects of sugarcane and *aman* paddy fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	0·45	7	7	Yesterday's and to-day's rain has done much good to standing crops. Jute fibre being extracted. Common rice selling at 8 seers per rupee at Ulubaria. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
7	24-PARGANAS	0·49	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Good rain in Barasat. More rain wanted in places in the Barasat and Diamond Harbour subdivisions. Lands being prepared for *rabi* crops. Sowing of *rabi* crops commenced in places. State of standing crops good. Prospects good. Number of persons on relief during the week in different thanas—Sonarpur 150, Tollygunge 164, Bistupur 1,453, Behala 201, Canning 537, Mahestala 837, Baruipur 1,656, Falta 1,008, Mograhat 2,140, Diamond Harbour 322, Mothurapur 140, Kulpi 237, Joynagar 2,568, Dum Dum 67, Khardaha 91, Barrackpore 30. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
8	NADIA ...	0·95	8	8	Harvesting of *aus* and jute finished. Lands being prepared for *rabi* crops. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
9	MURSHIDABAD	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. Harvesting of jute finished. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JESSORE ...	0·41	7½	7	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of jute is over except in Magura. Sowing of *rabi* crops still in progress. Prospects of *aman* paddy good except in Lohagara and Avadanga. No damage to crops by insects. High prices and slight distress. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
11	KHULNA ...	0·30	7½	7	Weather windy and rainy. Rainfall general. Outturn of autumn rice estimated at 78 per cent. Prospects of winter rice fair. Sowings of rape and mustard and of tobacco estimated at 13 and 6 per cent., respectively, of normal area. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	Nil	8¾ 14*	8¾ 13½*	Weather seasonable, but cloudy at times. Sowing of *rabi* in progress. Standing crops including tobacco prospering, but paddy decaying in some places on high lands. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
13	GAYA ...	Nil	8 3/16 14 6/16*	8 11/16 14 6/16*	Sugarcane and winter rice doing well. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on. Prospects of paddy crop generally good. Prices fairly stationary. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
14	SHAHABAD ...	Nil	10† 13*	8½ 13*	Sugarcane doing well. *Rabi* sowings going on. Rain badly wanted for paddy on high lands in Bhabhua, Buxar and Sadar subdivisions. Maize selling at 16 seers a rupee at Sasaram. Old common rice selling at 8 seers a rupee at Sadar. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	Nil	8½ 13*	8 12¾*	Weather cloudy. *Rabi* sown about 75 per cent. of the normal area. Rain very urgently wanted for winter rice. Irrigation being resorted to where possible. Daily average number of persons relieved from the District Board Fund during the week—7 men, 41 women and 81 children in the Siwan subdivision; figures for four centres not received; besides 92 men, 179 women and 274 children on average daily gratuitously relieved by the Hathwa Raj. 44 men, 65 women and 32 children on average daily on the test-works in the Siwan subdivision; and 362 men, 388 women and 320 children on average daily on the Raj relief works. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	9½ 11¼*	9½ 12¼*	Weather hot in the day, but slightly cold at night. Rain urgently wanted for winter rice and *rabi* sowings. Threshing of *bhadoi* nearly finished. *Rabi* sowings in progress. Slight damage done by locusts in Majhowlia and Jagapatti and in the Bettiah subdivision. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	7⅛	9 13*	Weather occasionally cloudy. A little hot in the day, but cold at night. Winter rice suffering much from want of rain throughout the district. Rain also wanted for *rabi* sowings, which are in progress. Cholera still prevalent, but decreasing in the Sitamarhi subdivision. General health good. Common rice selling at 7⅛ and 7½ seers a rupee at Hajipur and Sitamarhi respectively. *Makai* selling at 13 and 11 seers a rupee at Hajipur and Sitamarhi respectively. Daily average number of men on gratuitous relief 5,243. Figures for four centres not received. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.
† New rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
18	DARBHANGA ...	Nil	$7\frac{1}{8}$ $11\frac{1}{2}$*	$7\frac{5}{8}$ 12*	Weather seasonable. Condition of paddy crops not favourable for want of rain. *Rabi* sowings in progress. Number of persons relieved at kitchens on the last day of the week—Sadar thana 3,101, Bahera 6,837, Roserah 11,667, Samastipur subdivision 1,168, Madhubani subdivision 2,633. Number of persons on test-works for the last day available—Manihas 130, Ojhoul 141, Anar nil, Basaitha 1,000, Ratwara 128, Chakmehsi 186, Hathourighat 56, Sakarlohra 194, Gangdah 221, Saleypur 603, Dasauth 273, Balha 815, Tolaparsa 396, Larjaghat 75. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	7 12*	$6\frac{3}{4}$ 13*	Weather cloudy. Prospects of winter rice fairly good. Sowings of *rabi* going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	Nil	$8\frac{1}{4}$ $10\frac{1}{2}$*	$8\frac{3}{16}$ 10*	Sky cloudy. *Aghani* crop doing well in Madhipura and in greater portion of the Banka subdivision, but suffering much for want of rain in Supaul. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Madhipura and Dhuria. Fodder and water sufficient.
21	PURNEA ...	Nil	6	7 12*	Rain wanted in parts for the standing crops. Lands being prepared for *rabi* crops. Winter paddy damaged partially by drought. High prices of food-grains prevailing. Agricultural loans being given. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
22	DARJEELING ...	...	...	6 12*	Report not received.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	0·21	$6\frac{3}{8}$ $13\frac{5}{16}$*	$7\frac{15}{16}$ 15*	Weather cloudy. Prospects of winter rice good except in portions of Godda and Rajmahal, where rainfall has been deficient. Cattle-disease reported from Jamtara subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	$10\frac{1}{2}$	$10\frac{1}{2}$	*Laghu saradh* ripening. *Guru saradh* in ear. *Arhar*, sugarcane and *mung* thriving. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	0·35	10	11	Weather rainy. *Saradh* in ear. Harvesting of jute and *bâdi*, finished. Sugarcane and vegetables doing well. Prospects fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
26	ANGUL ...	0·11	11	11	Weather cloudy. Drizzling to-day. Miscellaneous crops growing well.

[1] The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
27	PURI ...	3·68	10½	10½	Weather cloudy. Sugarcane getting on well. Cotton thriving. Re-weeding of *saradh* paddy going on. *Laghu* paddy in ear. Mustard being sown. Miscellaneous crops doing well. Price of common rice stationary. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	1·51	11	10½	Rainfall local. Harvesting of *mal dhan* and *urid* in progress. Reaping and threshing of autumn rice in progress. Prospects of standing crops and *maghi til* good. Outturn of *mal dhan* in Bargarh *tahsil* estimated at 8 annas. Cattle-disease in six villages of the Sambalpur *tahsil*. Fodder and water-supply sufficient.
29	HAZARIBAGH ...	...	10	9½	Prospects of standing crops good. Sowing of *rabi* going on. Common rice selling at 7½ seers at Giridih. Cattle-disease reported from three thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
30	RANCHI ...	0·03	10½	10	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of paddy and sowing of *rabi* commenced in places. Standing crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from three thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	Nil	10$\frac{11}{16}$	10$\frac{11}{16}$	Weather seasonable. *Rabi* sowings still going on. Condition of standing crops good. Cattle-disease reported from five thanas. Fodder and water abundant.
32	MANBHUM ...	0·09	10½	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. Wheat not yet sown. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Purulia and Gobindpur. Fodder and water sufficient.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	0·40	9	9	Harvesting of *aus* paddy finished and that of winter paddy commenced. Common rice selling at 12 seers per rupee at Seraikela. Cattle-disease reported from thana Chakradharpur. Fodder and water sufficient.
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	6$\frac{31}{50}$	6$\frac{2}{3}$	Weather seasonable. Preparation of lands for tobacco, wheat and mustard going on. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Mathabhanga and Dinhata. Fodder and water sufficient.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—There was no rain in the two Bihar Divisions except in the Sonthal Parganas where the rainfall recorded for the week amounted only to 0·21 inches. In Puri and Sambalpur the rainfall was somewhat heavy; and in the rest of the Province, it was generally light. Rain is still needed in parts of Burdwan, Midnapore, Hooghly, the 24-Parganas, and in most of the Bihar districts for the *aman* paddy crop. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops, the sowings of which have commenced in several districts. Slight damage by locusts is reported from Champaran. The number of persons receiving gratuitous relief is—24-Parganas 11,101, Saran 674, Muzaffarpur 5,243, Darbhanga 25,406—total 42,424. The number of persons attending test-works is—Saran 1,211, Darbhanga 4,218. Cattle-disease is prevalent in ten districts. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cholera is reported to be continuing in Muzaffarpur. The price of common rice has risen in eight and fallen in ten districts.

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No

Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Block

Whence imported	Food-grains								Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny bags†	Linseed	Mustard seed
	Rice	Paddy*	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	250,150	152,570	345,506	555	65	13,041	18	359,185	95	88,797	2,558	2,912
Birbhum	311,235	6,568	314,090	6	17	1,075	718	315,907	.....	11,025	1,034	773
Bankura	93,144	30,704	111,334	.....	.....	.....	.....	111,334	...	10,115	.....	...
Midnapore	612,979	138,847	699,738	313	.....	19,834	16	719,801	812	60,020	5,606	831
Hooghly	341,823	88,905	396,826	1,768	52	13,575	762	412,983	50,121	11,788,140	6,307	617
24-Parganas	731,049	35,559	749,226	52	.....	6,245	.....	749,523	409,644	38,467,305	4,676	204
Nadia	9,982	1,910	11,176	9,466	.....	144,284	14,574	179,500	24,223	90,034	25,452	998
Murshidabad	50,152	31	50,172	7,312	573	18,099	1,676	77,732	9,755	16,360	9,084	4
Jessore	76	4,306	2,764	.....	.....	31,290	794	35,848	40,128	35,670	11,915	682
Khulna	1,156	16,375	11,390	.....	119	3,262	.....	14,771	27,007	98,890	1,702	.....
Total Bengal ..	2,390,719	472,869	2,680,262	19,374	826	250,704	18,458	2,975,624	561,784	50,653,356	125,864	7,021
BIHAR												
Patna	1,632	.....	1,632	2	.....	190,237	22,759	215,230	.....	1,890	247,734	16,296
Gaya	8,281	.....	8,281	774	.....	163,109	4,370	176,534	80	43,305	66,165	4,272
Shahabad	412	.....	412	4,828	786	216,004	2,151	224,141	.....	1,330	60,473	1,071
Saran	6	.....	6	.....	...	2,170	674	2,850	.....	14,455	73,627	7,786
Champaran	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	4,049	33,439	37,498	893	3,325	102,113	18,937
Muzaffarpur	434	.....	434	.....	.....	1,849	14,379	16,342	65	1,750	228,575	6,717
Darbhanga	12	.....	12	549	.....	4,500	3,658	8,779	.....	1,435	214,941	27,144
Monghyr	409	.....	409	21,422	9	118,556	6,806	147,202	.....	2,135	91,822	54,542
Bhagalpur	1,540	.....	1,540	4,881	.....	9,729	29,713	45,863	6,561	3,500	76,150	36,451
Purnea	.....	.....	.....	681	.....	2,388	.....	2,969	160,903	71,760	5,156	2,051
Santhal Parganas ...	2,025	.....	2,025	15,570	.....	18,286	9,945	45,826	9,935	3,045	5,516	7,060
Darjeeling	.....	}	1	.....	.....	6	2	9	2,958	14,420	.....	.....
Cooch Behar	13	.....	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	13	50,366	595	.....	.....
Total Bihar ...	14,764	1	14,765	48,727	775	731,223	129,766	925,256	233,821	162,905	1,173,322	182,296
ORISSA												
Cuttack	34,157	2,467	34,674	.....	.....	2,103	.....	37,777	7,161	5,005	.....	.....
Balasore	330,008	323,392	652,186	322	.....	5,929	.....	658,379	59,551	31,772	1,037	448
Puri	68,267	.....	68,267	.....	.....	.....	.....	68,267	.....	2,590	.....	.....
Sambalpur	138,279	.....	138,279	.....	.....	.....	47	138,326	382	175	1,104	478
Mourbhanj State ..	34,189	3,784	36,554	.....	.....	231	.....	36,785	.....	875	.....	80
Total Orissa ...	594,900	329,603	810,902	322	.....	8,263	47	809,734	67,094	40,417	2,141	1,006
CHOTA NAGPUR												
Hazaribagh	8	.....	8	.....	.....	5	.....	13	.....	630	1,002	.....
Palamau	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	70	20,872	826
Manbhum	20,189	7,577	24,866	.....	.....	13	... ..	24,879	.....	1,015	3	275
Singhbhum ...	130,210	7,151	134,679	.....	.....	262	.....	134,941	.....	9,765	1,606	218
Sangpur (Tributary State).	344	.....	344	.....	.....	.....	.....	344	.....	455	.....	.....
Total Chota Nagpur	150,692	14,728	159,897	.....	.....	280	.....	160,177	.....	11,935	23,485	1,319
Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	3,151,075	817,201	3,661,826	68,423	1,601	990,470	148,271	4,870,791	862,699	50,868,703	1,325,312	191,642
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES												
Burma	695,278	125,561	773,754	721	467	23,249	2,068	800,259	.....	4,500	.....	...
E B and Assam ...	115,379	534	116,213	1,973	45	46,243	810	165,284	1,191,782	859,140	47,551	162,122
U P of Agra and Oudh	1,154	.....	1,154	767,578	15,976	242,501	22,836	1,050,045	2,953	3,990	448,896	714,528
Punjab	606	.....	606	137,990	15,631	111,319	5,869	271,415	.....	18,725	672	25 6,041
Sind and British Baluchistan.	... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Central Provinces and Berar.	6,696	18	6,694	162,052	5	240,397	4	409,152	706	6,125	49,366	4,761
Bombay	22	.....	22	.....	.....	3	4	29	... ..	.....	.....	20,612
Madras	3,711	.....	3,711	.....	.....	43,864	133	47,708	12	1,065	.....	9,013
Rajputana and Central India.	.....	336	210	1,215	.....	724	.....	2,159	.....	... ...	13,215	29,309
GRAND TOTAL { 1906 ..	3,974,411	943,645	4,664,190	1,140,162	33,735	1,638,770	179,995	7,616,842	2,023,152	51,872,568	1,883,012	1,388,029
GRAND TOTAL { 1905 ..	4,402,137	426,197	4,668,488	4,007,073	41,122	2,329,883	161,945	11,206,511	968,831	6,911,643	1,615,267	1,731,235
GRAND TOTAL { 1904 .	2,684,837	706,675	3,126,508	7,345,978	28,095	2,566,059	134,443	13,201,081	1,343,441	11,668,554	4,937,097	1,789,090

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
† Including gunny-cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

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by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the four months of April to July 1906.

Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	SUGAR		TOBACCO		Whence imported
					Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured	
Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	BENGAL
.....	36	.....	26,413,667	.....	26	.....	224	88	Burdwan
.....	36	228	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	Birbhum
.....	198	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	66	373	Bankura
.....	547	223	10,634	.....	24	8,439	4,584	146	Midnapore
3	634	.....	12,807	.....	336	11,942	20,996	3,268	Hooghly
.....	12,474	.....	34,760	.....	41,403	56,116	3,829	2,022	24-Parganas
.....	3,264	161	.....	.....	4	3,671	3,705	6	Nadia
136	224	3,588	3,000	.....	65	220	93	.....	Murshidabad
.....	1,064	67	.....	.....	372	50,305	2,529	8	Jessore
.....	371	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,976	245	.....	Khulna
139	18,798	4,266	26,474,868	.....	42,234	142,872	41,271	5,961	Total Bengal
									BIHAR
7	434	.....	.....	2	.....	2,067	10,947	3,739	Patna
.....	202	.....	.....	4	.....	1,442	5	3,171	Gaya
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,043	2,832	.....	.....	Shahabad
.....	44	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,333	160	.....	Saran
.....	293	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Champaran
2	165	.....	.....	6	.....	276	2,781	.....	Muzaffarpur
.....	49	.....	.....	.....	.....	455	9,419	.....	Darbhanga
.....	768	.....	.....	.....	.....	728	339	124	Monghyr
.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	2	Bhagalpur
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	79,810	.....	Purnea
.....	53	11	.....	.....	.....	2	1,102	.....	Santhal Parganas
74,519	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,936	.....	Darjeeling
170	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,173	.....	Cooch Behar
74,698	2,007	13	.....	12	1,043	10,063	111,122	7,036	Total Bihar
									ORISSA
1	53	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Cuttack
.....	107	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	202	.....	Balasore
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Puri
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sambalpur
.....	184	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mourbhanj State
1	344	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	202	.....	Total Orissa
									CHOTA NAGPUR.
.....	.....	.....	583,863	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Hazaribagh
.....	.....	.....	381	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Palamau
725	.....	.....	24,946,831	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Manbhum
.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	Singhbhum
.....	189	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Gangpur (Tributary State)
725	191	.....	25,531,065	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	Total Chota Nagpur
75,563	21,340	4,278	52,006,923	12	43,277	152,935	152,590	13,017	Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal
									OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES.
39	14,977	.....	.....	.....	998	.....	707	128	Burma
418,971	84,981	1,036	41,590	.....	32	251	97,365	24	E B and Assam
254	55,163	20	.....	12	.....	4,012	140	75	U P of Agra and Oudh
2	35,667	.....	.....	.....	.....	55	.....	.....	Panjab
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	Sind and British Baluchistan
3	60,252	.....	.....	.....	.....	150	5	25	Central Provinces and Berar
23	4,394	17	.....	.....	1,044	.....	335	140	Bombay
137	4,169	.....	.....	.....	32,894	.....	28	673	Madras
.....	4,097	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	Rajputana and Central India
494,992	291,900	5,351	52,047,513	24	78,246	157,103	251,174	14,115	1906
419,690	424,615	5,416	47,140,516	833	102,516	212,519	291,374	14,377	1905 GRAND TOTAL
492,145	156,096	4,391	44,361,927	1,965	84,052	213,150	294,042	13,804	1904

No II

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No I were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the four months of April to July 1906.

Routes	Food-grains						Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
	Rice	Paddy	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Jute, raw	Gunny-bags*	Linseed	Mustard seed
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No	Mds	Mds
By boat	1,085,582	61,745	13,281	52	159,031	1,884	585,430	47,467,840	61,733	5,745
„ river steamer ...	47,442	1,731	2,135	17	37,143	5,972	162,963	107,730	14,151	151,107
„ rail — E. I. Railway	565,969	215,966	985,792	33,464	1,063,725	154,713	206,737	635,600	1,639,230	1,199,325
„ rail — E. B. S. Railway (including B. O. Railway)	190,886	174	1,522	720	116,077	15,221	910,296	2,109,295	92,182	8,307
„ rail — A.-B. Railway	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,488	54,110	110	.....
„ rail — B.-N. Railway	978,852	420,380	161,707	5	128,676	137	20,513	96,880	53,803	5,796
„ rail — Bombay Railways	...	.....	.....	.....	126,864	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....
„ rail — Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways†	1,531	39	.....	.....	25	.....	1,805	12,005	105	.....
„ road	343,500	35,127	4	.....	3,603	.....	46,129	1,107,323	698	40
„ sea	760,646	106,853	721	467	63,626	2,068	59,801	11,875	.....	17,709
Total ... 1906 ...	3,974,411	843,645	1,140,162	33,725	1,698,770	179,996	2,023,152	51,572,568	1,862,012	1,386,029
Total ... 1905 ...	4,402,117	426,197	4,007,073	41,122	2,329,883	161,945	968,831	6,911,643	1,815,367	1,731,525
Total ... 1904 ...	2,684,837	706,675	7,345,976	28,093	2,566,659	134,443	1,343,441	11,666,654	4,937,097	1,789,009

Routes.	Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar		Tobacco	
						Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By boat	3	12,966	5	21,589	.....	2,055	35,958	28,706	2,565
„ river steamer ...	259,440	34,626	1,203	44,590	.....	35	217	11,361	1,676
„ rail — E. I. Railway	1,014	96,973	454	38,346,291	24	1,107	14,153	25,757	4,121
„ rail — E. B. S. Railway (including B. O. Railway)	294,640	10,433	3,672	999	.....	382	16,881	176,084	.....
„ rail — A.-B. Railway	86,100	10,426	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	129	2
„ rail — B.-N. Railway	141	8,005	.....	13,605,278	.....	.....	150	107	606
„ rail — Bombay Railways	.....	62,686	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	253	.....
„ rail — Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways†	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21	.....	.....
„ road	.....	2,623	.....	28,766	.....	39,740	39,722	7,335	4,475
„ sea	2,654	53,220	17	.....	.....	34,936	.....	972	678
Total ... 1906 ...	494,992	291,990	5,351	52,047,513	24	78,245	167,103	251,174	14,115
Total ... 1905 ...	419,690	424,615	5,416	47,140,516	333	102,516	212,519	291,374	14,377
Total ... 1904 ...	492,145	156,096	4,391	44,361,927	1,565	34,053	213,150	294,042	13,804

* Including gunny-cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag
† Trade carried by these Railways was not registered previous to April 1905

No III

Imports of certain Articles into Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the four months of April to July 1906

	Cotton piece-goods		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil
	European	Indian	European	Indian		
	Rs.	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
From Foreign Countries—						
United Kingdom	5,93,34,332	.....	42,728	.....	2,348,612	252
Other countries	4,19,512	.....	1,802	.....	1,874,640	530,343
Total	5,97,53,844	.....	44,530	.....	4,223,252	530,595
Coastwise—						
Bombay	1,01,229	15,83,988	.....	45,295	358,333	.....
Sind and British Baluchistan	2,532	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras	.....	3,31,513	.....	593	.....	.....
Other ports in Madras	.....	2,561	.....	.....	.....	.....
Allepey	.....	.....	.....	73	.....	.....
Burma	27,953	17,409	.....	94	.....	902,837
Other ports	.....	.....	.....	42	.....	.....
Total	1,31,714	19,35,471	.....	46,097	358,333	902,837
Total 1906	5,98,85,558	19,35,471	44,530	46,097	4,581,585	1,433,432
Total 1905	5,92,10,787	14,61,183	50,039	39,505	3,796,453	1,468,416
Total 1904	5,21,91,527	16,97,277	35,226	56,615	4,430,859	1,540,959

No IV

Exports of Principal Articles from Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign countries) in the four months of April to July 1906

	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny-bags
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
Bombay	53,565	.....	53,565	119	.....	584	136	54,404	20	5,171,250
Sind and British Baluchistan ...	599	.....	599	.....	.....	.....	.....	599	.....	2,263,450
Madras	614	.....	614	424	7,635	55,678	5,837	70,188	.....	414,850
Other ports in Madras ...	139,462	905	140,028	.....	5,424	17,143	.....	162,595	.....	849,454
Kattywar ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,235	558	.....	1,793	.....	43,000
Goa	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Allepey	3,522	.....	3,522	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,522	.....	3,000
Burma	15,331	.....	15,331	1,017	93,708	89,036	8,074	207,256	225	7,330,510
Other Indian ports	18	.....	18	282	3,073	4,359	10	7,092	.....	78,705
Total ...	213,111	905	213,077	1,822	111,135	167,358	14,057	508,049	245	16,154,219
To Foreign countries—										
United Kingdom	158,479	4	158,491	115,518	.....	149,177	90	423,275	528,508	17,428,730
Other countries	1,982,662	3	1,982,664	23,493	23,809	107,279	21,320	2,158,565	1,000,069	161,842,786
Total ...	2,141,141	7	2,141,145	139,011	23,809	256,456	21,419	2,581,840	1,528,577	179,271,516
Total ... 1906 ...	2,354,252	912	2,354,822	140,833	134,944	423,814	35,476	3,089,889	1,528,822	195,425,735
Total ... 1905 ...	3,865,662	29,581	3,884,150	2,449,693	147,948	1,007,002	66,565	7,555,358	814,872	200,511,395
Total ... 1904 ...	2,605,007	2,046	2,606,345	5,467,019	159,692	1,432,432	36,718	9,902,206	929,065	169,514,923

	Linseed	Mustard seed	Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar		Tobacco	
								Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds.	Mds	Mds
Bombay	.....	.....	8,112	.....	25	9,220,330	24	2,988	.....	.....	61
Sind and British Baluchistan ...	.....	.....	360	.....	.....	4,430,036	.....	.....	.....	957	353
Madras	.....	.....	627	.....	.....	1,823,073	.....	593	.....	.....	45
Other ports in Madras ...	.....	7,734	154	.....	.....	1,661,645	.....	13	.....	.....	162
Kattywar ...	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	147,136	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	76,223	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Goa	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	174,957	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Allepey ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	62	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burma	46	.....	2,887	590	31	3,729,200	.....	4,368	5,326	29,985	1,408
Other Indian ports	7	.....	1	8	.....	111,418	.....	6,948	33	2,074	27
Total ...	53	7,734	12,144	598	56	21,374,099	24	14,910	5,359	33,016	2,053
To Foreign countries—											
United Kingdom	984,051	70,769	271,526	13,301	1,110	163	798	.....	.....	29	52
Other countries	590,783	65,141	67,176	204,950	3,983	10,035,473	2,390	107	46	11,866	487
Total ...	1,574,834	135,910	338,702	218,251	5,093	10,035,636	3,188	107	46	11,895	539
Total ... 1906 ...	1,574,887	143,644	350,846	218,849	5,149	31,409,735	3,212	15,017	5,405	44,911	2,592
Total ... 1905 ...	1,336,375	141,858	263,759	174,887	4,783	29,760,776	6,847	17,089	5,107	79,160	2,479
Total ... 1904 ...	4,029,960	503,613	305,644	135,529	3,841	23,825,388	13,161	13,513	5,305	65,119	2,605

No V

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the four months of April to July 1906

	Cotton piece-goods*		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil		Gunny-bags‡
	European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budget	
Bengal	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
Burdwan	8,42,038	52,153	843	5,216	185,077	4,754	33,550	235,710
Birbhum	5,31,082	8,329	416	5,672	73,917	37	9,676	140,700
Bankura	1,70,427	1,673	.....	3,369	41,230	4	.....	71,785
Midnapore	10,70,976	1,54,819	3,261	5,099	214,849	467	762	220,951
Hooghly	7,23,915	1,58,850	1,927	180	106,323	18,845	7,165	132,084
24-Parganas	10,64,291	2,00,975	1,605	180	86,184	48,760	13,770	73,142
Calcutta	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	262,207	.....
Nadia	12,64,897	24,517	5,094	1,830	116,540	3,690	43,938	141,369
Murshidabad	3,72,740	8,682	489	752	50,107	1,107	11,170	33,596
Jessore	4,91,225	1,25,274	3,211	1,102	69,427	14,257	12,542	17,460
Khulna	3,32,183	91,175	338	383	54,276	17,355	2,618	6,095
Total Bengal	68,62,883	8,26,447	17,184	23,762	997,989	109,276	337,308	1,073,402
Bihar								
Patna	12,53,938	11,214	1,615	2,783	93,411	141	58,481	586,966
Gaya	15,26,388	3,183	378	6,229	93,662	38	17,299	203,400
Shahabad	18,58,334	6,409	96	1,447	73,884	86	14,312	187,705
Saran	13,57,100	27,866	442	505	94,743	19	10,911	97,825
Champaran	15,33,021	14,206	71	725	106,920	92	18,495	128,485
Muzaffarpur	13,60,129	12,647	83	835	154,044	158	30,184	181,055
Darbhanga	16,43,985	10,448	67	2,409	145,620	71	19,984	198,870
Monghyr	8,38,835	5,040	188	3,301	81,700	80	23,211	261,030
Bhagalpur	11,71,521	24,209	414	2,144	129,583	95	24,713	227,385
Purnea	14,09,797	9,418	347	3,992	168,326	1,586	31,430	65,870
Santhal Parganas	5,95,774	1,508	521	3,100	97,235	46	34,680	80,850
Darjeeling	3,92,136	19,938	121	2,550	33,247	198	10,720	26,075
Cooch Behar	2,09,160	2,487	.....	173	15,346	47	308	5,320
Total Bihar	1,44,50,208	1,48,663	4,343	30,253	1,287,730	2,657	304,788	2,251,426
Orissa								
Cuttack	2,50,003	16,101	.....	6,380	5,162	60	988	48,960
Balasore	1,92,027	1,534	1,078	16,083	156,493	50	3,930	277,200
Puri	22,835	1,233	.....	37	2	152	.....	17,150
Sambalpur	1,05,570	528	3	677	11,532	71	272	88,795
Mourbhanj State	20,309	.....	.....	18	4,801	9	.....	6,335
Total Orissa	5,98,644	19,456	1,081	23,201	177,990	343	5,096	438,440
Chota Nagpur								
Hazaribagh	2,40,778	3,457	.....	1,365	36,734	52	6,007	2,666
Palamau	2,25,856	4,113	2	6	29,458	2	1,786	13,195
Manbhum	6,50,493	11,653	87	7,841	134,609	570	12,115	50,400
Singhbhum	79,949	68	.....	473	33,038	49	39	104,930
Gangpur (Tributary State)	19,232	.....	.....	18	15,974	30	5	4,375
Total Chota Nagpur	12,24,408	19,291	89	9,690	249,813	703	19,952	175,566
Total Exports to the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	2,31,36,143	10,13,857	22,697	86,012	2,713,472	112,983	727,231	3,938,918
Other Provinces and Places								
Burma	2,72,540	18,192	1,358	20,051	27	.....	321	7,330,310
E B and Assam	1,18,40,732	4,00,201	48,195	9,434	1,416,196	41,089	430,196	631,280
U P of Agra and Oudh	1,49,26,054	1,12,881	6,133	1,843	182,509	1,874	247,550	1,733,795
Panjab	28,64,370	52,719	2,187	120	11	72	10,108	2,255,970
Sind and British Baluchistan	7,995	100	30	24	.....	.....	.....	2,280,005
Central Provinces and Berar	4,07,633	10,013	54	616	2,707	233	9,864	376,670
Bombay	64,820	12,708	32	27	.....	.....	.....	6,747,475
Madras	3,76,158	1,054	36	4,714	.....	76	4,200	1,369,829
Rajputana and Central India	3,93,735	3,350	196	9	.....	100	5,239	58,730
Nizam's Territory	17,146	786	.....	134	.....	.....	.....	18,655
Mysore	.....	51	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,940
Allepey	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,000
Pondichery	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	43,000
Port Blair	5,325	200	.....	276	.....	.....	96	.....
Grand Total 1906	5,43,10,081	16,27,012	80,918	124,160	4,315,012	156,427	1,434,614	26,860,777
Grand Total 1905	5,48,44,025	7,32,808	77,511	122,427	4,129,437	131,069	1,285,972	33,676,461
Grand Total 1904	4,43,40,419	3,95,570	74,492	106,781	3,687,583	214,462	1,303,101	39,816,007

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
† Represents the trade registered at the traffic-registering stations only
‡ Including gunny-cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

No VI

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No V were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the four months of April to July 1906

		Cotton piece-goods*		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil		Gunny-bags†
		European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge	
		Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
by boat		6,15,500	1,67,600	2,622	.....	598,553	74,109	5,987	140,181
„ river steamer		60,56,341	95,259	37,666	1,125	754,307	8,816	345,330	403,375
by rail	E I Railway	3,21,88,087	2,56,942	9,537	43,344	1,576,012	5,782	616,152	5,234,100
	B B & C I Railway (including B C Railway)	1,01,10,469	5,32,659	19,578	13,460	796,576	15,043	446,092	497,910
	A-B Railway	7,50,293	1,37,463	4,988	1,960	57,186	850	1,290	21,345
	B-N Railway	17,04,261	33,217	25	30,739	359,635	930	13,350	1,061,200
	N.W Railway	3,52,987	1,574	1,112	.....	.....	152	.....	1,428,070
	Bombay Railways	7,29,572	12,069	200	2,039	.....	11	20	1,851,570
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways‡	2,84,286	.....	818	.....	4,638	505	.....	4,935
by road		10,53,209	2,61,153	1,853	.....	32,214	47,229	2,007	13,972
„ sea		4,66,877	29,076	2,519	31,493	103,661	.....	4,366	16,154,219
Total	1906	5,43,10,631	16,27,012	80,918	1,24,160	4,815,013	156,427	1,434,614	26,809,777
	1905	5,43,44,025	7,32,808	77,511	1,22,427	4,129,437	131,069	1,285,072	33,676,461
	1904	4,43,40,419	3,95,570	74,492	1,06,781	3,087,583	214,462	1,803,101	39,816,007

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter
† Including gunny-cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag
‡ Trade carried by these railways was not registered previous to April 1906

October 30, 1906.

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Districts.	Population under registration.	Births.		Deaths.																Average of corresponding month of previous five years.		Remarks.
		Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Cholera.		Small-pox.		Plague.		Fever.		Dysentery and Diarrhœa.		Respiratory diseases.		Injury.		Other causes.		Total of all causes.				
				Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	
Burdwan	1,532,475	2,618	20·40	65	·48	51	·36	...	...	2,177	17·04	74	·48	16	·12	49	·36	500	3·84	2,932	22·92	3,373	26·40	
Birbhum	902,280	1,528	20·28	98	1·20	2	·02	...	...	1,494	19·80	13	·12	14	·12	41	·48	245	3·24	1,907	25·32	2,095	27·84	
Bankura	1,116,411	2,953	31·68	115	1 20	10	·12	...	...	1,434	15·84	45	·48	10	·09	62	·60	608	6·48	2,343	25·08	2,395	27 84	
Midnapore	2,789,114	5,060	21·72	332	1·32	28	·12	...	...	4,139	17·76	134	·48	28	·12	111	·36	979	4·20	5,781	24·72	5,786	24·84	
Hooghly, including Serampore.	1,049,282	1,715	19·56	11	·12	28	·24	...	...	1,449	16·56	107	1·20	35	·36	55	·60	306	4·44	2,081	23·76	2,423	27·60	
Howrah	850,514	1,511	21·24	35	·48	66	·84	5	·06	611	8·52	202	2·76	50	·60	50	·60	410	5·76	1,429	20·16	1,806	25·44	
24-Parganas	2,078,359	4,075	23·52	43	·24	58	·24	...	...	2,681	15·36	118	·60	38	·12	150	·84	597	3·36	3,686	21·24	3,802	21·84	
Calcutta	847,796	1,262	18·12	46	·60	8	·10	45	·60	266	3·72	170	2·40	356	4·92	46	·60	844	11·88	1,780	25·08	1,661	23·40	
Nadia	1,667,491	2,431	17·40	16	·10	2	·01	...	...	2,418	17·40	13	·08	4	·03	101	·72	398	2·76	2,947	21·12	3,930	28·20	
Murshidabad	1,333,194	2,735	24·60	23	·12	45	·36	...	...	2,140	19·20	10	·08	1	·008	97	·84	433	3·84	2,750	24·72	3,674	33·00	
Jessore	1,913,155	2,158	14·28	10	·06	5	·02	...	...	2,368	15·60	6	·03	3	·01	75	·48	317	2·04	2,784	18·36	3,548	23·40	
Khulna	1,253,043	2,622	25·08	163	1·56	...	...	...	...	1,881	18·00	52	·48	2	·01	80	·72	642	6·12	2,820	27·00	2,793	26·64	
Patna	1,624,985	5,834	43·08	1,263	9·24	59	·36	111	·72	3,004	22·08	648	4·68	169	1·20	210	1·44	2,419	17·76	7,883	58·20	7,616	56·16	
Gaya	2,089,933	7,980	46·44	2,849	13·92	23	·12	12	·06	6,202	36·60	137	·72	4	·01	145	·72	1,493	8·64	10,505	61·08	9,371	48 72	
Shahabad	1,968,696	6,601	40·32	903	5·52	2	·01	19	·10	4,919	30·00	25	·12	2	·01	123	·72	1,239	7·56	7,232	44·16	6,520	39·84	
Saran	2,409,509	6,815	33·84	763	3·72	7	·02	177	·84	3,479	17·28	362	1 80	61	·24	362	1·80	2,563	12·72	7,779	38 64	7,392	36·72	
Champaran	1,790,463	4,939	33·00	1,446	9·60	7	·03	...	...	3,369	22·56	20	·12	1	·006	215	1·44	1,049	6·96	6,101	40·80	6,765	45·24	
Muzaffarpur	2,754,790	6,684	29 04	949	4·08	10	·03	37	·12	4,524	19·68	43	·12	2	·008	437	1·80	1,111	4·80	7,113	31·20	8,604	37·44	
Darbhanga	2,912,611	6,877	28·32	730	3·00	1	·003	1	·003	4,984	20·52	76	·24	2	·007	341	1·32	825	3·36	6,986	28·68	8,100	33·36	
Monghyr	2,068,804	6,351	36·72	412	2 28	18	·09	14	·07	4,468	25·80	37	·12	5	·02	267	1·44	1,072	6·12	6,293	36·48	6,041	35 04	
Bhagalpur	2,088,953	5,588	34·32	1,403	8 52	63	·36	10	·04	4,718	27·00	19	·10	2	·01	204	1 08	723	4 08	7,232	41·52	5,329	30·60	
Purnea	1,974,794	3,295	21·00	52	·24	33	·12	...	...	3,580	22·80	3	·01	...	...	144	·84	166	·96	3,976	25·44	3,973	25 32	
Darjeeling	249,117	541	26·04	5	·24	7	·24	...	...	611	29·40	123	5·76	6	·24	24	1·08	158	7·56	933	44·88	867	41·76	
Santhal Parganas	1,809,737	5,909	37·08	1,791	11 76	10	·24	...	...	4,669	30 84	85	·48	3	·01	85	·36	432	2·76	7,094	46 92	4,302	28·44	
Cuttack	2,062,758	6,463	37·56	211	1 20	17	·09	...	...	1,864	10·44	672	3·84	41	·12	145	·84	1,638	9·48	4,528	26·28	4,069	28·80	
Balasore	1,071,137	2,256	25·20	83	·84	9	·01	...	...	1,144	12·72	173	1·92	...	...	79	·84	1,265	14 16	2,592	31·32	2,571	28·80	
Puri	1,017,284	3,065	36·12	207	2·40	245	2·88	...	...	461	5·40	371	4·32	109	1·20	71	·72	917	10·80	2,381	28·08	2,607	30·72	
Sambalpur	636,880	2,060	38·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	677	12·72	177	3·24	41	·72	26	·48	472	8·88	1,393	26·16	Data not available.		
Angul and Khondmals ...																								
Hazaribagh	1,177,961	5,055	51·68	841	8·52	1	·009	...	...	2,816	28·68	109	1·08	4	·03	73	·72	704	7·68	4,608	46·92	3,069	31·20	
Lanchi	1,157,925	4,919	49·68	85	·84	2	·01	...	...	1,970	20·92	373	3·72	5	·04	68	·60	1,109	11·16	3,023	36·48	2,663	26·88	
Palamau	619,600	2,889	55·92	111	2·16	1	·01	...	...	1,348	26·04	17	·24	2	·03	44	·72	411	7·92	1,737	37·44	1,577	30·48	
Manbhum	1,301,364	4,856	42·84	306	2 76	2	·01	...	...	2,128	19·56	13	·12	8	·07	52	·36	446	4·08	2,961	27·24	2,940	27·72	
Singhbhum	613,579	1,945	38·04	1	·07	...	...	...	...	963	18·72	5	·09	1	·01	41	·72	132	2·52	1,146	22·32	1,019	19·92	
Total ...	56,728,044	131,519	31·20	15,022	3·48	919	·12	431	·09	85,045	20·16	4,439	·96	1,037	·24	1,053	·96	26,762	6·24	137,708	32·64	132,790	31·92	
Total, excluding Sambalpur district	49,591,164	129,459	31 08	15,022	3 60	919	·12	431	·09	84,368	20·28	4,262	·96	996	·12	4,027	·96	26,290	6·24	136,315	32·76	...	...	
Average of the corresponding month of previous five years	.....	102,435	39·00	11,455	2 76	1,048	·24	Data not available.		83,297	19·92	4,240	·96	Data not available.		3,554	·84	28,226	6·72	132,780	31·92	...	...	
Difference + or — ...	... ...	—2,976	—7·92	+3,567	+·84	—129	—·12			+1,071	+·36	+22	Equal			+473	+·12	—1,936	—·48	+3,525	+·84	...	...	

Not under registration.

OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,

The 25th October 1906.

W. W. CLEMESHA, CAPTAIN, I.M.S.,

Offg. Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Vital Statistics of Towns in Bengal with a population of 20,000 and over during the month of August 1906.

Towns.	Population under registration.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.																AVERAGE OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS FIVE YEARS.		Remarks.
				CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.		DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURY.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL OF ALL CAUSES.				
		Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	
Burdwan	35,286	32	10·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	12·48	5	1·68	1	·24	2	·60	8	2·64	53	18·00	70	23·76	
Bankura	20,737	30	17·28	3	1·68	...	...	...	...	2	1·08	8	4·56	...	...	...	...	8	4·56	21	12·12	49	28·32	
Midnapore	33,140	63	22·80	15	5·40	...	...	...	...	37	13·32	25	9·00	3	1·08	2	·72	18	6·48	100	36·12	104	37·56	
Hooghly and Chinsura	22,383	52	27·12	1	·36	...	...	...	...	34	13·80	7	2·76	2	·72	3	1·20	5	2·04	52	21·12	88	35·88	
Serampore ...	44,451	69	18·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	51	13·68	7	1·80	7	1·80	1	·24	19	5·04	85	22·92	113	30·12	
Howrah	157,594	257	19·56	9	·60	6	·36	5	·36	100	12·12	31	3·84	22	1·56	6	·36	108	8·16	367	27·84	411	31·20	
Cossipore-Chitpur ...	40,750	19	5·52	2	·48	...	...	...	...	15	4·32	3	·84	...	...	1	·24	2	·48	23	6·72	25	7·32	
Maniktala	32,387	31	11·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	3·24	4	1·44	...	...	1	·36	4	1·44	18	6·60	21	7·68	
South Suburban ...	26,374	58	26·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	18·60	3	1·32	...	...	2	·84	4	1·80	50	22·68	57	25·92	
Garden Reach ...	28,211	29	19·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	7·20	6	2·52	4	1·68	2	·84	6	2·52	35	14·88	33	13·92	
Barnagore	25,432	19	8·88	...	...	1	·36	...	...	15	6·96	4	1·80	1	·36	1	1·80	8	3·72	34	15·48	59	26·40	
Bhatpara	21,540	64	33·64	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	18·36	1	·48	1	·48	2	1·08	10	5·52	47	26·16	40	22·20	
Calcutta	847,796	1,253	18·12	46	·60	8	·10	45	·60	266	3·72	170	2·40	355	4·92	46	·60	544	11·88	1,780	25·08	1,661	23·40	
Krishnagar	24,547	16	7·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	10·68	...	...	...	...	1	·48	5	2·40	28	13·68	55	26·88	
Santipur	26,898	58	25·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	17·76	2	·84	1	·36	1	·36	7	3·12	51	22·68	84	37·44	
Berhampore	24,397	19	24·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	58	27·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	2·88	62	30·48	80	39·24	
Patna City	134,785	335	29·76	74	6·48	27	2·40	17	1·44	105	9·24	55	4·80	14	1·20	11	1·20	173	15·36	179	42·60	688	61·32	
Bihar	45,083	117	31·08	33	6·12	1	·24	1	·24	24	6·36	11	2·88	5	1·32	7	1·80	40	12·96	121	32·16	180	47·88	
Dinapore	33,699	47	16·68	21	7·44	...	...	...	...	15	5·28	4	1·32	...	...	3	·96	33	11·64	76	27·00	101	35·88	
Gaya	71,288	196	32·88	43	7·20	...	...	...	...	203	34·08	67	11·16	1	·12	5	·84	58	9·72	377	63·36	513	86·28	
Arrah	46,170	68	17·04	114	29·52	...	...	...	...	38	9·84	3	·72	1	·24	7	1·80	14	3·60	177	45·96	90	23·28	
Sasaram	23,844	114	57·84	72	36·48	1	·48	...	...	59	29·88	1	·48	...	...	3	1·44	31	15·72	167	84·72	85	43·08	
Chapra	45,961	136	35·52	51	13·32	...	...	...	...	35	9·12	21	5·40	19	4·92	3	·72	68	17·76	197	51·48	176	45·96	
Betfiah	24,946	63	18·60	33	16·92	...	...	...	...	58	28·08	5	2·40	...	...	1	·48	23	11·16	122	59·28	70	33·96	
Muzaffarpur	45,617	84	22·08	8	2·04	...	...	2	·48	40	10·44	4	·96	...	...	4	·96	5	15·48	117	30·72	109	28·56	
Hajipur	21,398	64	35·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	12·24	2	1·08	...	...	4	2·16	40	22·32	68	38·04	94	52·68	
Darbhanga	66,244	133	24·00	2	·36	...	...	...	...	27	4·80	3	·48	2	·36	2	·36	74	13·32	110	19·92	169	30·60	
Monghyr	35,880	60	33·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	9·36	12	3·96	3	·96	7	2·28	29	9·60	79	26·40	173	57·84	
Bhagalpur	75,760	151	23·88	1	·12	6	·84	10	1·56	89	14·04	6	·84	1	·12	...	...	45	7·08	158	24·96	183	28·92	
Cuttack	51,364	121	28·20	5	1·08	...	...	...	...	46	10·68	24	5·52	3	·60	6	1·32	60	11·64	134	31·20	160	37·32	
Balasore	20,880	22	12·60	11	6·24	...	...	...	...	13	7·44	6	3·36	...	...	...	...	7	3·96	37	21·24	29	16·56	
Puri	49,334	54	13·08	32	7·68	3	·72	...	...	19	4·56	30	7·20	...	...	...	...	31	7·44	116	28·20	198	48·12	
Ranchi	23,819	68	43·32	37	18·60	...	...	...	...	41	20·64	16	8·04	...	...	1	·48	60	30·12	155	78·00	36	18·12	
al of all towns with a pulation of 20,000 and er	2,234,436	4,017	21·48	605	3·24	53	·24	80	·36	1,697	9·00	566	3·00	446	2·28	142	·72	1,906	10·20	5,495	29·40	6,001	32·16	
rage of correspond- x month of previous e years	.....	4,327	23·16	662	3·48	23	·12	Data not available.		2,105	11·28	660	3·48	Data not available.		122	·60	2,001	10·68	6,001	32·16	...	...	
ience + or —	.....	−316	−1·68	−57	−·24	+30	+·12			−408	−2·28	−94	−·48			+20	+·12	−95	−·48	−506	−2·76	...	...	

ITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL.

e 25th October 1906.

W. W. CLEMESHA, CAPTAIN, I.M.S.,

Offg. Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1906-07.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of August 1906.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	Details of areas leased.							Rainfall, 1906-07.		Rainfall, 1905-06.		Remarks
								Long-term leases.	Season leases.						During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.	
									Kharif.	Rabi	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.	Grand Total.					
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
Orissa	Cuttack	Taldanda system	1,342	1,126	853	58,400	60,000	50,382	7,986	...	49	3	8,018	58,100	6·32	34·02	7·18	28·80	Average rainfall of Kulsai, Balia and Jagatsinghpur.
		Kendrapara do.	2,085	1,537	1,342	92,946	76,830	75,784	15,627	...	...	...	15,627	91,411	5·29	24·21	7·72	27·16	Average rainfall of Kendupatna, Marsaghai, Kendrapara, Nurtung and Ichapur.
		High Level, Range I	608	443	349	27,158	22,953	23,444	3,672	...	35	...	3,707	27,156	5·76	26·67	7·85	24·20	Average rainfall of Cuttack and Jenapur.
		Ditto, Range II	728	61	54	5,775	5,772	5,770	5	...	...	...	5	5,775	6·69	28·02	6·29	24·75	Average rainfall of Jenapur and Akhoyapada.
		Jajpur Canal	700	349	291	17,309	17,134	14,989	2,837	...	34	13	2,884	17,873	6·28	25·58	6·16	20·77	Jajpur.
	Balasore	Dudhai Canal	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	
		High Level, Range III	728	565	370	43,490	41,025	38,262	4,571	...	170	460	5,144	43,406	7·97	35·15	3·49	20·94	Akhoyapada.
		Total Orissa Canals ...	...	...	...	244,677	222,622	208,636	(a)37,681	...	289	476	38,386	247,022	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	179,184	44,532	...	217	427	45,176	223,360	...	...	...	...	
South-Western	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	223	140	50,037	53,242	49,054	2,105	...	...	...	2,105	51,159	7·49	30·03	11·32	42·52	
	Howrah	Panchkura	522	40	19	3,202	2,099	4,298	424	...	...	...	424	4,722	5·95	28·07	6·59	36·61	
		Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II	...	...	...	53	...	134	...	...	...	...	...	134	7·26	25·90	7·90	45·71	
		Total Midnapore Canal ...	...	...	...	53,292	55,341	53,486	(b)2,529	...	...	...	2,529	56,015	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	66,604	(b)7,522	...	...	...	7,522	74,126	...	...	...	...	
	Burdwan and Hooghly.	Eden Canal	1,000	388	300	20,651	23,272	20,938	(c)351	5	...	...	356	21,194	16·72	38·86	10·09	54·57	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	23,551	117	4	...	...	121	23,672	...	...	...	...	

(a) Of this, 37,624 acres are under "Provisional lease."
(b) Covering lease.
(c) Of this, 241 acres are under "Bhadoi."

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	Details of areas leased. — Season leases. — Long-term leases.	Khatif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.	Grand Total.	Rainfall, 1906-07. — During month.	Up to end of month.	Rainfall, 1905-06. — During month.	Up to end of month.	Remarks.
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
...	Shahabad ...	Western Main	4,342	3,291	304	23,608	23,184	18,379	5,070	...	...	617	5,696	24,075	9·14	26·28	10·17	24·71	
		Rutar	1,226	1,033	801	102,051	100,239	86,062	14,431	...	...	6,489	20,920	106,982					
		Arrah	2,000	1,924	1,563	118,763	170,172	137,217	25,905	...	...	14,562	40,467	177,684	14·34	30·87	11·51	22·92	
	Patna and Gaya	Eastern Main	1,466	1,550	1,398	3,619	3,537	3,054	701	...	...	36	737	3,791	6·49	24·44	19·82	34·56	
		Patna				95,080	92,575	70,287	21,601	...	...	6,334	27,935	98,202					
		Total Sone Canals ...	...	...	..	372,551	389,707	314,979	67,717	...	...	28,038	95,755	410,734	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	..	...	...	...	...	344,596	36,204	...	...	25,680	61,884	406,480	...	...	...	...	
	Champaran ..	Tenr Canal	174	...	...	129	...	...	...	...	..	102	102	102	30·9	62·79	38·95	73·54	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
		Dhaka Canal	300	...		264	...	..	210	...	...	223	433	433	25·53	57·30	22·41	53·80	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Saran	Saran Canals	Canals closed.																
		Grand Total ..	...	..	...	691,541	680,912	597,939	108,488	5	280	28,779	137,561	735,500	...	...	...	...	
		Grand Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	..	...	...	...	612,935	88,376	4	217	26,107	114,703	727,638	...	...	...	...	

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd October 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract Statement showing Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works for the month of August 1906, as compared with that of the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	Tollage, 1906-07.						Tollage, 1905-06.					
	During the month.			To end of the month.			During the month.			To end of the month.		
Orissa Canals.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Taldanda Canal System	1,230	1	9	6,777	1	9	1,062	14	3	8,339	10	0
Kendrapara ditto	2,605	1	0	11,442	5	2	2,873	12	0	11,515	13	0
High Level, Range I	1,036	7	0	3,535	10	0	1,405	9	0	5,035	2	3
Ditto, II	243	5	6	768	9	9	166	0	3	731	12	3
Ditto, III	84	6	5	230	0	8	50	6	0	242	1	6
Jajpur Canal ..	27	12	3	171	12	3	30	5	3	272	8	0
Total Orissa Canals ...	5,227	1	11	22,925	7	7	5,588	14	9	26,136	15	0
Midnapore Canal ...	3,667	3	3	25,456	0	0	5,229	13	6	32,709	14	3
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	6,811	0	3	36,685	12	3	5,977	6	0	32,715	13	6
Sone Canals.												
Patna Canal System	3,181	15	10	9,451	8	6	1,293	13	3	8,540	5	6
Arrah ditto	1,014	1	0	4,243	10	1	506	13	5	3,071	6	5
Buxar ditto	2,333	14	0	7,152	8	9	612	3	0	2,758	1	6
Total Sone Canals	6,529	14	10	20,847	11	4	2,412	13	8	14,369	13	5
Grand Total	22,235	4	3	1,05,914	15	2	19,208	15	11	1,05,932	8	2

Calcutta,
The 22nd October 1906.

W. A. Inglis,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract Statement showing Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Minor Works and Navigation for the month of August 1906, as compared with that of the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	Tollage, 1906-07.						Tollage, 1905-06.					
	During the month.			To end of the month.			During the month.			To end of the month.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Calcutta and Eastern Canals	18,020	15	3	92,336	3	0	18,088	6	6	1,00,164	4	6
Tolly's Nala	5,431	13	0	28,029	4	0	8,612	3	6	39,746	9	11
Madaripur Bhil Route...	20,943	6	9*	27,869	14	3*	11,620	4	0*	16,801	9	0*
Total ...	44,396	3	0	1,48,235	5	3	38,320	14	0	1,56,712	7	5
Orissa Coast Canal ...	2,731	8	0	15,070	12	3	2,112	12	0	11,431	3	0
Nadia Rivers ...	3,159	2	1	11,271	4	11	14,044	13	5	33,483	4	5
Grand Total ...	50,286	13	1	1,74,577	6	5	54,478	7	5	2,01,626	14	10

* Including tollage on steamers and flats.

Calcutta,
The 22nd October 1906.

W. A. Inglis,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 27th October 1906, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 27th October 1906.			Week ending Saturday, the 28th October 1905.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy ...	461	1,08,560	1,017	489	48,127	698
Jute ...	1,196*	3,23,537*	5,514	444	1,21,853†	1,908
Firewood ...	95	32,950	1,103	46	31,470	475
Other articles ...	854	1,68,280	2,223	612	1,64,175	1,989
Total ...	2,606	6,33,327	9,857	1,591	3,65,625	5,070

* Weight by canal measurement, 3,45,799 maunds.
† Ditto ditto 1,33,110½ do.

ults of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 21st to 27th October 1906.

1906.	Date	Bright sunshine.	From	Temperature. Mean at 3h.	Mean.	Max.	Min.	Range.	Hygrometry. Dew point.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Wind. Mileage.	Rains.	Weather.
				Inches.	°	°	°	°	Inches	°	%			Inches.	
Oct.	21st	138·4	4·2	29·877	79·7	86·1	11·6	74·3	76·4	0·879	75·3	86	SW by W and NW by N.	51	Nil	Partially cloudy, o. p.
	22nd	141·7	8·7	·887	80·9	88·2	13·7	74·5	75·5	·820	73·3	78	NW by N and N by W.	66	1·32	Chiefly clear,
	23rd	142·5	8·7	·879	77·4	87·9	20·1	67·8	70·9	·667	67·2	69	N by W and calm.	59	Nil	Clear, ⌓.
	24th	139·1	8·4	·867	76·4	85·9	18·1	67·8	69·9	·638	65·9	69	N by W and NNE	52		Chiefly clear,
	25th	135·6	8·3	·847	76·3	85·9	18·3	67·6	70·6	·669	67·3	72	N by W, NNW and calm.	37		Chiefly clear, ⌓
	26th	138·9	8·4	·853	77·0	85·9	16·8	69·1	72·2	·723	69·5	76	NNW, N and NNE.	44		Chiefly clear,
	27th	140·9	7·0	·837	76·8	85·4	16·3	69·1	72·2	·731	69·8	77	NNE and ENE.	53		Partially cloudy,

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		29·864
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		29·860
		Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine		53·7
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine		79 9
The mean temperature of the seven days		77·8
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		79 8
The extreme variation of temperature		20·6
The maximum temperature		88 2
		Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour		8
		%
The mean relative humidity		75
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		78
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 1st to 27th October 1906		1·32
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		1·65
The total fall from 1st January to 27th October 1906		53·35
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office		64·27

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; p, passing temporary showers; ⌓, dew.

C. W. PEAKE,
for *Director-General of Observatories.*

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA;
Alipore (Calcutta), the 29th October 1906.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Statement of Goods Traffic in Staples carried during the five weeks ending 31st March 1906 as compared with the same period of 1905.

Staples.	1905.		1906.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes	3,965	4,333	9,620	6,430	5,655	2,097	.....	.....
Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways	1,34,92,786	17,49,886	1,77,37,410	25,80,409	42,44,624	8,30,673	.....	.....
Cotton—								
(1) Raw	1,75,784	95,837	1,24,334	82,770	.....	.....	51,450	12,787
(2) Manufactured—								
(a) Twist and Yarn, European	2,181	2,739	2,035	1,433	.....	.....	146	1,307
(b) Ditto, Indian	35,085	15,314	34,570	13,210	.....	.....	515	2,104
(c) Piece-goods, European	1,48,705	3,45,904	1,50,338	1,60,120	1,633	14 216	.....	.....
(d) Ditto, Indian	33,616	8,998	43,200	45,202	15,584	36,304	.....	.....
(e) Others	2,948	2,787	2,701	1,972	.....	.....	247	815
Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	6,187	3,798	13,329	7,792	7,142	3,994	.....	.....
Drugs—								
1.—Intoxicating, other than opium	190	217	333	203	193	.....	.....	14
2.—Non-intoxicating	7,873	4,355	7,589	4,220	.....	.....	259	135
Dyes and Tans—								
1.—Al (Morinda citrifolia)	122	21	.....	.....	.....	.....	122	21
2.—Alizarine and aniline dyes	199	125	332	181	133	56	.....	.....
3.—Cutch	2,338	1,027	3,230	1,423	892	396	.....	.....
4.—Indigo	1,001	796	3,880	3,355	2,879	2,559	.....	.....
5.—Myrabolams	19,313	4,520	17,059	4,236	.....	.....	2,253	284
6.—Tanning barks	23,870	1,703	17,811	1,508	.....	.....	6,059	195
7.—Turmeric	16,602	13,707	16,685	13,911	83	1,194	.....	.....
8.—Others	11,462	5,956	13,516	6,328	2,054	372	.....	.....
Fodder—								
1.—Oilcake	72,377	12,253	90,716	19,428	18,339	7,175	.....	.....
2.—Hay, straw and grass	42,313	5,438	53,940	10,061	11,627	4,623	.....	.....
Fruits and vegetables, fresh	15,068	6,648	24,073	12,763	9,005	6,115	.....	.....
Grain and Pulse—								
1.—Wheat	5,95,855	1,63,808	7,36,521	1,74,152	1,41,106	10,844	.....	.....
2.—Wheat flour	97,756	23,117	80,320	15,963	.....	.....	17,436	6,154
3.—Rice in the husk	50,914	5,743	2,79,813	36,219	2,28,899	30,476	.....	.....
4.—Rice not in the husk	6,30,258	94,930	11,19,250	1,44,878	4,88,992	49,948	.....	.....
5.—Jowar and bajra	73,279	8,765	81,302	14,089	8,023	5,324	.....	.....
6.—Gram and pulse	5,62,296	1,47,467	3,29,774	81,189	.....	.....	2,32,521	66,278
7.—Others	1,09,072	21,562	1,55,896	32,422	46,824	10,860	.....	.....
Hides and Skins—								
1.—Hides of cattle	1,03,326	64,929	1,67,014	93,091	63,688	28,162	.....	.....
2.—Skins of sheep, &c.	43,434	24,356	65,656	36,534	22,222	12,178	.....	.....
Horns	565	210	2,339	881	1,674	671	.....	.....
Hemp (Indian) and other fibres (excluding jute)	1,02,966	31,421	84,983	18,576	.....	.....	18,005	12,845
Jute—								
1.—Raw	70,821	11,276	2,56,118	56,248	1,85,297	44,972	.....	.....
2.—Gunny-bags and cloth	1,36,470	77,457	1,47,311	69,096	10,841	.....	.....	8,361
Lac	38,131	21,328	64,103	38,349	25,972	17,021	.....	.....
Leather—								
1.—Unwrought	2,711	4,011	3,126	3,934	415	.....	.....	77
2.—Wrought, excepting boots and shoes	1,429	1,569	2,523	2,424	1,094	855	.....	.....
Liquors—								
1.—Ale and Beer	14,794	4,583	15,333	5,810	629	1,227	.....	.....
2.—Spirits and wines of all kinds including country spirit	5,887	7,778	5,983	6,506	96	.....	.....	1,272
3.—All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer	874	199	1,514	440	640	241	.....	.....
Metals—								
1.—Brass, unwrought	4,364	3,047	4,152	1,497	.....	.....	212	1,550
2.— Do., wrought	13,649	6,2-0	29,063	10,679	16,414	4,259	.....	.....
3.—Copper, unwrought	505	375	372	259	.....	.....	133	116
4.— Do., wrought	2,091	1,753	1,490	936	.....	.....	601	817
5.—Iron and steel—								
(a) Cast	47,221	13,969	50,390	21,636	3,159	2,667	.....	.....
(b) Unwrought	1,27,715	6,689	1,35,940	8,375	8,225	1,716	.....	.....
(c) Wrought	1,36,274	67,852	1,40,454	71,730	3,180	24,178	.....	.....
(d) Manufactures of iron and steel	34,774	15,601	42,436	17,830	13,061	2,229	.....	.....
6.—Zinc and spelter	2,936	1,632	5,647	1,736	2,711	104	.....	.....
7.—Others	12,307	9,481	7,139	6,929	.....	.....	5,168	2,552
Oils—								
1.—Kerosine	2,46,068	83,014	2,08,365	53,552	.....	.....	37,803	29,462
2.—Castor	3,980	1,273	8,960	3,940	4,980	2,667	.....	.....
3.—Cocoanut	4,490	1,553	8,030	3,440	3,130	1,887	.....	.....
4.—Mustard and rape	12,996	4,381	26,348	16,538	13,353	12,157	.....	.....
5.—Others	4,192	3,391	4,963	3,643	771	252	.....	.....
Oilseeds—								
1.—Castor	58,934	18,659	50,300	16,430	.....	.....	8,634	2,229
2.—Earthnuts	694	116	750	199	56	83	.....	.....
3.—Linseed	1,27,453	31,102	89,872	24,868	.....	.....	37,581	6,234
4.—Poppy	8,277	2,109	10,340	2,835	1,463	726	.....	.....
5.—Rape and mustard	3,03,338	78,712	5,37,967	1,41,572	2,35,735	62,860	.....	.....
6.—Til or jinjili	25,073	6,031	23,751	5,395	.....	.....	1,322	1,296
7.—Others	75,391	15,005	96,370	19,165	20,889	4,163	.....	.....
Opium	4,059	4,505	23,249	23,380	18,990	17,875	.....	.....
Paper and pasteboard	17,306	12,496	23,118	12,163	5,802	.....	.....	333
Provisions—								
1.—Dried fruits and nuts	11,678	6,149	11,418	5,932	.....	.....	260	217
2.—Ghee	53,886	40,152	60,315	46,092	7,429	5,940	.....	.....
3.—Potatoes	1,07,926	26,705	1,68,195	30,141	.....	3,436	4,731	.....
4.—Others	49,402	20,447	75,093	29,072	25,691	8,625	.....	.....
Railway plant & rolling-stock carried for the public & foreign railways—								
1.—Locomotives, engines and tenders and parts thereof	334	305	.....	.....	.....	.....	334	305
2.—Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	26	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	26	18
3.—Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	91,731	30,209	80,200	16,000	.....	.....	11,531	14,209
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron	15,634	3,180	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,634	3,180
(c) Other sorts	4,81,567	52,645	1,00,700	20,021	.....	.....	3,60,807	32,624
[illegible]	3,30,580	67,928	6,19,035	1,31,969	2,88,446	54,441	.....	.....

Staples.	1905.		1906.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
1.—Saltpetre	37,625	16,134	72,924	33,214	35,299	17,076	.....	.....
2.—Other saline substances	48,516	13,578	62,667	17,239	14,151	3,661	.....	.....
Silk—								
1.—***Raw—***								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	3,915	2,000	1,281	539	.....	.....	2,634	1,461
2.—***Piece-goods—***								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	285	541	547	318	262	.....	.....	223
Spices—								
1.—Betelnuts	26,512	22,692	22,683	13,320	.....	.....	3,829	9,372
2.—Cardamoms	1,083	925	1,807	1,230	524	305	.....	.....
3.—Chillies	54,427	30,408	29,339	20,529	.....	.....	25,088	9,929
4.—Ginger	3,536	1,398	2,854	1,102	.....	.....	682	176
5.—Pepper	2,470	2,643	3,983	4,276	1,513	1,633	.....	.....
6.—Others	25,251	15,925	29,311	16,123	4,060	198	.....	.....
Stone and lime	6,65,371	92,472	15,41,099	1,55,065	8,75,728	62,593	.....	.....
Sugar—								
1.—Refined	57,752	30,405	85,161	39,082	27,409	8,677	.....	.....
2.—Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	1,76,184	45,675	3,05,493	1,12,237	1,29,309	66,562	.....	.....
(b) *Gur, rab*, jaggree, molasses and other saccharine produce ...	5,43,380	77,039	4,20,318	91,022	.....	13,983	1,14,062	.....
Tea—								
1.—Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Indian	2,957	2,486	4,620	4,093	1,663	1,607	.....	.....
Tobacco	51,056	24,143	75,969	27,813	24,013	3,670	.....	.....
Wood—								
1.—Timber, unwrought	1,60,561	22,630	2,42,729	38,278	82,168	15,648	.....	.....
2.—Manufactures	16,704	7,019	24,693	8,081	7,989	1,062	.....	.....
Wool—								
1.—Raw	3,074	2,899	3,489	2,205	415	.....	.....	694
2.—Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs	2,207	1,707	1,395	1,449	.....	.....	812	258
(b) Piece-goods, European	1,421	793	981	259	.....	.....	440	534
(c) Ditto, Indian	761	544	461	307	.....	.....	300	237
(d) Other sorts of manufactures ...	1,330	938	1,675	1,043	345	105	.....	.....
All other articles of merchandise—								
1.—Bones	84,808	26,322	1,78,130	51,335	93,312	25,013	.....	.....
2.—Firewood	1,03,521	6,239	1,67,067	7,099	63,546	860	.....	.....
3.—Indigo seed	7,224	1,347	3,916	734	.....	.....	3,308	613
4.—Paints and colours	1,471	1,616	2,386	1,925	915	309	.....	.....
5.—Seeds other than oilseeds	4,102	603	3,962	1,071	.....	469	140	.....
6.—Others	12,18,983	2,77,795	13,37,740	3,92,851	1,18,757	1,15,056	.....	.....
Total ...	2,25,18,959	41,43,323	2,92,81,098	55,93,978	67,62,139	14,46,655	.....	.....
Military stores	48,446	86,949	53,367	77,795	4,921	.....	.....	9,154
Coal for railway	12,13,125	92,353	13,88,007	1,05,594	1,74,882	13,241	.....	.....
Railway materials	26,30,415	93,856	32,35,468	1,23,872	5,90,053	30,016	.....	.....
Live-stock	.....	7,266	.....	26,963	.....	34,229	.....	.....
Total ...	2,64,16,945	44,08,215	3,39,57,940	59,23,202	75,40,995	15,14,987	.....	.....

T. JACKSON,

for *Chief Auditor.*

TRAFFIC AUDIT OFFICE, GOODS DIVISION, CALCUTTA, *the 24th October 1906.*

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

Abstract of Principal Commodities carried over the Eastern Bengal State Railway during the month of August 1906 as compared with the same month of the previous year.

No.	Staples.	1906.	1905.	Increase in 1906.	Decrease in 1906.	Explanations of fluctuations by Traffic Superintendent.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
1	Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	43	153	.....	110	
2	Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	36,627	41,630	.....	5,003	
3	Cotton—					
	(1) Raw	102	35	67	.....	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Twist and yarn, European	107	383	.....	276	
	(b) Ditto, Indian	354	343	11	.....	
	(c) Piece-goods, European	2,230	1,950	280	.....	
	(d) Ditto, Indian	201	131	70	.....	
	(e) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4	Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	80	129	.....	49	
5	Drugs—					
	(1) Intoxicating, other than opium	4	6	.....	2	
	(2) Non-intoxicating—					
	(a) Medicinal preparations	12	8	4	.....	
	(b) Others	78	17	61	.....	
6	Dyes and Tans—					
	(1) Al (Morinda citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Alizarine and Aniline dyes	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Cutch	25	37	.....	12	
	(4) Indigo	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(5) Myrabolams	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(6) Tanning barks	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(7) Turmeric	229	226	.....	6	
	(8) Others	7	33	.....	26	
7	Fodder—					
	(1) Oilcake	1,069	877	192	.....	
	(2) Hay, straw and grass	1,023	1,883	240	.....	
8	Fruits and vegetables, fresh	154	106	48	.....	
9	Grain and Pulse—					
	(1) Gram and pulse	3,366	5,405	.....	2,039	
	(2) Jawar and bajra	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Rice in the husk	12,691	3,238	9,453	.....	
	(4) Do. not in the husk	24,763	6,039	22,724	.....	
	(5) Wheat	310	669	.....	359	
	(6) Do. flour	921	785	136	.....	
	(7) Others	135	270	.....	135	
10	Hides and skins—					
	(1) Hides of cattle—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Raw	67	1,414	.....	1,347	
	(2) Skins of sheep and other animals—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Raw	142	171	.....	29	
11	Horns	26	17	9	.....	
12	Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	29	475	.....	446	
13	Jute—					
	(1) Raw	84,709	1,32,509	.....	47,800	
	(2) Gunny-bags and cloth	1,181	1,307	.....	126	
14	Lac	84	64	20	.....	
15	Leather—					
	(1) Unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Wrought, excepting boots and shoes ...	9	.....	9	.....	
16	Liquors—					
	(1) Ale and beer	40	18	22	.....	
	(2) Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit.					
	(3) Wines	54	61	.....	7	
	(4) All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquors, other than ale and beer.					
17	Metals—					
	(1) Brass, unwrought	56	21	35	.....	
	(2) Do., wrought	486	294	192	.....	
	(3) Copper, unwrought	110	.....	110	.....	
	(4) Do., wrought	16	63	.....	47	
	(5) Iron and steel—					
	(a) Cast	.....	24	.....	24	
	(b) Unwrought	268	5	263	.....	
	(c) Wrought	2,412	1,789	623	.....	
	(d) Manufactures	46	1,047	.....	1,001	
	(6) Others	300	296	4	.....	
18	Oils—					
	(1) Kerosine	11,738	14,468	.....	2,729	
	(2) Castor	8	8	.....	.....	
	(3) Cocoanut	124	127	.....	3	
	(4) Mustard and rape	685	492	193	.....	
	(5) Others	160	55	105	.....	
19	Oilseeds—					
	(1) Castor	96	.....	96	.....	
	(2) Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(3) Linseed	421	1,014	.....	593	
	(4) Poppy	66	.....	66	.....	
	(5) Rape and mustard	1,366	1,685	.....	319	
	(6) Til or jinjili	261	117	144	.....	
	(7) Others	180	69	111	.....	
20	Opium	.....	.....	.....	.....	
21	Paper and pasteboard	641	747	.....	106	
22	Provisions—					
	(1) Dried fruits and nuts	35	26	9	.....	
	(2) Ghee	53	33	20	.....	
	(3) Others	582	923	.....	341	

No.	Staples.	1906.	1905.	Increase in 1906.	Decrease in 1906.	Explanations of fluctuations by Traffic Superintendent.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
23	Railway Plant, &c., for the Public and Foreign Railways—					
	(1) Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	.....	73	.....	73	
	(3) Materials—					
	(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(c) Others	354	1,256	.....	902	
24	Salt	3,329	6,267	.....	2,938	
25	Saltpetre and other saline substances—					
	(1) Saltpetre	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Other saline substances	74	309	.....	235	
26	Silk—					
	(1) Raw—					
	(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Indian	28	7	21	.....	
	(2) Piece-goods—					
	(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	
27	Spices—					
	(1) Betelnuts	1,059	1,307	.....	248	
	(2) Cardamoms	.....	9	.....	9	
	(3) Chillies	175	231	.....	56	
	(4) Ginger	82	100	.....	18	
	(5) Pepper	25	16	9	.....	
	(6) Others	130	187	.....	57	
28	Stone and lime	1,518	1,423	95	.....	
29	Sugar—					
	(1) Refined or crystallized, including sugar-candy.	1,425	995	430	.....	
	(2) Unrefined—					
	(a) Sugar	995	995	.....	.....	
	(b) Gur, *rab*, jaggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce.	2,081	2,251	.....	170	
30	Tea—					
	(1) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Indian	2,595	4,438	.....	1,843	
31	Tobacco—					
	(1) Unmanufactured	2,546	3,041	.....	495	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Cigars	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Other sorts	238	52	186	.....	
32	Wood—					
	(1) Timber, unwrought	2,149	1,321	828	.....	
	(2) Manufactures	241	114	127	.....	
33	Wool—					
	(1) Raw	2	8	.....	6	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Carpets and rugs	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(b) Piece-goods, European	.....	4	.....	4	
	(c) Ditto, Indian					
	(d) Other sorts of manufactures ...					
34	All other articles of merchandise	8,335	8,217	118	.....	
	Total ...	232,954	255,811	37,132	59,989	

(Illegible),

Calcutta, *the 24th October 1906.* for *Offg. Examiner of Accounts, E. B. S. Ry*

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th October 1906 on 2,094·73 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
affic for the week ...	429,656	4,10,854 0 0	66,14,432 0	11,24,445 0 0	28,357 0 0	15,63,556 0 0	129,619	186,128	315,547
mile of railway ...	.....	196 2 2	.....	536 12 9	13 7 10	746 6 9	.....	.....	.....
ious 14 weeks of half-year	6,321,771*	58,54,542 0 0*	6,27,78,389 8†	1,33,46,805 0 0†	3,93,421 0 0‡	1,95,94,858 0 0	1,825,998§	2,354,551§	4,180,549
Total for 15 weeks ...	6,744,4.7	62,65,396 0 0	6,93,93,321 8	1,44,71,340 0 0	4,21,678 0 0	2,11,58,414 0 0	1,955,617	2,540,679	4,496,096
COMPARISON.									
ne corresponding week of us year.	403,914	4,33,585 3 1	50,43,453 0	8,29,841 10 6	29,347 10 5	13,92,774 8 0	122,534	152,940	275,483
s of railway corresponding f previous year.		217 6 4		404 9 5	14 4 11	630 4 8			
e corresponding 15½ weeks vious year.	6,486,988	63,20,617 8 2	6,60,83,481 0	1,32,34,098 3 1	4,42,485 6 2	1,99,97,201 1 5	1,888,059	2,429,969	4,318,028

Increase is chiefly in coal and food-grains.
Deducted No. of passengers 1,658 and Rs. 5,298 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 18th August
Ditto Mds. 4,87,244 and ,, 2,102 } 1906.
Ditto ,, 180 }
Audited figures up to 18th August 1906.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.

Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
	No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
Week ended 7th July ...	567,167	4,48,481	60,19,072	9,69,219	25,096	14,42,796	694	304,958	4 11 8
,, ,, 14th ,, ...	460,804	4,04,840	63,54,825	9,32,534	29,603	13,67,000	658	301,065	4 8 8
,, ,, 21st ,, ...	457,480	4,35,441	57,13,738	9,49,878	27,975	14,13,295	680	298,384	4 11 9
,, ,, 28th ,, ...	435,063	4,03,955	45,30,696	8,03,563	28,678	12,39,202	596	274,042	4 8 4
,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	467,011	4,43,618	59,95,857	9,08,114	28,810	13,81,542	665	303,109	4 8 11
,, ,, 11th ,, ...	442,083	3,93,393	55,22,554	8,85,133	27,976	13,09,402	630	287,511	4 8 10
,, ,, 18th ,, ...	410,076	3,75,272	54,48,275	9,14,251	28,706	13,18,229	631	285,188	4 9 11
,, ,, 25th ,, ...	403,404	3,63,781	57,46,962	9,18,781	28,301	13,10,953	626	284,702	4 9 8
,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	446,749	4,13,519	64,43,747	10,96,921	27,631	15,38,061	734	312,596	4 14 9
,, ,, 8th ,, ...	466,850	4,21,492	64,89,809	11,22,195	27,720	15,71,407	750	317,281	4 15 3
,, ,, 15th ,, ...	427,516	4,25,696	65,15,856	10,47,913	28,548	15,02,157	717	314,360	4 12 5
,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	409,387	4,88,535	63,51,477	10,26,493	28,099	15,43,127	737	305,924	5 0 8
,, ,, 29th ,, ...	446,646	4,32,556	59,74,025	8,56,813	28,099	13,17,468	629	299,400	4 6 5
,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	416,385	4,04,053	55,71,945	9,08,061	28,093	13,40,213	640	293,121	4 9 5
,, ,, 13th ,, ...	427,556	4,10,854	66,14,432	11,24,445	28,257	15,63,556	746	315,547	4 15 3
Totals up to date ...	6,744,427	62,65,396	6,93,93,321	1,44,71,340	4,21,678	2,11,58,414	678	4,496,096	4 11 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1905.*

	No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
First 6 days of July	560,904	5,07,593	73,45,162	10,75,471	31,669	16,14,733	791	343,084	4 11 7
Week ended 15th ,,	530,093	4,89,596	55,14,313	8,18,437	29,903	13,09,936	641	321,755	4 7 9
,, ,, 22nd ,,	453,067	4,41,842	54,55,115	8,81,667	28,775	13,32,304	668	295,128	4 11 7
,, ,, 29th ,,	483,430	4,40,780	60,39,066	8,88,062	27,926	13,56,768	665	290,095	4 13 6
,, ,, 5th Aug.	425,683	4,14,472	60,12,732	8,20,683	28,394	12,63,549	619	276,231	4 9 1
,, ,, 12th ,,	412,045	3,84,088	54,21,290	8,43,045	25,503	12,53,596	614	274,961	4 9 6
,, ,, 19th ,,	422,019	3,76,084	49,20,968	7,43,810	26,601	11,46,495	561	269,727	4 4 0
,, ,, 26th ,,	375,357	3,72,641	64,79,724	8,63,016	26,508	12,62,165	616	271,995	4 10 5
,, ,, 2nd Sept.	382,791	3,59,779	68,75,259	9,90,026	32,849	13,91,654	679	289,906	4 12 10
,, ,, 9th ,,	395,255	3,91,755	62,93,480	9,14,014	30,213	13,35,982	651	295,120	4 8 5
,, ,, 16th ,,	443,150	4,35,554	57,01,210	8,02,604	30,737	12,58,895	663	301,798	4 8 1
,, ,, 23rd ,,	403,136	4,03,656	51,68,016	8,77,050	31,121	13,17,827	643	199,798	4 8 0
,, ,, 30th ,,	409,409	4,40,809	54,23,307	9,37,713	29,038	13,98,160	662	263,380	4 14 11
,, ,, 7th Oct.	439,239	4,51,763	53,23,286	8,59,659	32,551	13,43,973	655	297,199	4 10 10
,, ,, 14th ,,	403,914	4,33,585	50,43,453	8,29,841	29,348	13,92,774	630	275,483	4 11 1
Totals up to date	6,486,968	63,20,617	8,60,83,481	1,32,34,098	42,486	1,99,97,201	645	4,318,028	4 10 1

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th October 1906 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	22,763	5,261 0 0	30,691 0	1,312 0 0	9 0 0	6,582 0 0	963	325	1,188
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	236 10 7	.....	59 0 4	0 6 6	296 1 5	.....	.....	.....
For previous 14 weeks of half-year	307,044*	73,619 0 0*	1,71,047 0†	6,750 0 0†	135 0 0	79,504 0 0	13,528‡	3,148‡	16,676
Total for 15 weeks ...	329,747	77,880 0 0	2,01,738 0	8,062 0 0	144 0 0	86,086 0 0	14,491	3,373	17,864
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	25,070	5,255 10 9	19,491 20	857 5 0	5 15 6	6,118 15 3	1,049	247	1,296
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	236 6 9	.....	38 9 1	0 4 3	275 4 1	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 15½ weeks of previous year.	313,337	71,905 5 9	1,92,763 0	6,650 0 0	131 14 9	78,677 10 6	14,613	3,390	18,004

* Deducted No. of passengers 1,224 and Rs. 385 } On account of difference between approximate and audited figures for the week ended 18th August
† Do. Mds. 476 " " 10 } 1906.
‡ Audited figures up to 18th August 1906.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	Week ended 7th July ...	21,964	10,694	14,889	553	15	11,264	507	1,252	8 15 11
*22·23	" " 14th " ...	24,540	5,787	10,816	416	13	6,166	277	1,190	5 2 11
*22·23	" " 21st " ...	21,707	5,008	11,170	374	6	5,388	242	1,256	4 4 8
*22·23	" " 28th " ...	17,649	4,140	5,948	242	9	4,391	198	1,126	3 14 5
*22·23	" " 4th Aug. ...	21,759	5,686	10,176	330	13	5,999	270	1,208	4 15 5
*22·23	" " 11th " ...	20,034	4,601	7,954	330	12	4,943	222	1,100	4 7 11
*22·23	" " 18th " ...	17,511	3,036	5,030	224	7	3,264	176	1,232	2 9 5
22·23	" " 25th " ...	17,946	3,985	10,805	435	8	4,428	199	1,188	3 11 8
22·23	" " 1st Sept. ...	17,763	3,963	8,933	347	8	4,318	194	1,188	3 10 2
22·23	" " 8th " ...	19,780	4,735	10,433	459	9	5,203	234	1,188	4 6 1
22·23	" " 15th " ...	20,744	4,906	13,142	512	8	5,426	251	1,188	4 5 9
22·23	" " 22nd " ...	23,225	5,251	20,243	786	9	6,046	273	1,188	5 1 5
22·23	" " 29th " ...	21,004	4,684	18,033	755	9	5,448	254	1,188	4 12 1
22·23	" " 6th Oct. ...	23,020	5,731	25,345	987	9	6,717	302	1,188	5 10 5
22·23	" " 13th " ...	22,703	5,261	30,691	1,312	9	6,582	296	1,188	5 5 5
	Totals up to date ...	329,747	77,880	2,01,738	8,062	144	86,086	253	17,864	4 13 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 8 days of July ...	25,207	5,782	11,209	394	19	6,195	279	1,296	4 12 4
22·23	Week ended 15th " ...	39,950	7,942	9,826	283	9	8,134	366	1,452	5 7 11
22·23	" " 22nd " ...	30,398	6,519	5,291	212	4	6,735	303	1,010	6 10 8
22·23	" " 29th " ...	15,036	3,679	4,223	171	14	3,864	174	1,284	2 12 6
22·23	" " 5th Aug. ...	15,506	3,494	13,446	276	9	3,779	170	1,196	3 2 7
22·23	" " 12th " ...	21,080	5,499	4,943	227	6	5,732	258	1,032	5 8 10
22·23	" " 19th " ...	19,279	4,339	42,155	627	6	4,872	219	834	5 13 6
22·23	" " 26th " ...	16,249	3,484	7,736	411	8	3,903	176	1,780	2 3 1
22·23	" " 2nd Sept. ...	16,399	3,746	7,701	311	4	4,060	183	1,186	3 6 9
22·23	" " 9th " ...	19,339	4,394	10,749	462	8	4,864	219	1,186	4 1 7
22·23	" " 16th " ...	20,367	4,948	10,087	437	9	4,994	211	1,186	3 15 4
22·23	" " 23rd " ...	1*,033	3,906	17,987	694	6	4,606	207	1,186	3 15 2
22·23	" " 30th " ...	18,097	3,943	13,811	633	6	4,581	206	1,142	4 0 2
22·23	" " 7th Oct. ...	24,937	5,877	14,796	655	8	6,540	294	1,086	6 3 1
22·23	" " 14th " ...	22,070	5,256	19,491	857	6	6,119	275	1,296	4 11 7
	Totals up to date ...	313,337	71,906	1,92,763	6,650	133	78,678	234	18,004	4 5 11

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 13th October 1906 on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
al traffic for the week	25,204	23,119 0 0	1,37,640 0	15,155 0 0	40 0 0	37,323 0 0	9,268	3,453	12,721
per mile of railway	.....	126 3 9	.....	93 5 6	0 4 10	229 14 1	.....	.....	.....
previous 14 weeks of half-year	377,030*	2,75,376 0 0*	18,36,324 0†	1,92,328 0 0†	750 0 0‡	4,68,354 0 0	127,613§	54,536§	182,149
Total for 15 weeks ...	402,234	2,97,395 0 0	19,73,964 0	2,07,483 0 0	799 0 0	5,05,677 0 0	136,881	57,989	194,870
COMPARISON.									
al for corresponding week of revious year.	25,286	21,567 7 9	1,49,633 20	20,291 11 0	54 10 9	41,913 13 6	7,666	3,252	10,918
mile of railway corresponding eek of previous year.	.....	132 13 5	.....	125 15 8	0 5 5	258 2 6	.....	.....	.....
al for corresponding 15½ weeks f previous year.	414,807	3,19,462 13 10	26,31,968 0	2,47,064 3 0	856 6 6	5,67,383 7 4	117,326	57,594	174,920

* Deducted No. of passengers 1,054 and Rs. 3,517
† Added Mds. 16,767 and ,, 1,943
‡ Do. ,, 19
§ Audited figures up to 13th August 1906.

} On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 13th August 1906.

06. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic. No. of passengers.	Coaching Traffic. Rs.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Mds.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Rs.	Other earnings. Rs.	Total. Rs.	Per mile of Railway. Rs.	Train mileage. No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*162·36	Week ended 7th July ...	31,157	*21,273	1,34,000	13,005	58	34,336	211	13,124	2 9 10
†162·36	14th ,, ...	26,355	20,955	98,220	15,313	54	36,322	223	14,036	2 9 3
*162·36	21st ,, ...	27,950	20,413	1,49,443	16,783	71	37,266	230	13,717	2 11 6
*162·36	28th ,, ...	26,476	18,131	1,71,547	16,351	57	34,539	213	13,986	2 10 7
*162·36	4th Aug. ...	28,312	19,151	1,08,463	14,802	39	31,992	197	12,667	2 8 5
*162·36	11th ,, ...	27,724	17,835	81,520	9,347	58	27,240	168	11,953	2 4 6
*162·36	18th ,, ...	26,597	17,244	1,84,767	15,071	59	32,374	199	13,371	2 6 9
162·36	25th ,, ...	29,808	23,038	1,56,155	13,420	42	35,496	219	13,068	2 11 6
162·36	1st Sept. ...	28,258	21,849	1,33,785	13,395	51	35,295	217	12,821	2 12 1
162·36	8th ,, ...	24,690	20,208	1,34,383	13,168	54	33,450	206	12,863	2 9 7
162·36	15th ,, ...	20,167	17,884	1,21,571	11,738	51	29,663	183	12,855	2 4 11
162·36	22nd ,, ...	23,034	16,862	1,23,821	11,701	52	28,615	177	12,926	2 3 6
162·36	29th ,, ...	22,263	20,344	1,04,497	13,848	52	34,244	211	12,715	2 11 1
162·36	6th Oct. ...	25,689	21,099	1,34,302	16,411	52	37,562	231	13,038	2 14 11
162·36	13th ,, ...	25,204	22,119	1,37,640	15,155	49	37,323	230	12,721	2 14 11
	Totals up to date ...	402,234	2,97,395	19,73,964	2,07,483	799	5,05,677	208	1,94,870	2 9 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. 1906

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 8 days of July	23,258	24,092	2,54,455	20,023	63	44,178	272	16,234	2 2 7
162·36	Week ended 15th ,, ...	29,337	23,387	1,47,254	13,305	53	36,745	230	12,280	2 3 3
162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	27,096	19,733	1,50,554	17,037	62	36,832	227	10,970	2 5 9
162·36	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	27,252	19,942	2,63,735	24,856	48	44,846	276	11,078	4 0 8
162·36	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	25,176	18,903	1,68,867	16,180	38	35,130	216	10,938	3 3 5
162·36	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	26,426	19,446	1,16,599	10,573	45	30,065	185	11,026	2 11 7
162·36	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	25,705	18,499	88,527	9,908	39	28,446	175	11,253	2 8 0
162·36	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	24,052	16,352	2,40,494	16,427	46	34,825	214	10,637	3 4 5
162·36	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	28,369	20,111	1,85,001	16,480	76	55,647	343	14,280	3 14 4
162·36	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	25,907	19,386	1,68,211	19,002	66	38,456	237	11,685	3 4 8
162·36	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	21,640	16,960	2,11,973	16,996	113	36,058	222	11,100	3 4 9
162·36	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	19,788	17,243	2,28,260	15,611	44	32,898	203	11,426	2 14 1
162·36	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	22,930	20,233	1,49,550	14,940	47	35,220	217	11,657	3 0 4
162·36	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	23,626	21,618	1,23,536	15,744	60	37,422	230	11,653	3 3 5
162·36	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	25,286	21,568	1,49,633	20,291	55	41,914	258	10,918	3 13 5
	Totals up to date ...	414,807	3,19,486	26,31,968	2,47,064	857	5,67,384	231	174,920	3 3 11

* Audited figures.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 13th October 1906 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	56,854	36,024 0 0	5,26,507 0	74,132 0 0	6,036 0 0	1,16,191 0 0	12,161	17,204	29,365
Or per mile of railway	73·77	46·91	683·89	96·15	7·83	150·89	15·83	22·31	38·14
For previous 14 weeks of half-year	610,923	3,66,451 0 0	51,20,777 0	7,20,344 0 0	99,175 0 0	11,85,950 0 0	159,994	243,407	403,401
Total for 15 weeks* ...	667,577	4,02,475 0 0	56,47,284 0	7,94,476 0 0	1,05,210 0 0	13,02,141 0 0	172,155	260,611	432,766
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	39,435	26,437 0 0	3,83,298 0	51,586 0 0	6,986 0 0	85,009 0 0	11,046	18,203	29,261
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ..	53·51	35·87	517·97	69·71	9·44	115·02	14·99	24·60	39·59
Total to corresponding date of previous year	560,384	3,48,135 0 0	37,07,848 0	6,23,021 0 0	80,963 0 0	10,52,119 0 0	155,358	272,419	427,777

* Includes Noakhali Railway earnings Rs. 24,827 and train-mileage 12,810.

The increase of Rs. 31,183 as compared with the corresponding period of 1905 is principally due to heavy bookings of Rangoon rice from Chittagong due to failure of rice crops in Eastern Bengal and Assam.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 13th October 1906.			Receipts for week ending 14th October 1905.			Total receipts from 1st April 1906 to 13th October 1906.			Total receipts from 1st April 1905 to 14th October 1905.			Total increase in 1906.	Total decrease in 1906.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
771	1,16,191	150·89	740	85,009	115·02	771	23,33,973	...	740	17,53,099	...	4,80,874	.....

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 13th October 1906 on 1,548 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,548 miles open ...	252,030	(a) 94,900	9,63,670	(b) 1,45,230	(c) 21,166	2,61,299	48,066	(d) 43,588	91,654
Or per mile of railway	162·81	61·30	622·66	93·82	13·67	168 79	.....	.....	.....
For previous 14 weeks of half-year (e)	3,797,957	14,03,251	99,96,810	11,04,787	2,37,471	27,44,509	679,781	472,882	11,52,663
Total for 15 weeks ...	4,049,987	14,97,151	1,09,60,680	12,50,017	2,58,631	30,05,799	727,847	516,470	12,44,317
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,467 miles open	213,202	89,023	6,26,247	75,499	12,019	1,76,541	44,278	(f) 31,900	76,178
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	145·33	60·68	426·89	51·47	8·19	120·34	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	3,753,462	14,29,021	1,06,33,640	11,33,152	2,34,328	28,46,501	704,540	493,526	11,98,066
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total, train-mile respectively during the week	.....	1·97	.....	3·33	·23	2·65	.....	.....	.....
Ditto for the corresponding week of previous year	.....	2 01	.....	2·37	·15	2·33	.....	.....	.....

(a) Increase mainly under local and foreign outward.
(b) General increase chiefly under foreign inward with long lead.
(c) Increase principally under steam-boat.
(d) Includes 7,996 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Ditto audited figures up to week ending 1st September 1906.
(f) Ditto 7,226 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th October 1906 on 1,971 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including steam-boat).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	335,930	1,49,770 0 0	21,95,680 0	4,63,580 0 0	22,060 0 0	6,35,410 0 0	60,007	65,237	125,244
Or per mile of railway	284	118 0 0	1,727 0	365 0 0	1 0 0*	484 0 0*	.....	.....	.....
For previous 15 weeks of half-year†	5,400,431	22,22,837 0 0	2,67,61,778 0	47,80,650 0 0	3,86,184 0 0	73,89,731 0 0	902,448	826,589	1,729,037
Total for 16 weeks ...	5,736,361	23,72,607 0 0	3,09,57,458 0	52,44,230 0 0	4,08,244 0 0	80,25,141 0 0	962,455	891,826	1,854,281
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	335,896	1,55,580 0 0	17,29,692 0	3,80,502 0 0	18,364 0 0	5,54,446 0 0	56,739	60,233	116,972
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,930 miles)	265	127 0 0	1,406 0	309 0 0	1 0 0	437 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	5,334,150	22,14,495 0 0	2,48,45,520 0	45,93,115 0 0	4,23,481 0 0	72,31,091 0 0	896,392	765,349	1,661,741

* Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 29,660.
† Audited up to week ending 1st September 1906.
Increase is chiefly in jute traffic.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th October 1906 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	30,060	12,340 0 0	66,020 0	4,770 0 0	170 0 0	17,280 0 0	3,656	2,224	5,880
Or per mile of railway	454	144 0 0	768 0	55 0 0	2 0 0	201 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 15 weeks of half-year*	5,00,142	1,47,401 0 0	5,49,251 0	79,923 0 0	3,675 0 0	2,30,999 0 0	66,809	25,760	92,569
Total for 16 weeks ...	5,30,202	1,59,741 0 0	9,15,271 0	84,693 0 0	3,845 0 0	2,48,279 0 0	70,465	27,984	98,449
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	30,442	9,404 0 0	77,368 0	6,011 0 0	111 0 0	15,526 0 0	3,368	1,738	5,106
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	354	109 0 0	900 0	70 0 0	1 0 0	180 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	4,93,189	1,45,116 0 0	9,32,509 0	71,158 0 0	2,468 0 0	2,18,733 0 0	51,267	28,599	79,866

* Audited up to week ending 1st September 1906.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th October 1906 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	3,820	1,310 0 0	27,610 0	2,460 0 0	10 0 0	3,780 0 0	522	1,270†	1,792
Or per mile of railway	114	39 0 0	823 0	73 0 0	.....	112 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 15 weeks of half-year*	37,812	13,862 0 0	4,05,547 0	20,610 0 0	276 0 0	34,748 0 0	6,328	17,823	23,651
Total for 16 weeks ...	41,632	15,172 0 0	4,33,157 0	23,070 0 0	286 0 0	38,528 0 0	6,850	18,093	25,443
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	3,325	1,351 0 0	17,154 0	1,488 0 0	15 0 0	2,754 0 0	504	380	884
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	99	37 0 0	511 0	44 0 0	1 0 0	82 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	48,496	17,095 0 0	1,92,060 0	16,608 0 0	234 0 0	33,927 0 0	7,928	6,746	14,676

* Audited up to week ending 1st September 1906.
† Includes ballast train miles 600.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th October 1906 on 30·69 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	13,200	3,710 0 0	69,640 0	7,730 0 0	60 0 0	11,490 0 0	1,400	1,100	2,500
Or per mile of railway ...	260	73 0 0	1,374 0	153 0 0	1 0 0	227 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 15 weeks of half-year*	137,906	40,485 0 0	5,69,953 0	33,274 0 0	590 0 0	74,349 0 0	18,779	10,669	29,448
Total for 16 weeks ...	151,196	44,195 0 0	6,39,593 0	41,004 0 0	640 0 0	85,839 0 0	20,179	11,769	31,948
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	8,454	2,313 0 0	44,139 0	2,428 0 0	46 0 0	4,787 0 0	1,118	646	1,764
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	165	45 0 0	859 0	47 0 0	1 0 0	93 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	130,303	39,099 0 0	6,41,499 0	31,585 0 0	597 0 0	71,191 0 0	18,401	8,379	26,780

* Audited up to week ending 1st September 1906.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 20th October 1906	Coaching ...	7,695 0 0	
	Goods ...	9,800 0 0	17,573 0 0
	Other earnings ...	78 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1905	Coaching ...	8,840 0 0	
	Goods ...	9,855 0 0	18,779 0 0
	Other earnings ...	84 0 0	
	Decrease ...		1,206 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 20th October 1906			344 9 1
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905			368 3 5
	Decrease ...		23 10 4
Receipts from 1st July to 20th October 1906			2,71,368 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905			2,80,042 0 0
	Decrease ...		8,674 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

TOUR PROGRAMME OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF BENGAL DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1906.

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Stations.	Standard time.	Remarks.
1906.				
12th November	Monday ...	Leave Howrah ...	22-36	By special train.
13th ,,	Tuesday ...	Arrive Bankipore ...	7-38	

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Stations.	Standard time.	REMARKS.
1906.				
14th to 21st November.	Wednesday to Wednesday.	Halt at Bankipore ...	.....	Will visit some of the districts from here.
22nd November	Thursday ...	Leave Bankipore ...	7-30	By special train.
		Leave Digha Ghat ...	8	B. and N.-W. Railway.
		Arrive Furhada Ghat	8-30	
		Leave ditto ...	9	
		Arrive Katihar ...	20-0	E. B. S. Railway.
		Leave do. ...	21-30	
23rd „	Friday ...	Arrive Parbatipur ...	3	
		Leave ditto ...	3-30	
		Arrive Gitaldaha ...	6-30	
		Leave ditto ...	7	Change to C. B. State Railway.
		Arrive Cooch Behar	9	
24th to 28th November.	Saturday to Wednesday.	Halt at Cooch Behar	.....	
29th November	Thursday ...	Leave ditto ...	18	C. B. State Railway.

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Honour will be—

Lady Fraser.

Captain J. S. Maidlow, R.F.A., Private Secretary.

Mrs. Maidlow.

Captain J. F. Todd, Aide-de-Camp.

(2) The Commissioner and Collectors within their respective charges.

(3) Letters and telegrams should be addressed to the "Lieutenant-Governor's Camp, Bengal," without the addition of the name of any post-town.

(4) His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor's arrivals and departures will be private at all stations. The usual salutes will be fired at Calcutta.

By order,

J. S. MAIDLOW, CAPT.,

Private Secretary to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 6th November 1906.

No. 3481A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3418A.—The 5th November 1906.*—Mr. H. McPherson, Magistrate and Collector, on special duty, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of Monghyr.
Calcutta.
Monghyr.

Mr. H. McPherson is appointed to act, until further orders, in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors, with effect from the date on which he joined his special duty.

No. 3421A.—The 5th November 1906.—Mr. H. P. Duval, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Monghyr, is appointed to act temporarily as District and Sessions Judge of Patna.
Monghyr.
Patna.

No. 3425A.—The 5th November 1906.—Mr. A. L. Inglis, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Ranchi, is appointed to have charge of the Khunt subdivision of that district.
Ranchi.

No. 3451A.—The 6th November 1906.—The Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal has been pleased to appoint Major George Grant Gordon, Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles, to be an Honorary Aide-de-Camp on his personal staff.
Calcutta.

No. 3755A.D.—The 30th October 1906.—Babu Mathura Nath Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Darbhanga district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Partition Deputy Collector of the Muzaffarpur district.
Muzaffarpur.
Darbhanga.

No. 3781A.D.—The 1st November 1906.—Mr. W. H. Buchan, Officiating Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gobindpur, Manbhum, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district.
Manbhum.
24-Parganas.

No. 3783A.D.—The 1st November 1906.—Mr. E. L. Tanner, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Midnapore, is appointed temporarily to have charge of, the Gobindpur subdivision of the Manbhum district.
Midnapore.
Manbhum.

No. 3788A.D.—The 2nd November 1906.—Mr. Atul Krishna Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted temporarily to the Giridih subdivision of the Hazaribagh district.
Hazaribagh.

This cancels the order of the 25th October 1906, posting Mr. Atul Krishna Ray to the head-quaters station of the Puri district.
Puri.

POLICE.—*No. 3747A.D.—The 30th October 1906.*—Mr. J. V. B R. Bromage, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas, is transferred to Manbhum, and is appointed to be Principal of the School for the training of Constables at Purulia, *vice* Mr. L. H. Burton.

24-Parganas.
Manbhum.

No. 3749A.D.—The 30th October 1906.—Mr. L. H. Burton, Assistant Superintendent of Police, in charge of the School for the training of Constables, Purulia, is transferred to Hooghly, and is appointed to hold charge of the Police of that district, *vice* Mr. H. A. S. Burt.

Manbhum.
Hooghly.

No. 3751A.D.—The 30th October 1906.—Mr. H. A. S. Burt, Superintendent of Police, Hooghly, is transferred temporarily to Hazaribagh.

Hooghly.
Hazaribagh.

No. 3453A.—The 6th November 1906.—Mr. R. F. G. Godfrey-Faussett, Superintendent of Police, on leave, is posted to the Hazaribagh district.

Hazaribagh.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 3477A.—The 6th November 1906.*—The Revd. H. T. Ottley, Domestic Chaplain to the Lord Bishop of Calcutta, is appointed to be Chaplain of Darjeeling (Civil), with effect from the date on which he may take over charge.

Calcutta.
Darjeeling.

No. 3479A.—The 6th November 1906.—The Revd. R. W. H. Stuart, a Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, on leave, is appointed to be Chaplain of the Garrison of Fort William and the Military Hospital, with effect from the date on which he may take over charge.

Calcutta.

RESIGNATION.

ZOOLOGICAL.—*No. 3463A.—The 6th November 1906.*—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Rai Krishna Chandra Banarji Bahadur of his appointment as a Member of the Committee of Management of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta.

Calcutta.

POWERS.

No. 3444A.—The 6th November 1906.—Babu Surendra Nath Ghose, Deputy Collector, Darbhanga, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Darbhanga.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette* of 3rd November 1906 :—

No. 11219C.—The 1st November 1906.—The services of Babu Atul Chandra Banarji Munsif of Manikganj, in the district of Dacca, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 11249C.—The 1st November 1906.—Babu Pramatha Nath Chattarji, Subordinate Judge, Chittagong, is allowed leave for fifteen days, viz., two days under Article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period under Article 271 of the Regulations, with effect from the 13th June 1906, or any subsequent date on which he availed himself of it, in supersession of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 6447C., dated the 30th June 1906.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS

No. 3709For.—The 2nd November 1906.—His Majesty's Secretary of State for India has been pleased to extend, by three months, the special leave, granted by this Government to Mr. J. L. Baker, Deputy Conservator of Forests, Bengal, in Notification No. 890For., dated the 13th February 1906, and to commute the entire special leave for six months into a furlough on medical certificate.

No. 3702L.R.—The 29th October 1906.—Under section 4 of Act V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Shoshi Bhushan Biswas to be an Assistant Superintendent of Survey for the purpose of carrying out the survey of the West Tista Government Estate in the district of Darjeeling, ordered by Notification No. 3192T.R., of this day's date.

Darjeeling.

No. 3703L.R.—The 29th October 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of Act VIII (B.C.) of 1879 the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Shoshi Bhushan Biswas to be Settlement Officer of the West Tista Government Estate, in the district of Darjeeling, with effect from 4th October 1906.

Darjeeling.

No. 3192T.R.—The 29th October 1906.—Under section 3 of Act V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of the lands comprised within the boundaries of the West Tista Government Estate in the district of Darjeeling, and that the boundaries of all blocks, tenures and fields be demarcated on the lands so to be surveyed.

Darjeeling.

No. 3708L.R.—The 2nd November 1906.—Under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to authorise the officers named below to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer, under the provisions of that Act, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers, for the purposes of a survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter VI, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

(1) Mr. C. W. Hodson, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector.
(2) Babu Ramapada Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Collector.
(3) Babu Pasupati Ghosh.

No. 3208T.R.—The 30th October 1906.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of all the lands lying within the resumed estate Saharbari, tauzi No. 1483, in the district of Murshidabad, and that the boundaries of estates, tenures, mauzas, and fields be demarcated on the said lands so to be surveyed.

Murshidabad.

No. 3209T.R.—The 30th October 1906.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, Maulvi Abdus Samad, Deputy Collector, is appointed to be an Assistant Superintendent of Survey for the purpose of carrying out the survey and demarcation of boundaries in respect of the resumed estate Saharbari, tauzi No. 1483, in the district of Murshidabad, ordered in notification No. 3208T.R., dated the 30th October 1906.

Murshidabad.

No. 3222T.R.—The 31st October 1906.—Under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to authorise the following officers to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer in the district of Midnapore under the provisions of that Act, so far as they relate to Revenue officers, in respect of that portion of the Dhalbhum estate bearing tauzi No. 1 on the revenue roll of the district of Singhbhum which lies in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

2. They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter VI of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act:—

1. Mr. J. Reid, I.C.S. | 2. Mr. J. H Murphy.
3. Babu Basanta Kumar Ray.

No. 3224T.R.—The 31st October 1906.—The following officers are authorised under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of that Act, as extended to the Chota Nagpur Division, excepting the district of Manbhum, by Government Notification No. 721L.R., dated the 9th February 1903, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers, for the purpose of carrying out the survey and record of rights in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum.

Ranchi, Singhbhum.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter II of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, for the Chota Nagpur Division (except the district of Manbhum),

published under Government Notification No. 3395L.R., dated the 24th November 1903:—

1. Mr. J. D. Sifton, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector.
2. „ B. A. Collins, I.C.S, Assistant Magistrate and Deputy Collector.
3. Babu Ramu Lal Barma, Sub-Deputy Collector.
4. Maulvi Muhammad Abdus Salam, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
5. Maulvi Abdul Bari, Sub-Deputy Collector.
6. Babu Basanta Kumar Ray, Sub-Deputp Collector.
7. „ Bhuban Mohan Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Collector.
8. „ Sri Mohan Das Gupta, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
9. Maulvi Muhammad Fazl-ur Rahman, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
10. Babu Hari Das Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector.
11. „ Sati Prosad Ganguli, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
12. „ Braja Nath Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector.
13. Mr. Sorab S. Day, Deputy Collector.
14. „ J. H. Murphy, Extra Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

No. 3235T.R.—The 31st October 1906.—With reference to the provisions of section 3 (1) (*a*) of the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, IV (B.C.) of 1897, as amended by Act V (B.C.) of 1903, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following officers to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum for the purpose of commuting predial conditions and services under section 9A of that Act:—

Ranchi. Singhbhum.

1. Mr. J. D. Sifton, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector.
2. „ B. A. Collins, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate and Deputy Collector.
3. Babu Ramu Lal Barma, Sub-Deputy Collector.
4. Maulvi Muhammad Abdus Salam, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
5. Maulvi Abdul Bari, Sub-Deputy Collector.
6. Babu Basanta Kumar Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector.
7. „ Bhuban Mohan Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Collector.
8. „ Sri Mohan Das Gupta, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
9. Maulvi Muhammad Fazl-ur Rahman, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
10. Babu Hari Das Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector.
11. „ Sati Prosad Ganguli, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
12. „ Braja Nath Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector.
13. Mr. Sorab S Day, Deputy Collector.
14. „ J. H. Murphy, Extra Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

No. 2768L.R.—The 5th November 1906.—Babu Harabansha Sahay, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the district of Muzaffarpur for employment on partition work.

Muzaffarpur.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2704L.A.—The 1st November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for replacing the service lands of Tara Chand Sing Paik acquired by the Public Works Department for a retired line of embankment, in the village of Tiluapatna, pargana Kutubpur, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 9 cottahs 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Midnapore.

North—By the lands of Haradhan Kar,
South—By the lands of Troylokya Kar,
East—By the lands of Troylokya Kar and Nilmoni Khara,
West—By the lands of Sachi Mahanta,

is required within the aforesaid village of Tilapatna.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Midnapore.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2705L A.—The 1st November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for replacing the service lands of Nilmoni Patar Paik acquired by the Public Works Department for a retired line of embankment, in the village of Kamalpur, pargana Kutubpur, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Midnapore.

North and West—By the lands of Nilmoni Patar,
South—By the lands of the Public Works Department,
East—By the lands of Ram Narain Pate,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kamalpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Midnapore.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2706L.A.—The 1st November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for widening the diversion and lock channel at Diamond Harbour, in the villages of Hazipur and Donardanpur, pargana Maragacha, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose four plots of land measuring, more or less, 11 bighas 5 cottahs 2 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

24-Parganas.

PLOT No. 1.

On the north by the village land of Hazipur, on the east by the road to Calcutta, on the south by the land already acquired for Magrahat Drainage Scheme, and on the west by Government khas mahal land;

PLOT No. 2.

On the north and east by the village land of Hazipur, on the south by the land already acquired for Magrahat Drainage Scheme, and on the west by the road to Calcutta;

PLOT No. 3.

On the north by the village land of Hazipur and Donardonpur, on the east by Government embankment, and on the south and west by the land already acquired for Magrahat Drainage Scheme;

PLOT No. 4.

On the north by the village land of Donardanpur, on the east by Diamond Harbour Creek, on the south by the land already acquired for Magrahat Drainage Scheme, and on the west by the Government embankment,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Hazipur and Donardanpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Magrahat Drainage Scheme, 13 Kyd Street, Calcutta.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2707L.R.—The 1st November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the improvement of the Municipal tank and park at the Sonamukhi Municipality, in the village of Sonamukhi, pargana Vishnupur, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that for the

Bankura.

above purpose four pieces of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 2 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

PLOTS NOS. I AND II.

On the north by the dwelling house of Kudrut Seikh and municipal land, on the east by municipal tank, on the south by Bankura-Burdwan road and Jiban Kamar's shop, and on the west by Pathan Para road;

PLOT No. III.

On the north by dwelling house of Protap Padu Lohar, on the east and south by bank of Municipal tank, and on the west by Pathan Para road;

PLOT No. IV.

On the north and east by the garden of Bhut Nath Mukerji and others, on the south by municipal compound, and on the west by public water-course,

are required within the aforesaid village of Sonamukhi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Vishnupur.

R. W. CARLYLE,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2710L.A.—The 2nd November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for additional land for Loco Staff quarters at Gomoh, mile 102, Gaya-Barakar Railway, in the village of Gomoh, pargana Newagurh, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a plot of land measuring, more or less, 55 bighas 11 cottahs 1·77 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the land for Loco. Staff quarters covered by declaration No. 2033L.A., dated 4th July 1906, on the south by the *rabi* lands of Jogtu, Binu, Rhiju and Chel Lal Mahto and jungle land, on the east by the *rabi* land of Jagar Nath and Kinu Mahto and jungle land, and on the west by the jungle land, is required within the aforesaid village of Gomoh.

Manbhum.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

The plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Burdwan, or in the office of the Engineer in charge, Gaya-Katras Railway, Manpur, Gaya.

R. W. CARLYLE,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2711L.A.—The 2nd November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway Company, Limited, for a public purpose, viz., for station yard at Sarupnagore on Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway, in the village of Sarupnagore, pargana Balia, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 13 cottahs 2 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the land belonging to Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway, on the east by the land belonging to Baraset-Basirhat Railway and village land of Sarupnagore and on the south and west by the village land of Sarupnagore, is required within the aforesaid village of Sarupnagore.

24-Parganas.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of Messrs. Martin & Co., Calcutta.

R. W. CARLYLE,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2730Jur.—The 5th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Subdivisional Officer's quarters at Dhanbaid, in the village of Hirapur, pargana Jherriah, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 36 bighas and 15 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Manbhum.

North—By Raja of Jherriah's waste land;

South—By Harku Mahatoh's *bari* land and Ratu Mahato's land;

East—By Gopal Manji's paddy land and lands already acquired;

West—By Raja of Jherriah's Quartz Ridges;

is required within the aforesaid village of Hirapur, pargana Jherriah, district Manbhum.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Manbhum.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2731L.A.—The 5th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Arrah, Shahabad for making a Veterinary Hospital, Pound and Gawkhana, in the village of Hamidpur, pargana Arrah, zilla Shahabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 8 bighas 2 cottahs and 8 chitaks of standard measurement, corresponding to 4 bighas 5 cottahs and 19 Dhurs by local measurement, bounded on the—

Shahabad.

North—By the mango tope of Balmakund Tiwari, Balgovind Tiwari and Mahashar Tiwari;

South—By the public road from Arrah Hospital to Waliganj;

East—By the mongo tope of Mussmat Phoolakuer, widow of Lachuman Tiwari, and

West—By the field of Bishon Chand, Ghansham Tiwari and Mandil Das and mango tope of Bhardooli Lohar;

is required within the aforesaid village of Hamidpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may be concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Shahabad.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2732L.A.—The 5th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for Government brick-fields, in the village of Abhoynagore, pargana Boro, zilla Howrah, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 137 bighas of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

Howrah.

North—Bally khal,

South—Minor Baigachi-khal,

East—Pakir Bagan-khal,

West—Brick-field of Panna Lal Mukherjee,

is required within the aforesaid village of Abhoynagore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Covenanted Deputy Collector of Howrah.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3733L.A.—The 5th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the quarters of the crew of the Police boat, in the village of Santrapur, pargana Banpur, killa Khurda, zilla Puri, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·948 acres, bounded on the north by lands of Gobind Tarai, Rohani Bewa and Radhamohan Tiari; on the south by road leading from Banpur to Chilka lake; on the east by lands of Radhamohan Tiari; Siba Ghatuari and Maguni Jena; and on the west by lands of Bhagaban Panda and Bhagaban Pati, is required within the aforesaid village of Santrapur.

Puri.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Superintendent of Police, Puri.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3196T.R.—The 30th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for extension of Dead End Siding at Naihati, in the village of Naihati, pargana Habilishahar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 10 cottahs and 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the public road, on the east by the land belonging to Kirti Ch. Mitter, late Prasanna Kumar Ghosh Mazumder and Gopal Chandra Ghosal, and on the south and west by the land belonging to Eastern Bengal State Railway, is required within the aforesaid village of Naihati.

24-Parganas.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Calcutta District, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3197T.R.—The 30th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Patna District Board for a Dâk Bungalow at Bihar, in the villages of Chak Piprawan *alias* Derah and Chak Tikuli, pargana Bihar, zilla Patna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 17 cottahs 10·8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Patna.

North—By the field of Raghubar Singh,
East—By the field of Shaikh Ahmad Ali,
South—By the compound of the Bihar Inspection Bungalow,
West—By the passage to Jitlal's house,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Chak Piprawan *alias* Derah and Chak Tikuli.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Bihar.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3198T.R.—The 30th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Berhari Distributary on the Tribeni Canal, in the village of Berhari, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 12 bighas 1 cottah and 6 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid village of Berhari.

Champaran.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3199T.R.—The 30th October 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Belahwa Distributary, in the village of Belahwa, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 13 bighas 6 cottahs and 3 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid village of Belahwa.

Champaran.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 815O.—The 3rd November 1906.—Mr. E. W. Warde-Jones, Probationary Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Opium Agency, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 4th October 1906.

Benares Agency.

No. 818O.—The 1st November 1906.—Mr. A. G. S. Shuttleworth, Assistant Opium Agent, now performing the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Fyzabad, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of the charge of the Fyzabad division.

Fyzabad.

No. 819O.—The 1st November 1906.—Rai Keshari Narain Chadha, Assistant Opium Agent, is granted privilege leave for twenty-five days, with effect from the 26th August 1906, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 749-O., dated the 14th August 1906.

No. 820O.—The 1st November 1906.—Mr. A. F. Bryan, Assistant Factory Superintendent, Ghazipur, is granted privilege leave for seventeen days, with effect from the 4th October 1906.

Ghazipur.

H. J. MCINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 178Medl.—The 1st November 1906.—Lieutenant M. E. Mungavin, I.S.M.D., Civil Surgeon, stationed at Singhbhum, is allowed privilege leave for one month under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he is relieved.

Singhbhum.

No. 180Medl.—The 1st November 1906.—Lieutenant F. J. Daley, I.S.M.D., Officiating Civil Surgeon, is transferred from Balasore to Singhbhum, *vice* Lieutenant M. E. Mungavin, I.S.M.D., on leave.

Balasore.
Singhbhum.

No 463T.—Medl.—The 31st October 1906.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. P. Lukis, I.M.S., Principal and Professor of Medicine, Medical College, Calcutta, and First Physician, College Hospital, was allowed privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd to the 21st September 1906.

Calcutta.

This cancels Notification No. 78T.—Medl., dated the 1st September 1906.

No. 478T.—Medl.—The 31st October 1906.—Captain V. E. H. Lindesay, I.M.S., Civil Surgeon, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for six months.

Calcutta.

H. J. MCINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3482A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3428A.—The 5th November 1906.—Babu Surendra Nath Mukharji, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Darbhanga, to be ordinarily stationed at Madhubani, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Jogesh Chandra Mukharji, or until further orders.

No. 3442A.—The 6th November 1906.—Babu Sharat Chandra Sanyal, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Arambagh, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Kali Kumar Sarkar, or until further orders.

Hooghly.

No. 3455A.—The 6th November 1906.—Mr. Saiyid Nasir-ud-din Ahmad, Munsif of Arrah, in the district of Shahabad, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Bhagalpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Begusarai, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50 and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Begusarai Munsifi.

Shahabad. Bhagalpur.

No. 3457A.—The 6th November 1906.—Babu Atul Chandra Banarji, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Shahabad, to be ordinarily stationed at Arrah.

Shahabad.

LEAVE.

No. 3432A.—The 25th October 1906.—Babu Kali Kumar Sarkar, Munsif of Arambagh, in the district of Hooghly, is allowed leave for fifty two days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st November 1906.

POWERS.

No. 3435A.—The 6th November 1906.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Gyanendra Chandra Brahma, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, Cuttack, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Cuttack.

No. 3449A.—The 6th November 1906.—Babu Prabodh Chandra Bose, Munsif of Arambagh, in the district of Hooghly, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Arambagh Munsifi.

Hooghly.

No. 3459A.—The 6th November 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Mr. Ram Kamal Gupta, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Ranchi, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Mr. Gupta is also vested with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Ranchi.

No. 3755A.D.—The 30th October 1906.—Babu Mathura Nath Banarji, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been posted to the head quarters station of the Darbhanga district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Darbhanga.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

REGISTRATION.

No. 1801P.—The 6th November 1906.—Babu Shatruhan Prasad Sing, Rural Sub-Registrar, Buxar, in the district of Shahabad, is transferred to Sitamarhi, in the district of Muzaffarpur.

Shahabad.
Muzaffarpur.

No. 1802P.—The 6th November 1906.—Babu Narayan Prasad Chaudhuri, Rural Sub-Registrar, Sitamarhi, in the district of Muzaffarpur, is transferred to Buxar, in the district of Shahabad.

Muzaffarpur.
Shahabad.

No. 2621P.D.—The 25th October 1906.—Babu Mahendra Nath Ray, Rural Sub-Registrar, Potaspur, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave for ten days, under article 330 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 30th July 1906.

Midnapore.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 5th November 1906.

No. 210.—Mr. L. M. Priday, Assistant Engineer, third grade, was attached to the office of the Chief Engineer, Bengal, from the forenoon of the 22nd to the afternoon of the 31st October 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 6th November 1906.

No. 8.—Notification.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 99 and 78 of Act III (B. C.) of 1876, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal proposes to make the following additions and alterations in rule 5 of the Water-rate Rules for the Orissa Canals and in items 2 and 5 of the Schedule of rates to be charged for water supplied from the said canals.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Existing rule and rate.	Proposed rule and rate.
Rule 5 (1st portion only).—The preliminary application for a lease for a term of years, either new or renewal, may be of an informal nature, but it must be in writing. It may be presented at any time; but, if presented after the 31st March in the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of one pice per *goont* of local measure, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, will be made for the year following that in which the lease has been applied for.	*Rule 5 (1st portion only).*—The preliminary application for a lease for a term of years, either new or renewal, may be of an informal nature, but it must be in writing. It may be presented at any time; but, if presented after the 31st March in the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of 1 pice per *goont* of local measure, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, will be made *on all lands leased at Rs. 1-12 per mán, and an additional charge of 1 pie per goont of local measure, equivalent to 2 annas and 1 pie per mán, will be made on all lands leased at 8*

Existing rule and rate.	Proposed rule and rate.
Item 2 of the Schedule (portion only).—Provided that in all cases in which the preliminary application for the lease has been presented on any date subsequent to the 31st of March of the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of 1 pice per *goont*, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, shall be made on all lands in the lease for the year subsequent to that from which the lease commences.	*Item 2 of the Schedule (portion only).*—Provided that in all cases in which the preliminary application for the lease has been presented on any date subsequent to the 31st of March of the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of one pice per *goont*, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, shall be made *on all lands leased at Rs. 1-12 per mán, and an additional charge of 1 pie per goont of local measure, equivalent to 2 annas and 1 pie per mán, will be made on all lands leased at 8 annas per mán*, for the year subsequent to that from which the lease commences.
Item 5 of the Schedule.—For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June—Rs. 3-8 per *mán*.	*Item 5 of the Schedule.*—(*a*) For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June *on lands leased for a term of years at Rs. 1-8 per mán—Rs. 3-8 per mán.* (*b*) *For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June on lands leased for a term of years at Rs. 1-12 per mán—Rs. 3-4 per mán.*

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 6th November 1906.

No. 116 Marine.—Mr. G. E. Champness, Mate Pilot, is promoted to the grade of Junior Master Pilot, with effect from the 30th October 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 6th November 1906.

No. 117 Marine.—Mr. H. Ancell, Junior Master Pilot, is granted privilege leave for one month and fourteen days under Article 676 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, combined with furlough for one year, ten months and sixteen days under Article 671 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from 1st November 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 6th November 1906.

No. 118 Marine.—Mr. J. F. Fox, Senior Master Pilot, is granted privilege leave for two months under Article 676 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, combined with furlough for one year and four months under Article 671 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from 10th November 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

The 20th October 1906.

No. 112 Marine.—The following bye-law, made by the Commissioners of the Port of Calcutta, as an addition to bye-law No. 2 of the bye-laws made by them for the safe and convenient use of the Howrah Bridg and approaches thereto and for the passage of ships, boats and vessels through the Bridge, which were approved by the Lieutenant-Governor under the Notification of the Public Works Department of this Government No. 33, dated the 29th January 1876, is hereby published under section 24 of the Howrah Bridge Act 1871:—

"2A. During strong tides, a red flag by day, and a red light by night, will be hoisted on the flag-staff situated near the lookout house on the Howrah Bridge, and when this is done, no flats or cargo boats of 100 tons burden or upward shall be towed or passed through any of the openings of the Howrah Bridge without the special permission of the Commissioners."

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 5th November 1906.

No. 208.—Mr. D. R. G. Turnbull, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Calcutta Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for three months with effect from the afternoon of the 27th September 1906.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Chief Engineer.

The 5th November 1906.

No. 209.—The following promotions are made in the Upper Subordinate Establishment with effect from the 16th September 1906:—

Names.	From	To	Nature of promotion.	Division in which employed.
Ghosh, Bankim Krishna	Sub-Engineer, 3rd grade, temporary rank	Sub-Engineer, 3rd grade.	Permanent	Brahmini-Byturni.
Jagat Narayan	Supervisor, 1st grade, temporary rank	Supervisor, 1st grade.	Ditto	Northern Drainage and Embankment.
Das, Ranesh Chandra	Supervisor, 2nd grade, temporary rank.	Supervisor, 2nd grade	Ditto	Arrah.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer.

The 6th November 1906.

No. 211.—Babu Hari Das Bhaduri, Supervisor, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division to the Champaran Division.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3483A.

No. 3745A.D.—The 30th October 1906.—Babu Chandra Shekhar Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Burdwan Division, is posted to the Serampore subdivision of the Hooghly district.

Hooghly.

No. 3758A.D.—The 31st October 1906.—Babu Satish Chandra Gupta, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Jhenida, Jessore, is allowed leave for five days, under article 242 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 24th September 1906.

Jessore.

No. 3429A.—The 5th November 1906.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Braja Sundar Mardaraj, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Kendrapara, Cuttack, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Cuttack.

No. 3433A.—The 6th November 1906.—Babu Prasanna Kumar Ghoshal, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Supaul, Bhagalpur, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3447A.—The 6th November 1906.—Babu Hara Mohan Patnaik, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Puri, is transferred to the Bhadrak subdivision in the Balasore district.

Puri.
Balasore.

No. 3461A.—The 6th November 1906.—Maulvi Muhammad Sadik, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Saran, is transferred to the Siwan subdivision of that district.

Saran.

No. 3465A.—The 6th November 1906.—Babu Abhay Charan De, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Muzaffarpur, is transferred to the Orissa Division.

Muzaffarpur.
Orissa Division.

No. 3468A.—The 6th November 1906.—Babu Anadi Ranjan Bose, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Satkhira, Khulna, is transferred to the Orissa Division.

Khulna.
Orissa Division.

No. 3471A.—The 6th November 1906.—Babu Hara Krishna Naik, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Khurda, Puri, is transferred to the Presidency Division.

Puri.
Presidency Divn.

No. 3474A.—The 6th November 1906.—Babu Krishna Chandra Ghosh, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is transferred to the Patna Division, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Cuttack.
Patna Division.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 10201.—The 29th October 1906.—Mr. G. A. Davis made over charge of the Alipore Central Jail to Mr. E. W. Payne on the afternoon of the 18th October 1906.

No. 10477, dated Calcutta, the 5th November 1906.—Assistant Surgeon Bepin Chandra Das Gupta made over charge of the Barasat Jail to Assistant Surgeon Monmohun Gupta on the forenoon of the 20th October 1906.

W. J. BUCHANAN,
Inspr.-Genl. of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 2417D., dated Darjeeling, the 30th October 1906.—Babu Bipin Bihari Sen Gupta, third grade Assistant Surgeon, is appointed temporarily to the Public Works Department Dispensary at Ramnagar, in the district of Champaran.

No. 2470-D.—Dated Darjeeling, the 2nd November 1906.—Second-grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Abinash Chandra Chatarji, Medical Officer, E. B. S. Railway, Bongong, is granted furlough for six months under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the three months' privilege leave already granted to him in this Department Notification No. 4684, dated the 7th July 1906.

No. 2483D., dated Darjeeling, the 3rd November 1906.—Babu Bipin Bihari Gupta, Senior Assistant Surgeon is granted privilege leave combined with leave on medical certificate for six months, viz., privilege leave for 21 days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the same Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 14th October 1906.

No. 2486D., dated Darjeeling, the 3rd November 1906.—Babu Surendra Nath Datta, second grade Assistant Surgeon, is appointed, with effect from the afternoon of the 14th October 1906, to act at the Bhagalpur Dispensary during the absence, on leave, of Senior Assistant Surgeon Babu Jogendra Nath Ghosh, or until further orders.

No. 2490D., dated Darjeeling, the 5th November 1906.—Babu Bipin Chandra Das Gupta, third grade Assistant Surgeon, is appointed to do supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, until further orders, with effect from the afternoon of the 27th October 1906.

A. M. CROFTS, COL., I.M.S.,
Offg. Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU BEPIN BEHARI BANERJI has been placed in charge of the Bhagalpur Treasury and is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

D. J. MACPHERSON, *Commissioner.*

BHAGALPUR COMMR.'S OFFICE, CAMP, DARJEELING, *the 29th October 1906.*

Sheriff's Office, the 26th September 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1906 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the 26th day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

A. A. APCAR, *Sheriff.*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৬ সাল তারিখ ২৬শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে ঘরে বাজালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতায় ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৬ সালের ২৬শে নবেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতায় হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

এঃ এঃ আপকার, সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 31st October 1906.—Maulvi Abdul Hai, lecturer on Persian and Arabic, Patna College (class IV), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 25th October 1906, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Maulvi Abdul Latif, B A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Jessore (class IV), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 19th October 1906, or any subsequent date on which he may have availed himself of it.

The 3rd November 1906.—Babu Srinath Banerjea, Head-clerk, office of Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division, and now officiating as an Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction (class IV), is allowed leave of absence for 15 days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 22nd October 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

English Teachership Examination, 1906.

THE examination will be partly written and partly oral and practical.

2. The written examination will be held at the Training School at Calcutta on the 3rd December 1906 and the two following days. Three papers will be set, as shown below:—

				Marks.
I.—Art of teaching,	3rd December,	10 A.M. to 2 P.M.	... ...	100
II.—Discipline,	4th ,,	10 ,, 2 ,,	... ...	100
III.—Organisation,	5th ,,	10 ,, 2 ,,	... ...	100

3. The oral and practical examination will be in actual class teaching and in notes of lessons. The necessary arrangements for holding this examination will be made by Inspectors of Schools. One hundred marks will be assigned to this examination.

4. In the case of a candidate who is a teacher, the Inspector may, at his discretion, conduct the practical examination at the candidate's own school. This examination may be conducted any time in the month of December 1906.

5. Candidates obtaining 50 per cent. of the marks or upwards in each of the subjects both written and practical, will be declared to have passed, and will be granted English Teachership Certificates, under the signature of the Director of Public Instruction.

6. Candidates for first-grade certificates must have passed the B. A. examination. Candidates for second-grade certificates must have passed the F. A. examination, and served as teachers for at least three years. Candidates for third-grade certificates must have passed the Entrance examination, and served as teachers for at least three years.

A teacher who has held a certificate of a certain grade with credit for five years, will also be permitted to compete for the next higher grade of certificate, if his capacity as a teacher and his knowledge of the subjects of examination are certified as satisfactory by the Inspector of Schools.

7. Candidates for the examination should apply, on or before the 2nd November 1906, to the Head Master of the Training School at Calcutta, and should send a fee of Rs. 5 at the same time.

8. Candidates who have failed at a previous examination will be admitted to the examination, if they have worked as teachers for at least six months since their failure.

9. Further particulars about the examination will be supplied on application by Head Masters of Training Schools.

CALCUTTA; } A. EARLE,

The 13th October 1906. } *Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.*

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College.—

I.—Engineer Department.

A four-year course leading to the Engineering Degrees of the Calcutta University. Admissions made yearly in June. Admission qualification, the First Arts examination of the Calcutta University or its equivalent.

II.—Apprentice Department.

The full course of study covers five years. There are special classes in Mining and in Electrical Engineering.

After 1½ years the Sub-Overseer examination is held.

After 3½ years the Final or Overseer examination is held with special modification for Mining students.

After a further 1½ years' practical training the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate is given.

Admissions are made yearly in June to 1st year and in March to 2nd and 3rd years. Admission qualifications—

To 1st-year class, Entrance examination of Calcutta University or equivalent, to the Middle School.

To 2nd-year class, the Final examination of B Course of zilla schools.

To 3rd-year class, the Sub-Overseer examination of affiliated Technical schools.

III.—Workshops.

Artisan classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine,
Blacksmiths';	Turners;	and Foundry.

IV.—Agricultural Department.

Admission made by nomination of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor. Application to be sent to the Principal. A two-year course leading to the Agricultural Diploma of the College. Admission made yearly in November.

Admission qualifications—

As general student, B. A., B Course, of Calcutta University or equivalent.

As special student, satisfactory evidence that the candidate can benefit by the instruction.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

SIBPUR, B. HEATON,

The 7th June 1906. *Principal.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 6472B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1904-05, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 4th December 1906, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,400 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of ...	2,200
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of ...	2,200
Total ...	4,400

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 28th November 1905, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 19th December 1906, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 19th December 1906, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 19th December 1906.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. P. YAKCHEE, for *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 24th October 1906.*

No. 6708 B.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Dated Calcutta, the 29th October 1906.

IN supersession of the rules published under Notification, dated the 25th September 1894, in Part I, pages 1108 and 1109 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 31st October 1894, as amended by the Resolution by the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, No. 3998.R., dated the 19th January 1904, published at pages 157 and 158 of the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*, dated the 6th February 1904, the following rules framed by the Board of Revenue, L. P., under section 75 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878) for the landing and shipping of passengers' baggage and the passing of the same through the Customs House are published for general information. The fee to be charged under rule 17 has been sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

BAGGAGE RULES.

EXAMINATION ON BOARD SHIP OR AT THE LANDING PLACE.

1. Ordinarily in Calcutta an Inspector with a staff of Baggage Officers will board passenger steamers at Garden Reach, and proceed to examine all cabin baggage and such hold baggage as can be conveniently produced, before the vessel reaches her moorings. But when there is not likely to be time to complete such examination before the vessel is ready to discharge her passengers, as in the case of large passenger vessels proceeding direct to the docks or jetties, or in the case of vessels discharging passengers by launch at Garden Reach, in such cases the examination shall be conducted at the place at which the baggage is landed, and will not be commenced on board ship.

2. Upon boarding a vessel, the Baggage Officers shall distribute declaration forms in Customs Form No. 478, and give all necessary information to passengers for filling them up.

3. The Inspector shall also obtain from the Chief Officer a list of the passengers and of the unaccompanied baggage carried by the vessel. The Baggage Officers on board are not permitted to pass the latter. In the event of there being no unaccompanied baggage, a certificate to that effect must be obtained from the Chief Officer.

4. In examining, Baggage Officers shall be guided by the following directions :—

(*a*) When no suspicion of an attempt to smuggle dutiable goods, or introduce merchandise or firearms, etc., is entertained, the officers may dispense with the examination of hand-bags, rugs and parcels and satisfy themselves by the examination of a selected portion of the other baggage to the extent of one or more representative packages according to the number brought by each passenger or set of passengers.

(*b*) The right to open any or every package remains, however, and can be exercised at the discretion of the officers.

(*c*) The officers are to put to each passenger the following question :—

"Have you anything in your possession liable to duty, such as firearms, ammunition, alcoholic liquor, perfumed spirits, or any other article which is for sale?" They shall at the same time draw attention to the rules printed on the reverse of the declaration form.

(*d*) The utmost tact and courtesy are needed in every case. The rights of the revenue mut be asserted, but no delay or unnecessary annoyance must be caused on any account to passengers.

5. If no dutiable articles are declared or detected, the Baggage Officer shall issue a pass in Customs Form No. 479. The declaration form entered by the passenger shall also be taken by the Baggage Officer at the time of passing and the entries completed.

6. If any dutiable articles are declared or found on examination, the passenger will be referred to the Baggage Inspector, who will receive duty, and issue a receipt in Customs Form No. 480.

7. Should a claim be made to pass dutiable articles free of duty under the concessions allowed for articles of private personal property re-imported, the Inspector may pass such goods free only if there are authenticated documents, in each case, substantiating the claim. In all other cases the passenger shall be referred to the Collector of Customs, with the option, should he wish to remove the article at once, of paying duty and applying for a refund afterwards.

The receipt in Form 480 shall be issued for all dutiable articles whether duty be levied or not, and shall contain a sufficient description of each article to permit of subsequent identification, as well as, in the case of any on which duty is not levied under the preceding clause, a note explaining the reasons. In the case of firearms, the details on the back of the form shall be filled up. Firearms of every description must be carefully examined.

8. Baggage Inspectors are authorized to pass free of duty firearms and ammunition in reasonable quantities belonging to passengers from Customs ports, or forming part of the equipment of an officer entitled to wear diplomatic, military or police uniform, etc., provided that the following particulars should in such cases be noted on the back of the receipt form, namely, the name, rank, position and address of the passenger, under his signature, in addition to the particulars of the arms required under the preceding rule, and particulars of the ammunition, if any.

Baggage Inspectors are also authorised to pass a gun, pistol, sword or knife, the property of a native officer or soldier arriving from a coast port when covered by a license from the Commanding Officer of the regiment to which he belongs.

9. Baggage Inspectors may not, however, pass the following, which shall be sent to the Custom House, and reported for orders :—

(1) Arms imported by a native officer or soldier arriving from Hongkong.
(2) Martini-Henry rifles and rifles of ·303 bore and ammunition for these weapons imported by any passenger, or any other rifles of a military pattern or ammunition the importation of which is prohibited.

Exceptions.—When an officer of the British or Indian Army or of the Imperial Service Troops arrives in Calcutta by sea on duty and carries a rifle or carbine ostensibly as part of his military equipment, such weapon, even if of a prohibited bore, may be passed by the Baggage Officer on board, provided it is of a service or military pattern and bears the stamp and mark that indicate that it is the property of the State, or in the case of Imperial Service Troops, of the Native State concerned.

10. Passengers' baggage need not be detained owing to arms or ammunition or other dutiable articles being found in their boxes, unless they have in any way attempted to conceal them. In such cases the articles shall not be passed, but shall be sent to the Custom House with a special report.

11. Baggage shall be marked with the Baggage Officer's initials as soon as passed, and may then be removed. An officer shall be deputed to see that no packages leave the vessel without being marked. Passengers on vessels proceeding to the jetties or docks should be instructed to send the baggage pass along with the baggage to enable it to pass the jetty or dock gates. Baggage Officers must see that packages are removed as soon as possible after examination.

12. All packages which cannot be conveniently presented or opened for examination on board-ship, or at the time of landing, and all unaccompanied baggage, shall be sent to the Custom House.

If the vessel is discharging in the stream, such packages shall be forwarded by the baggage staff in charge of a Baggage Officer or peon, with a green boat note. Unaccompanied baggage shall be shown separately in the boat-note.

If the vessel is discharging at the jetties, such packages shall be forwarded by officers of the Port Trust as soon as possible after landing with a challan.

If the vessel is discharging at the docks, such packages may remain at the docks for a day or two before being forwarded by the officers of the Port Trust. In this case passengers shall be informed how long their baggage will remain in the docks before transfer to the Custom House.

The list of passengers and of unaccompanied baggage obtained under rule 3, or the certificate in the case of there being no unaccompanied baggage, shall be forwarded by the Baggage Inspector to the Inspector in charge of the Custom House Division when the baggage is forwarded to the Custom House. Unaccompanied baggage may only be passed at the Custom House.

Articles detained for any special reason shall be forwarded by the baggage staff to the Superintendent of the Preventive Service in charge of a Baggage Officer or peon.

13. Baggage Officers must see that no delay occurs in forwarding packages to the Custom House.

14. The Baggage Inspector on board shall forward the duty collected with a statement in Customs Form No. 453 accompanied by his receipt book and the passengers' baggage declarations to the Superintendent of the Preventive Service who shall compare the items in the statement with the foils of the receipts issued, initialling the last foil in token of his examination.

The statement with the cash shall then be sent to the cashier through the accountant, the amount remitted being entered in a register in Customs Form No. 403 in which the cashier shall give his acknowledgment.

15. The Superintendent shall forward the necessary reports to the Collector in the case of articles detained with the least possible delay.

16. Receipts shall be granted in Customs Form No. 576 for all baggage received in the Custom House ; the receipts shall be serially numbered, and the number of the corresponding receipt will be noted in the green boat note or Port Trust chalan accompanying the packages.

17. A landing charge of 8 annas shall be leviable for every package brought into the Custom House.

EXAMINATION AT THE CUSTOM HOUSE.

18. Baggage brought into the Custom House shall be examined by the Inspector of the Custom House Division and his staff. Fresh declarations in Form No. 478 are not required, but otherwise, except in the case of unaccompanied baggage when manifested, the procedure in examination shall follow the rules already laid down. The Inspector shall assess and realise landing fees and any wharf rent that may be chargeable in addition to duty. Such realization shall be entered in counterfoil receipts in Form No. 349 and brought to account in the manner prescribed in rule 14. Persons applying to clear unaccompanied baggage that is manifested shall be directed to present a bill-of-entry, which will be passed under the ordinary import procedure.

19. A register in Form No. 570 shall be maintained for all baggage upon which wharf rent accrues. Entries shall be commenced as soon as the rent becomes leviable, and be completed when the goods are passed out. A weekly inspection must be made to ensure that entries are regularly made. The boat-note or chalan number to be shown in column 2 of this register will be the serial number given under rule 16.

APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES INCLUDING THEATRICAL PARAPHERNALIA.

20. Article 41 of Schedule IV of the Tariff admits apparatus and appliances and parts thereof free, when imported by a passenger as part of his personal baggage and in actual use by him in the exercise of his profession or calling. Theatrical paraphernalia may be admitted free under this article, provided that the goods fall under the conditions specified therein, and in any orders issued from time to time by the Government of India. The examination of theatrical paraphernalia may be conducted on the importer's premises under suitable precautions.

EXPORT. SHIPMENT OF BAGGAGE.

21. Shipping bills are not required for the shipment of *bona fide* passengers' baggage.

22. Preventive officers shall at their discretion examine baggage brought for shipment to China, the Straits, Mauritius, and Ceylon, and report for orders any case in which they have good reasons to suppose that baggage for other ports contains dutiable or contraband articles.

23. When passengers embark at Diamond Harbour, it shall be the duty of the Preventive Officer in charge of the station to see that neither opium nor ganja is taken on board in their baggage.

LIST OF FORMS.

		C. H. No.
1.	Passenger's Baggage Declaration	478
2.	Baggage Pass	479
3.	Receipt for Passenger's Baggage	576
4.	Statement of duty and charges realised on Baggage ...	453
5.	Baggage Receipt	480
6.	Register of Passenger's Baggage	570
7.	Register of Baggage Duty	403

C. H. No.

PASSENGER'S BAGGAGE DECLARATION.

Ship *Dated* -190 .

I HEREBY declare that my baggage comprises the following :—

Passed.	Sent to Custom House or detained at Docks.

Baggage Officer.

Entries in this space will be made and signed by the Baggage Officer.

In the case of goods discharging at the Docks, passengers will ascertain from the Baggage Officer how long their packages will remain at the Docks before being forwarded to the Custom House.

Number of open packages

Number of nailed-down packages

GENERAL CONTENTS:

My baggage contains the following DUTIABLE ARTICLES only :—

Description.	Quantity or number.	Value. Rs.	A.	P	Remarks. [Note if any articles have paid duty in India before.]

Passenger's Signature.

*Rules *for the exemption of passengers' baggage from Customs duty.*

1. The *bonâ fide* baggage of a passenger is exempt from duty when it accompanies him; does not form part of the cargo; and is not included in the manifest.

2. *Bonâ fide* baggage shall include wearing apparel and personal effects, provided that the articles are not for sale and are imported for the personal use of the passenger or for the use of members of his family travelling with him; but it shall not include the following articles on which duty must be paid in all cases:—

(*a*) Arms, ammunition and all other articles enumerated in Schedule II of the Tariff Import Schedule.

(*b*) Alcoholic liquor, exceeding two quarts, perfumed spirit, exceeding one quart, and all other articles enumerated in Schedule III.

(*c*) Cigars and cigarettes exceeding 100 in number, whether in opened or unopened boxes, and other tobacco exceeding 1 pound in weight.

(*d*) Pianos, pianolas, carriages, motor-cars and motor-cycles.

(*e*) Articles for household use such as furniture, pictures, carpets, glass, crockery, cutlery, and silver and plated-ware, except such articles (other than furniture or carpets) as shall appear to the Customs authorities to be imported in a moderate quantity and to be required for the personal use of the passenger whilst travelling or immediately upon his arrival at his destination.

3. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in Rule 1, *bonâ fide* baggage landed at any Customs port within one month before or after the arrival of a passenger in India may, subject to the exceptions specified in Rule 2, be passed free at the discretion of the Collector of Customs.

* Published under the Resolution by the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 6095–6099-68, dated 3rd August 1906, at page 1580 of the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*, dated 4th August 1906.

NOTICE

1. Any person making a false declaration or attempting to pass dutiable goods without payment of duty is liable to a heavy penalty in addition to having his goods confiscated.

2. For all information regarding the landing and clearing of baggage, passengers are requested to apply to the Baggage Officers on Board or in the Baggage Godown at the Custom House.

3. A charge of eight annas per package is made upon all baggage sent to the Custom House to cover the expenses of landing and removal.

4. A further charge is made on account of wharf rent if baggage is not cleared from the Custom House within seven days from date of its receipt.

C. H. No. 479.

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS.

BAGGAGE PASS.

Ship _____

Passenger's name _____

Number of packages in (words) _____

CALCUTTA,
The _____ *190* .

Baggage *Inspector / Officer.*

C. H. No. 576.

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS.

RECEIPT FOR PASSENGER'S BAGGAGE.

No. _____

Received from _____

Ship's Name _____

No. of Packages _____

Condition of Packages _____

Address or Marks _____

Inspector, *Custom House Division. / Baggage Officer*

Dated _____ *190* .

C. H. No. 458.

Statement of Duty and Charges realized on Baggage.

Baggage Receipt Number.	Duty.			Landing Fees.			Wharf Rent.			Remarks.
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
1	2			3			4			5
Total ...										
GRAND TOTAL ...										

Grand Total in words.

*Dated*_____*190* .

Baggage Inspector.

C. H. No. 480.

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS.

BAGGAGE RECEIPT.

Ship_____

Passenger's Name_____

Date_____

Description of Articles.	Value.			Duty.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Total duty ...						
Landing fees ...						
Wharf rent ...						
Total ...						

Passenger's signature. *Baggage Inspector.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS.

BAGGAGE RECEIPT.

Ship_____

Passenger's Name_____

Date

Description of Articles.	Value. Rs.	Duty. Rs.
Total duty ...		
Landing fees ..		
Wharf rent ..		
Total ..		

The passengers is advised to keep this foil in case of future re-imports of the goods.

Baggage Inspecto

FIRE-ARMS.

...cription ...	
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...fle or smooth-bore	
...nge to which sighted	
...hether fitted for bayonet or not	

Baggage Inspector.

FIRE-ARMS.

Description	
Maker's name and number	
Bore	
Single or double-barrelled	
Rifle or smooth-bore	
Range to which sighted	
Whether fitted for bayonet or not	

Baggage Inspector.

C. H. No. 570.

Register of Passenger's Baggage.

Serial number.	Boat-note or challan number.	Passenger's name.	Number of packages.	Date of receipt.	Inspector's initials.	Baggage receipt number.	Duty.	Landing charges.	Wharf rent.	Date of passing out.	Inspector's initials.	Rem
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1

C. H. No. 403.

Register of Baggage Duty.

Date.	Name of Vessel.	Amount realised.			Cashier's Recei
1	2	3			4
		Rs.	A.	P.	

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

ANOTIFICTION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Rampur Hât, in the district of Birbhum:—

1. The Civil Surgeon of Birbhum.
2. The Subdivisional Officer of Rampur Hât.
3. The Senior Munsif at Rampur Hât.
4. Babu Kali Kumar Banerji.
5. „ Nogendra Chandra Banerji.
6. „ Hari Taran Banerji.
7. „ Shyamalananda Mukerji.
8. Maulvi Abdur Rauf.
9. „ Abdul Hafez.
10. Babu Annada Prasad Mukerji.
11. „ Sashi Bhusan Mandal.

E. H. WALSH, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., *the 31st October 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Committee for the management of the Dispensary at Kalia, in the Narail subdivision of the district of Jessore:—

1. Civil Surgeon, Jessore ... *President (ex-officio).*
2. Babu Juanada Kant Das Gupta *Secretary.*
3. „ Indu Bhusan Sen.
4. „ Giris Chandra Das Gupta.
5. „ Prasanna Kumar Das Gupta.
6. „ Ganga Charan Sen Gupta.
7. „ Jitendra Kumar Das Gupta.
8. „ Srish Chandra Sen.

E. W. COLLIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, in the bye-election held under the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, on Saturday, the 20th October 1906, Babu Jamini Kanta Ghosh was duly elected a Commissioner of the Bally Municipality, in the district of Howrah, *vice* Babu Haran Chandra Mukerjee, deceased.

E. H. WALSH, *Offg. Commissioner.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 29th October 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the 17th December 1906 has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner for Ward No. IV of the Purulia Municipality in place of Babu Rajani Kanto Sarkar, deceased.

MANMOHAN RAY, *Personal Assistant,* for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHOTA NAGPUR DIVN., RANCHI, *the 31st October 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the powers under section 6 of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, delegated to me under section 36 of that Act by Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I direct that the ferry over the river Dolong between Nunia and Champsara on the Railway feeder road between Gidni and Paribati, in the district of Midnapore, should be discontinued, with effect from the date of publication of this notification.

E. H. WALSH, *Offg. Commissioner.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 2nd November 1906.*

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1906.

PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 3rd November 1906.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

PUBLIC.

Simla, the 1st November 1906.

No. 2493.—Under the provisions of section 9 of the statute 24 and 25 Viet., cap. 67, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that His Excellency's Council shall assemble at Calcutta in the jurisdiction of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

SANITARY.

The 2nd November 1906.

No. 1929.—The services of Captain D. Munro, M.B., I.M.S., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bengal for employment in the Sanitary Department.

H. H. RISLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 2nd November 1906.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

Chota Nagpur Mounted Rifles.

No. 570.—Henry Cuthbert Streatfeild, I.C.S., gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, to complete the establishment. Dated 5th June 1906.

A. W. L. BAYLY, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1906.

PART IB.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2311T.M.—The 30th October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Dumraon Municipality, in the district of Shahabad, of Babu Shiba Saran Lall to be their Chairman.

Shahabad.

No. 2312T.M.—The 31st October 1906.—It is hereby notified that the Commissioners of the Buxar Municipality, in the district of Shahabad, having at a meeting requested the Local Government under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. W. H. Nelson to be their Chairman, *vice* Mr. H. T. Cullis, resigned.

Shahabad.

No. 2319T.M.—The 31st October 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 35 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the grant by the Corporation of Calcutta to Babu Nilambara Mukharji, M.A., B.L., their Vice-Chairman, of privilege leave for 48 days from the 5th November to the 22nd December 1906, both days inclusive.

Calcutta.

No. 2082M.—The 5th November 1906.—Under Rule 9 of the rules framed under section 5 of the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1879, it is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends to sanction the following application from the Commissioners of the Darjeeling Municipality for a loan of Rs. 30,000 from Government, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, and repayable in 40 equal half-yearly instalments of Rs. 1,096-10-8 each, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the said Municipality.

Darjeeling.

and an estimate of the cost thereof.

2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
The amount which it is proposed to borrow.	The fund or funds on the security of which it is proposed so borrow.	The law or laws under which such fund or funds is or are levied, received or held.	The period for which the loan is required.	Rate of interest.	The number of instalments, if any, in which it is proposed that the loan should be taken.	The amount of each instalment.	The date proposed for ascertaining each instalment.	Date of instalment, if any.	Amount of each instalment.
Rs.									
30,000.									
	Water-rate miscellaneous and Electric Light miscellaneous receipts.								
		Sanitary funds and rents to the Municipality.							
			7 years.						
				per annum.					
					ment				
						30,000.			
							May 1907.		
								every year till the loan is paid off.	
									sients of Rs. 1,000-10-8.

A DETAILED ACCOUNT OF THE REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE OF THE LOCAL AUTHORITY FOR THE LAST THREE PRECEDING YEARS.

12	Revenue.		Expenditure.				All the existing prior charges upon the funds of the local authority.	
	Amount for 1903-04.	Amount for 1904-05.	Amount for 1905-06.	Objects on which the expenditure was incurred.	Amount for 1903-04.	Amount for 1904-05.	Amount for 1905-06.	
Balance at the close of the year	Rs. 25,534	Rs. 67,475	Rs. 19,859		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.
A.—Municipal rates and taxes, &c.—				General Administration—				5,000 0 0
2. Tax on houses and lands.	48,103	55,765	55,250	Office establishment	11,205	11,185	12,211	16,688 4 9
3. Tax on animals, &c., and cart registration fees.	1,357	1,646	1,707	Collection of taxes, &c. ...	7,641	8,161	8,651	26,000 16 11
4. Tax on professions, &c.	1,018	1,167	1,672	Survey of lands	426	558	356	30,000 11 7
6. Water-rate	19,221	21,734	22,501	Refunds	511	1,505	1,553	30,000 0 0
7. Lighting-rate	28,391	32,723	36,456	Pensions and gratuities ...	60	.....	.....	2,40,000 1,40,738 7
8. Conservancy (scavenging and latrine).	22,767	22,385	22,548	Cost of audit and banking ...	2,059	2,301	3,043	30,000 21,061 9 11
9. Other, &c. (penalties)	156	109	69	Public Safety—				1,30,000 1,01,884 4 3
B.—Realization under Special Acts—Pound.				Fire	40	112	453	30,000 80,300 3 3
1. Pound	78	102	67	Lighting	26,606	1,05,651	56,141	30,000 80,074 7 6
3. Fees from Porters and Dairymen's Acts.	43	8	7	Rewards for destruction of wild animals.	28	33	56	30,000 11,199 13 1
4. Vaccination fees ...	54	23	18	Public health—				30,000 16,478 13 11
C.—Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation—				Water-supply. { Capital outlay ... Establishment and repairs.	91,296	14,303	8,610	30,000 18,822 1 10
1. Rents of lands, houses, &c.	42,311	42,034	43,297		7,070	6,531	7,289	90,000 1,40,738 7
2. Sale-proceeds of lands, &c.	1,554	516	500	Drainage. { Capital outlay ... Establishment and repairs.	3,807	1,331	3,276	30,000 21,061 9 11
3. Conservancy receipts	367	602	451		1,302	631	942	1,30,000 1,01,884 4 3
5. Fees and revenue from medical institutions.	4,463	1,050	644	Conservancy—including road cleaning and watering and latrines.	46,643	50,024	51,925	30,000 80,300 3 3
6. Fees and revenue from markets and slaughter-houses.	8,709	8,878	9,472	Hospitals and dispensaries ...	10,316	9,571	9,986	30,000 80,074 7 6
8. Others—Licenses under section 26 of Act III (B.C.) of 1864.	.....	.....	.....	Other sanitary measures—town, nurse, &c.	.....	.....	3,321	30,000 11,199 13 1
				Vaccination	562	580	590	30,000 16,478 13 11
				Markets and slaughter-houses	1,409	457	563	30,000 18,822 1 10
				Pounds	1	119	66	90,000 1,40,738 7
				Arboriculture	1,657	299	275	2,40,000 1,40,738 7
				Registration of births and deaths.	.....	.....	.....	30,000 21,061 9 11
								1,30,000 1,01,884 4 3
								30,000 80,300 3 3
								30,000 80,074 7 6
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								30,000 18,822 1 10
								90,000 1,40,738 7
								2,40,000 1,40,738 7

On account of excess expenditure

Rs.

Municipal Funds, viz.—Rates, rents, taxes and market fees.

Act III (B.C.) of 1884 and Government orders

Twenty

Four per cent.

One instal

Re.

15th Jan

17th July '07, 15th January and 15th July

Forty half-yearly instal

8. Fines under Municipal Acts, &c.	913	949	771
Interest on investment	1,295	.....	.....
Ditto medical purpose.	.....	230	153
D.—Grants and contribution —			
1. From other sources for general purpose.	500	.....	200
2. From Government for general purpose.	9,905	.....	11,412
3. From Government for medical purpose.	.....	....	730
4. From other sources for medical purpose.	.....	2,263	2,255
5. From Local Funds for general purpose.	760	340	340
6. From Local Funds for medical purpose.	.....	600	600
E.—Miscellaneous—			
1. Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals.	2,246	4,573	3,384
2. Other items—Sundries	416	1,100	483
3. Provident Fund receipts.	.....	.....	.....
F.—Extraordinary and debt—			
Dispensary Fund ...	.....	3,606	2,933
2. Loans from Government	59,860	13,985	33,900
Sale proceeds of Government securities	82,796	.....	.....
3. Advances	18,150	65,654	51,280
Ditto, permanent ...	.....	50	.....
5. Deposits	202	57	558
Total income ...	3,81,858	3,79,771	3,25,819

Public Works.	Establishment ...	7,605	7,489	8,214
	Buildings ...	4,344	7,609	9,150
	Roads	14,234	12,033	18,967
Public instruction—				
Schools and Colleges		1,200	1,310	1,200
Contribution to library ...		165	180	180
Ditto for general purposes.		.....	.....	113
Miscellaneous—				
Interest on loans		19,191	20,676	22,827
Actual cost of works for private persons.		2,375	5,344	9,106
Other items.	Printing	1,485	2,916	1,538
	Law charges ..	982	891	877
	Working of Dandy Act.	245	.....	211
	Provident Fund contribution.	757	784	840
	Sundries	1,025	1,236	1,304
Extraordinary and debt—				
Investment		.....	.....	.....
Re-payment of loans		14,231	16,769	19,585
Dispensary Fund		.....	6,455	3,296
Advances	Others	26,835	62,819	31,079
	Permanent ...	.....	.....	.....
Deposits		6,968	59	586
Total expenditure		3,14,423	3,60,112	3,14,796
Closing balance		67,475	19,659	21,021
GRAND TOTAL ...		3,81,898	3,79,771	3,25,819

On 31st March 1906 — Total

Balance of Government Loan of

Ditto

Ditto

Ditto

Ditto

Ditto

Ditto

Ditto

Ditto

Ditto

Ditto

Ditto

MUNICIPAL OFFICE, DARJEELING,
The 22nd August 1906.
The 10th October 1906.

(ILLEGIBLE),
Vice-Chairman, Darjeeling Municipality.

No. 2328T.M.—The 2nd November 1906.—In accordance with the provisions of clause (*c*) of section 9 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), as amended by the Bengal Municipal (Amendment) Act, 1894 (Bengal Act IV of 1894), and on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Dumraon Municipality, in the district of Shahabad, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare his intention to include within the said Municipality the local area comprising the villages of Khirawli and Tola Agandh Rai, which is bounded as follows:—

Shahabad.

North—By the East Indian Railway line.

South—By the existing northern limit of the Dumraon Municipality.

East—By the existing western limit of the Dumraon Municipality.

West—By the Sone Canal.

2. The revised boundaries of the Dumraon Municipality after the inclusion of the aforesaid local area will be as follows:—

North—The East Indian Railway.

South—The Puchrukhia culvert, Puchrukhia-Pul ka bandh and jungle.

East—The Sone Canal.

West— Ditto.

3. Any rate-payer of the said Municipality or any inhabitant of the local area which it is proposed to include therein, who objects to the said inclusion, should submit his objection in writing through the District Magistrate to the undersigned within six weeks from the publication of this notification.

No. 2323T.M.—The 2nd November 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Mr. B. Talbot has been elected by the members of the Siwan Local Board in the district of Saran to be a member of the Saran District Board, *vice* Mr. L. Reed, resigned

Saran.

No. 2324T.M.—The 2nd November 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Lalgobinda Singh to be a Commissioner of the Madhunbani Municipality, in the district of Darbhanga, *vice* Babu Shyam Chandra Narayan, deceased.

Darbhanga.

No. 2326T.M.—The 2nd November 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under sections 7 and 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the District Superintendent of Police, Gaya, to be a member of the District Board of Gaya *ex-officio vice* Babu Akhouri Lakshmi Narayan, deceased.

Gaya.

No. 2080M.—The 5th November 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Cuttack Municipality in the district of Cuttack of Babu Janaki Nath Basu to be their Chairman.

Cuttack.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 2318T.M.—The 24th October 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 640 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare his intention to extend to that part of the town of Howrah which lies within the boundaries specified in Annexure II to this Notification the portions of the said Act which are set forth in Annexure I hereto, subject to the modifications and restrictions shown therein in antique type.

Any objection to such extension on the part of the Commissioners of the Municipality of Howrah or any inhabitant thereof should be submitted in writing, through the Magistrate of Howrah, to the undersigned before the 15th December 1906.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ANNEXURE I.

Portions of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, which it is intended to extend to Howrah, with intended modifications and restrictions shown in antique type.

CHAPTER I—PRELIMINARY.

3. For the purposes of this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,— Definitions.

[*34*] the word "platform," when used with reference to a privy, means the surface containing the aperture through which the sewage passes into the receptacle . . . . . "Platform."

CHAPTER XXI.

PRIVIES AND OTHER RECEPTACLES FOR FILTH.

Privies and Urinals.

311. Every building erected or re-erected after the extension of this Chapter to the Howrah Municipality, must be provided with a sufficient privy or a sufficient privy and urinal: Privies and urinal for future buildings.

Provided as follows:—

(*a*) The Chairman may, by written order, in any case declare that no privy or urinal need be provided;

(*b*) The Commissioners in meeting may allow a common privy or common privies for the use of the occupants of any two or more adjacent huts.

312. If it appears to the Chairman that any building, land or bustee is without a privy or urinal, or that the existing privy or urinal available for use by the occupiers of any building, land or bustee is insufficient, inefficient, or for sanitary reasons objectionable, he shall, by written notice, require the owner of the building, land or bustee to provide a privy or urinal, or additional privies or urinals, to the satisfaction of the Chairman: Direction to require provision of privy or urinal for building land or bustee.

Provided that, where a privy or urinal is, or is intended to be, used in common by the occupiers of two or more premises, and the Chairman considers that the same is sufficient for all the occupiers of both or all such premises, he need not require a separate privy or urinal to be provided on or for each of such premises.

313. If it appears to the Chairman that any premises are, or are intended to be, used as a market, railway-station, dock, wharf or other place of public resort, or as a place for the employment of persons exceeding twenty in number in any manufacture, trade or business or as workmen or labourers, he may, by written notice, require the owner or occupier of such premises to provide a sufficient number of privies and urinals for the separate use of persons of each sex. Power to require provision of privies and urinals for premises used by large numbers of people.

314. Privies and urinals, and appurtenances thereof, must be constructed, maintained and regulated in accordance with— Rules for construction, etc., of privies and urinals.

(*a*) the rules contained in Schedule XVI, and

(*b*) requisitions made under such rules.

Recovery by occupier from owner of expenses of making structural alterations in privy or urinal.

315. When the occupier of any building or land pays the expenses of making any structural alterations in a privy or urinal in pursuance of any notice issued under . . . . Schedule XVI, he may deduct the amount thereof from any rent due or thereafter accruing due to the owner of the building or land.

Expenses payable out of municipal funds in certain cases.

316. (1) If, within three years after any privy has been provided or altered with the sanction or on the requisition of the Commissioners, a requisition is made by the Commissioners for the re-building or alteration of such privy, the expenses of such re-building or alteration shall be paid out of the Municipal Funds.

Privies and urinals not belonging to the Commissioners to be subject to inspection and examination.

317. All . . . . privies and urinals which do not belong to the Commissioners, or which have been constructed, erected or set up at the charge of the Municipal Fund, on premises not belonging to the Commissioners, for the use or benefit of the owner or occupier of the said premises, shall be open to inspection and examination by the Commissioners.

Power to open ground, etc., for purposes of such inspection and examination.

318. For the purposes of such inspection and examination, the Commissioners may cause the ground or any portion of any house-drain or other work exterior to a building, or . . . . any portion of a building which they may think fit, to be opened, broken up or removed:

Provided that in the prosecution of any such inspection and examination as little damage as may be shall be done.

Expenses of inspection and examination by whom to be paid.

319. (1) If, upon any such inspection and examination as aforesaid, it is found that the . . . . . privy or urinal examined is in proper order and condition, and that none of the provisions of this Chapter or . . . . Schedule XVI have been contravened in respect of the construction or maintenance thereof, and that no encroachment has been made thereupon, the ground or the portion of any building, house-drain or other work, if any, opened, broken up or removed for the purpose of such inspection and examination shall be filled in, re-instated and made good by the Commissioners.

(2) But if it is found that any . . . . privy or urinal so examined is not in good order or condition, or has been repaired, changed, altered, encroached upon or (except when the same has been constructed by or under the order of the Commissioners) constructed in contravention of any of the provisions of this Chapter or . . . . Schedule XVI or of any enactment at the time in force,

the expenses of the inspection and examination shall be paid by the owner of the premises, and the said owner shall at his own cost fill in, re-instate and make good the ground or the portion of any building, house-drain or other work opened, broken up or removed for the purpose of such inspection and examination:

Provided that the amount recoverable as expenses of such inspection and examination shall not in any case exceed ten rupees.

Power of Commissioners to require pairs, etc., to be made.

320. (1) When the result of the inspection and examination is as described in section 319, sub-section (2), the Commissioners may, by written notice, require the owner of the premises in which the . . . . privy or urinal is situate—

(a) to close or remove the same or any encroachment thereupon, or

(b) to renew, repair, cover, re-cover . . . ventilate, pave and pitch, flush, cleanse or take such other order with the same as the Commissioners may think fit to direct, and to fill in, re-instate and make good the ground or the portion of any building, house-drain or other work opened, broken up or removed for the purpose of the inspection and examination aforesaid.

(2) In any such case as aforesaid, the Commissioners may, forthwith and without notice, stop up or demolish any house-drain by which sewage, offensive matter or polluted water is carried through, from, into or upon any premises in contravention of any of the provisions of this Chapter or . . . . Schedule XVI; and all expenses incurred by the Commissioners in so doing shall be paid by the owner of the premises.

General prohibitions.

Prohibition of certain acts.

326. No person shall,—

(a) in contravention of any of the provisions of this Chapter or . . . . . Schedule XVI, or of any notice issued or direction given thereunder, or without the written permission of the Commissioners,

in any way alter the fixing, disposition or position of, or construct, erect, set up, renew, re-build, remove, obstruct, stop up, destroy or change,

any . . . . privy or urinal, or any . . . . covering or other fitting or appliance connected therewith;

(b) without the written permission of the Commissioners, renew, re-build or unstop any . . . . privy or urinal, or any fitting or appliance, which has been, or has been ordered to be, discontinued, demolished or stopped up under any of the provisions of this Chapter;

(c) without the written permission of the Commissioners, make any encroachment upon, or in any way injure or cause or permit to be injured, any . . . . . privy or urinal; . . . .

Appeal.

Appeal to Commissioners in meeting.

327. (*1*) An appeal shall lie to the **Commissioners in meeting** from—

(*a*) any notice issued or other action taken or proposed to be taken by the Chairman—

(*i*) under .... section 320 ... or

(*ii*) under any by-law made under section 559, ... clause (*12*), or

(*iii*) under .... clause (*n*) of rule 6 in Schedule XVI, or

(*b*) any refusal by the Chairman ..... to grant a written permission under ..... section 326.

(*2*) The decision of the **Commissioners in meeting** on any such appeal shall be final.

General powers of the **Commissioners.**

General powers of Commissioners in respect of house-drains, cesspools, privies and urinals.

328. (*1*) Subject to the foregoing provisions of this Chapter, and to the provisions of .... Schedule XVI,—

(*a*) .... all privies and urinals shall be under the survey and control of the **Commissioners** as regards their site, construction, materials and dimensions and the arrangements for **cleansing or** flushing the same, and

(*b*) the **Commissioners** may, by written notice, require that any .... privy or urinal be altered, paved, repaired, ... ventilated, or kept in such a state of repair as to admit of its being sufficiently cleaned, or be supplied with water, or be connected with a **drain**, or be stopped up or demolished.

(*2*) Every such notice shall be addressed, —

(*i*) if the building or land to which the .... privy or urinal belongs, or for the use of the occupants of which the same was constructed or is continued, is situate in a bustee—to the owner of the land, and

(*ii*) in other cases—to the occupier of the building or land.

(*3*) The expense of executing any work in pursuance of any such notice shall be paid by the person to whom the notice was addressed.

CHAPTER XXX.

DEMOLITION OR ALTERATION ... OF WORK.

Demolition or alteration of work.

450. In any of the following cases, namely :—

(7) if any privy be placed in contravention of rule 1 or sub-rule (*1*) of rule 2 of Schedule XVI, ...

the **Commissioners** may apply to a **Magistrate**, and such Magistrate may make an order directing that the ..... privy .....

(*a*) be demolished by the owner, or altered by him to the satisfaction of the **Commissioners**, or

(*b*) be demolished or altered by the **Commissioners** at the expense of the owner:

Provided that the Magistrate shall not make any such order without giving the owner and occupier full opportunity of adducing evidence and of being heard in defence.

CHAPTER XLIII.

BY-LAWS and RULES.

Powers of Commissioners in meeting for making by-laws.

559. The **Commissioners in meeting** may make by-laws—

(12) regulating, in any particular not specifically provided for in Chapter XXI ..... or Schedule XVI, the construction of ..... privies **and** urinals ... ... and the maintenance, control and cleansing of ..... privies **and** urinals .....

Type plans to be annexed to by-laws.

560. There shall be annexed to by-laws made under .... clause (*12*) ... of section 559 type-plans of all constructions referred to in them, and the said plans shall be open to the inspection of any applicant at the Municipal Office at all reasonable times.

Power to make rules for the amendment of Schedule XVI.

567. (*1*) The Local Government may make rules to regulate any of the matters referred to in section .... 314 ...., and may, by such rules, alter, add to or cancel any of the rules contained in Schedule .... XVI.....

(*3*) All references in this Act to **Schedule XVI** shall be construed as referring to such Schedule as for the time being amended in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) ...

CHAPTER XLIV.

PENALTIES.

574.

CLAUSE.	Subject.	Fine which may be imposed.
Section 314 ...	Construction, maintenance and regulation of privies, urinals and appurtenances thereof.	Two hundred rupees.
Section 320, sub-section (*l*)	Requisition to close, remove, renew or take other order with .... privy or urinal.*	Fifty rupees.
Section 326 ...	Prohibition of certain acts in connection with privies or urinals.	One hundred rupees.
Section 328, clause (*b*) ...	Requisition to alter, pave, etc., ... privy or urinal.	One hundred rupees.
Schedule XVI, rule 2, sub-rule (*l*).	Placing ... privy on upper floor ...	Twenty rupees.
Schedule XVI, rule 3, sub-rule (*l*).	Requisition to form a passage giving access to a privy from the street.	Twenty rupees.
Schedule XVI, rule 16 ...	Requisition to alter privy or urinal erected or re-erected after date of this notification.	Twenty rupees.

575.

CLAUSE.	Subject.	Daily fine which may be imposed.
Section 320, sub-section (*l*).	Requisition to close, remove, renew or take other order with ... privy or urinal.	Five rupees.
Section 328, clause (*b*) ...	Requisition to alter, pave, etc., ... privy or urinal.	Twenty rupees.
Schedule XVI, rule 2, sub-rule (*l*).	Placing ... privy on upper floor ...	Five rupees.
Schedule XVI, rule 3, sub-rule (*l*).	Requisition to form a passage giving access to a privy from the street.	Five rupees.
Schedule XVI, rule 16 ...	Requisition to alter privy or urinal erected or re-erected after date of this notification.	Five rupees.

Fine for disobedience of direction demolition or alteration of work.

581. If any person to whom a direction to demolish or alter is given under clause (*a*) of section 450 fails to obey the same, he shall be liable to fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, and to further fine which may extend to fifty rupees for each day during which he so fails after the first day.

SCHEDULE XVI.

RULES AS TO PRIVIES AND URINALS.

[*See sections 314, 315 ..., 319, 320, 326, 327, 328, 450 (7), 559 (12), 567, 574 and 575.*]

Regulation of site of privies.

1. (*1*) No privy shall be placed in the space required by this Act to be left at the back of a building—

(*a*) unless the total height of the privy does not exceed eleven feet, and

(*b*) .... unless there is a space of at least four feet between the nearest wall and the service aperture of the privy.

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* The preliminary portions of sections 574 and 575 have already been extended to the town of Howrah, by Notification No. 1553M., dated the 17th July, 1903, published in the Calcutta Gazette of the 22nd *idem*, Part IB, page 1[illegible].

(2) No . . . privy situated in, or adjacent to, a building shall be placed at a distance of less than—

(i) six feet from any other building which is a public building, or

(ii) four feet from any other building which is, or is likely to be, used as a dwelling-place, or as a place in which any person is, or is intended to be, employed in any manufacture, trade or business.

Upper floor.

2. (1) No privy shall be constructed on the upper floor of a building, unless it be solely used by the females and children residing in the zenana quarters. Any privy built on an upper floor must be similar in all respects to privies on the ground floor, and must be provided with ample steps or stairs for service. Every privy on an upper floor shall have another privy underneath it.

Provision of access to privy from street.

3. (1) If there is no convenient access from a street to any . . . privy, ... the Commissioners may, if they think fit, by written notice, require the owner of the privy to form a passage giving access to the privy from the street.

(2) Every notice served under sub-rule (1) must require that such passage be formed at ground level, be not less than four feet wide, and be provided with a suitable door, and must inform the said owner that the passage may, at his option, be either open to the sky or covered in.

Models and type-plans.

4. Models and type-plans of privies and urinals, approved by the Commissioners, with estimates of the cost of constructing privies and urinals in accordance therewith, shall be kept in the Municipal Office, and shall be open to inspection by any person at all reasonable times without charge; but no person shall be bound to construct any privy or urinal in accordance with any such model or type-plan if the same be constructed in accordance with the other rules contained in this Schedule.

Drain.

5. (1) A drain must be provided for every . . . privy and every urinal.

(2) Such drain must be constructed of some impervious material, and must connect the floor of the privy or urinal—

(a) with a drain communicating with a municipal drain . . . , or

(b) if permitted by the Commissioners, with an impervious cesspool, the contents of which can be removed . . . . . either by hand or by flow after filtration.

Floor.

6. (1) The floor of every privy . . . . and urinal—

(a) must, if the Commissioners in any case so direct, be made of one of the following materials, to be selected by the owner of the privy or urinal, that is to say, glazed tiles, artificial stone or cement, or

(b) if no such direction is given, must be made of thoroughly well-burnt earthen tiles or bricks plastered with cement and not merely pointed with cement, and

(c) must be in every part at a height of not less than six inches above the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the privy or urinal.

(2) The floor of every . . . privy and every urinal must have a fall or inclination of at least half an inch to the foot towards the drain prescribed by rule 5.

Walls and roof.

7. The walls and the roof of every privy and urinal shall be made of such materials as may be approved by the Commissioners:

Provided that—

(a) in the case of . . . privies, the entire surface of the walls below the platform shall either be rendered in cement or be made as prescribed in clause (a) or clause (b) of rule 6. . . .

Platform.

8. The platform of every . . . . privy or urinal must either be plastered with cement or be made of some water-tight non-absorbent material such as that prescribed in rule 6, sub-rule (1); and must have a fall or inclination of at least half an inch to the foot towards the aperture.

Ventilation of privies and urinals in, or adjacent to, buildings.

9. Every privy or urinal situated in, or adjacent to, a building must have an opening, of not less than three square feet in area, in one of the walls of the privy or urinal, as near the top of the wall as may be practicable, and communicating directly with the open air.

Regulation of construction of privies.

10. Every privy must be constructed in accordance with the following provisions—

(a) the space beneath the platform of the privy must be of such dimensions as to admit of one or two movable receptacles for sewage, of a capacity not exceeding one cubic foot, being placed and fitted beneath the platform in such manner and position as will effectually prevent the deposit, otherwise than in such receptacle, of any sewage falling or thrown through the aperture of the platform;

(b) the privy must be so constructed as to afford adequate access to the said space for the purposes of cleansing such space and of placing therein and removing therefrom proper receptacles for sewage;

(c) the said receptacles must be water-tight, and must be made of metal if their capacity exceeds half a cubic foot, or of well-tarred earthenware or glazed stoneware if their capacity does not exceed half a cubic foot;

(d) the door for the insertion and removal of the receptacles must be made so as to completely cover the aperture.

Enforcement of the forgoing rules.

16. If any privy or urinal erected or re-erected after the date of this notification is so constructed as to contravene any of the provisions of this Schedule, the Commissioners may, by written notice, whether or not the offender be prosecuted under this Act before a Magistrate, require—

(*a*) the occupier of the building to which the privy or urinal belongs, or.

(*b*) (if the privy or urinal does not belong to a building) the owner of the land on which the privy or urinal stands,

to make such alterations as may be specified in the notice with the object of bringing the privy or urinal into conformity with the said provisions.

ANNEXURE II.

Boundary of the area within which the aforesaid provisions are to be enforced.

THE boundary of the area commences from the river Hooghly at the eastern extremity of Joyabibi Lane, and following the northern and western sides of that lane westward to its junction with Kunnopooker Lane; thence along the northern side of the outfall drain on the south of Horo Chandra Dhole's garden to Grish Chandra Ghosh Lane; thence along the eastern side of that lane to a point opposite the junction of Chandalpara Lane; thence across Grish Chandra Ghosh Lane and along the northern side of Chandalpara Lane to Grand Trunk Road; thence across and along the western side of that road to a point 100 feet to the south of Naskerpara Lane; thence in a direct line westward across Malipanchghora paddy fields to the cross culvert on Dhurmotolla Road; thence along the eastern side of that road up to its junction with Lilooah Road; thence along the northern side of that road to the western side of the East Indian Railway old railway bank; thence southwards along the western side of the railway line to the Benares Road level-crossing; thence southward to its junction with Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company's Line; thence along the northern edge of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company's property to its junction with Madhu Sudan Pal's Lane; thence along Madhu Sudan Pal's Lane, including holdings on both sides of the lane, to its junction with Belgachia Road; thence southward along the western boundary of that road to a point on the south-east corner of Dino Sen's garden; thence in a direct line across the paddy-fields to a point on the Makorda Road 1,764 feet west of the junction of Makorda Road and Belgachia Road; thence across that road in a direct line to the north-east corner of Dumrar jola; thence along the eastern and southern edges of that jola to Kedar Nath Bhattacharji Lane forming the Municipal boundary; thence along the western side of this lane to its junction with Circular Road; thence eastward along Circular Road, including holdings on both sides of the lane, to its junction with Ghoshpara Lane; thence along that lane with holdings on both sides of the lane to its junction with Kasundia Haldarpara Lane; thence southward along Godadhur Mistry Lane, with holdings on both sides of the lane to its junction with Kasundia Street; thence westward along that street with holdings on both sides of the street to its junction with Olabibitola Lane; thence along that lane with holdings on both sides of the lane to Mullumanpara Lane; thence along that lane with holdings on both sides of the lane to Circular Road at Chatterji Hât; thence eastward along Circular Road with holdings on both sides of the lane to its junction with Kassy Nath Chatterji Lane. From the junction of Kassy Nath Chatterji Lane and Circular Road the boundary line proceeds south and east along Circular Road, covering a distance of 60 feet from the centre line of road up to the junction of Dompara Lane; thence south along the western side of Dompara Lane to its junction with Andul Road; thence along the western and northern sides of Grand Trunk Road, including a distance of 500 feet from the centre line of the road to its junction with Majerhat Road; thence across that road to a point on the north gate of Royal Botanical Garden; thence along the western edge of Grand Trunk Road to river Hooghly.

ERRATUM.

Balasore.

No. 2313T.M.—The 31st October 1906.—In Notification No. 2080T.M., dated 24th September 1906, published at page 151, Part IB, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem, notifying the names of the gentlemen elected and appointed as members of the District Board of Balasore, *for* "Babu Hem Chandra De" against Sadar Local Board *read* "Babu Lalit Mohan Sircar."

H. J. MCINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

24-Parganas.

No 2083M.—The 5th November 1906.—In Government notification No. 2065T.M., dated the 21st September 1906, published at page 150, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 26th idem, appointing certain gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Halishahar Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *for* "Munshi Muhammad Zulfiquar," one of the Commissioners of the Municipality, *read* "Munshi Muhammad Zulfakar Haidar."

H. J. MCINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Murshidabad Branch, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Saturday, the 10th November 1906, corresponding with the 24th Kartic, 1313 B.S., at village Barasat.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the lands nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Boundary of lot.
				B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	
Nadia	Mauza Barasat, pargana Mamjoan.	7 to 8	Right side	0 7 1·33	0 0 15·059			Between 41 and 42 chains. *North*, *East* and *West*—Fellow land of village Barasat. *South*—Land acquired for Murshidabad Branch Rail-.

Krishnagar, the 20th September 1906.

N. AHMAD, *for* Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Khulna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at 12 noon for the said arrears :—

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

1 Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
Mondleghat, pargana Mondleghat.	3,23,433 3 8	Nil	5g. 11k. ½ til share of the estate.	Jahur Lal Seal ...	5,970 5 3	Nil	89 7 5	Arrears of March 1905.

M. A. KADIR, Dy. Collr. in charge, for Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th November 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 4th February 1907, at 12 o'clock noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate not specifically mentioned in column 5 are excluded from sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of the proprietors of the property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.		As.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
166/1	Ta. Ganeswarpur, Ph. Banchas.	1,619 0 0	.....	Kismat ... 9	Baladeb Prakash Brahmachari.	910 11 0	.....	455 0 0	Due for kist November 1906.
166/2	Ditto	1,619 0 0	.....	Do. ... 7	Chadmoni Dibya, mother and guardian of Hanuman Khuntia, minor, and others.	708 5 0	.....	354 0 0	Ditto.
66	Ma. Drugadaspur, Ph. Kotrahang.	879 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Bhikari Misra and others.	.....	439 0 0	.....	Ditto.
171	Ma. Gope, Ph. Banchas.	555 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Satyabadi Patra and others.	.....	273 4 10	.....	Ditto.
7/6	Killah Balarampur, Ph. Paschhimduai.	2,667 0 0	.....	Kismat ... 4	Mussummat Sadatan Nisa Begam *alias* Chunee Begam and others.	664 4 0	.....	332 2 0	Ditto.

Puri Collectorate, the 15th October 1906. P. C MITTER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on the 15th December 1906 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	nes of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
241	Udanpur, pargana Khatanga.	971 13 0		Residuary share, 8 annas 5 gandas of the entire estate, excepting separate account No. 1.	Rajendra Kishore Mukerjee and others.	501 0 11		5 7 5
				All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.				

Birbhum Collectorate, the 29th October 1906. H. FOSTER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Khulna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 17th December 1906 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
96-3	Panitor, pargana Panitor.	Rs. A. P. Land Revenue—5,651 9 3 Police Revenue—67 3 2	No ...	2a. 12g. 1k. 1kt. ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rai Jatindra Nath Chowdhury and others.	Rs. A. P. Land Revenue—941 14 11 Police Revenue—11 3 2	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Land Revenue—213 4 4 Police Revenue—5 5 4
29	Khalisakhali, pargana Khalisakhali.	897 12 11	The whole	.....	Gopal Chandra Bose and others.	.....	54 4 4	.....
161	Ram Chandranagore, pargana Dhulapur.	1,663 2 5	Ditto ...	.....	Raja Khitish Chandra Rai Bahadur.	.....	99 11 11	.....

A. AHMAD, Collector.

Khulna Collectorate, the 5th November 1906.

Notice of Deaths sent to the Administrator-General of Bengal under section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported and when.	REMARKS.
Mr. F. H. Maclean	Burhagor, a village near Jubbulpore.	12th August 1906	District Judge, Jubbulpore, on 5th October 1906.	Not known whether the deceased has left a Will.
Captain B. D. Fitzpatrick, late District Judge of Sealkot.	Died on his way to England.	7th or 8th May 1906.	District Judge, Sealkot, on 6th October 1906.	No information regarding Will.
Mr. Ashley Biquire, late a Signaller in the Government Telegraph Office, Agra.	Calcutta	28th September 1906.	District Judge, Agra, on 29th October 1906.	Left no Will.
Mr. F. Carstiars, 1st grade Mycok of the Subordinate Civil Service.		23rd July 1906	District Judge, Hanthawaddy, on 24th October 1906.	No Will. No application.

3, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET,
Calcutta, the 31st October 1906.

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 30th October 1906.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		1,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs.	86,42,112 8 11			
Ditto ditto at Branches „	80,00,857 4 3	1,66,42,969	13	2
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...		14,16,15,427	6	3
Bank Post Bills, &c.		8,95,694	14	4
Sundries		23,84,429	10	11
Rupees ...		19,59,88,521	12	8

ASSETS.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities		79,96,222	0	0
Other authorised investments		54,33,228	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities		3,96,57,843	11	3
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto		4,48,52,185	5	10
Bills discounted and purchased		3,53,80,449	9	11
Balances with other Banks		13,52,976	3	4
Bullion				
Dead Stock		18,38,012	5	11
Stamps		10,622	11	10
Sundries		6,30,811	0	1
		13,71,53,351	5	2
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office ... Rs.	2,98,74,063 8 7*			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches ... „	2,89,61,106 14 11†	5,88,35,170	7	6
Rupees ...		19,59,88,521	12	8

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 16,32,705 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 2,67,787 8 0
Rs. 19,00,492 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 1st November 1906.

C. M. BASTIN, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans, 6 per cent.
Percentage 36·43.

HENRY GRAY,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

(1104—1)

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st October 1906.

PARTICULARS.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	2½ PER CENT. LOANS—							4 PER CENT. LOANS—							4½ PER CENT. LOANS—				GRAND TOTAL.
		Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1900-01.		Total.	Of 1832-33.	Of 1835-36.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1870.		Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.	
Balance of 15th October 1906...	84,90,400	1,59,45,100	10,59,63,700	2,18,93,200	1,18,09,000	15,84,700	.....	15,71,94,700	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	16,57,78,333
ADD—																				
Amount of transferred to in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st October 1906 ...	27,000	.....	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	27,500
	85,17,400	1,59,45,100	10,59,63,200	2,18,93,200	1,18,09,000	15,84,700	.....	15,71,95,200	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	16,58,05,833
DEDUCT—																				
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	.....	.....	2,00,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,00,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	2,00,000
Balance on 31st October 1906	85,17,400	1,59,45,100	10,57,63,200	2,18,93,200	1,18,09,000	15,84,700	.....	15,69,95,200	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	16,56,05,833

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st August 1906—Enfaced from India 11,537 lakhs; retransferred from London, 11,241 lakhs.
" 1st September 1906 " 15th September " " " 2 " " " 3 "
" 16th " " " 30th " " " " 1 lakh " " " 1 lakh.
" 1st October " " 15th October " " " " 14 lakhs " " " 1 "
" 16th " " " 31st " " " " ..... " " " 2 lakhs.

11,554 lakhs. 11,248 lakhs.
11,248 "
Balance against India ... 306 "

J. GRAVES,
Offg. Superintendent.

L. G. DUNBAR,
Offg. Dy. Secretary and Treasurer

(1116—1)

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 3rd November 1906.

WANTED for six months an experienced Surveyor on a salary of Rs. 30, *plus* travelling allowance of Rs. 10 a month while in the fields. Preference will be given to a passed student of the Dacca Survey School with some experience in survey works. The selected candidate will have to join at once. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th November 1906.

A. CHATTERJEE,
District Engineer, Jessore.

Jessore, the 16th October 1906. (1083—3)

WANTED a Sorter or Issue Clerk for the Bengal Forms Department on a salary of Rs. 25 per mensem. None need apply who has not passed at least the Entrance Examination of the Calcutta University. Preference will be given to those who have thorough office experience and can work hard.

2. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 11th November 1906.

SRINATH CHAKRAVARTI,
Officer in charge of the Forms Department, Bengal.

Calcutta, the 1st November 1906.

WANTED a duly qualified Overseer for the Churaman Ward's estate in the district of Dinajpur on Rs. 60 per mensem with travelling allowance according to the Civil Service Regulations. Applications will be received up to the 14th November 1906.

S. C. RAY, Manager.

Churaman Post Office, district Dinajpur.

(1117—1)

Wanted

A THIRD PILOT and Harbour Master for the Port of Chittagong. Pay Rs. 250 rising to Rs. 400 by annual increments of Rs. 25 a month.

The appointment has been recommended by the Port Commissioners, but is subject to the sanction of Government.

Applicants must be under 30 years of age and hold a Master's certificate.

Applications with copies of credentials will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th November 1906. Proof of sobriety and good conduct essential.

The candidate selected will be on probation for six months, and will be required to join by 1st December.

D. H. GIBSONE, COMMANDER, R.I.M.,
Port Officer.

Chittagong, the 17th October 1906. (1082—3)

Wanted.

A HEAD CLERK AND ACCOUNTANT for the District Board's Office, Jalpaiguri, on a salary of Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 80 by annual increment of Rs. 5. None need apply who is not qualified under Bengal Government Notification No. 3334 L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901, and who has no experience of office works.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 20th November 1906.

W. D. RITCHIE, Vice-Chairman.

District Board's Office, Jalpaiguri, the 19th October 1906. (1086—3)

Notice.

WANTED a retired Deputy Collector-Magistrate for the revision of Chaukidari Unions in the Saran district for a period of six months on a consolidated salary of Rs. 200 a month, including travelling allowance. The application should reach the undersigned by the 15th November 1906. Preference will be given to candidates from Patna and Bhagalpur Divisions.

(ILLEGIBLE),
Chaukidari Deputy Magistrate.

Chapra, the 22nd October 1906. (1095—3)

Notice.

WANTED a passed and experienced Accountant for the District Engineer's office, Midnapore. Pay Rs. 60—2—80. Increments annual. Applications will be received by Chairman, District Board, Midnapore, up to 20th November 1906.

RAGU NATH DAS, M.A., B.L.,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Midnapore.

The 3rd November 1906. (1110—2)

Notice.

WANTED immediately for the Land Acquisition Office, Purulia-Ranchi Railway, at Ranchi, a Draftsman-Surveyor on Rs. 40 and a Peshkar on Rs. 30.

The appointments will last for about a year, and none need apply who is not prepared to stick up to the completion of the work.

Samples of printing should accompany applications for the Draftsman-Surveyor's post. A fair knowledge of Hindi, Urdu and English is essential for the Peshkar's appointments.

An original certificate of good character from a gentleman should be submitted with each application.

KANTI BHUSHAN SEN,
Land Acquisition Officer.

Ranchi, the 30th September 1906.

Notification under the Indian Treasure Trove Act.

IT is hereby notified under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that about the beginning of August 1906, treasure consisting of the undermentioned articles, and valued at Rs. 17-8, was found by Pavadi and others of Kuntalur while earth was being dug from a manure-pit in the village site of Kuntalur, Kallakurchi taluk, South Arcot district, in the Madras Presidency.

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of South Arcot at his office at Cuddalore on Monday, the 1st day of April 1907, in view to the matter being enquired into or determined according to law:—

	No.	Weight.	Amount. Rs.	A.
Puvarahan ..	4	3⅞ pagoda	15	8
Chilly seed gold coins	2	3/16	0	4
Kilakkai koppu heads	4	¼	0	8
Round nose ring ..	1	3/16	0	12
Large silver ring ..	1	¾ }	0	7
Small ditto ..	1	¼ }		
Old copper coins ..	42	...	0	1
			17	8

(ILLEGIBLE), *for* Collector.

South Arcot Collector's Office, the 25th October 1906.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

Municipal Bye-election Notice.

A VACANCY having occurred in the representation of Ward No. 18, by the death of Mr. C. F. Deefholts, Municipal Commissioner, it is hereby notified, under section 62 and section 53 (4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, that a bye-election will be held on Saturday, the 1st December 1906, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 6 P.M. at the Hastings police-station, No. 5 Middle Road. The voters of the Ward have to elect on that date a Commissioner for their Ward for the residue of the term of office of the said Commissioner, deceased.

Intending candidates should send in their nomination papers to the Chairman not less than fourteen days before the day fixed for election as required by rule 2 of Schedule V of Act III (B.C.) of 1899.

C. G. H. ALLEN, Chairman of the Corporation.

The 30th October 1906. (1114—1)

Corporation of Calcutta.

IT is hereby declared that, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 565 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, the General Committee of the Corporation of Calcutta intend to submit the following draft bye-laws for the consideration of the Corporation.

Any person having any objection to the bye-laws should submit it in writing to the Chairman of the Corporation before the 8th December 1906:—

BYE-LAWS UNDER SECTION 559 (52) OF THE CALCUTTA MUNICIPAL ACT FOR THE REGULATION OF THEATRES.

General Clauses.

1. These bye-laws shall, unless otherwise specified, apply to all theatres and other places of public resort recreation or amusement, whether existing at present or to be hereafter constructed, within the municipal limits of the town of Calcutta.

2. In these bye-laws, the expression "such premises" means and includes a theatre or other place of public resort, recreation or amusement as aforesaid.

3. All parts of such premises shall be properly and sufficiently ventilated in a manner to be approved by the Chairman.

4. A correct plan of the building and seating arrangements shall be framed and hung up in a conspicuous place of such premises, and two copies of the same shall be deposited with the Chairman. Any deviation from such plan without sanction previously obtained from the Chairman shall render the owner or lessee liable to the penalty prescribed in Bye-law 87.

5. The Chairman may cause all such premises to be inspected at least twice yearly.

Entrances and Exits.

6. In all such premises two separate exits shall be provided for every tier or floor which accommodates 300 persons, and additional exits shall be provided for every 150 or part of 150 persons above 300. In calculating the number of persons which can be accommodated in any tier of such premises, the standing space from which a view of the performance can be obtained will be considered as well as the seated areas. For this purpose standing room shall be calculated at 1½ feet square for each person.

7. Each of such exits shall be not less than 5 feet wide between the walls at any point or between the leaves of the doors when open.

8. Every such exit must deliver direct on an open space or thoroughfare.

9. Two separate exits of a minimum width of 5 feet shall be provided from the stage direct to a public street or open space communicating with a public street.

10. One separate exit of a minimum width of 4 feet shall be provided from each block of dressing-rooms direct to a public street or open space communicating with a public street, and shall in no way communicate with the stage.

11. All internal doors shall be so hung as not to obstruct, when open, any gangway, passage, staircase or landing.

12. All exit doors having fastenings shall be fastened by automatic bolts only of a pattern and in a position to be approved by the Chairman.

13. All doors and all gates used for entrances shall be made to open both ways and be so fitted that when opened inwards they can be locked back against the wall in such a manner as to require a key to release them.

14. All doors leading from exit passages, staircases, or corridors to other parts of such premises shall be hung so as to be closed by the stream of persons passing from the auditorium to the street and be fitted with springs.

15. No door-handles or other fittings shall project into exit ways more than one inch when the doors are open.

16. All barriers shall be made to swing or to open outwards with no other fastenings than automatic bolts.

17. No locks, bolts or locking-bars or other obstructions to exits other than as beforementioned shall be fitted on any doors, gates or barriers.

18. All exits and other doors or openings in the theatre used by the public for the purpose of exit shall be indicated by notices clearly painted to the satisfaction of the Chairman.

Corridors and Passages.

19. All corridors and passages must be of a minimum width equal to the total width of all exits with which they communicate. Where possible, inclines shall be used instead of steps.

20. All corridors and passages in such premises shall be kept absolutely free and shall not be used as cloak-rooms or otherwise obstructed in any way.

21. There shall be no recesses or projections in the walls of such corridors and passages within 6 feet of the floor.

Staircases.

22. All staircases in such premises intended for the use of the audience shall be at least 5 feet wide at their narrowest part if they communicate with exits from tiers accommodating not more than 300 persons, and shall be at least 7 feet wide at their narrowest part if they communicate with exits from tiers accommodating more than 300 persons.

23. All staircases shall be provided with treads not less than 11 inches wide and with risers not more than 6 inches high (each lapping at least one inch over the back edge of the step below it), without winders, in flights of not more than 15 or less than 3 steps each.

24. No staircase shall have more than 2 flights of 15 steps each without a turn, the depth of the landing between such flights being at least the same as the width of the staircase.

25. A continuous and uninterrupted hand-rail shall be fixed on both sides of all steps and landings supported by strong metal brackets built into the wall, and such hand-rails and brackets shall not project more than 3 inches.

26. No door shall open immediately upon a flight of steps, but a landing with a minimum distance of 3 feet between the door and the steps shall be provided between such steps and such doorway.

Seating Accommodation.

27. The seating area assigned to each person shall not be less than 2 feet deep and 1 foot 6 inches wide in all parts of the auditorium where no backs or arms are provided to the seat and not less than 2 feet 4 inches deep and 1 foot 8 inches wide where backs or arms are provided. In all cases, however, there shall be a space of at least 1 foot in depth between the front of one seat and the back of the seat immediately in front measured between perpendiculars. Where chairs, and not fixed seats, are used in a theatre they shall be battened together at a distance of not less than 1 foot 8 inches from centre to centre where they have arms and 1 foot 6 inches where they are without arms and in lengths of not less than 4 or more than 12 chairs in a section.

28. Each block of seating shall have a gangway of a minimum width of 3 feet 6 inches all round it provided that where chairs with automatic spring seats are provided in such a manner that when such chairs are unoccupied there is a space of at least two feet between each row of chairs and the row in front, such gangways need not be provided.

Latrines and Urinals.

29. All such premises shall be provided with sufficient and separate latrine accommodation for the use of males and females, and urinal accommodation for the use of males.

Precautions against Fire.

30. No soft wood or other inflammable partitions, screens, or barriers shall be used in any part of such premises, and no cavities shall be left behind any linings. All wood work of the stage shall be rendered non-inflammable or be hard wood. The following shall be deemed to be hard wood for the purposes of these by-laws:—Teak, Sal, Seesum, Sissoo, Padouk, Jharra, Karri, and such other woods as the Chairman may approve.

31. A drop curtain of some fire-resisting material to be approved by the Chairman shall be provided in the proscenium opening and it shall be completely dropped flush with the floor of the stage at least once during each performance.

32. In all such premises where a stage with a proscenium is erected, such stage shall be separated, from the auditorium by a brick proscenium wall not less than 15 inches in thickness, and such wall shall be carried up the full thickness to a height of at least 3 feet above the roof, such height being measured at right angles to the slope of the roof, and shall be carried down below the stage to a solid foundation.

33. Not more than three openings shall be formed in the proscenium wall, exclusive of the proscenium opening.

34. No such opening shall exceed 20 square feet in area. Each of such openings shall be fitted with a wrought-iron door hung so as to close of itself without a spring.

35. All skylights and lantern lights in such premises which may be liable to be broken shall be protected by stout galvanised-iron wire guards securely fastened on the outside.

36. The space underneath the stage shall be entirely enclosed, with the exception of such doors as the Chairman may approve, by a brick wall not less than 10 inches thick and shall be kept entirely clear and empty from all inflammable material or rubbish.

37. Such premises shall be provided with such number of hydrants and of such dimensions as may be required by the Chairman.

38. Each of such hydrants shall be provided with a length of hose of a minimum length of 30 feet with fittings of the Calcutta Fire Brigade pattern and shall be fitted with bibcocks for filling buckets. Three buckets filled with water shall be kept near each hydrant.

39. Where there is no constant supply of water in such premises there shall be provided at some suitable place to be approved by the Chairman two or more cisterns entirely distinct from any cisterns which may be provided for purposes of latrine and urinal flushing to be kept always filled with water.

40. Such cisterns shall be capable of containing in the aggregate at least 250 gallons of water for every hundred persons of the audience to be accommodated in the building.

41. Where such premises are made of wood, cisterns of double this capacity shall be provided.

42. Hand-pumps, hose, buckets and such other small fire-appliances as may be required by the Chairman shall be provided and shall be kept in such a position as the Chairman may direct.

43. Blankets or rugs and buckets filled with water shall always be kept on the stage, in the flies, scence stores or wings, and in the immediate passages approaching the dressing-rooms of such premises, and attention shall be directed to them by placards legibly printed or painted, and set up as the Chairman may direct.

44. A responsible person to be appointed by the Chairman and paid for by the owner of the theater at a rate not exceeding Rs. 5 a performance shall be deputed to remain in the wings of the stage during performances to keep the blankets or rugs and fire-appliances ready for immediate use.

45. Hatchets, hooks and other appliances for taking down hanging scenery in case of fire shall be always kept in readiness for immediate use.

46. The Chairman may order any such premises to be provided with direct telephonic communication with the nearest fire station.

Electric Lighting.

47. *Sanction.*—Before the installation of electric light or any electrical work or apparatus, and before any alterations or additions to the electric installation are commenced, the sanction of the Chairman must be obtained, and plans and specifications must be submitted.

48. *Tests.*—Where electric light is permitted, the Chairman shall obtain a certificate in writing half-yearly to his satisfaction that the system is in proper working order.

49. *Main Circuits.*—All premises lighted by eletric light shall have at least three separate and distinct main circuits: (A) for the stage, (B) and (C) for the auditorium, corridors, exits, and all parts of the house open to the public. The circuits B and C shall be so arranged that approximately half the lights in each division of the auditorium and half those in each corridor, exit, etc., shall be on B and the other half on C circuits, and, as far as practicable, the lights on the two circuits shall be placed alternately. In no case may the two circuits be combined in one fitting, nor shall the wires or leads for one circuit be placed in the same box, tube or casing, etc., as those of another circuit.

A. PERMANENT INSTALLATIONS.

50. *System of Supply.*—Where supply is given on the three-wire system, circuits A and B or A and C may be supplied from the two sides of that system, but the other circuit, C or B, shall be taken from the street side of the main fuses for circuits A and B or A and C. The main leads, etc., for circuit A shall, where possible, be kept entirely on the stage side of the proscenium wall, and those for B and C entirely on the auditorium side of that wall. If it is desired to control a portion of the lights in the auditorium from the stage board (circuit A), this will be permitted if a sufficient number of lights, for safety purposes, be maintained on circuits B and C in each portion of the auditorium, entirely independent of the stage. The number and position of such lights shall be subject to the approval of the Chairman. No other premises and no other part of the same premises than that for which the installation has been sanctioned under Bye-law 47 shall be supplied with electric current from the mains or apparatus installed under such sanction.

51. *Conductors.*—The whole of the conductors throughout the buildings shall be of tinned copper wire having a conductivity which shall in no case be less than 100 per cent. of Mathiessen's standard for pure copper, as defined by the Committee on Copper Conductors, 1899. No conductor of less sectional area than No. 18 S. W. G. or its equivalent in standard wire or flexible chord is to be used. All conductors of a cross-section greater than No. 18 S. W. G. are to be stranded. The current density shall in no case exceed the maximum permitted for high external temperatures by the Rules of the Institution of Electrical Engineers, and in any special case such less current density as may be required by the Electrical Inspector.

52. *Insulation.*—All conductors shall be substantially and carefully insulated with the very best pure and vulcanised India-rubber and India-rubber coated tape, properly protected externally by braided flax or cotton treated with a suitable and recognised preservative coating or insulated and protected by such other means as may be approved at the time. The insulation resistance of conductors used must not in any case be less than 600 mile megohms grade for vulcanised rubber insullation, or for other approved insulation such insulation resistance as may be sanctioned by the Chairman. The name of the manufacturer shall be stated. The thickness of the di-electric must not be less than that permitted by the Rules of the Institution of Electrical Engineers.

53. *Circuits.*—In all circumstances complete metallic circuits shall be employed. Gas and water pipes shal never form part of any circuit. The main circuits A, B and C shall be sub-divided as may be necessary. The number of lamps shall be so sub-divided that no sub-circuit shall carry more than 5 ampères in the case of the auditorium, corridors, etc., or 20 ampères in the case of the stage; and each sub-circuit shall start from a distributing board. The same sub-circuit shall not be used for arc lamps and incandescent lamps. Lights outside buildings shall be on sub-circuits entirely independent of inside lights. These outside sub-circuits may carry any currents not exceeding 20 ampères. Circuits for power purposes shall be kept distinct and separate from lighting circuits.

54. *Lighting of distributing boards.*—There must be a bracket, carrying an 8-c.-p. lamp fixed over each main and branch distributing board, and connected through an independent switch and single pole fuse to the bus bars of that board.

55. *Conductors.*—All conductors shall be efficiently protected from mechanical injury. Where conductors pass through walls, floors or ceilings, they shall be protected by iron pipes with an insulated lining or by glazed stoneware or porcelain tubes, and precautions shall be taken to prevent the possibility of fire or water passing along the course of the conductors. Split tubing must not be used. In special cases, or where necessary for protection from the depredations of rats, mice or other vermin, armoured cables may be used. These need receive no further mechanical protection, but the armouring shall be efficiently and continuously earthed. Lead-covered cables shall not be used unless protected by external armour of iron or steel or enclosed in substantial iron pipes or tubes. Metal fastenings for fixing conductors shall be avoided as far as possible. When they are unavoidable, some additional covering shall be used to protect the conductor, unless armoured, from mechanical injury at the points of support.

56. *Casing and capping.*—If casing be used, it shall be spaced from the walls on insulators; it shall be of teak or other approved hard wood, and each conductor shall be laid in a separate groove, unless previous permission be obtained to vary this condition. In no circumstances shall wires of opposite poles be laid in the same groove, nor wires of the same polarity belonging to different circuits A, B and C. The cover shall be secured with screws at the outer edges. Casings shall, as far as possible, be placed in sight, and the conductors shall always be accessible. Casing shall not be used where it is liable to injury from weather or leakage of water, nor shall it be recessed into plaster.

57. *Pipes.*—No soft or fusible metal tubing shall be used to contain conductors, nor shall any tubing which is not water-tight be embedded in walls or plaster or floors. Where iron pipe or tube is used as a mechanical protection, it shall have an insulating lining, and proper joint boxes shall be used.

58. *External Conductors.*—All external conductors shall be specially insulated and laid in lined iron pipes properly jointed and bushed, and of ample size. Proper joint boxes shall be used wherever joints occur in the conductors. In no case shall conductors belonging to different circuits (A, B and C) be run in the same barrel or be carried through the same boxes. Such iron pipes shall be protected where necessary, and securely fixed and supported when not underground.

59. *Flexibles.*—Flexible conductors if composed of wires smaller than No. 25 S. W. G. shall be of untinned copper wire; if composed of larger wire, the wire shall be tinned. They shall be insulated with pure and vulcanised India-rubber, and have an insulation resistance of not less than 600 megohms per statute mile when tested as above, and shall be protected on the outside by a stout braiding and rubber tube where necessary, as for instance in the orchestra. Should any of these flexible conductors be damaged, they shall at once be replaced. No circuit of this nature shall carry more than 5 ampères, and each circuit shall be protected by a fuse on each pole. The flexible wire shall be at least equivalent to 62-38 S. W. G.

60. *Joints.*—No joints whatever are to be made in any cable or wire without the permission of the Chairman. Connectors are to be used where a joint would otherwise be unavoidable, and they are to be of porcelain or other approved material entirely, mounted upon blocks, the junction being made in an approved manner.

61. *Stage Lighting.*—If the switchboard connections are made at the back of the board, there shall be a space of not less than 3 feet between the wall and the back of the board, or such larger space as may be necessary to ensure the thimbles and connections being at all times easily accessible, or, as an alternative, provision shall be made by hinging the board and placing it on rollers for rendering the back of the board accessible without breaking the connections or dismounting the board. No metal work in connection with the circuits shall be exposed or so fixed or constructed as to be liable to cause a short circuit. The sockets for the stage shall be of hard wood, vulcanite or slate, with metal guards, care being taken to avoid risk of ignition, and they shall be of specially substantial construction.

62. *Footlights, Battens, &c.*—Lamps on battens, footlights, etc., shall be protected by stiff wire guards, so arranged that no scenery or other inflammable material can come in contact with the lamps. No readily combustible material shall be used in connection with any lamps in such a manner that it might come in contact with the lamps. None but approved hard woods shall be used in connection with the lamps, and all wood shall be protected by incombustible material from the possibility of ignition by an arc between any two parts of the two conductors, or by heated particles from any conductor or part of a conductor which may connect together the two main conductors.

Where a number of lights, as in the footlights, battens, etc., are supplied under control of one switch, and protected by one single or double pole cutout, as the case may be, the conductors shall be maintained throughout of a section which has received the sanction of the Electrical Inspector.

The leads to the battens shall be specially guarded, particularly at the points where they join on to the battens, and a sufficient length shall be allowed to prevent the leads receiving any injury through any movement of the battens, and this part of the leads shall be protected by leather or stout waterproof canvas hose, properly fixed. The battens shall be suspended by at least three wire ropes attached to insulators on the battens. On no account shall the same battens be adapted for both gas and electric light.

63. *Arc Lamps.*—Arc lamps shall not be used inside such premises without special permission, and when used special precautions shall be taken to guard against danger from falling glass or incandescent particles of carbon. All parts of the lamps, lanterns and fittings which are liable to be handled (except by the persons employed to trim them) shall be insulated from the frame-work. In no case shall arc lamps be suspended by the conductors.

64. *Cutouts, switches, &c.*—All circuits shall be efficiently protected by fuses placed only at the distribution-boards, which are to be in positions easily accessible to the staff, but inaccessible to the public. All fuses shall be of such pattern and be fixed in such a position as to admit of quick replacement. All circuits shall be provided with a fuse on each conductor, and the two fuses shall not come in the same compartment. All cutouts shall be so constructed that fused metal in falling cannot cause a short circuit or an ignition. All cutouts shall be so marked as to show what circuits or lamps they control.

All exposed metal works, such as fittings, switch and fuse covers, etc., shall be efficiently insulated from the circuits. All switches, cutouts, ceiling-roses, wall and floor sockets, and lamp-holders shall have uninflammable bases and covers. All switches and cutouts shall have sufficient length of break, and shall be constructed so as to prevent the risk of formation of an arc. All lamp-holders shall be of bayonet-socket or other approved form, and shall be fitted with porcelain bridges or some equivalent separation between poles. All switches shall be of ample size to carry the currents for which they are intended without heating, and shall be so constructed that it will be impossible for them to remain in any position intermediate between the "on" and the "off" position, or to permit of a permanent arc or short circuit.

All fittings shall be suspended in an approved manner and special care taken to avoid risk of the suspension failing from any cause. Combined gas and electric fittings shall not be used. All switch and fuse-boards which are not fitted with front connections shall be so mounted as to give instant and easy access to the connections at the back of the board, and shall be provided with dividing strips between poles, both at back and in front, and proper lock-up cases with glass fronts, the glass (unless plate of adequate thickness) being protected by a wire guard.

65. *Resistances.*—Resistances for regulating the power of lights or motors or for other purposes shall be mounted on incombustible bases, and shall be so protected and placed at such a distance from any combustible material that no part of the resistance, if broken, can fall on such material, or *vice versâ*. Liquid resistances shall be provided with proper trays and stands.

66. *Insulation Resistance.*—The insulation resistance of a system of distribution shall be such that the greatest leakage from any conductor to earth, when all branches are switched on, shall not exceed $\frac{1}{10,000}$ th part of the total current intended for the supply of the said lamps and motors, the test being made at the usual working E.M.F. Provided that this bye-law shall not be held to justify a lower insulation resistance than 10,000 ohms.

67. *Supervision.*—The switching gear shall be in the hands of thoroughly competent manipulators.

68. *Motors, &c.*—Motors shall, if permitted, be subject to special conditions, but electric fans and similar motors not taking more than 300 watts may be used if separately wired from fuses on a proper distributing board.

69. *Plan of Wiring.*—A correct plan of the wiring shall be always kept in a prominent position in the office of the manager of such premises.

B. TEMPORARY LIGHTING.

70. When it is desired to instal temporary lighting, notice must be given to the Chairman in writing. Wires and cables shall be adequately and firmly fixed, and shall be similar to the wires already specified in these bye-laws, and in all cases where the wires are within reach of the public they shall be cased. All joints shall be soldered if to be used for more than one week, and if to be used less than a week, the wire shall be soldered if larger than 7-20 S.W.G. or its equivalent. In either case the joints shall be insulated and protected. The circuits shall be sub-divided as much as possible, no sub-circuit exceeding 10 ampères. All temporary work shall be immediately removed when no longer required for the purpose for which it was installed. In the case of temporary work on the stage, all connections to the permanent installation shall be removed immediately after each performance in which they are used, unless permission be obtained to the contrary. Such special conditions as may be requisite in each case will be attached with the consent of the Chairman to the use of temporary electrical work.

GENERAL.

71. All work generally shall be in strict accordance with the rules of the Institution of Electrical Engineers where not otherwise specified in these bye-laws.

72. Should any installation be found by the Chairman to be in a dangerous condition, he may prohibit its further use until the faults have been rectified.

73. At least one bucket filled with dry sand must be kept in some accessible position on the stage, and one must also be kept in each of the intake rooms for use in dealing with an electric fire.

74. Where the supply of energy is obtained from a public supply company nothing in these bye-laws shall render inoperative the rules of the supply company affecting consumers connected to their supply lines.

Lime Light.

75. In cases where lime light is used the following conditions shall be observed:—

(*a*) All cylinders shall be tested to a pressure of 224 atmospheres to the satisfaction of the Chairman who may order such periodical examinations as he thinks fit.

(*b*) Hydrogen and coal gas cylinders shall have left handed threads for attaching connections and shall be painted red.

(*c*) All cylinders shall be used with an approved safety regulator.

(*d*) All cylinders shall be suitably connected with the lantern by means of iron pipe or by means of rubber tubing protected on the outside by canvas and coiled wire, and so arranged that it cannot be affected by the movement of the operator, or by others in the neighbourhood of the lantern.

(*e*) All such lime light apparatus shall be in charge of a competent person to be approved by the Chairman.

(*f*) No gas shall be used otherwise than in cylinders under pressure. The use of bags is strictly prohibited.

Gas Light.

76. In cases where gas is used the following conditions shall be observed:—

(*a*) Separate and distinct gas services and meters shall be provided to the stage, to the auditorium, and to the staircases, corridors and exits.

(*b*) The foot-lights or floats shall be protected by fixed wire-guards.

(*c*) The rows and lines of gas-burners in the wings (which must commence at 4 feet at least from the level of the stage) shall be protected by fixed iron wire-guards.

(*d*) All battens shall be hung by at least three wire ropes, and shall be protected at the back by a solid metal guard and wire fixed to a stiff iron-frame at such a distance from the gas jets that no part of the scenery or decoration can become heated.

(*e*) All moveable lights shall be fitted with flexible tubes and the gas in every case shall be capable of being turned off by the tap on the stage as well as by that on the flexible tube

(*f*) All flexible tubes shall be of sufficient strength to resist pressure from without.

(*g*) If there be a sun-burner in such premises it shall be provided with a pilot light which shall be placed so that such sun-burner can be lighted from the stage.

Acetylene Gas.

77. In cases where acetylene gas is used the following conditions shall be observed:—

(*a*) The gas must be generated and stored at pressure sufficient only for driving it through the burner. The pressure shall not exceed 20 inches in the generator or 6 inches in the holder or service-pipes.

(*b*) The gas shall not be mixed with oxygen or with atmospheric air before it reaches the burner.

(*c*) No apparatus shall be used for generating or storing acetylene gas unless it has been tested and approved by an expert to be appointed by the Chairman, and all such apparatus will be subject to periodic examination at the discretion of the Chairman.

(*d*) Every such apparatus shall be placed in a building outside that in which the gas is used.

(*e*) Such out-buildings shall be separate as far as possible from inhabited buildings, and shall be well ventilated. All usual precautions shall be taken to prevent escape of the gas and firing of the same in the generating room.

(*f*) No person shall have charge of the apparatus unless he has been properly instructed in its management to the satisfaction of the Chairman.

(*g*) The gas shall not be allowed to come into contact with copper or copper alloys, either in the generator and storage vessels or in the pipes and fittings.

78. As regards fittings the bye-laws applicable to gas lighting will also apply to acetylene lighting.

79. Under no circumstances will the production or use of highly compressed or liquified acetylene be permitted.

Cinematograph Lanterns.

80. The owner or lessee of such premises shall give the Chairman 24 hours' previous notice of any intended exhibition of a cinematograph lantern or other similar apparatus involving the use of a lengthy combustible film.

81. The films, when not actually passing through the lantern, shall be kept enclosed in metal cases. The film which is passing through the lantern shall be re-wound, either automatically or by hand upon another bobbin as fast as it emerges from the lantern front or at least directed by one of the operators into a large box lined with asbestos-board. A trough of glass full of alum water in front of the condenser, in order to intercept the heat from the illuminant, shall be provided at the discretion of the Chairman.

82. A wet blanket or other large and heavy wrapper shall be kept ready to smother fire in case of accident.

83. Acetylene gas shall not be used in cinematograph lanterns.

84. Not less than two operators shall be engaged in manipulating such lantern, and no other persons shall be within ten feet of the lantern during the exhibition. The whole duty of one of the operators shall consist in taking charge of the film after it has passed through the lantern.

85. No match, candle or any other naked light shall be used, nor shall smoking be allowed in proximity to the lantern.

Fee for Inspections and Tests.

86. The fee for all inspections and tests under these bye-laws shall be paid by the owner of the theatre, an shall be on a scale to be fixed by the Chairman.

Penalty Clause.

87. Every person guilty of a breach of any of these bye-laws shall be punishable (*a*) with fine which may extend to twenty rupees, and, in the case of a continuing breach, with fine which may extend to ten rupees for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach, or (*b*) with fine which may extend to ten rupees for every day during which the breach continues after receipt of written notice from the Chairman to discontinue the breach.

P. N. MOOKERJEE, Offg. Secy. to the Corporation.

The 29th October 1906. (1105—*1*)

Abstract Statement of the Audited Accounts of the Hindu Family Annuity Fund for the quarters ended 30th June, 30th September and 31st December 1905.

RECEIPTS.	Quarter ended 30th June 1905.	Quarter ended 30th September 1905.	Quarter ended 31st December 1905.	DISBURSEMENTS.	Quarter ended 30th June 1905.	Quarter ended 30th September 1905.	Quarter ended 31st December 1905.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
General subscription ...	8,672 14 11	8,685 10 7	9,030 3 1	Annuity	8,089 10 6	7,756 14 3	8,315 10 3
Interest	15,497 13 1	0 6 9	15,750 5 6	Government of India for deposit.	24,369 1 2	9,716 1 10	24,791 8 7
Miscellaneous receipts ...	276 15 7	3 14 0	3 7 0				
Government of India for expenditure, etc.	9,500 0 0	9,500 0 0	33,589 7 9	Government securities in deposit with the Government of India.			25,000 0 0
Entrance fees	6 0 0	9 0 0	18 0 0				
Deposits	48 9 9	102 12 0	130 12 6	Advances recoverable			123 15 4
Advances recoverable ...	252 12 5	.....	.....	Deposits ...	170 14 9	281 8 6	177 9 9
Investment account	.....		565 11 7	Interest on Reserve Fund ...	4,081 0 6		
Guarantee Fund	382 10 7			Ditto on Employe's security deposits.	31 4 0		
Relief Fund ...	956 10 5						
Special Relief Fund	765 5 2			Relief Fund	514 1 6	.....	.....
Abatement Fund	1,721 15 6			Management charges	836 4 3	798 12 0	1,211 8 0
Opening Balance ...	2,043 0 6	2,466 14 6	2,894 10 0	Closing Balance	2,043 7 3	3,215 5 3	2,292 5 6
Total ...	40,134 11 11	20,768 9 10	61,912 9 5	Total	40,134 11 11	20,768 9 10	61,912 9 5

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PRAN KISSEN BOSE,
Secretary.

No. 1 MIRZAPORE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 30th October 1906.* (1103—1—944)

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE IN REGARD TO IMPORTATION AND DELIVERY OF SUGAR LANDED AT THE JETTIES.

IT is hereby notified for the information of Importers of sugar that on and after the 1st of December, 1906, all consignments of sugar landed at the Jetties and remaining undelivered after the expiration of three clear working days from the time of landing will be removed to Dock sheds "A" or "B" or any other shed or warehouse that the Commissioners may appoint and will be liable from the time that the free days expired to the following charges, viz.—

Scale of Charges.

Removing and stacking in the sheds and afterwards reloading into railway wagons or carts—per bag not exceeding 2 cwts. ... ... 6 pies.

Rent will also be charged at the following rates:—

For the first month or part of a month.

Per bag of 1½ cwts. ... ... 3 pies.
of 2 „

For the second month or part thereof.

Per bag of 1½ cwts. ... ... 4 „
„ „ of 2 „ ... ... 5 „

For the third month and thereafter for every month or part of a month.

Per bag of 1½ cwts. ... ... 6 pies.
„ „ of 2 „ ... ... 8 „

2. The consignments that are discharged from vessels at the Jetties will be subject to the rates and regulations which may be in force at the Jetties for the time being The date of landing the consignments at the Jetties will be taken as the date from which the free days will run.

3. The consignments to be despatched by rail to stations on the Commissioners' line of railway or to stations up-country will, in the case of goods for which the despatching instructions have been given before the expiration of the free days, be loaded at the Jetties and despatched from there direct, but no instructions will be received at the Jetties on consignments which have already been despatched to the Docks at the expiration of the free days; for such consignments wagons will be supplied at the Docks and there only.

4. Sugar which has been railed to the Docks and stored in the appointed sheds after the expiration of the free days at the Jetties will, if consignees desire to take delivery at the Jetties for sale in the town, be railed up to the Jetties free of any further charges.

The above scale of charges has been framed by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta under section 105, Act III (B.C.) of 1890, and approved by the Local Government in letter No. 2008 Marine, dated 29th October 1906, and is published for general information under the provisions of section 107 of the said Act.

H. C. HARVEY, Secretary.

The 31st October 1906. (1105—1)

Vessel.	Marks and Nos.	Description.
S.S. "Amora"	N. Lyall Bros. ...	1 case samples of dried fruits.
„ "Laisang"	Elliott and Co. ...	1 parcel unknown.
„ "Suisang"	M. B. C. C	1 case salmon.
„ "Buryalus"	Robinson and Co. Morrison	1 package samples of chaff.
„ "Rajah"	F. F. C.	1 barrel sugar.
„ Do.	Do.	1 do. do.
„ "Scindia"	B M	1 cask pitch.
„ "Pasha"	Patent Darby Horse Food.	10 bags horse food.
„ "A. Apcar"	M. N. Adis ...	2 cases wine.
„ "G. Apcar" ...	P L P	1 case Japanese Beer.
„ "C. Apcar" ...	Nil	4 pieces planks.
„ Unknown ...	B Calcutta 1	1 bundle Polo sticks.
„ "Quilon" ...	B B ...	1 Do. sugar.
„ Do. ...	D D	1 barrel do.
„ "Fooksang" ...	Miss Leslie Rose ...	1 box medicines.
„ "Lightning" ...	R & T	1 bundle tea shooks.
„ Ditto	S O	1 Do. do.
„ "Crostafels" ...	Messrs. Partridge and Co.	1 parcel unknown.

The above will be sold if not cleared on or before the 14th November 1906

L. F. MORSHEAD,
Collector of Customs.

Calcutta, the 19th October 1906.

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 052586 and 009613 of the 3½ per cent. of 1865 and 1864-65 for Rs. 500 each originally standing in the name of Joggeshur Chandra Chunder and last endorsed to Baikuntha Nath Datta, Bhusan Chandra Bhattacharjee, Kartick Chandra Ray Chowdhury, Madhusudan Rao, Jadunandan Majumdar and Visvanath Kar, the proprietors, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of Duplicates in favour of the proprietors. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned securities.

BAIKUNTHA NATH DATTA,
BHUSAN CHANDRA BHATTACHARJEE,
KARTICK CHANDRA RAY CHOWDHURY,
MADHUSUDAN RAO,
JADUNANDAN MAJUMDAR,
VISVANATH KAR,
Executors to the estate of late BABU JUGGOMOHAN RAY, Alumchand Bazar, Cuttack.

Cuttack, the 7th October 1906. (1111—3 945)

Road Cess Notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the District Board of Shahabad have, at a special meeting held on the 26th October 1906, determined that the road cess for the next year, 1907-1908, shall be levied at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value and annual net profits as described in section 6 of Act IX of 1880.

SURENDRALAL MITTRA,
for Chairman, District Board, Shahabad.

Arrah, the 29th October 1906. (1103—1)

NOTICE.

HAZARIBAGH DISTRICT.

Road-Cess Notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the District Board of Hazaribagh have at an ordinary meeting held on the 4th October 1906, determined to levy the Road-cess in the district, during the ensuing financial year, at the maximum rate, *i.e.*, half-an-anna in the rupee on the annual value of lands and mines, etc.

J. A. L. SWAN,
Chairman, District Board.

Hazaribagh, the 2nd November 1906. (1113—1)

SUSILMADHUB MULLICK, M.A., B.L., Pleader, Judge's Court, 24-Parganas, intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.

(1085—4—922)

SUDHINDRA NATH TAGORE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court.

(1076—4—915)

BABU SATIS CHANDRA BHATTACHARYA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court.

(1099—4—935)

Road Cess Notification.

DISTRICT BURDWAN.

IT is hereby notified that the District Board of Burdwan, at a special meeting held on the 29th October 1906, have resolved that the Road Cess in that district be levied at the maximum rate of half anna in the rupee on the annual value of lands and net profit on mines during the ensuing financial year 1907-08.

W. S. ADIE,
Chairman, District Board, Burdwan.

Burdwan, the 31st October 1906. (1115—1)

Notice.

THE six Government Promissory Notes for Rs. 35,000 showing the number, loan, amount and name of original holder of each as detailed below and last endorsed to Syed Mahammad Fayaz Ali Khan, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the said notes and the interest thereon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of Duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the said notes.

Nos. of Notes.	Loans.	Names of original holders.	Amounts.
			Rs.
029122	3½ per cent. of 1900-01.	Bank of Bengal ...	25,000
027645		Prosad Das Boral and Bros. ...	5,000
012050		Binoy Krishna Hazra ...	2,000
028741		Ditto ...	1,000
037167	3 per cent of 1896-97.	Bank of Bengal ...	1,000
037168		Ditto ...	1,000
6		Total ...	35,000

Name of Advertiser—Syed Mahammad Fayaz Ali Khan.

Residence—Deorhi Jaffragunj, post Nashipur, district Murshidabad.

(1078½—3—937)

Notice

IS hereby given that the District Board of 24-Parganas, at their meeting held on the 16th October 1906, have resolved that the Road Cess be levied at the maximum rate of half anna in the rupee on the annual value of all lands in the district during the year 1907-08.

J. H. BERNARD,
Chairman, District Board, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 22nd October 1906. (1067—3)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge at Purulia.

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

(Sections 64 and 68 of the Code of Civil Procedure.)

SUIT No. 44 OF 1906.

DISTRICT MANBHUM.

To Nil Kant Bhattacharjee, dwelling at Giridhi, district Hazaribagh.

WHEREAS Rajendra Narayan Bagchi and others have instituted a suit against you for the price of coal amounting to Rs 1,615-0-9, you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a duly-authorized Pleader of the Court, duly instructed and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit on the 1st day of November 1906 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to answer the above-named plaintiffs; and as the day fixed for your appearance is appointed for the final disposal of the suit, you must be prepared to produce all your witnesses on that day; and you are hereby required to take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

MAHIM CHANDRA SARCAR,
Sub Judge.

Purulia, the 29th October 1906. (1101—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge at Purulia.

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

(Sections 64 and 68 of the Code of Civil Procedure.)

SUIT No. 72 OF 1906.

DISTRICT MANBHUM.

To Bhola Nath Das and Basaria Coal Company, Ld., dwelling at Chandernagore.

WHEREAS Raja Durga Prasad Singha of Jharia has instituted a suit against you for minimum royalty, Rs. 38,960-9-6, you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a duly-authorized Pleader of the Court, duly instructed and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit on the 3rd day of November 1906 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to answer the above-named plaintiff, and as the day fixed for your appearance is appointed for the final disposal of the suit, you must be prepared to produce all your witnesses on that day; and you are hereby required to take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

MAHIM CHANDRA SARCAR,
Sub-Judge.

Purulia, the 29th October 1906. (1102—1)

In the first Court of the Munsif at Baruipur.

EXECUTION CASE No. 1843 OF 1906.

Jogendra Nath Das, of Mojilpur, decree-holder, *versus* Prionath Mitra, Probodha Chandra Mitra, Subodha Chandra Mitra and Sachindra Nath Mitra, of Mojilpur, judgment-debtors.

Decree-holder's claim Rs. 818-5-15gds.

TWO annas seven half gundas share of taluk No. 1534, sadar jama of which is Rs 14,681-6-4, situate within thana and Sub-Registry Joynagore, pargana Moyda, is to be sold on 3rd December 1906 by the Nazir of this Court.

NAGENDRA NATH CHATTERJEE, Munsif.

Baruipur, the 2nd November 1906. (1107—3)

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.	Route by which despatched.
	1906. P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	Nov. 8 At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	,, 7 Parcels, 5 P.M.; M.-O., 4 P.M.	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ...	,, 12 At 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
† Straits Settlements, China and Japan.	,, 9 ,, 8-30	Per steamer *Lai Sang*.
Burma	,, 8 ,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	,, 10 ,, 7-30	Ditto ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	,, 9 ,, 7-30	Ditto ditto.
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South Africa (Letters) ...	,, 8 ,, 7-30	Per steamer *Umfuli* from Colombo.
Ditto (Parcels)	,, 8 ,, 5	
South Africa (Letters), Supplemental.	,, 9 ,, 7-30	
Ditto (Parcels), Supplemental.	,, 9 ,, 5	
Port Blair	,, 10 ,, 7-30	*Via* Rangoon.

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail

steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that they may proceed by any steamer from Colombo that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

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For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.
For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.
For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 4-15 P.M.
For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 1-15 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 1-35 P.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.:—

For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.
For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-55 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 4-15 P.M.
For the Bombay Mail *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa, Madras Presidency and Ceylon, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, Darjeeling, and places on the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway, at 7-30 P.M.

and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—

For the Bombay Mail *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa, Madras Presidency and Ceylon, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

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6. On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Thursday) the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles, without the late fee, at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-45 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On the day of despatch of any Foreign Mail by sea, the letter-box will be cleared for the last time, without the late fee, up to 8-30 P.M., and late letters and papers up to 9 P.M. and late registered letters will be received from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 5th November 1906.*

JOHN OWENS, *Presidency Postmaster.*

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 2nd November 1906.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water soundings. Ft.	in.	REMARKS.
Jalangi	Entrance from Ganges	12	0	
	Thence to Geriah	6	0	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur	5	0	Kanupur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	3	6	Amaulganj.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa...	4	6	Bhoot-ghat.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	8	5	Katwa.
Bhairab	Entrance from Ganges ...	7	0	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	5	0	Sarina.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi ...	5	6	Goraipur.
	Thence to Patkabari ...	7	6	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nauia ...	8	0	Gowghatta.
Mathabhanga	Entrance from Ganges	4	9	
	Thence to Dewanganj ...	6	9	Dewanganj.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	6	6	Dharmodaha.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	5	6	Seala.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...	8	8	Mahespur.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissenganj and Hanskhali ...	11	0	Shibnibash.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level.	REMARKS.
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges ...	Sahebganj ..	3-11-1906	3	4·58	72·58	Falling.
	Rampur Boalia...	.....	...	...	...	...
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah...	4-11-1906	A.M. 7	10·40	58·40	Falling.
	Entrance of Bhairab Jalangi, Akriganj ..	4-11-1906	A.M. 7	7·13	46·10	Do.
	Entrance of Mathabhanga ...	.....	...	...	...	...
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	4-11-1906	A.M. 8	28·15	54·95	Falling.
	Berhampore ...	5-11-1906	A.M. 7	10·08	43·83	Do.
	Katwa ...	3-11-1906	P.M. 5	16·80	31·96	Rising.
Jalangi	Krishnagar ...	2-11-1906	...	13·75	...	Falling.
	Sarupganj ...	4-11-1906	Noon 12	14·10	14·10	Rising.
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali ...	3-11-1906	P.M. 4	10·90	21·75	Do.

U. P. BAGCHI, *Accts.*,
for *Offg. Exe. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.*
Berhampore, the 5th November 1906.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1906.*

BAY OF BENGAL—ORISSA COAST.

False Point anchorage—Outer Ridge buoy adrift.

No. 421 (first publication).—A telegraphic communication has been received from the Port Officer, Cuttack and Balasore ports, stating that the Outer Ridge buoy, False Point anchorage, has broken adrift and will be replaced as soon as possible.

The 31st October 1906.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Caution—Position of a derelict.

No. 422 (first publication).—A telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Burma, stating that the Master of the *Taroba* has reported having passed on the 28th October a derelict, with seas washing over her in lat. 15° 47½′ N., long. 93° 57¾′ E., bearing N. 66° W. (true), distant 13½ miles from Alguada light-house. Mariners are hereby warned.

The 1st November 1906.

AFRICA, SOUTH COAST—CAPE COLONY.

Algoa bay—Cape Recife light.

No. 423 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1116 of 1906) that Notice to Mariners No. 926 of 1906, relating to cape Recife light, Algoa bay, is hereby cancelled.

Further Notice will given.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 1¼′ S., long. 25° 42′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Cape St. Francis to Waterloo bay, No. 2085; Algoa bay, No. 642: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 15; and Africa Pilot, part III, 1905, page 125.

Note.—This cancels Notice to Mariners No. 358, dated 21st September 1906, issued by this office.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Mirs bay.

Grass island—Shoal spit to the eastward.

No. 424 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1120 of 1906) that the 3-fathoms contour line off the east coast of Grass island, Mirs bay, to the south-westward of Kong chau (North Gau), extends in the form of a spit about 80 yards further to the north-eastward than is at present shown on the chart.

A rock, with a depth of 5 feet over it at low water, exists on the north-eastern extremity of this spit at a distance of 1¼ cables from the coast of Grass island, from it the summit of Kong chau bears N. 39° E., distant 3¼ cables, and Wintz hill N. 75° W. Within the 3-fathoms line the spit quickly shoals to a depth of only 9 feet over boulders.

The passage between Grass island and Kong chau should, therefore, no longer be used.

Approximate position, lat. 22° 29′ N., long. 114° 22′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Mirs bay, Nos. 1964, 3474; Long harbour and approaches, No. 3386: Also, China Sea Directory, vol., III, 1904, page 130.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Hongkong approach.

Fo tau mun pass—Rocks.

No. 425 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1121 of 1906) that a patch of rocks, with a least depth of 2 fathoms over them at low water, exists on the northern side of the Fo tau mun pass, in a position from which the rock (30 feet high) off Fo tau point bears N. 80° E., distant $1\frac{n}{10}$ cables, and the eastern point of Lamtong island S. 11° E.

There is a depth of 3 fathoms close southward of these rocks.

Approximate position, Fo tau point, lat. 22° 15¾′ N., long. 114° 18′ E.

(Variation 1° Easterly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Hongkong, with plan of Fo tau mun pass, No. 1466: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 66.

PERSIAN GULF—Kuweit approach.

Ras al Arz—Shoal to the southward—Buoy established.

No. 426 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1134 of 1906 that a shoal with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, and 7 fathoms around, composed of mud and coral, on which the S.S. *Kotla* grounded, exists on the western side of the approach to Kuweit harbour, in a position from which Hill fort bears S. 82° W., distant 3½ miles, and the beacon on Ras al Arz N. 3° W.

A cask, painted red and surmounted by a red flag, has been moored on the shoal; but its existence must not be depended on.

Approximate position, lat. 29° 17½′ N., long. 48° 7½′ E.

(Variation Nil in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Persian gulf, No. 2837b; Kuweit harbour, No. 22: Also Persian gulf Pilot, 1898, page 155; and Supplement, 1905, page 19.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Sumatra, south coast—Lampong bay.

Telok Betung light—Character altered.

No. 427 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 374, dated the 6th October 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1139 of 1906) that the character of Telok Betung light has been altered from red fixed to *white flashing every three seconds*, thus:—light, *one second*; eclipse, *two seconds*. The light, which is now visible 12 miles, is of the 6th order.

In other respects the light is unaltered.

Approximate position, lat. 5° 26¾′ S., long. 105° 16½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Tyingkok bay to Sunda strait, No. 2761; Sunda strait and approaches, No. 2056; Telok Betung, No. 940: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 467; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 364.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Caution—Position of a capsized country craft off Mount Dilli.

No. 428 (first publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 114 of 1906) that the Master of S. S. *Florican* reports that at 3-30 P.M. he passed in latitude 11° 55′ N. and longitude 75° 0′E., Mount Dilli bearing N. 66°E., distant 16 miles, a two-masted country craft capsized with sails set and painted top side green and bottom white, number on side board 2405O.

Caution.—This derelict is a great danger to navigators.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Mulki to Mount Dilli, No. 746; Visiadrug to Cochin, No. 2737; Vengurla to Cape Comorin, No. 827: Also West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, fourth edition, 1898, page 142.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Buoys between Alibag and Vengurla replaced.

No. 429 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 240, dated the 25th June 1906, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 112 of 1906) that the undermentioned buoys were replaced in position on the datee marked against each :—

Alibág Buoy	24th September 1906.
Ambulgad Reef Buoy, Jaitapur	24th
Málvan Harbour Buoys	19th
Chaldea Rock Buoy	24th
Málvan Outer Rock Buoy	21st
Johnstone Castle Rock Buoy	22nd
Vengurla Harbour Buoys	26th
Bhatkal Buoy ...	20th
Murdeshwar Buoy ...	21st

BAY OF BENGAL—Singapur strait.

Cyrene shoal—Wigham buoy to be painted white.

No. 430 (first publication).—The Acting Master Attendant, Straits Settlements, has given notice, dated 17th October 1906, that on and after the 1st December 1906 the superstructure of the Wigham buoy, moored off the Cyrene shoal, Singapur, will be painted white.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Caution—Position of a derelict reported.

No. 431 (first publication).—A telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Burma, stating that the Master of the S. S. *Rampuna* reports having passed a derelict on lat. 16° 16′ N., long. 96° 33′ E. Mariners are hereby warned.

The 5th November 1906.

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—Melville island and Dundas strait.

Parry Shoal—Depth of water incorrectly shown on chart.

No. 409 (second publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 15 of 1906) that the Master of the S.S. *Empire* reports that when passing Parry Shoal at 6 P.M. on the 6th May 1906, at a distance of half-a-mile, he noticed a very heavy break on the five-fathom Patch, marked on the Chart—

Lat. 11° 10′ S.
Long. 129° 40″ E.

From this the Master presumed that the depth of water as shown on the Chart is incorrect.

Mariners are warned to avoid the vicinity.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—Backstairs passage.

Yatala Shoal—Buoy with spherical top placed.

No. 410 (second publication).—The President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 16 of 1906) that, on or about 24th September, a buoy with a Spherical Top surmounted by a Half Globe, round side up, and painted red and white (horizontal bands), will be placed in five (5) fathoms L.W.S. on the N.W. side of the Yatala Shoal.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—Spencer gulf.

Middle bank lightship replaced in position.

No. 411 (second publication).—Referring to the removal of the light-vessel from Middle bank for overhaul, the President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given further notice (No. 17 of 1906) informing Masters of vessels and others that the lightship has been replaced.

This affects Admiralty Chart 3389B.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—Gulf of St. Vincent.

Port Adelaide river—Additional new beacons placed—Amended sailing directions.

No. 412 (second publication).—The President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 18 of 1906) that in accordance with previous notices, eight extra Beacons have been placed on the north and east side of the cutting. The Beacons are painted black, and the lanterns green, from which a green light showing towards the cutting is exhibited; a white light is also exhibited from the back of each lantern showing towards the shore.

All the green light Beacons are numbered from the first or seaward Beacon with the letter "G" added, as follows:—No. 0G being outside Beacon; No. 1G, near the reflecting Beacon; No. 2G, opposite the old boat channel This light indicates the turning point from No. 2 (red) lead towards No. 3 All the others, that is, Nos. 3G to 9G, both inclusive, are placed opposite the corresponding numbers of the white light Beacons on the other side of the cutting.

All the single light Beacons are placed about 15 feet back from the cutting, and painted red to starboard and black to port. The lights are white to starboard and green to port from seaward.

The red light on the pile Beacon south of No. 3 being no longer required has been discontinued.

In consequence of the above alterations the sailing directions have been amended to read as follows:—

Sailing directions.

By Night.—In approaching the Anchorage, vessels of deep draught should not bring the white light on the old structure to bear north of N.E. by E. in order to avoid the four-fathom patch, which bears N.W. half N. from the light on Wonga Shoal; then get No 1 lead (which consists of two red lights vertical 10 feet apart, and two white lights vertical 11 feet 9 inches apart) in line; keep these in line passing between the occulting light on the red buoy and the outer green light on the north bank, also between the other green lights on the north bank and the white lights on the revetment mound.

Steer on the same line until the two red lights of No. 2 lead are coming on; then steer with them in line until abreast of No. 2G Beacon; then direct the course to pass between No. 3 and No. 3G Beacons; and so on from Beacon to Beacon round the point until No. 9 is reached. From a safe distance off No. 9 the lights of No. 10 lead will be seen; keep them in line until the red light is about a quarter of a point open to the right of the white light of No. 11 lead; then gradually alter the course to bring the lights of No. 11 lead in line; keep them in line (a sharp look-out being kept for the mooring buoys on the starboard hand) until the lights of No. 12 lead are seen coming into line; proceed as before by altering the course before the lights are on with each other. The same applies in the change from No. 12 to No. 13 lead. When the lights on the wharves are seen opening out off Luff Point, alter the course so as to round the point at a safe distance, and then up the centre of the channel, looking out for the mooring buoys on the starboard hand.

In going outwards the directions are just the opposite to those given for coming inwards; but in such case, in changing from one lead to another, the course should be gradually altered when abreast of the low (red) Beacon of each lead, except No. 2 lead. In this case, when abreast of No. 3 Beacon, gradually alter the course to a safe distance off No. 2G until the two red lights of No. 2 lead are in line, then proceed outwards with No. 2 lead in line.

By Day.—The directions by day are the same as by night, merely substituting the Beacons for the Lights.

This affects Admiralty Charts 2389A and B, 1750 and 1752.

During the progress of the work at the Light's Passage Harbour Works, masters of vessels exempt from pilotage may, if they so desire, avail themselves of the services of a pilot to assist them in passing such works, either in or out, at one-half the usual rates.

If the usual exemption flag is not hoisted it will be taken as a signal that a pilot is required. At night if a pilot is required the usual signal for a pilot should be shown.

N.B.—Owing to the nature of the work in progress, this notice may require to be amended from time to time, and therefore should be treated as tentative only.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—SPENCER GULF.

Corny Point light—Alteration in character.

No. 413 (second publication).—The President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 19 of 1906) that it is intended, on or about the 1st January 1907, to alter the characteristics of the above Light in the following respects:—

Instead of the Light being obscured over the Webb Rock and thence inshore as at present, a Red Sector will be shown over this Arc, *i.e.*, between the bearings of N.E. ½ E. and N.E. by N. ¾ N., where it is shut in by the first point to the Southward of the Light-house.

The Red Sector will be visible for 14 miles, the full range of the Light.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 2389A.

Note.—This cancels Notice to Mariners No. 379, dated 6th October 1906, issued by this office.

CHINA—YANG TSE KIANG.

Harvey point channel—Buoys removed. Actæon shoal—Colour of S.E. Spit buoy altered.

No. 414 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1091 of 1906) that, owing to the disuse of Harvey point channel, Yang tse kiang, the buoys marking it, viz, Cone Tree buoy, N.E Actæon buoy, the Fairway buoy, and Mason Bank buoy, have been withdrawn.

A red spar buoy has been placed in the position formerly occupied by Mason Bank buoy for the guidance of native craft.

The S.E. Spit light-buoy, formerly painted in red and black vertical stripes, has been painted red.

Approximate position, S.E. Spit buoy, lat. 31° 35¾′ N., long. 121° 18½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Shanghai to Nanking, No. 2809: Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 431.

CHINA—YANG TSE KIANG ENTRANCE.

South channel—Buoys established.

No. 415 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1095 of 1906) that a good channel having been formed through the banks of the South channel, Yang tse kiang entrance, northward of Tungsha light-vessel and Middle ground, this channel would, on or about the 5th August 1906, be buoyed provisionally as follows:—

(*a*) Tungsha bank buoy, red conical, surmounted by staff and black ball, moored in a depth of 25 feet at low water to the south-eastward of the Tungsha banks, at a distance of 8 miles, S. 77° E., from Tungsha light-vessel.

(*b*) Tungsha buoy, red conical, surmounted by staff and black triangle, moored in a depth of 18 feet, to mark the southern edge of the Tungsha banks, at a distance of 2¼ miles, N. 17° E., from Tungsha light-vessel.

Approximate position, Tungsha light-vessel, lat. 31° 8¾′ N., long. 122° 0′ E

(*c*) House island buoy, red spherical, moored in a depth of 17 feet, to mark the edge of the bank extending south-eastward from House island, at a distance of 4 miles, S. 48° E., from House island beacon.

(*d*) House island crossing buoy, conical, painted in red and black vertical stripes, surmounted by staff and black diamond, moored in a depth of 17 feet, to mark the crossing on to the Kiutoan flats, at a distance of 1$\frac{5}{10}$ miles, S. 47° W., from House island beacon.

(*e*) Kiutoan flats buoy, black conical, moored in a depth of 17 feet, to mark the northern edge of the Middle ground, at a distance of 2$\frac{1}{10}$ miles, S. 86° W., from House island beacon.

Approximate position, House island beacon, lat. 31° 16½′ N., long. 121° 51½′ E.

(*Variation 2° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kue shan islands to the Yang tse kiang, No. 1199; approaches to the Yang tse kiang, No. 1602: Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, pages 406—408.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES—GULF OF BONI.

Cape Tabako—Reef to the north-westward.

No. 416 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice No. 1101 of 1906 that a reef, about 50 yards in extent, with a depth of 10 feet over it at low water, exists to the north-westward of cape Tabako, gulf of Boni.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 12½′ S., long. 120° 47¾′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, western portion No. 941b; Eastern Archipelago, eastern portion, No. 942a: Also Eastern Archipelago, Par. II, 1904, page 354.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—BALI ISLAND—BALI STRAIT.

Lichin Point—Light buoy established.

No. 417 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 251, dated 26th June 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice No. 1105 of 1906 that a light buoy, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every twenty seconds*, thus:—light, *ten seconds*; eclipse, *ten seconds*, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles, has been moored off Lichin Point, Bali, strait.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 7½′ S., long. 114° 25¾′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Java island, No. 1664; plan of Bali strait on No. 934: Also Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 147.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, NORTH-EAST COAST—ARU BAY.

Babalan channel—Tide-gauge established.

No. 418 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1106 of 1906) that a tide-gauge, surmounted by a red ball, has been erected in Babalan channel, Aru bay, between the black light-buoy at the entrance to the Babalan river, and the white conical buoy northward of it.

Approximate position, black light-buoy, lat. 4° 6′ N., long. 98° 19′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart—Aru bay, No. 3586: Also China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 78: and Supplement, 1899, page 7.

JAPAN (NIPON)—YOKOHAMA BAY.

Mandarin bluff—Light-buoy to the north-east withdrawn.

No. 419 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1107 of 1906) that the red conical buoy, exhibiting a white fixed light, shown on the chart at a distance of 9½ cables, N. 50° E., from Mandarin bluff, Yokohama bay, has been permanently withdrawn.

Approximate position, lat. 35° 26¼′ N., long. 139° 40½′ E.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of Tokyo, No. 2657: Yokohama to Uraga, No. 3548; Yokohama bay, No. 3109.

CHINA, NORTH—MANCHURIA—PECHILI STRAIT—KWANG TUNG PENINSULA.

Port Arthur—Mines removed in approach.

No. 420 (second publication).— With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 131, dated 12th April 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1112 of 1906) that the mines in the western approach to Port Arthur have been cleared away.

Vessels, however, must still exercise due caution, as solitary mines may yet exist on this area, though it is believed that the sweeping operations carried out have been effective.

The cautionary note respecting mines will, for the present, be retained on the charts until it is known that the whole coast in this locality is free from these dangers.

Approximate position, Port Arthur, lat. 38° 47′ N., long. 121° 16′ E.

(Variation 4° Westerly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of Pechili and Liau tung, No. 1956; Kwang tung peninsula, No. 1798: Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, pages 592, 594.

The 29th October 1906.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, WEST COAST—TAMPAT TUAN BAY.

Tuan point—Light established.

No. 394 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 366, dated 29th September 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1054 of 1906) that on 3rd September 1906, a *white group occulting* light, showing groups of *three* occultations *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *fifteen seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*, was exhibited from an open iron work frame structure, 45 feet high, painted white, erected on Tuan point, Tampat Tuan bay; the light, which is of the 4th order, is elevated 203 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 13 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 14¾′ N., long. 97° 10′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Acheh head to Tyingkok bay with plan of Tampat Tuan bay, No. 2760: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 75; China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 275; and Supplement, 1899, page 17.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES, WEST COAST.

Ujong Lajari—Shoal to the northward.

No. 395 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1059 of 1906) that a small mud bank, with a depth of about 6 feet over it, exists to the northward of Ujong Lajari, west coast of Celebes, in a position from which Mount Barru bears S. 60° E., distant 11½ cables, and the wreck on Bromo reef S. 53° W.

Approximate position, lat. 4° 25′ S., long. 119° 35½′ E.

(Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Ujong Jonga to Ujong Kassi, No. 3404: Also, Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 314.

CHINA SEA—SINGAPORE STRAIT.

Bulang strait—Beacon and buoys established.

No. 396 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1062 of 1906) that the undermentioned beacon and buoys have been established in the northern approach to Bulang strait:—

(*a*) An iron screw-pile beacon surmounted by a white ball, on the coast reef north of pulo Blakang Padang, in a position from which the eastern point of the island northward of Blakang Padang bears S. 7° E., distant 4½ cables, and the north point of pulo Sambu East.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 10′ N., long. 103° 53′ E.

(*b*) A white conical buoy, moored in a depth of 4½ fathoms to the eastward of pulo Blakang Padang, in a position from which the south point of Mariá island bears N. 62° E., distant 2¾ cables, and the south-east point of pulo Sambu N. 13° E.

(*c*) A black can buoy, with truncated cone topmark, situated to the south-eastward of Mariám island, in a position from which the northern point of the island northward of pulo Blakang Padang is in line with the north-eastern side of Mariám island, bearing N. 64° W., and distant 4 cables from the north point of the latter island.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 9′ N., long. 103° 54¾′ E.

(*Variation 1° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Singapore strait, No. 2403; Singapore main strait, No. 2404: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 197.

PACIFIC OCEAN—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON, WEST COAST.

Cape Bolinao—Character of light altered.

No. 397 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1063 of 1906) that, on the 15th July 1906, the white occulting light shown from a framework structure on Piedra point, cape Bolinao, was discontinued, and a *white group flashing* light *every ten seconds*, elevated 301 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 24 miles, was exhibited from a new concrete light-house erected on a wooded hill rising from the beach at Piedra point.

The light, which is of the 3rd, order, shows thus:—*flash*; eclipse, *two and-a-half seconds*; *flash*; eclipse, *seven and-a-half seconds.*

The keeper's dwelling and out-houses, also of concrete, stand near the light-house.

Approximate position, lat. 16° 19′ N., long. 119° 46¾′ E.

NOTE.—The duration of the flashes is not stated. It is presumed they are of the description known as lightning flashes, lasting about one-tenth of a second.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—China sea, No. 2661b; Luzon island, northern portion, No. 2454: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 679a; China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 337; Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 52; and Supplement, 1906, page 7.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—RED SEA, WESTERN SHORE—SAWAKIN APPROACH.

Towartit north reef—Beacon re-erected.

No. 398 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 338, dated 7th September, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1064 of 1906) that a new beacon has been erected on the northern extreme of North Towartit reef, in the position occupied by the former beacon.

The beacon, pyramidal in shape, is built of masonry on a solid concrete base, and the masonry top is 21 feet above high water. It is surmounted by a staff and triangle, 9 feet in height, the total height of the beacon being 30 feet above high water. The masonry is painted white, and the staff and triangle red.

Approximate position lat. 19° 31¾′ N., long. 37° 19′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Mersa Durur to Trinkitat, No. 81: Also, Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1900, page 155.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND.

Bluff harbour—Light-vessel discontinued—Buoy placed.

No. 399 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1065 of 1906) that the light-vessel situated at a distance of 2 cables N. 18° W. from Burial point, Bluff

harbour entrance, having sunk, will not be replaced; but a black buoy, without a light, will be temporarily moored in the position formerly occupied by the light-vessel.

Approximate position, lat. 46° 36½′ S., long. 168° 22½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Awarua or Bluff harbour, Nos. 2540 and 3484: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 1690; New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 313; and Revised Supplement, 1906, page 73.

CHINA SEA—NATUNA ISLANDS.

Elphinstone rock—Reef to the southward.

No. 400 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1067 of 1906) that a reef with a depth of 3 fathoms over it at low water and 30 fathoms around exists between Elphinstone rock and Low island, Natuna islands, in a position from which Elphinstone rock bears N. 7° W., distant 11 miles, and the south-east point of Low island, approximately, S. 9° W.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 11½′ N., long. 107° 52′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—China sea, No. 2660a: Natuna Islands, No. 1348: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 93.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES—GULF OF TOMINI.

Pelasa—Reef to the south-eastward.

No. 401 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1070 of 1906) that a reef of sand and coral, with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, exists to the south-eastward of Pelasa (Palasa), gulf of Tomini, in a position from which the beacon on Raaf reef bears S. 25° W., distant about 4 miles.

The reef is marked by discoloured water.

Approximate position, lat. 0° 25′ N., long. 120° 28′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, western portion No. 941b; Eastern Archipelago, eastern portion, No. 942a; strait of Makassar, No. 2656: Also Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 377.

JAPAN SEA—PETER THE GREAT BAY—VLADIVOSTOK APPROACH.

Cape Gamova—Light established—Provisional light discontinued.

No. 402 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 288, dated 10th August 1906, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1072 of 1906) that, on the 30th July 1906, a *white group flashing* light showing groups of *two* flashes, each group being of about *two seconds'* duration, *every ten seconds*, and visible from a distance of 16 miles, was exhibited from a light-house recently erected on cape Gamova, Vladivostok approach.

Near the light-house there is a siren worked by compressed air, and a bell for use during thick or foggy weather. These are probably worked in accordance with the Russian uniform system.

The provisional white fixed light has been discontinued.

Approximate position, lat. 42° 33½′ N., long. 131° 12½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kuril islands, No. 2405; Tumen Ula to Strelok bay, No. 2432; Trinity bay to the Eastern Bosporus, No. 511: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 189; and Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 162.

AFRICA, EAST COAST—PUNGUE RIVER.

Beira harbour—Entrance channel changed—Alterations in buoyage.

No. 403 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1075 of 1906) that amendments to the buoyage have been made, and that a new channel now called the South-east channel, has opened to the southward of the present channel into Pungue river, and that this channel has been buoyed from the entrance to its junction with the other channel to Beira as follows:—

1. Buoys established:—

SOUTH-EAST CHANNEL.

(*a*) A spherical fairway or Pilot-station buoy, painted in black and white horizontal bands, surmounted by a white staff, moored in a depth of 36 feet, at a distance of 10 miles, S. 13° E., from Macuti light-house.

(*b*) A black can buoy, surmounted by a cylindrical top mark and marked "1," moored in a depth of 21 feet, at a distance of $8\frac{4}{10}$ miles, S. 4° E., from Macuti light-house.

(*c*) A red spherical buoy, marked "2," moored in a depth of 17 feet, at a distance, of $7\frac{1}{2}$ miles, S. 2° E., from Macuti light-house.

(*d*) A red conical buoy, marked "4," moored in depth of 22 feet, at a distance of $6\frac{7}{10}$ miles, S. 6° W., from Macuti light-house.

RAMBLER CHANNEL.

(*e*) A black buoy, marked "3" moored in a depth of 28 feet, at a distance of $6\frac{3}{10}$ miles S. 30° W., from Macuti light-house.

f. A red buoy, marked "6," moored in a depth of 26 feet, at a distance of $5\frac{8}{10}$ miles S. 27° W., from Macuti lighthouse.

Approximate position, Macuti lighthouse, lat. 19° 50½′ S., long. 34° 53¾′ E.

2. Buoys re-lettered or re-numbered:

ENTRANCE CHANNEL.

Nos. 1, 2, and 3 buoys, in the present or northern entrance channel have been re-marked "A," "B," and "C," respectively.

RAMBLER CHANNEL.

The buoys marked "B," "C," "D," in Rambler channel have been re-marked "8," "10," "12," respectively.

Those marked "E" and "F" have been re-marked "5" and "7."

Nos. 10 and 11 buoys in Beira harbour have been re-numbered "11" and "13," respectively.

3. Buoys withdrawn:—

a. The black buoy, marked "A," at the entrance to Rambler channel.

b. The black buoys, Nos 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 in the Old channel, westward of Rambler channel, also the two buoys with topmarks on the western side of the same channel.

4. Depths:—

The south-east channel has at present a least depth of 14 feet at low water over a muddy bottom.

The banks southward of the present entrance are extending to the south-eastward. A depth of 16 feet exists at a distance of 2 miles to the southward of the outer black buoy (A) of that channel, thence it gradually increases to the eastward to a depth of 4 fathoms on the bank now shown on the chart.

NOTE.—The channels are subject to constant change, and a stranger should either take a pilot, or carefully examine the channel before entering.

Red buoys with even numbers mark the starboard side of the channel when entering from seaward, and black buoys with odd numbers the port side.

After the 1st November 1906 the pilot vessel will be found cruising off the entrance to the south-east channel.

(*Variation 15° Westerly in 1906*).

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Delagoa bay to the river Zambesi, No. 648; Beira harbour, No. 1003: Also, Africa Pilot, part III, 1905, pages 224, 225.

CHINA SEA—TONG KING GULF.

Ha Long bay—Shoals in approach.

No. 404 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1080 of 1906) that the undermentioned shoals have been found to exist in the approach to Ha long bay, Tong King gulf:—

(*a*) A shoal, about 50 yards in extent, with a depth of 14 feet over it, situated in Henriette pass, at three-quarters of a cable westward from the north point of Dragon island

There is a depth of 5¼ fathoms between this shoal and Dragon island.

The greatest depth on the bank between Dragon island and Noisette rock is not more than 4¼ fathoms, instead of 8 fathoms as is at present shown on the chart.

Approximate position, N. point of Dragon island, lat. 20° 50¼′ N., long. 107° 7¼′ E.

(*b*) A shoal, with a depth of 19 feet over it, situated in Crochet pass, at a distance of 6½ cables, S. 87° E., from the south point of Momie island.

Approximate position, lat. 20° 49½′ N., long. 107° 6½′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart —Approaches to port Courbet No. 1169: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, pages 484, 485.

NEW ZEALAND—SOUTH ISLAND—TIMARU APPROACH.

Jacks point—Character of light altered.

No. 405 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1085 of 1906 that, on the 23rd August 1906, the character of the light shown from Jacks point lighthouse' Timaru approach, would be changed from white fixed to *white occulting every ten seconds* thus:—light, *seven seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*.

In other respects the light will be unaltered.

Approximate position, lat. 44° 26¾′ S., long. 171° 17½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—New Zealand, No. 1212; Ninety Miles beach to Otago, No. 2532: Also, List of Lights, part VI., 1906, No. 1665; New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 287; and Revised Supplement, 1906, page 68.

INDIA, WEST—MALABAR COAST.

Talayi—Buoy marking Pinnacle rock replaced in position.

No. 406 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 185, dated 26th May last, issued by this Office, the Officiating Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given further notice (No. 19 of 1906) that the small spherical buoy marking the pinnacle rock off sub-port of Talayi was replaced in position on the 27th September 1906, and that vessels should pass southward of the buoy as before.

BAY OF BENGAL—SINGAPORE MAIN STRAIT.

Coney island—Raffles light.

No. 407 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 328, dated 3rd September, issued by this office, the Acting Master Attendant, Straits Settlements, has given further notice dated 10th October stating that the three flashes from Raffles light are not all visible from all bearings within the illuminated arc. The dark sector is not yet fixed.

The 22nd October 1906.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Krishna shoal light vessel to be relieved temporarily.

No. 408 (third publication).—A telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Rangoon, stating that the light vessel stationed at the Krishna shoal will be relieved temporarily on or about the 4th November. The temporary light vessel will exhibit a white flash of five seconds' duration every forty-five seconds.

The 23rd October 1906.

ST. L. S. WARDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT—LAND REVENUE.

Darjeeling, the 18th October 1906.

RESOLUTION—No. 2679T.—R.

READ—

The Report of the Board of Revenue on Wards' and Attached Estates in the Lower Provinces for the year 1905-06.

The Report was submitted punctually this year.

2. *Number of Estates under Management.*—The number of estates under management at the close of the year was 164 as against 168 in the previous year in the Province as then constituted.

3. *Payment of Revenue and Cesses.*—The total payments on account of revenue and cesses due to Government represented 89·0 per cent. of the demand as against 96·0 in the previous year. The greater part of the balance is due from the Tagore estate.

4. *Collection of Rent and Cesses.*—The total collection of rent and cesses due to estates was 96·1 per cent. on the current demand as against 96·0 per cent. in the previous year.

5. *Balances.*—The total uncollected balance due to estates under management amounted to Rs. 51,02,436 or 74·7 per cent. of the current demand of the estates, as against Rs. 70,83,361, or nearly 77 per cent. in the preceding year. In the Presidency Division the increase is more than three lakhs, due mainly to the assumption of charge of the Panihati, Bhukailas No. III and the Janbazar estates. The increase in some of the estates in the Patna Division is due to the damage done to the *bhadoi* crops by heavy floods during the year. In the Bhagalpur Division the balances have increased owing chiefly to the addition of the Banaili (7 annas) estate, which was taken in charge during the year. In the Domparā estate in the Orissa Division it is reported that the balances cannot be materially reduced till the completion of the settlement and the introduction of the certificate procedure. The heavy balances in some of the estates in the Chota Nagpur Division are attributed to partial failure of crops. There was a decrease in the number of certificates filed during the year, which amounted to 7,425 as against 9,016 in the previous year. The decrease was shared by all the divisions. The number of rent suits filed during the year showed a slight increase, being 2,135 as against 2,062 in the previous year.

6. *Reduction of Debts.*—Altogether Rs. 24,01,483 were paid in liquidation of debts as against Rs. 47,34,774 in the previous year, in the Province as then constituted. The balance at the close of the year amounted to Rs. 2,17,26,500 as against Rs. 1,77,50,515 at the close of the previous year. The increase is mainly due to the assumption of charge during the year of the Banaili estate, the debts of which amount to over 48 lakhs.

7. *Cost of Management and Expenditure on Improvements.*—The total cost of management was 9·2 per cent. of the current demand as against 10·6 in the preceding year. The percentage was below the prescribed limit in the Presidency, Patna and Chota Nagpur Divisions, while in the Bhagalpur and Orissa Divisions it was 11·6 and 16·0 as against 11·4 and 14·5, respectively, in the previous year.

The total expenditure on works of improvement and schools and dispensaries amounted to Rs. 2,36,563 as against Rs. 2,49,935 in the previous year. The Lieutenant-Governor trusts that advantage will be taken of the development of the Agricultural Department to secure greater continuity and system in the carrying out of agricultural experiments.

8. *Tours of Managers.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to notice that there has been some improvement in respect of tours of Managers of estates. The tours of the majority of the managers extended over 90 days or more. In the cases of those who failed to spend the prescribed period on tour the reasons have been fully explained by the Board.

9. *Education of Wards.*—The Lieutenant-Governor desires that the Board will submit a separate report on the subject of the education of the wards, which is one of very great importance.

10. The thanks of the Lieutenant-Governor are due to the Board for their careful supervision and efficient administration of the estates under their charge during the year. The good services of the officers commended by them will be noted by the Appointment Department of this Government.

11. The following extracts from the report are published for general information.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

R. W. CARLYLE,

Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

Extracts from the Report of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, on the Administration of Wards and Attached Estates in the Lower Provinces during the year 1905-06.

Number of estates under management.

Para. 3. Of the 168 estates which were under management at the close of the year 1904-05, 36 estates, including Bhukailas No. I. which, during the year under report, had been transferred to the district of Tippera, were made over to the Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam. Thirty-seven new estates were brought under management, including the six estates of the district of Sambalpur, which was added to this province in October last, making a total of 169 estates under management during the year under report. Five estates were released during the year, and the number under management at the close of the year was 164.

Rent and cesses due to superior landlords.

5. The percentage of rent and cesses paid on the amount due decreased from 72·8 in 1904-05 to 69·6 in the year under report.

Collection of rent and cesses due to the estates.

6. The collection of rent and cesses due to the estates was 96·1 per cent. on the current demand, as against 96·0 per cent. in the preceding year.

Presidency Division.—Since the submission of the returns, the actual collections in the Bawali wards' estate have been reported to be 67·7 per cent. on the current demand, against 39·8 per cent. shewn in Appendix I. The lower percentage was due to the exclusion from the report of a sum of Rs. 11,622 collected jointly by the Common Manager of the whole Bawali estate and credited to the general funds. The Common Manager who has also been appointed Manager of the wards' estate has been instructed by the Collector to shew its receipts separately. The high prices and failure of crops in East Bengal affected the collections in the two Bhukailas estates (82·1 and 57·4), the major portions of which lie in that Province. The Janbazar estate (35·6) was under management for a few months of the year only.

Patna Division.—The collections on the Bhrathpura estate (84·7) which was taken in charge during the year suffered from disadvantages unavoidable during the first year of the Court's management. In the Mahtha (82·9) and the Narhan (85·3) estates the poor results are ascribed to the damage done to the *bhadoi* and *aghani* crops by the floods.

Bhagalpur Division.—The Banaili (7 annas) estate (7·8) was taken in charge only a month before the close of the year. The whole estate is leased out to the 9-annas proprietors, who adjust the bulk of the rent against the interest due to them, and pending arrangements for a further loan from them, the adjustment was not made before the close of the year. The collections in the Khagra estate were 118·9 per cent. of the current demand. This result is particularly satisfactory in view of the fact that proposals for the release of the estate, which have since been carried into effect, were under discussion during the year, and great credit is due to Mr. M. M. Halliday, the Manager, for the good collections, more especially as it was only necessary to file certificates and rent suits in 72 cases.

Chota Nagpur Division.—In Ranchi, the low percentage (84·3) of collections was due, it is stated, (1) to the settlement operations, (2) to the realization of costs of settlement, and (3) to the partial failure of the *rabi* crops. The Deputy Commissioner, however, thinks that there was lack of effective supervision over the tahsildars as the permanent Manager was on sick leave, and an officiating Manager was in charge during the collecting season. The bad results in the Pandra 2nd and 4th kismats estate (68·0) in Manbhum are due chiefly to the non-realization of royalties from lessees of coal-mines. In the Kashipur ward's estate, the poor collections were due to the fact that the estate only came under management in the middle of October with very large arrears outstanding against it. Moreover the accounts of the estate were in some confusion. In the Dhalbhum estate in Singhbhum, the rent payable by the Dhalbhum Syndicate to the estate has not yet been ascertained.

Agricultural experiments and improvements.

Farms.

13. The question of carrying out programmes of agricultural improvements and experiments in wards' estates has been under consideration during the year, and it is proposed to discuss it at the Commissioners' Conference. More definite arrangements than at present exist are required in order to secure continuity which alone can give useful results, and it is hoped that it will be possible to take advantage of the development of the Agricultural Department so as to ensure this object.

Sripur farm, Hatwa estate, Saran.—During the year a change was made in the management of the farm, which has now been placed under Mr. Mackenzie, a practical planter and agriculturist and an expert in cattle-breeding, who performs the double duties of Superintendent of the farm and Circle Officer. In view of the establishment of the Pusa Institute and the Divisional farm at Bankipore, this farm is to continue as a demonstration station only and the net cost of working it is not to exceed Rs. 10,000. The Director of Agriculture has been asked to advise on the steps necessary to bring about this result. Cattle-breeding, it is reported, has made good progress, and the young stock are said to be promising. So far they have consisted of the calves that were brought in at foot when the cows were purchased, or those bred from the *kheri* or local bulls which were subsequently condemned. The farm only obtained a good bull of superior class in November 1904, and real improvement begins with the stock subsequently obtained. The weather was very favourable for the *rabi* harvest, and the threshing of oats and other grain was completed unusually early.

Survey and record-of-rights.

14. *Burdwan Division.*—In the Nyagram estate attestation and operations under section 103A of the Bengal Tenancy Act were finished, and the final publication of the records was commenced during the year.

Presidency Division.—The Backergunge properties of the Tagore and Bhukailas Nos. II and III estates are under settlement. During the year attestation work in 68 out of 82 villages of the former estate was completed, and that in respect of the remaining villages is still in progress. The record-of-rights has been published in respect of 211 villages. The records of 124 finally-published villages have been received, and 127 cases under section 105 and eight under section 106 of the Bengal Tenancy Act instituted. They are all pending. The record-of-rights in respect of fifteen villages appertaining to the Bhukailas No. II estate was published during the year. In the Syudpur trust estate the survey and record-of-rights in respect of dihis Siromani and Maheswarpasa have not yet been completed. Attestation work is now going on.

Patna Division.—In Patna, the preparation, in accordance with the settlement records, of the rent-rolls of the villages of the Guzri estate, situated in the district of Purnea, will shortly be completed. In the Deo ward's and Deo Rani's estates in Gaya such rent-rolls have been prepared, mutations are being recorded, and the necessary registers are being kept up. The boundary marks were inspected by the Manager, and a register of boundary stones has been opened in the Deo ward's estate. The work of revision of rents in the Hatwa Raj estate in Saran has made satisfactory progress. The number of mutations has increased considerably in respect of purchased holdings, and efforts are being made to bring the records up to date. The records are also kept up to date in the three petty estates in that district. In the Bettiah estate in Champaran, the khatians of the newly-purchased Motihari mahal are being copied in the Collectorate and will be supplied shortly. There were 1,470 applications for mutation in villages held direct. The *thikadars* reported 273 mutations, 1,084 resettlement of vacant tenancies and 511 settlements of waste lands. Endeavours are being made to ensure further improvement and to induce all *thikadars* to report mutations regularly. Four thousand stone pillars purchased during the year are being sent out to tahsildars and Factory Managers for the replacement of damaged and missing pillars. Mutation registers have not been maintained in the Mahtha's estate in Muzaffarpur, but the present Manager has issued instructions for the opening and maintenance of these registers. In the Narhan estate the working rent-roll of all the

estate villages, except one in the Patna district, has been adjusted according to the settlement papers, and 819 mutations were registered during the year.

Bhagalpur Division.—General operations under the Bihar and Sonthal Parganas Settlement Departments for a survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights have been going on during the year in all districts of the Division, except Darjeeling, and these embrace the properties under the Court of Wards situated within the areas dealt with. In Monghyr only the traverse survey was done, but the settlement operations will eventually extend to the villages belonging to the Ratan estate south of the Ganges. In the Bhagalpur district settlement operations are now in progress in the south, and before long the whole of the Banaili estate will have been settled. In Purnea the record for most of the Khagra estate has been completed, but in some villages only attestation has been finished, and cases under section 103A of the Tenancy Act are being heard. In the Sonthal Parganas, Pakour was the ward's estate dealt with during the year, and there attestation was finished and the draft record published in the Bengali villages. Survey operations will extend to the Rohini and Punasi estates during the ensuing field season. This will be the third settlement of that part of the district since the enactment of Regulation III of 1872.

Orissa Division.—The survey and settlement of the Dompara estate in Cuttack were begun during the year. The relaying of traverse lines was completed, and 15,301 acres of the total cultivated area of 16,000 acres were cadastrally surveyed. Records were written for 4,681 acres. The proposed work in the Parikud estate in Puri has been postponed to the current year. In Sambalpur the operations were completed in all but two estates.

Chota Nagpur Division.—In Ranchi seven of the estates were under survey and settlement during the year. In another estate, the settlement of which is being carried out separately, the record-of-rights is being prepared by a Deputy Collector. The Pachete estate in Manbhum spent Rs. 520 on the survey and settlement of three villages and Rs. 161 in the measurement of certain properties. The Patkum and Katras estates also spent small sums for the measurement of certain lands. In Singhbhum, in which the survey and settlement of all the estates, except Dhalbhum, were completed in 1903-04, some of the terms of the *patta* and record-of-rights as drawn up by the Settlement Officer in 1903, have been objected to by the Raja of Porahat, who is the superior landlord of all the encumbered estates in the district, except Dhalbhum. Government has appointed Mr. A. N. Moberly as Settlement Officer for the purpose of revising the record-of-rights, and this work is now in progress.

Operation of the Certificate Procedure.

16. There has been a satisfactory decrease in the number of certificates filed during the year under report which (after seclusion of figures for the transferred districts) amounted to 7,425 as against 9,016 in the previous year. All the Divisions shared in the decrease.

Laws.

21. During the year under report the Court of Wards Act, IX (B.C.) of 1879, was amended by Act I (B.C.) of 1906. The most important provisions introduced by the new Act are as follows:—

(i) Under the old Act the Court of Wards incurred considerable risks when it borrowed money for the purpose of paying off debts carrying high rates of interest. This was due to difficulty in promptly ascertaining the amount of indebtedness of estates. It has, therefore, been enacted that creditors shall be required to register all debts within a period of six months from the assumption of charge of a ward's property; that they shall furnish particulars and documents in support of their claims; that debts not so registered shall, save when the Court relinquishes charge, as provided in the new section 10E, become extinguished, and that when claims have been received within the period specified, the Court of Wards shall investigate them and decide which of them are to be admitted wholly or partly, or are to be wholly or

partly rejected. It has also been provided that all proceedings in the Civil Courts shall, if necessary, be stayed during the first year of management. It is open to the Court of Wards, when admitting a claim, to make proposals in writing for its reduction; an acceptance of such a proposal will be binding on the claimant; if he refuses it, he will be able to sue for the claim in a Civil Court, if it was registered within the prescribed period. The Court of Wards will thus know the total liabilities of the estate before borrowing, and, where the estate is inextricably involved, will be able to relinquish charge.

(ii) Section 13A has been inserted in order to enable surplus money from Trust Funds to be invested in loans to wards' estates. It gives power to the Court of Wards to retain charge of estates after the death of the proprietors concerned, or after they cease to be disqualified, till all the debts and liabilities of these estates are cleared in full. The Court of Wards had this power hitherto only in regard to estates of persons disqualified under section 6(*e*), but the new Act has extended it so as to cover proprietors of the other classes mentioned in section 6. This will greatly facilitate the power of the Court of Wards to borrow money at a low rate of interest.

(iii) Section 34A added by the new Act provides for the recovery of expenses incurred by a Collector in taking action under sections 31, 32 or 33, if the property is not taken charge of.

(iv) Part VII of the Court of Wards Act regarding suits has been made applicable to the case of the properties of all wards of the Court, except in respect of suits instituted or pending in the High Court.

(v) All employés of the Court of Wards have been declared public servants for the purposes of the Indian Penal Code.

(vi) For the purposes of Part VII and sections 60 and 60A of the Court of Wards Act, a person whose property is under the Court of Wards by virtue of the second clause of section 11, or charge of whose property has been retained under section 13A, shall be considered to be a "ward," but only in respect of such property.

(vii) The method of publication of certain notices under the Act has been clearly stated.

The estates in the district of Sambalpur, which has been lately added to this Province, are managed under the Central Provinces Court of Wards Act, XXIV of 1899, and the rules framed thereunder. The Commissioner is the Court of Wards for these estates. The amendment of the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates Act, VI of 1876, is still under consideration.

23. Miss Cornelia Sorabji continued to hold the appointment of Legal Adviser to *pardanashin* ladies under the Court of Wards.

General.

Legal Adviser to pardanashin ladies under the Court of Wards.

During the year under report she paid visits to the ladies of seven estates in this Province, in most cases on several occasions. She also visited several estates in the districts which now belong to Eastern Bengal and Assam. She was able to prevent litigation between the proprietrix of the Narhan estate and her son-in-law, and has devoted much attention to the health and education of the daughter of the proprietrix. She has conducted much business on behalf of the Maharani of Bettiah, and has removed a good deal of friction in regard to the management of the Lugma and Ratan estates in the Bhagalpur Division. She also rendered great assistance in the difficulties which arose in connection with the assumption of charge of the Janbazar estate. Apart from purely business matters, Miss Sorabji's visits and companionship have conduced most beneficially to the welfare of the ladies with whom she has come in contact, and the Board desire to express their appreciation of the value of her services.

Since the close of the year the terms of Miss Sorabji's appointment have been revised with the approval of Government. Her retainer has been raised from Rs. 200 to Rs. 800 a month, and it is proposed that she should periodically visit all the estates in the Province which are the property of *pardanashin* ladies or of which the proprietors are under the guardianship of *pardanashin* ladies. Arrangements are now being made to give effect to these proposals. The Board consider it desirable that Miss Sorabji should not merely be employed to settle difficulties after they have arisen, but that she should gain confidence beforehand, so as to be able to prevent troubles from occurring or from assuming serious proportions. If the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam accept the new arrangements, it is proposed that the Bengal Government should continue to share Miss Sorabji's services with that Government.

Number of estates.

40. During the year under report one hundred estates were under management under the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates Act, VI of 1876, nineteen estates having been brought under protection during the period. Three estates were restored to their proprietors, leaving 97 estates under management at the close of the year.

Debts of estates.

44. Debts amounting to Rs. 5,33,248 were paid during the year under report and Rs. 40,68,930 remained due by the estates under management at the close of the year.

Hazaribagh.—In one of the estates in this district the debts other than arrear rents and cesses have been paid off in full. In six of the remaining estates payment of debts was in excess of the provision in the schemes, while in the others it fell short. The deficiency in the case of the Doranda estate is due partly to the special grants made for the *diragaman* ceremony of the proprietor's wife and the *sradh* ceremony of the proprietor's uncle, and partly to heavy law expenses; in the Dharguli estate to a special grant of Rs. 4,000 for the marriage expenses of the proprietor's daughters; in the Nowdiha estate partly to heavy law expenses and partly to a special grant made for the performance of the *sradh* ceremony of the eldest wife of the proprietor; in the Morna estate to the collections of an important *mukarrari* tenure having come to a standstill owing to the proprietor putting forward a claim for the resumption of the tenure in consequence of the death of the original *mukarraridars*; in the Kapka estate to a special grant on account of the marriage of the daughter of one of the proprietors and also to money having been kept in hand to meet the expenses of another marriage in the proprietor's family in the beginning of the current year; in the Hosir I estate to the payment of arrear rents and of costs of suits in respect of two villages; in the Hosir II estate to short collections; in the Palganj estate chiefly to the non-receipt of the expected award for the lands taken up for the Gaya-Katras Railway; in the Kheshmi estate partly to the postponement of the sale of a portion of the estate by which it was estimated that Rs. 60,000 would be raised, and partly to the exclusion from the rent roll of the estate of the demand of a village and to the cost of litigation in connection therewith; in the Chakmanjo estate to payment of heavy law charges; and in the Jeridih estate to the short collections of the year under report.

Ranchi.—No schemes have been sanctioned for three of the encumbered estates under management in this district. The scheme of the Kulmunda estate was found unworkable and a revised one has since been sanctioned. The entire Parba estate was in the possession of a *zarpeshgidar* when brought under management. The Deputy Commissioner proposes to submit a revised scheme after cancelling the *zerpeshgi* lease. The Jingi estate which, according to the sanctioned scheme should have been released in the year 1902-03, has been retained under management owing to the debts due by it not having been fully paid off. The Deputy Commissioner proposes to submit shortly a revised scheme for this estate. In ten estates the payment of debts was in excess of the provision in the schemes, while in the remaining estates it fell short. The short payments were due partly to short collections of rent and partly to unforeseen expenditure, especially under the head "Law Charges" in some of the estates.

Palamau.—Schemes have not been sanctioned for six out of the 21 encumbered estates in Palamau. In seven of the remaining fifteen estates, the payments exceeded the provision in the schemes, while in the remaining eight they fell short. In Manka and Pankri the deficiencies were small. In Jaipur the deficiency was due to short collections; in the Tori estate partly to excess law charges and partly to poor collections; in the Babhandih (R. Singh) estate to the grant of Rs. 1,500 for a marriage in the proprietor's family; in the Babhandih (L. B. Singh) estate to the cost incurred in the institution of certain suits; and in the Karar (U. C. Singh) estate to short collections. The Deputy Commissioner has not explained the deficiency in the Burhibeer estate.

Manbhum.—In one of the estates no scheme has yet been sanctioned. In three of the remaining estates, the payments exceeded the provision in the schemes, while in the other estates they fell short. The deficiencies in the Tundi and Patkum estates are reported to be due to some of the creditors to whom debts were payable not having come forward to receive payment within the year. In the Bharamahal estate the deficiency was due to the payment of Rs. 1,000 to the proprietor for a marriage ceremony. In the Naro estate it was partly due to short collections and partly to the payment of arrear rent and to the grant of Rs. 299 to the proprietor on account of a social ceremony. In the Manbazar and Torang estates the deficiencies were due chiefly to short collections.

Singhbhum.—In two estates only did the payments fall short of the provisions in the scheme. In the Kera (G. D. Singh) estate, this was partly due to short collections and partly to the payment of Rs. 241 to the proprietor for repairs to his houses. In the Kera (J. N. Singh) estate it was due chiefly to the payment to the proprietor of Rs. 300 for the marriage of his daughter and of Rs. 100 for repairs to his houses.

RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL, FOR THE PERIOD OF 15 MONTHS FROM 1ST APRIL 1905 TO 30TH JUNE 1906.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT—AGRICULTURE.

Darjeeling, the 31st October 1906.

RESOLUTION—No. 3089T.R.

READ—

The Report of the Department of Agriculture, Bengal, for the period of 15 months from 1st April 1905 to 30th June 1906.

Read again—

The Resolution on the Report of the Agricultural Branch of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, Bengal, for the year ending 31st March 1905.

The last Report submitted on Agriculture was for the year ending 31st March 1905. To secure uniformity in regard to the period covered by the reports of the Provincial Agricultural Departments and the dates of their submission, and to make the reports available at the same time for the compilation of the general report of the Inspector-General of Agriculture, the Government of India, in their letter No. 6—231-1, dated the 8th March 1906, directed that the period covered by all reports of the Department of Agriculture should be the year ending the 30th June, and that the reports should be submitted by the Provincial Directors of Agriculture by the 15th September. The present Report, therefore, covers the period of 15 months from the 1st April 1905 to the 30th June 1906. It was submitted with commendable punctuality.

2. *Charge.*—The Department was in charge of Mr. N. D. Beatson Bell, as a branch of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, till the 16th October 1905. On the 17th October 1905, Mr. C. E. A. W. Oldham was placed on special duty for the purpose of organising a separate Department of Agriculture. On receipt of the sanction of the Secretary of State to the appointment, Mr. Oldham was appointed to be the Director of the Department of Agriculture from the 3rd April 1906.

3. *Organisation of the Department.*—The lines on which the Department was to be organised were indicated in paragraph 3 of the Resolution of this Government on the Report for the year ending 31st March 1905. Mr. Oldham, after taking charge, prepared a detailed scheme for the development of the Department extending over ten years. The scheme is under the consideration of Government. A site for the Provincial Agricultural College has been selected at Sabaur near Bhagalpur; the lands required have been acquired; and plans of the necessary buildings have been prepared. Owing to a large increase in the number of applications for seeds and implements, the establishment of a seed and implement store became an urgent necessity. A godown near the office of the Director of Agriculture has been hired for the purpose; a stock of seeds and implements has been collected; and a Superintendent has been appointed to look after the store. Steps have also been taken to form two separate collections of implements, manures, and seeds to be sent round, in charge of competent officers, to fairs and agricultural and industrial shows, for exhibition and demonstration. The preparation of the weekly weather and crop statistics has been made over to the Department; and the preparation of all rainfall statistics has also been transferred to it from the office of the Meteorologist, Calcutta.

4. *Scientific Experiments.*—Experiments in the cultivation of jute were carried out on the lines indicated by the Inspector-General of Agriculture, and the results have been summarised in the Report. A note showing the work done in connection with the selection of seeds is appended to the Report. Four special jute farms were established in Purnea, Berhampore, Krishnagar, and Chinsura; and work was conducted under the supervision of the Deputy Director. The proposed legislation to penalise the fraudulent watering of jute is still under consideration. About three-fourths of the area under jute cultivation is included in Eastern Bengal; and the Lieutenant-Governor awaits information as to the action which the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam proposes to take in the matter.

It is to be regretted that the experiments made to introduce superior varieties of cotton again failed, the season being very wet even for Bengal. Attempts to improve indigenous varieties of cotton by seed selection are being continued; and a continuous record is being kept of the names of the raiyats, the character of the soil, the nature of the season, etc.

The results of the experimental cultivation of Muzaffarnagar wheat have not been encouraging on the whole, the unfavourable weather of the year being largely responsible for the failure. A scheme for future work in regard to Indian wheat has been framed by the Board of Agriculture. To give effect to the scheme in its entirety a wheat specialist will have to be appointed to control and guide the work of the Province. The question of the appointment of an expert is under the consideration of the Government of India. Meanwhile, Mr. N. N. Banerji has been deputed to make an agricultural survey of the different varieties of wheat.

5. *Irrigation Experiments.*—It has been decided to abandon the experiments, undertaken on the lines indicated by the Irrigation Commission, especially with regard to economy in the use of water, until it is possible to carry them out on a larger scale, and at more suitable sites, where an officer of some standing can supervise the work.

Last year, Mr. N. N. Banerji was placed on special duty in connection with well-irrigation. He visited the United Provinces, and made himself acquainted with the practice of irrigation from temporary wells, which have proved in famine years so valuable a resource in the eastern districts of those provinces; he then toured round the districts of the Patna, Bhagalpur, and Chota Nagpur Divisions in order to ascertain whether there are any insurmountable obstacles to the extension to those districts of the methods of well-irrigation which prevail in the United Provinces and to indicate localities in which the sinking of wells may be beneficial. He has completed his tour, and the report of the results of his enquiries is awaited. He has, meanwhile, submitted proposals regarding the training and maintenance of an expert well-boring staff whose services could be lent to landlords and cultivators. These proposals are now under consideration.

6. *Agricultural Stations.*—It has been decided by the Government of India that experimental farms should in future be designated agricultural stations. It has further been ordered that a separate annual report of each agricultural station, containing a continuous scientific record of experimental results, should be prepared; that an account of the administration of the station should be appended to the Annual Report of the Agricultural Department; and that, with a view to the dissemination of results when an experiment has become sufficiently advanced to yield definite conclusions, separate bulletins, containing an account of the experiments and the results achieved, should be published and widely distributed in the areas affected by the experiments in question. In view of these orders, a short account of the administration of the existing agricultural stations has been given in Appendix IV of the Report. The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to observe that considerable progress has been made at the stations, and that the Department is now in a position to make several definite recommendations as a result of the experiments carried out. A site for a new agricultural station for South Bihar has been selected near Bankipore, and steps have been taken for the acquisition of the land. The Director has also selected a site near Ranchi for a station for the upland tracts of Chota Nagpur.

7. *Experiments in Government and Wards' Estates.*—The Lieutenant-Governor notices with satisfaction that this important matter is receiving the special attention of the Director. It is hoped that with the appointment of an expert supervising staff and the issue of instructions as to the manner of recording and reporting results of experiments, considerable improvement will be effected. The further report on this subject promised by the Director is awaited.

8. *Sericulture.*—The Bengal Silk Committee continued to do useful work. Owing to the transfer of certain important silk districts to Eastern Bengal and Assam, the Government contribution from this province to the Committee has been reduced to Rs. 10,000 a year, with effect from the 1st April 1906.

The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to observe that the Tributary States of Mourbhanj, Keonjhar and Dhenkanal, are showing an enlightened policy in regard to sericul ural and agricultural development.

In May last the principal firms interested in the silk industry submitted a strong representation, drawing attention to the marked decline in the industry in this province, and asking that prompt measures might be taken to re-establish it. A small Committee was, accordingly, appointed to enquire into the present state of the silk industry and the causes of the alleged decline, and to suggest remedial measures. The Committee have completed their work and their report is under consideration.

With a view to the improvement of the *tasar* silk industry, a farm has been opened at Chaibassa in the district of Singhbhum, and work has been started under the supervision of Mr. N. G. Mukharji.

9. *Agricultural Education.*—Seven out of nine students passed at the final examination from Sibpur. Two passed students have been selected to be sent to the United States of America, at the cost of Government, to study Agriculture at the Cornell University, Ithaca. Sir Andrew Fraser is glad to find that very satisfactory reports have been received of the progress made by the four students deputed to the University last year. The Director of Agriculture, Bengal, will be asked to convey to Mr. Bailey, the Director of the College, the thanks of the Lieutenant-Governor for the kind interest he is taking in the welfare of the students.

An agricultural class has been attached to the Hazaribagh Zilla School. Some improvement appears to have taken place in the attendance of students at the agricultural classes of the several schools and colleges; and useful work is reported to have been done in some places. It is hoped that the classes will attract more students and that attendance will become more regular when the Provincial Agricultural College is established, especially if scholarships are provided by District Boards.

The Lieutenant-Governor notices with satisfaction that the important question of the practical training of sons of cultivators is receiving the attention of the Director.

10. *Publication of Agricultural information, &c.*—It is to be regretted that the Director has not yet been able to arrange for the publication of an Agricultural magazine. His proposals as to the staff required for the work are awaited.

11. *Agricultural Associations.*—Divisional Agricultural Associations have been formed in all Divisions, except Bhagalpur, under the presidency in each case of the Divisional Commissioner. Divisional Agricultural Inspectors, selected from the passed students of the Sibpur Agricultural classes, have been attached to the Associations of the Burdwan, Presidency, Patna and Orissa Divisons to act as expert advisers on all questions that may come before the Associations, and to assist the members of local Associations in their work. Agricultural Associations have also been formed in almost every district. It is satisfactory to note that these associations have already done useful work.

12. *Indigo.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is glad to observe that very encouraging results have been obtained from the experiments made in the manufacture of indigo and the cultivation of Java-Natal seed.

13. The thanks of the Lieutenant-Governor are due to Mr. N. D. Beatson Bell for his management of the Department while it was under his charge, and to Mr C. E. A. W. Oldham for the able manner in which he has discharged the duties of his new office and for the excellent and interesting report he has submitted. His Honour is glad to notice that Mr. F. Smith, Deputy Director, has been commended for his conspicuous zeal and for his close and careful supervision of the work done at the agricultural stations and jute farms under his charge; and he desires to acknowledge the services of Messrs. D. N. Mukharji, N. N. Banerji and N. G. Mukharji. The thanks of the Lieutenant-Governor are also due to the Bengal Chamber of Commerce for the help courteously given by them to the Department. In conclusion, His Honour desires to place on record his appreciation of the constant assistance rendered to the Department by Dr. J. W. Leather, Imperial Agricultural Chemist, and of the valuable work performed by Mr. Bergtheil and his Assistants at the Research Station at Sirsia.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

R. W. CARLYLE,

Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 5th November 1906.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	2·64	7½	7½	Rainfall general. Standing crops doing well. Sowing of *rabi* crops commenced. Winter rice and sugarcane doing well. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	1·60	7	7	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	1·51	8	8	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. Sowing of *rabi* in progress. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	1·64	8	8	Rainfall general. Slight damage to standing crops caused by heavy rain in Contai (8·57 inches). Rainfall elsewhere most beneficial. Prospects good. Sowings of *rabi* crops progressing. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease reported from thana Danton.
5	HOOGHLY ...	4·28	6½	6½	Weather cloudy. Rainfall general. Crops in Serampore slightly damaged by recent rain. Sowing of *rabi* commenced in Arambagh. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	3·35	7	7	Some damage done by recent rain to paddy plants in ear; but on the whole crops benefited. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient. Common rice selling at 8 seers a rupee at Ulubaria.
7	24-PARGANAS	3·35	7½	7½	Weather cloudy with occasional rain. Rainfall general. Lands being prepared for *rabi* crops. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on in places. Condition of standing crops good. Prospects of sugarcane and winter rice good. Some damage reported to have been done to paddy owing to recent rain in the Barrackpore and Diamond Harbour subdivisions; but rain generally beneficial. Total number of persons on relief during the week in different thanas—Sonerpur 149, Tollygunge 158, Vishnupur 1,339, Behala 179, Canning 536, Mahestala 349, Baruipur 1,652, Fulta 1,008, Mograhat 2,140, Diamond Harbour 337, Mathurapur 143, Kulpi 225, Jaynagar 2,494, Dum-Dum 67, Khardaha 91, Barrackpur 30. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
8	NADIA ...	3·48	8	8	Rainfall general. Prospects of standing crops good. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on. Some damage done by insects to *kalai* in Gangni and Karimpur thanas. Pox prevails among cattle in some places of Karimpur. Fodder and water sufficient.
9	MURSHIDABAD	1·56	7	7	Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. Standing crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JESSORE ...	5·16	7	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. *Aman* and *rabi* crops benefited thereby. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on. Prospect of *aman* good, except in Lohagora and Alfadanga. No damage to crops by insects. High prices and slight distress. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
11	KHULNA ...	1·68	9	7½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. Condition of winter rice fair. Sowings of rapeseed, mustard and of tobacco estimated at 40 and 22 per cent., respectively. Sowing of summer rice not yet commenced. Outturn of jute estimated at 87 per cent. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	Nil	8½ 12*	8½ 14*	Weather seasonable. Tobacco and sugarcane doing well. Paddy on high lands suffering from want of rain. *Rabi* sowings in progress; but rain wanted for this also. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
13	GAYA ...	0·28	9 3/16 13 1 1/16*	8 3/16 14 6/16*	Weather at first cloudy; but subsequently cool and clear. Sugarcane and winter rice doing well. Pressing of sugarcane and sowing of popy commenced in Jehanabad subdivision. Sowing of *rabi* going on in places. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
14	SHAHABAD ...	Nil	10† 14*	10† 13*	Sugarcane doing well. Rain wanted for paddy on high lands in the Bhabhua, Buxar and Sadar subdivisions. *Rabi*-sowings going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder reported to be insufficient in Sandes. Water sufficient. Old common rice selling at 8 seers a rupee at Sadar and *makai* at 16 seers a rupee at Sasaram.
15	SARAN ...	Nil	8½ 12½*	8½ 13*	Weather seasonable. *Rabi* sowings nearly completed. Early sown *rabi* dying for want of moisture. Daily average number of persons relieved from the District Board Fund during the week—28 men, 118 women and 159 children in the Siwan subdivision; besides 133 men, 256 women and 367 children on average daily relieved gratuitously by the Hathwa Raj. 61 men, 99 women and 48 children on test-works in the Siwan subdivision; and 155 men, 188 women and 142 children on average daily on the Raj relief works. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	8½ 10½*	9½ 11¼*	Weather slightly hot in the day, but cold at night. Threshing of *bhadoi* nearly finished. Winter rice suffering much for want of rain throughout the district Rain also wanted for *rabi* sowings which are in progress. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	7½ 12*	7½	Weather bright and sunshiny; cold at night; but very hot in the day for the time of the year. No rainfall reported in the district. High land paddy dying. *Rabi* sowings in progress. Harvesting of sugarcane going on in Hajipur. Cholera decreasing in the Sitamarhi and Sadar subdivisions. Slight increase of theft and burglary reported from Sitamarhi. Common rice and *makai* selling at 7 and 11½ seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi and 7 15/16 and 13 seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur. Daily average for gratuitous relief 4,775. Figures from five kitchens not received. No cattle disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.
† New rice.

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		Inches.			
18	DARBHANGA ...	Nil	5 11½*	7⅛ 11½*	Weather seasonable. Condition of paddy crops not satisfactory for want of rain. Number of persons relieved at kitchens on the last day of the week—Sadar thana 2,945, Bahera thana 6,679, Roserha thana 11,618, Madhubani subdivision 315, Samastipur subdivision 936. Number of persons on test-works for the last day available—Manihas 138, Ojhoul 172, Basaitha 204, Ratwara 301, Chakmehsi 89, Hathourighat 103, Sakarlohra 344, Gangdah 286, Saleypur 677, Dasauth 422, Balha 1,634, Tolaparsa 1,147, Larjaghat 72. No cattle-disease. Fodder sufficient.
19	MONGHYR ...	0 12	6½ 11½*	7 12*	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter rice fair, but more rain wanted. Paddy being harvested in some parts of the Jamui sub-division. Sowings of *rabi* crops in progress. Slight damage to them by insects reported in North Monghyr. Cattle-disease reported from Surajgarha thana. Fodder and water sufficient.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	0 68	8¼ 12 11/16*	8¼ 10½*	Sky clear. Rain urgently wanted for *aghani* crops as well as for preparing lands for *rabi* crops. Sugarcane doing well. Cholera reported from all parts of the Supaul subdivision Cattle-disease reported from Pratabganj thana. Fodder and water sufficient
21	PURNEA ...	0·12	6	6	Weather seasonable. More rain wanted in parts for the standing crops. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on. Winter paddy on high lands damaged by drought. Prospects not favourable. High prices prevailing. Agricultural loans being given. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
22	DARJEELING ...	Nil	6 12*	...	Weather seasonable. Hills—Wheat and barley being sown. Winter rice, *bhadoi dhan* and *marua* in fair state. Terai—Prospects of winter rice gloomy. Preparation of land for tobacco, mustard and other crops going on.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	3·03	7¼ 13 5/16*	6⅝ 13 5/16*	Weather seasonable. Standing crops generaliy promising well. Winter rice in Jamtara and Pakour slightly damaged by heavy rain of last week. Cattle-disease reported from Dumka. Fodder and water sufficient.
24	CUTTACK ...	5·32	9 11/12	10½	Rainfall general. *Laghu saradh* ripening. *Guru saradh* in ear. Early cotton and sugarcane thriving. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	2·39	9½	10	Weather temperate. Crops greatly improved by recent rain. *Saradh* in ear. Sugarcane and vegetables doing well. Prospects fair. Ploughing for *rabi* in progress. Fodder and water available.
26	ANGUL ...	1·37	11	11	Rainfall sufficient. Winter rice being harvested in some places. *Rabi* and sugarcane growing well.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
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		Inches.			
27	PURI ...	2·84	8½	10½	Weather seasonable. Rainfall general. Sugarcane getting on well. Cotton flowering in some places and bearing pods at others. *Sarudh* in ear. *Laghu* ripening in some places and being reaped at others. *Rabi* and other miscellaneous crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	0·56	11	11	Rain general. Harvesting of *urid* and reaping and threshing of autumn rice in progress. Reaping of *berna dhan* commenced in Bargarh tahsil. Prospects of standing crops good. Cattle-disease in two villages in Bargarh tahsil. Fodder and water-supply sufficient.
29	HAZARIBAGH ...	...	9½	10	Prospects of standing crops good. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Fodder and water sufficient.
30	RANCHI ...	1·97	10¼	10½	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of paddy and *bhadoi* pulses continuing State of standing crops good. Cattle-disease not reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	0·54	9 9/15	10 1/15	Weather seasonable. *Rabi* sowings in progress. Standing crops doing well. Harvesting of paddy commenced in places. Cattle-disease reported from four thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
32	MANBHUM ...	1·55	9½	10½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Gobindpur, Nerasha and Gourandih. Fodder and water sufficient.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	3·48	10	9	Sowing of *rabi* commenced in places Common rice selling at 9 and 12 seers per rupee at Seraikela and Kharsawan respectively. Fodder and water sufficient.
34	COOCH BEHAR	0·08	6⅔	6 11/20	Weather cool. Preparation of lands for tobacco, wheat and mustard going on. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Mathabhanga and Dinhata. Fodder and water sufficient.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—Rain was fairly general in all the Divisions of the Province, excepting It was heavy in Hooghly, Howrah, the 24-Parganas, Nadia, Jessore, the Sonthal Parganas, Singhbhum, and in the Contai subdivision of Midnapore, where a fall of 8·57 inches was recorded week. In the Patna Division, Gaya alone recorded a slight fall of 0·38 inches only. The recent been generally beneficial to *aman* paddy, but it is reported from Midnapore, Hooghly, Howrah, the 24-P and the Sonthal Parganas that it has slightly damaged this crop in certain places. Standing especially on high lands, are still in need of rain in the Patna Division and also in Monghyr, Bh and Purnea. Damage has been done by insect-pests in Nadia and Monghyr. The number of receiving gratuitous relief is—24-Parganas 10,897, Saran 1,061, Muzaffarpur 4,775, Darbhanga 22,49 39,226. The number of persons attending test-works is—Saran 693, Darbhanga 5,589. Cattle exists in nine districts. Fodder and water are generally sufficient. Cholera continues to prevail in Muzaffarpur and Bhagalpur. The price of common rice has risen in twelve and fallen in six districts increase is noticeable in Darbhanga, where common rice is selling at 5 seers per rupee as against 7½ in the previous week.

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DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Number	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
BURDWAN DIVISION 1	Burdwan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 12	7 8	13 8	...	...	...
2	Birbhum ...	9 0	9 0	12 0	...	...	..	7 8	7 8	13 8	...	.	...
3	Bankura ...	11 0	11 0	13 4	...	...	...	8 0	9 0	Old 15 0 New 16 8	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	7 8	9 0	13 0	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	8 8	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	6 9	6 10	10 0	...	...	...
6	Howrah ...	...	...	12 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	11 8	...	.	...
PRESIDENCY DIVISION 7	24-Parganas ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	..	...	8 0	8 0	10 8	...	...	...
8	Calcutta ...	10 0	10 5	10 10	12 14	12 14	12 4	8 14	8 14*	7 8	—	...	...
9	Nadia ...	10 12	11 6	13 0	14 8	14 8	20 0	8 0	8 0	11 10	...	..	...
10	Murshidabad ...	10 8	10 8	16 0	15 8	17 0	26 0	7 0	7 8	13 0	...	..	...
11	Jessore ...	8 0	8 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	11 4	7 4	7 0	11 12	...	..	...
12	Khulna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 0	11 0	...	...	...
	BIHAR.												
PATNA DIVISION. 13	Patna ...	12 4	12 0	13 8	13 4	14 0	18 0	8 8	8 8	15 0	...	14 0	...
14	Gaya ...	11 12	11 12	13 5	12 5	14 6	18 7	8 8	8 8	13 13	12 5	11 4	16 6
15	Shahabad ...	11 0	11 0	14 0	13 0	12 0	18 0	New 10 0 Old 8 0	9 0	14 0	...	...	...
16	Saran ...	11 4	11 4	13 0	13 0	13 0	19 0	8 8	8 12	12 0	...	...	...
17	Champaran ...	10 0	10 12	14 0	14 0	14 0	19 0	9 8	9 4	15 4	...	...	...
18	Muzaffarpur ...	10 8	10 8	11 0	12 0	13 8	19 0	8 0	9 0	11 0	...	...	...
19	Darbhanga ...	11 0	10 6	14 0	12 1	13 3	18 11	7 11	8 3	15 6	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 18 seers 5 chitaks; Raniganj 16 seers; Kalna 17 seers 12 chitaks.
B. At Rampur Hât the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee.
C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee.
D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contai 16 seers; Tamluk 16 seers; Ghatal 16 seers.
E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 16 seers (Liverpool); Arambagh 16 seers.
F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee.
G. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetla 16 seers; Barasat 14 seers; Baduria 16 seers (crushed); Mograhat 16 seers; Barrackpore 13 seers (karkatch).
H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 15 seers (panga); Chuadanga 13 seers (karkatch); Meherpur 16 seers (karkatch); Ranaghat 12 seers (crushed).

* Midnapore *Aus*, which is the new production of the year.

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

BAJRA OR CUMBU (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine Coracana*).		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
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...	...	...	...	...	...
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...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	14 4	14 0	...	
...	...	15 6	16 6	20 8	
...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	12 0	Not available.	18 0	
...	...	12 0	12 8	...	
...	...	12 0	12 0	19 0	
...	...	11 0	11 0	26 7	

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...tricts of Bengal on the 31st October 1906.

...OR PEA (*Dolichos*).	SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS. SALT.			DISTRICTS.	Number.	
Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	BENGAL.		
9 8	A 17 0	17 0	16 8	2 5 0	Karkatch 2 4 6	2 2 0	Burdwan.	1	Burdwan Division.
7 8	B 15 0	15 0	16 0	2 8 0	Karkatch. 2 8 0	2 7 0	Birbhum.	2	
11 0	C 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	Panga. 2 8 0	2 4 0	Bankura.	3	
8 0	D 14 0	14 0	16 0	2 4 0	Crushed. 2 4 0	2 3 0	Midnapore.	4	
	13 12	13 12	14 0	2 5 0	Panga. 2 5 0	2 6 0			
10 0	E 17 0	17 0	16 0	2 3 0	Panga. 2 3 0	2 6 0	Hooghly.	5	
9 0	F 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	Howrah.	6	
11 0	G 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 2 0	Panga. 2 2 0	2 3 0	24-Parganas.	7	Presidency Division.
8 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	2 2 0	Panga. 2 2 0	2 8 0	Calcutta.	8	
8 0	H 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	Karkatch. 2 4 0	2 2 6	Nadia.	9	
10 0	I 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	Murshidabad.	10	
13 4	J 16 0	16 0	12 0	2 8 0	Panga. 2 8 0	3 0 0	Jessore.	11	
9 0	K 13 5	13 5	13 0	2 12 0	Panga. 2 12 0	3 1 0	Khulna.	12	
							BIHAR.		
9 8	L 15 0	15 0	16 0	2 4 0	Panga. 2 4 0	2 8 0	Patna.	13	Patna Division.
9 2	M 15 14	15 12	15 14	2 9 0	Panga. 2 9 0	2 8 6	Gaya.	14	
8 0	N 15 0	15 0	16 0	2 10 8	2 10 8	2 8 0	Shahabad.	15	
10 0	O 16 0	16 0	16 8	2 8 0	Panga. 2 8 0	2 7 0	Saran.	16	
11 0	P 15 0	15 0	15 0	2 10 9	2 10 9	2 13 0	Champaran.	17	
10 0	Q 14 8	14 8	14 0	2 10 6	Panga. 2 10 6	2 12 0	Muzaffarpur.	18	
14 4	R 14 4	13 3	14 4	2 13 0	3 0 6	2 9 0	Darbhanga.	19	

...il prices of salt per rupee are—Jangipur 15 seers; Lalbagh 14 seers; Kandi 16 seers.
...etail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 15 seers (karkatch); Magura 12 seers 16 seers (panga) and Narail 14 seers 3 chitaks (panga).
...ail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 12 seers (karkatch); Satkhira 16 seers.
...ail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 16 seers (panga); Dinapore 12 seers.

M. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jahanabad 16, Nawada 16 and Aurangabad 16 seers.
N. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 16 seers; Bhabua 14 seers and Sasaram 16 seers.
O. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 15 seers; Gopalganj 15 seers 4 chitaks (panga).
P. At Hattiah the retail price of salt is 14 seers 8 chitaks per rupee.
Q. In the subdivisions the prices of salt per rupee are—Sitamarhi return not received; Hajipur 15 seers.
R. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 14 seers; Madhubani 14 seers 4 chitaks.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN											
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	BIHAR—*concluded.*												
BHAGALPUR DIVISION.	20 Monghyr ...	10 15	10 15	15 11	12 9	Not sold.	25 2	6 12	6 12	12 3½	...	...	...
	21 Bhagalpur ...	10 12	10 11	14 4	12 11	12 12	20 8	8 4	8 2	14 14	...	...	...
	22 Purnea ...	9 8	9 0	14 0	...	...	...	6 0 & 0	6 0 & 7 0*	10 0	...	...	...
	23 Darjeeling ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	9 8	...	...	...
	24 Santhal Parganas.	9 0	9 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	20 0	7 9	6 11	16 0	...	...	...
	ORISSA.												
ORISSA DIVISION.	25 Cuttack ...	11 13	10 8	11 13	...	...	...	9 13	10 8	13 2	...	...	...
	26 Balasore ...	11 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	9 8	11 0	13 0	...	...	...
	27 Angul ...	6 0	6 0	8 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	15 0	...	...	...
	28 Puri ...	11 2	10 8	11 2	...	...	...	8 8	10 8	13 2	...	...	...
	29 Sambalpur ...	13 0	12 8	13 0	...	...	...	11 0	10 8	17 0	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPUR.												
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.	30 Hazaribagh ...	10 0	9 8	11 0	11 0	12 0	15 8	9 8	10 0	14 0	...	...	...
	31 Ranchi ...	9 0 to 10 8	9 0	7 0 to 10 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	9 4	10 8	11 0	...	...	...
	32 Palamau ...	11 13	12 6	15 12	16 14	14 10	20 4	10 2	10 11	13 8	...	...	...
	33 Manbhum ...	10 8	11 0	11 8	12 0	13 0	13 0	10 8	9 8	12 0	...	...	...
	34 Singhbhum ...	9 0	10 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	9 0	13 0	...	...	...

S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Jamui 16 seers; Begusarai 15 seers.

T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 13¼ seers; Madhipura 13 seers and Supaul 13 seers.

U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 14 seers; Basantpur 14 seers.

V. Darjeeling return not received.

W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Godda 14 seers; Jamtara 13 seers; Pakour 16 seers; Deoghur 16 seers and Rajmahal 16 seers.

* Now *bhadoi*.

CALCUTTA,
The 5th November 1906.

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

BAJRA OR CUMBU (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine Coracana*).		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	7 8	12 0
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	21 0	22 0	26 0
...	...	...	26 0	27 0	33 0
...	...	...	20 4	16 14	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
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rices of Bengal on the 31st October 1906—concld.

WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS.													
DR PEA S)	SALT.					SALT.					DISTRICTS.		
nt ret	ing		RE		nt return.	preceding		Corresponding return of last year.					
ext retur						Next return.						Number.	
Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A.			BIHAR—*concluded.*		
	.5 11	15 11	.5 11		2 10 0	2 10 0	Panga.	2 8 0			Monghyr	20	
14	15 2	15 2	.5 8		2 6 9	2 6 9	Panga.	2 9 0			Bhagalpur.	21	DIVISION.
	3 0	13 0	11 0		3 0 0	3 0 0	Panga.	3 8 0			Purnea.	22	
		12 0	12 0			3 5 0		3 5 0			Darjeeling.	23	
	W 4 0	14 0	14 8		2 12 0	2 12 0	Panga.	2 12 0			Santhal Parganas.	24	
											ORISSA.		
	8 0	18 0	16 0		2 3 9	2 3 0	Karkatch.	2 8 0			Cuttack.	25	
	6 0	6 0	17 0		2 5 0	2 5 0	Panga.	2 6 0			Balasore.	26	DIVISION.
		10 8	10 8		3 0 0	3 4 0	Karkatch.	3 2 0			Angul.	27	
		17 1	16 0		2 1 0	2 3 0		2 7 0			Puri.	28	
	3 0	13 0	11 8		3 0 0	3 0 0	Karkatch.	3 0 0			Sambalpur.	29	
											CHOTA NAGPUR.		
	12 8	13 0	12 8		3 1 3	3 0 0	Panga.	3 1 3			Hazaribagh.		
	12 0	12 8	12 0		3 2 0	3 0 0	Panga.	3 1 0			Ranchi.	31	
	15 3	15 3	15 3		...	...		...			Palamau.	32	CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.
	0 14 0	4 0	14 0		2 10 0	2 9 0	Panga.	2 10 0			Manbhum.	33	
	0 14 0	13 0	13 0		2 10 0	2 12 0	Panga.	3 0 0			Singhbhum.	34	

prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 16 seers ; Jajpur 16 seers.
of salt is 14 seers per rupee (panga).
of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Saukhpur 10 seers 8 chittaks (karkatch) ; Phulbani 10 seers 8 chittaks.

a. At Khurda the retail price of salt is 18 seers per rupee.
b. At Bargarh the retail price of salt is 11 seers (Bombay).
c. At Gumla the retail price of salt is 10 seers 8 chittaks per rupee (panga).
d. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Gobindapur 16 seers (panga) ; Jhalda 11 seers.

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c

PRICE PER MAUN

Number.	Marts.	Rice (best sort).			Common rice (*mota chaul*).			Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).			Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
1	Calcutta ...	6 12 0	6 14 0	6 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 10
2	Burdwan ...	6 4 6	6 0 0	3 2 0	4 13 6	5 2 0	2 12 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Midnapore ...	6 4 0	6 4 0	3 6 0	5 5 0	4 7 0	2 14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Patna ...	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 0 0	4 12 0	4 11 0	2 11 0	3 5 0	3 4 0	2 15 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 3
	Muzaffarpur ...	...	6 10 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	3 5 3	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 5 3	3 1 3	2 13 9	2 0
	Bhagalpur ...	7 6 0	6 6 6	3 10 0	4 13 6	4 14 0	2 11 0	3 11 6	3 12 0	2 13 0	3 2 6	3 2 0	1 15
	Cuttack ...	5 8 6	5 5 4	5 0 9	4 1 0	3 13 0	0 9	3 7 6	3 13 0	3 3 9			
	Sambalpur ...	4 3 0	4 3 0	3 13 0	3 9 6	3 11 0	2 5 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	2 15 0			
	Ranchi ...	5 2 8	5 1 3	4 14 6	4 1	14 6	3 5 0	4 3 0	4 3 6	4 0 0 to 5 11 3	2 10 9	2 10 9	2 10

CALCUTTA,

The 5th November 1906.

...AR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum vulgare*).			BAJRA OR CUMBU (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine coracana*).			GRAM, CHANA, CHOLA, KADALAY, OR SUNAGA (*Cicer arietinum*).	
...resent return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
...P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
..	...	...	...	...	4 8 0	...	...	...	4 0 0	3 12 0 / 3 4 0
.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 7 0	3 8 0 / 2 12 0
.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4 0 to 3 12 0	3 4 0 to 3 12 0 / 2 12 0 to 3 4 0
	2 12 0	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 11 0	...	3 2 0	3 0 0 / 2 11 0
	...	...	...	...	...	3 1 3	3 1 3	2 0 0	3 3 0	3 3 0 / 2 13 9
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 3 0 / 2 7 0
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Biri; or Kalai. 3 3 6	3 6 3 / 2 12 3
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8 6	3 13 0 / 2 14 0
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 13 0	3 13 3 / 3 3 0

PRICE PER MAUND OF

Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Thur—Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Linseed.			Mustard and Rapeseed.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 12 0	2 14 0	2 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 6 0	8 0 0	6 8 0	4 6 0
...	...	...	4 12 6	5 6 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	7 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0
...	...	...	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 8 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 12 0	Mustard, 6 8 0 / Rapeseed, 5 8 0	Mustard, 6 8 0 / Rapeseed, 5 8 0	5 12 0 / 5 0 0
3 1 0	3 1 0	2 1 6	6 4 0	5 0 0	4 3 0	5 4 0	5 2 0	4 12 0	6 8 0	6 2 0	5 10 0
3 5 3	3 1 3	2 0 0	5 5 0	5 5 0	3 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3 2 6	3 2 0	1 15 6	5 8 3	5 12 0	4 7 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	Mustard, 5 0 0 / Rapeseed, ...	Mustard, 6 0 0 / Rapeseed, ...	4 6 0 / 5 4 0
...	...	...	3 9 0	3 9 0	2 12 3	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 12 0
...	...	...	4 0 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	...	...	...	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 12 0
...	...	...	6 10 6	6 10 6	6 10 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 10 6	6 8 0	5 10 0 to 5 15 0

TANDARD SEERS.

TIL OR JINJILI SEED			SUGAR (RAW).			COTTON (CLEANED).			JUTE		
s previous returns.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
s. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 0	6 4 0	4 8 0	6 12 0	6 8 0	5 12 0	19 8 0	19 8 0	17 0 0	10 6 0	10 6 0	7 0 0
.	...	...	5 13 0	5 12 0	6 0 0	...	...	21 0 0	...	...	...
.	...	...	5 4 0	5 4 0	7 4 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	20 0 0 to 21 0 0	25 0 0	...	...	...
) 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	...	18 0 0	17 8 0	18 0 0	7 0 0	8 0 0	5 8 0
	...	...	4 7 0	4 0 0	4 7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
.	...	...	4 8 0	4 4 0	5 4 0	19 8 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	...	...	...
3	5 2 3	5 5 3	3 11 0	4 0 6	6 8 0	22 13 0	22 13 0	22 13 0	...	...	...
0	4 14 0	4 8 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	5 4 0	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 0 0
	...	...	5 8 0	5 11 6	5 12 0	22 12 0	2 12 0	23 0 0	...	...	...

PRICE PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.																	
Ghi (clarified butter).						Tobacco Leaf.						Hides (cow).			Grass.		
Present return.			Next preceding return.			Corresponding return of last year.			Present return.			Next preceding return.			Corresponding return of last year.			Present return.			Next preceding return.			Corresponding return of last year.		
Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
43	0	0	40	0	0	39	0	0	8	8	0	8	8	0	8	0	0	Per 100 pieces. 430	0	0	430	0	0	500	0	0	Per maund. 1	4	0	1	6	0	2	0	0
40	0	0	43	0	0	36	0	0	...			...			...			...			...			...			...			...			...		
42	0	0	42	0	0	37	8	0	Madhukhali. 7	0	0	7	0	0	6	0	0	Cleaned per piece. 3 4 0 to 4 4 0			3 4 0 to 4 4 0			2 12 0 to 3 12 0			...			...			...		
									Pulta. 9	0	0	9	0	0	8	0	0	Uncleaned per piece. 3 0 0 to 4 0 0			3 0 0 to 4 0 0			2 8 0 to 3 8 0											
38	0	0	38	0	0	34	0	0	2	8	0	2	8	0	3	12	0	...			...			...			...			0	4	6	...		
40	0	0	40	0	0	35	9	0	8	0	0	8	0	0	8	0	0	...			...			...			...			...			...		
39	6	0	39	8	0	40	0	0	6	5	9	7	8	0	5	0	0	...			...			...			...			...			...		
38	1	6	38	1	6	38	1	6	5	8	0	5	8	0	6	1	6	Per maund. 30	0	0	30	0	0	25	0	0	0	7	6	0	7	6	0	7	0
40	0	0	40	0	0	37	8	0	20	0	0	22	13	0	16	0	0	Per maund. 40	0	0	40	0	0	38	0	0	...			...			...		
37 to 40	8	0	37 to 40	8	0	35 to 40	8	0	13 to 20	5	0	16	0	0	10	0	0	Per piece. 2	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	3	4

undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 31st October 1906.

STRAW.			JUAR STALKS.			PRICE PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.									MART
						IRON.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
14 0	Per maund. 1 0 0	1 0 0	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	2 2 0	Panga. 2 2 0	2 8 0	1. Calcutt
10 6	Per pan. 0 12 0	0 6 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7 6	2 5 0	Panga. 2 4 6	2 2 6	2. Burdwa
8 0	Per maund. 0 8 0	0 8 0	...	...	...	2 8 0 to 4 8 0	2 8 0 to 4 8 0	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 5 0 / 2 4 0	Panga. 2 5 0 to 2 4 0 / Crusted. 2 4 0 to 2 3 0	2 6 0 / 3 0	3. M.dna
...	...	...	...	...	...	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 0 0	0 5 6	0 6 6	0 6 0	2 6 6	Panga. 2 4 0	2 8 0	4. Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 11 6	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 4 0	2 10 6	Panga. 2 10 6	2 12 0	5. Muzaffa
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	0 5 0	0 6 8	...	2 6 9	2 9 0	6. Bhagalp
9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	3 13 4	0 5 0	0 4 6	0 5 0	2 3 0	Karkatch. 2 3 0	2 8 0	7. Cuttack
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 3 6	0 3 6	0 4 0	3 0 0	Karkatch. 3 0 0	3 0 0	8. Sambalp
0 0	1 0 0	0 10 8	...	...	...	5 11 6	5 11 6	5 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 2 0	Panga. 3 0 0	3 1 0	9. Ranchi.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 3rd November 1906, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo	Week ending Saturday, the 3rd November 1906.			Week ending Saturday, the 4th November 1905		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy ..	252	53,485	513	637	51,865	726
Jute	712	2,00,549*	3,934	575	1,54,546†	2,615
Firewood	88	69,395	1,052	48	34,690	510
Other articles	704	1,51,054	1,916	931	1,89,320	2,424
Total ...	1,756	4,74,483	6,815	2,191	4,30,421	6,275

* Weight by canal measurement, 2,10,950 maunds.
† Ditto ditto 1,67,767½ do.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 28th October to 3rd November 1906.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rains.	Weather.
1906.		°		Inches.				°	°	Inches					Inches.	
Oct.	28th	111·4	Nil	29·825	76·9	80·4	6·0	74·4	72·0	0·751	70·6	84	ENE and NE by E.	109	Nil	Cloudy o, g, d. ☋.
	29th	93·0	,,	·841	70·4	73·8	5·5	68·0	68·9	·703	68·7	92	ENE	171	0·49	Cloudy o, g, d, p.
	30th	110·7	,,	·834	74·4	77·8	6·9	71·9	73·0	·823	73·4	99	ENE, ESE and E.	72	1·07	Cloudy o, g, d, p.
	31st	116·2	,,	·860	77·7	82·	8·5	73·9	75·9		75·9	96	ESE, SW by W, and SW by S.	58	1·93	Cloudy o, g, d, p.
Nov.	1st	123·1	0·2	·843	79·5	83·9	7·7	76·2	77·6	·934	77·2	94	SW by S and WSW.	59	0·11	Cloudy o, g, d.
	2nd	114·7	0·4	·888	79·1	82·9	6·4	76·5	76·9	·913	76·5	94	WSW, NW and calm.	25	0·01	Chiefly cloudy, o, d, p.
	3rd	145·7	5·6	·900	79·8	86·4	12·1	74·3	76·4	·875	75·2	87	NNW, N by W and calm.	37	0·23	Partially cloudy,

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·856
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·899
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	5·6
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	79·0
The mean temperature of the seven days	76·8
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	78·8
The extreme variation of temperature	18·4
The maximum temperature	86·4
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	13
	%
The mean relative humidity	92
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	74
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 28th October to 3rd November 1906	3·84
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	0·48
The total fall from 1st January to 3rd November 1906	57·19
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	64·75

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

o, overcast; g, gloomy; d, drizzling rain, p, passing temporary showers; ☋ lunar halo.

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METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA;
Alipore (Calcutta), the 5th November 1906.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th October 1906 on 2,094·73 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
ffic for the week ...	396,018	4,32,341 0 0	61,01,561 0	10,32,850 0 0 (a)	27,998 0 0	14,83,189 0 0	131,236	180,638	311,854
ile of railway ...	....	201 9 11	.....	403 1	13 5 10	708 0 11	.....	.....	.....
ous 15 weeks of half-year	6,752,476*	62,50,693 0 0*	8,93,51,996 0†	1,44,71,406 0 0†	4,21,107 0 0‡	3,11,43,205 0 0	1,955,231§	2,542,431§	4,497,662
Total for 16 weeks ...	7,148,494	66,73,033 0 0	9,54,53,547 0	1,55,04,256 0 0	4,49,105 0 0	2,26,26,394 0 0	2,086,467	2,723,069	4,809,516
COMPARISON.									
e corresponding week of us year.	385,224	4,37,171 13 3	64,05,673 0	10,68,076 13 3	32,428 9 9	15,37,677 4 3	127,590	174,375	301,995
of railway corresponding of previous year.		213 2 3		520 11 10	15 13 0	749 11 1			
r corresponding 16½ weeks vious year.	6,372,213	67,57,789 5 5	9,33,89,154 0	1,43,02,175 0 4	4,74,913 15 11	2,15,34,878 5 8	2,015,579	2,604,344	4,619,923

The decrease is in general merchandise.
ded No. of passengers 8,049 and deducted Rs. 14,704 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 25th August
ducted Mds. 41,335 and added ,, 66 } 1906.
itto ,, 571 }
ited figures up to 25th August 1906.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.

m ge.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
13	Week ended 7th July ...	567,167	4,48,481	69,19,072	9,69,219	25,096	14,42,706	694	304,958	4 11 8
13	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	460,864	4,04,849	63,54,825	9,32,554	29,603	13,67,006	658	301,065	4 8 8
13	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	457,480	4,35,441	57,13,738	9,49,878	27,075	14,13,395	680	296,384	4 11 9
13	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	435,063	4,03,955	45,30,636	8,05,569	28,678	12,39,202	596	274,042	4 8 4
13	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	487,011	4,43,518	59,95,837	9,09,114	28,810	13,81,442	665	303,109	4 8 11
13	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	442,083	3,93,293	53,22,554	8,84,133	27,976	13,09,402	630	287,511	4 8 10
13	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	410,076	3,76,272	54,48,275	9,14,251	28,706	13,18,229	631	285,186	4 9 11
13	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	411,543	3,49,077	57,05,617	9,18,847	27,820	12,95,744	619	286,268	4 8 5
13	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	446,719	4,13,519	64,43,747	10,96,921	27,621	15,38,061	734	312,596	4 14 9
13	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	468,850	4,21,492	64,89,899	11,22,195	27,720	15,71,407	750	317,281	4 15 3
13	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	427,516	4,25,696	65,15,856	10,47,913	28,543	15,02,157	717	314,360	4 12 5
13	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	469,387	4,53,535	63,51,477	10,26,493	28,099	15,43,127	737	305,924	5 0 8
13	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	446,646	4,33,556	53,74,025	8,56,813	28,040	13,17,468	629	290,400	4 6 5
13	,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	416,385	4,04,053	55,71,945	9,08,061	28,093	13,40,208	640	292,121	4 9 5
13	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	422,650	4,10,854	66,14,431	11,24,445	28,257	15,63,556	746	315,547	4 15 3
13	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	396,018	4,22,341	61,01,561	10,32,850	27,998	14,83,189	708	311,854	4 12 1
	Totals up to date ...	7,148,494	66,73,033	9,54,53,547	1,55,04,256	4,49,105	2,26,26,394	677	4,809,516	4 11 3

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1905*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
041·33	First 8 days of July ...	569,904	5,07,593	78,45,162	10,75,471	31,669	16,14,733	791	342,064	4 11 7
041·33	Week ended 15th ,, ...	530,093	4,59,596	55,14,313	8,18,437	29,993	13,08,026	641	301,785	4 7 9
041·33	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	453,067	4,41,863	54,65,115	8,81,667	28,775	13,32,304	653	296,188	4 11 7
041·33	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	433,430	4,40,780	60,89,666	8,88,062	27,926	13,56,768	665	280,065	4 13 6
041·33	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	435,583	4,14,472	60,12,732	8,20,683	28,394	12,63,549	619	276,531	4 9 1
041·33	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	413,065	3,84,038	54,23,290	8,43,045	26,803	12,53,896	614	274,661	4 9 0
045·03	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	432,019	3,76,084	49,30,968	7,43,810	26,601	11,46,495	561	269,757	4 4 0
049·98	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	373,357	3,73,641	64,79,724	8,03,016	26,808	12,03,465	616	271,293	4 10 5
050·88	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	382,701	3,69,779	65,75,259	9,99,026	24,849	13,91,654	679	289,906	4 12 10
051·07	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	395,355	3,91,755	62,93,480	9,14,014	30,213	13,35,983	651	295,130	4 8 5
051·07	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	443,159	4,35,554	57,01,210	8,32,604	30,737	13,58,895	663	301,798	4 8 1
051·07	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	403,136	4,09,656	51,58,016	8,77,050	31,121	13,17,827	643	292,798	4 8 0
051·07	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	409,409	4,40,809	54,22,807	9,27,713	29,638	13,98,160	682	283,380	4 14 11
051·07	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	439,829	4,51,763	52,26,286	8,59,650	32,551	13,43,973	655	287,199	4 10 10
051·07	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	403,914	4,33,585	50,43,453	8,29,841	29,348	12,92,774	630	275,463	4 11 1
051·07	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	385,224*	4,37,173	64,05,673	10,68,077	32,428	15,37,677	750	301,995	5 1 6
	Totals up to date ...	6,372,213	67,57,789	9,33,89,154	1,43,02,175	4,74,914	2,15,34,878	652	4,619,923	4 10 7

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th October 1906 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
tal traffic for the week ...	21,345	4,945 0 0	27,308 0	1,188 0 0	8 0 0	6,141 0 9	963	225	1,1
per mile of railway ...	.....	222 7 2	.....	73 7 1	0 5 9	276 4 0	.....	.....	.....
previous 15 weeks of half-year	328,548*	77,491 0 0*	2,00,588 0†	8,031 0 0†	148 0 0‡	85,667 0 0	14,496‡	3,368§	17,8
Total for 16 weeks ...	350,893	82,436 0 0	2,27,796 0	9,219 0 0	153 0 0	91,808 0 0	15,459	3,593	19,0
COMPARISON.									
tal for corresponding week of previous year.	20,600	4,631 11 10	24,372 20	1,069 1, 0	3 9 0	5,704 5 10	979	231	1,21
r mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	208 5 8	.....	48 1 5	0 2 7	256 9 8	.....	.....	.....
al for corresponding 16½ weeks f previous year.	333,937	76,537 1 7	2,17,334 20	7,719 7 0	125 7 9	84,382 0 4	15,397	3,617	19,2

* Deducted No. of passengers 1,199 and Rs. 389 } On account of difference between approximate and audited figures for the week ended 25th Aug
† Do. Mds. 1,150 ,, ,, 31 } 1906.
‡ Added ,, 1 }
§ Audited figures up to 25th August 1906.

6. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A.
*22·23	Week ended 7th July ...	41,964	10,696	14,869	553	15	11,264	507	1,252	8 15
*22·23	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	24,540	5,737	10,816	416	13	6,166	277	1,190	5 2
*22·23	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	21,707	5,008	11,170	374	6	5,388	242	1,256	4 4
*22·23	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	17,649	4,140	5,948	243	9	4,391	198	1,126	3 14
*22·23	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	21,759	5,656	10,176	330	13	5,999	270	1,208	4 15
*22·23	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	20,034	4,601	7,934	330	12	4,943	222	1,100	4 7
*22·23	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	17,511	3,636	5,030	224	7	3,867	174	1,228	3 2
*22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	16,747	3,896	9,455	404	9	4,309	180	1,188	3 6
22·23	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	17,763	3,963	8,283	347	8	4,318	194	1,188	3 10
22·23	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	19,780	4,735	10,433	459	9	5,203	234	1,188	4 6
22·23	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	20,744	4,606	12,142	512	8	5,126	231	1,188	4 5
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	22,623	5,251	20,343	786	9	6,046	272	1,188	5 1
22·23	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	21,004	4,884	18,033	755	9	5,648	254	1,188	4 12
22·23	,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	23,020	5,721	25,345	987	9	6,717	302	1,188	5 10
22·23	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	22,703	5,261	30,691	1,312	9	6,582	296	1,188	5 8
22·23	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	23,345	4,945	27,308	1,188	8	6,141	276	1,188	5 2
	Totals up to date ...	350,893	82,436	2,27,796	9,219	153	19,808	258	19,052	4 13

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A.
22·23	First 8 days of July ...	25,207	5,782	11,209	394	19	6,195	279	1,298	4 12
22·23	Week ended 15th ,, ...	33,950	7,943	9,826	283	9	8,134	366	1,252	6 7 1
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	26,398	6,519	5,291	212	4	6,735	303	1,010	6 10
22·23	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	15,036	3,679	4,223	171	14	3,864	174	1,344	2 13
22·23	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	15,506	3,494	13,446	276	9	3,779	170	1,190	3 3
22·23	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	21,980	5,499	4,963	237	6	5,738	258	1,032	5 8 1
22·23	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	19,379	4,239	42,165	627	6	4,872	219	834	5 13 6
22·23	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	16,249	3,494	7,736	411	8	3,913	176	1,780	2 8 1
22·23	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	16,899	3,746	7,701	311	4	4,060	183	1,188	3 6 9
22·23	,, ,, 9th ,, ..	19,339	4,394	10,749	462	8	4,864	219	1,186	4 1 7
22·23	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	20,267	4,248	10,087	437	9	4,694	211	1,186	3 15 4
22·23	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	14,038	3,906	17,387	694	6	4,606	207	1,186	3 15 2
22·23	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	18,097	3,943	13,811	633	6	4,581	206	1,142	4 0 2
22·23	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	24,027	5,877	14,796	655	8	6,540	294	1,086	6 3 1
22·23	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	23,070	5,256	19,491	857	6	6,119	275	1,296	4 11 7
22·23	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	20,600	4,631	24,573	1,069	4	5,704	257	1,210	4 11 1
	Totals up to date ...	333,937	76,537	2,17,334	7,719	126	84,382	235	19,314	4 6 3

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th October 1906 on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	23,509	26,007 0 0	1,24,813 0	14,037 0 0	53 0 0	40,097 0 0	9,247	3,560	12,807
Or per mile of railway	.....	160 2 11	.....	90 2 5	0 5 3	250 10 7	...	.....	...
For previous 15 weeks of half-year	400,968	2,94,706 0 0*	19,94,593 0†	2,09,948 0 0†	821 0 0‡	5,05,375 0 0	137,040§	57,777§	194,826
Total for 16 weeks ...	424,477	3,20,713 0 0	21,18,906 0	2,24,485 0 0	874 0 0	5,46,072 0 0	146,287	61,337	207,633
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	24,485	23,584 13 1	1,71,414 10	16,521 12 0	82 9 6	40,129 2 7	9,515	4,846	14,361
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.		144 14 3		101 12 2	0 8 2	247 2 7			
Total for corresponding 16½ weeks of previous year.	439,292	3,42,987 10 11	28,03,382 10	2,63,586 15 0	939 0 0	6,07,513 9 11	136,841	63,440	199,281

* Deducted No. of passengers 1,266 and Rs. 2,689
† Added Mds. 20,699 and ,, 2,305 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 25th
‡ Do. ,, 23 } August 1906.
§ Audited figures up to 25th August 1906.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*162·36	Week ended 7th July	31,157	31,373	1,24,000	13,005	58	44,436	211	13,124	3 9 10
*162·36	,, ,, 14th ,,	23,355	20,955	98,220	15,313	54	36,323	223	14,036	2 9 3
*162·36	,, ,, 21st ,,	27,980	20,413	1,49,343	16,782	71	37,266	230	13,717	2 11 6
*162·36	,, ,, 28th ,,	26,476	19,131	1,71,547	16,351	57	35,539	218	13,986	2 10 7
*162·36	4th Aug.	26,312	19,151	1,08,463	12,802	39	31,992	197	13,617	2 5 5
*162·36	11th ,,	27,874	17,635	81,520	9,347	58	27,240	168	11,953	2 4 6
	18th ,,	26,597	17,944	1,84,787	15,071	59	33,074	199	13,373	2 6 9
*162·36	25th ,,	28,542	19,833	1,70,754	16,791	64	35,196	217	13,924	2 11 3
162·36	1st Sept.	28,258	21,840	1,39,756	13,395	51	35,295	217	13,921	2 12 1
162·36	8th ,,	24,890	20,208	1,34,383	13,188	54	33,450	206	13,963	2 9 7
162·36	15th ,,	20,167	17,884	1,21,891	11,728	51	29,663	183	13,865	2 4 11
162·36	,, 22nd ,,	23,034	19,862	1,23,831	11,701	52	31,676	177	12,926	2 3 6
162·36	,, 29th ,,	29,263	20,364	1,04,497	13,848	52	34,244	211	13,713	2 11 1
162·36	,, 6th Oct.	25,689	21,049	1,34,302	16,411	52	37,552	231	13,038	2 14 1
162·36	,, 13th ,,	25,904	22,119	1,37,640	15,155	49	37,323	230	12,721	2 14 11
162·36	,, 20th ,,	23,509	26,0 7	1,24 313	14,037	53	40,097	261	12,807	3 2 10
	Totals up to date	424,477	3,20,713	21,18,906	2,24,485	874	5,46,072	210	2,07,633	2 10 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. 1905

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A.
162·36	First 6 days of July	23,258	24,092	2,54,455	30,023	63	44,178	272	14,034	3
162·36	Week ended 15th	20,537	23,387	1,47,254	18,305	53	35,745	220	13,280	2
162·36	,, ,, 22nd	27,096	19,733	1,50,854	17,037	62	36,832	227	10,970	3
162·36	,, ,, 29th ,,	27,252	19,942	2,65,735	34,858	48	54,848	276	11,076	4
162·36	,, ,, 5th Aug.	25,176	18,903	1,68,867	16,189	38	35,130	216	10,393	3
162·36	,, ,, 12th	26,426	19,446	1,16,693	10,573	41	30,065	185	11,026	2 11
162·36	,, ,, 19th	25,705	18,499	85,587	9,608	39	28,146	173	12,353	2
162·36	,, 26th ,,	24,053	18,353	2,40,494	16,427	46	34,825	214	10,537	3
162·36	,, 2nd Sept.	58,353	39,111	1,61,001	16,460	76	55,647	343	14,380	3 14
162·36	,, 9th	25,907	19,386	1,68,811	19,002	68	38,456	237	11,685	3
162·36	,, 16th	21,660	18,960	2,11,973	16,996	112	36,068	223	11,100	3
162·36	,, 23rd	19,758	17,343	2,28,800	15,611	44	33,898	208	11,496	2 14
162·36	,, 30th ,,	23,930	20,253	1,49,550	14,940	47	35,220	217	11,653	3 0
162·36	,, 7th Oct.	23,696	21,618	1,23,556	15,744	60	37,422	230	11,653	3 3
162·36	,, 14th ,,	25,286	21,568	1,49,652	20,291	55	41,914	258	10,918	3 13
162·36	,, 21st ,,	24,485	23,526	1,71,414	16,522	82	40,129	247	14,361	2 12
	Totals up to date	439,292	3,42,986	28,03,382	2,63,586	939	6,07,513	233	199,281	3 2 4

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 20th October 1906 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	54,789	32,779 0 0	4,89,503 0	68,501 0 0	4,290 0 0	1,05,580 0 0	11,717	18,752	30,469
Or per mile of railway	71·34	42·68	634·39	88·96	5·45	137·11	15·26	24·32	39
For previous 15 weeks of half-year	668,809	4,03,223 0 0	56,65,406 0	7,95,192 0 0	1,06,495 0 0	13,05,140 0 0	171,504	263,330	434,834
Total for 16 weeks* ...	723,598	4,36,002 0 0	61,54,909 0	8,63,793 0 0	1,10,685 0 0	14,10,720 0 0	183,221	282,082	465,303
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	44,945	29,922 0 0	3,49,543 0	50,749 0 0	5,171 0 0	85,842 0 0	10,634	19,461	30,095
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	60·96	40·60	479·35	68·58	6·99	116·17	14·43	26·30	40·7
Total to corresponding date of previous year	605,328	3,78,037 0 0	40,57,390 0	6,73,771 0 0	86,134 0 0	11,37,932 0 0	165,902	291,380	457,282

* Includes Noakhali Railway earnings Rs. 26,030 and train-mileage 13,664.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 20th October 1906.			Receipts for week ending 21st October 1905.			Total receipts from 1st April 1906 to 20th October 1906.			Total receipts from 1st April 1905 to 21st October 1905.			Total increase in 1906.	Total decrease in 1906.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			
771	1,05,580	137·11	740		116·17	771	23,43,552		740	15,50,922		7,91,630	

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 20th October 1906 on 1,548 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,548 miles open	231,410	(a) 94,430	9,36,370	(b) 1,33,260	(c) 18,110	2,45,800	48,365	(d) 44,408	92,773
Or per mile of railway	149·51	61·00	606·18	86·09	11·70	158·79	.....	.....	
For previous 15 weeks of half-year (e)	4,062,453	14,95,416	1,09,13,465	12,66,120	2,61,871	30,17,407	729,471	506,275	12,35,746
Total for 16 weeks	4,293,893	15,89,846	1,18,51,835	13,99,380	2,79,981	32,63,207	777,836	550,683	13,28,519
Comparison.									
Tota for corresponding week of previous year on 1,467 miles	240,094	1,07,595	7,56,974	91,371	15,751	2,08,617	44,067	(f) 33,109	77,196
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	163·66	69·25	516·00	62·32	10·74	142·21			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	3,993,576	15,30,616	1,13,90,614	12,73,423	2,50,079	30,54,118	743,627	526,635	12,75,262
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week		1·96		3·00	·20	2·65			
Ditto for the corresponding week of previous year		2 30		2·76	·29	2·70			

(a) Decrease mainly under local and foreign outward.
(b) General increase chiefly under foreign inward.
(c) Increase chiefly under steam-boat.
(d) Includes 6,406 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Ditto audited figures up to week ending 8th September 1906.
(f) Ditto 6,163 miles of ballast trains.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 27th October 1906	Coaching	9,124	0	0			
	Goods	11,686	0	0	21,221	0	0
	Other earnings	411	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1905 ...	Coaching	11,387	0	0			
	Goods	11,733	0	0		0	0
	Other earnings	449	0	0			
		Decrease ...			2,348	0	0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 27th October 1906					416	1	7
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905					462	2	2
		Decrease ...			46	0	7
Receipts from 1st July to 27th October 1906					2,95,511	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905					3,03,611	0	0
		Decrease ...			8,100	0	0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

TOUR PROGRAMME OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1906.

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Stations.	Standard time.	Remarks.
1906.				
4th November	Wednesday ...	Leave Bankipur	21-30	
5th "	Thursday ...	Arrive Samastipur ...	5-15	
		Leave ditto .	7	
		Arrive Daulatpur .	9	
		Leave ditto .	14	
		Arrive Bachauli .	16	
6th	Friday	Halt at Bachauli.		

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Stations.	Standard time.	REMARKS.
1906.				
17th November	Saturday ...	Leave Bachauli ...	7-30	
		Arrive Benipur ...	9-30	
		Leave ditto ...	14	
		Arrive Pandaul ...	16	
18th „	Sunday ...	Leave Pandaul ...	7-30	
		Arrive Rahika ...	9-30	
		Leave ditto ...	12	
		Arrive Laheriasarai ...	14	
19th „ ...	Monday ...	Leave Laheriasaria ...	22-38	
20th „ ...	Tuesday ...	Arrive Bankipur ...	7-30	
21st „ ...	Wednesday ...	Halt at Bankipur.		
22nd „ ...	Thursday ...	Leave Bankipur ...	7-30	By special train.
		Leave Digha Ghat ...	8	B. and N.-W. Railway.
		Arrive Furhada Ghat	8-30	
		Leave ditto ...	9	
		Arrive Katihar ...	20-0	E. B. S. Railway.
		Leave do. ...	21-30	
23rd „ ...	Friday ...	Arrive Parbatipur ...	3	
		Leave ditto ...	3-30	
		Arrive Gitaldaha ...	6-30	
		Leave ditto ...	7	Change to C. B. State Railway.
		Arrive Cooch Behar	9	
24th to 28th November.	Saturday to Wednesday.	Halt at Cooch Behar.		
29th November	Thursday ...	Leave ditto ...	18	C. B. State Railway.

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Honour will be—
Lady Fraser.
Captain J. S. Maidlow, R.F.A., Private Secretary.
Mrs. Maidlow.
Captain J. F. Todd, Aide-de-Camp.

(2) The Commissioner and Collectors within their respective charges.

(3) Letters and telegrams should be addressed to the "Lieutenant-Governor's Camp, Bengal," without the addition of the name of any post-town.

(4) His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor's arrivals and departures will be private at all stations. The usual salutes will be fired at Calcutta.

By order,

J. S. MAIDLOW, CAPT.,
Private Secretary to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 6th November 1906.

No. 3716 A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 3515A.—The 9th November 1906.*—Maulvi Bazl-ul-Karim, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Shahabad district.
Shahabad.

No. 3518A.—The 9th November 1906.—Babu Surendra Lal Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Shahabad, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Murshidabad district.
Shahabad. Murshidabad.

No. 3521A.—The 9th November 1906.—Babu Tulshi Charan Pal, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Singhbhum district.
Murshidabad. Singhbhum.

No. 3560A.—The 10th November 1906.—Babu Satish Chandra Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Cuttack district.
Cuttack.

No. 3597A.—The 13th November 1906.—Mr. Rowland Nagendra Lal Chandra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Howrah district.
Howrah.

No. 3600A.—The 13th November 1906.—Babu Akshay Kumar Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Puri district.
Howrah. Puri.

No. 3607A.—The 13th November 1906.—Mr. F. W. Martin, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Khunti, Ranchi, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of that district.
Ranchi.

No. 3694A.—The 13th November 1906.—Captain L. W. P. De Hochepied Larpent, 1st Battalion Northumberland Fusiliers, was appointed to be an Aide-de-Camp to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal from the 10th to the 29th October 1906, *vice* Captain J. S. Maidlow, R F A., and to act as such for the 30th and 31st idem, *vice* Lieutenant W. B. Rennie.

No. 3697A.—The 13th November 1906 —Captain J. H. B. Wilson, 1st Battalion, West Riding Regiment, was appointed to be an Aide-de-Camp to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, from the 30th October 1906 to the 5th November 1906, *vice* Captain J. S. Maidlow, R.F.A.

No. 3702A.—The 13th November 1906.—The Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant J. F. Todd, 39th Central India Horse, to be an Aide-de-Camp on his personal staff, with effect from the afternoon of the 6th November 1906, *vice* Captain J. S. Maidlow, R.F.A.
Calcutta.

POLICE.—*No. 3711A.—The 13th November 1906.*—Lal Srish Chandra Bhanj Deo is appointed to be an Honorary Deputy Superintendent of Police in Bengal and is posted to Midnapore.
Midnapore.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 3545A.—The 10th November 1906.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 45 of the Indian Councils Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., c. 67), and section 1 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892 (55 and 56 Vict., c. 14), and the orders issued thereunder, and with the previous sanction of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Peter O'Kinealy, Advocate-General for Bengal, to be a Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.
Council.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 3527A.—The 9th November 1906.*—The services of the Reverend I. R. Fraser, Junior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland, on the Bengal Establishment, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.
Calcutta.

RESIGNATION.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 3508A.—The 8th November 1906.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to accept the resignation by Mr. Satyendra Prasanna Singh of his office of Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.
Council.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 3693A.—The 13th November 1906.—The following confirmations and promotions of officers, who had to revert in consequence of the separation of the cadre of the Executive Branch of the Provincial Civil Service in Bengal from that of the same service in Eastern Bengal and Assam, are sanctioned with effect from the 29th April 1905:—

Confirmed in the third grade.

Babu Kshetra Mohan Mitra.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the third grade.*

Babu Chandi Das Ghose.
Mr. W. H. Thomson.

Confirmed in the fourth grade.

Babu Shashi Bhushan Basu.

Promoted substantively to the fourth grade.

Mr. Dwijen Lal Ray.
Babu Amrita Lal Mukharji, but to be seconded while on deputation.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the fourth grade.*

Mr. Nagendra Nath Banarji.
„ Atul Krishna Ray.
Babu Sukumar Haldar.
„ Kanti Bhushan Sen.
„ Chandi Charan Chatarji, but to be seconded while on deputation.
„ Krishna Dayal Pramanik.
Maulvi Muhammad Habib-ullah.

Confirmed in the fifth grade.

Babu Kali Kumar Ray Chaudhuri.
Maulvi Ashfak Husain.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the fifth grade.*

Babu Jyotish Chandra Sen.
„ Jagyeshwar Biswas.
„ Braja Bangshi Sahay.

Confirmed in the sixth grade.

Babu Surendra Nath Chakrabatti.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the sixth grade.*

Babu Nilmani Dey.
„ Jogendra Narayan Mitra.
Mr. Samuel Chandra.

Confirmed in the seventh grade.

Babu Gyanendra Chandra Mukharji.
„ Krishna Lal Dey.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the seventh grade.*

Babu Bhabadeb Sarkar.
„ Baidya Nath Misra.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3503A.—The 8th November 1906.*—Babu Braja Bangshi Sahay, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sasaram, Shahabad, is allowed leave for fifteen days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th November 1906, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

Shahabad.

No. 3593A.—The 12th November 1906.—Mr. Jogendra Nath Ghosh, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Patna, is allowed leave for one month and a half, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Patna.

No. 3707A.—The 13th November 1906.—The late Babu Shashi Bhushan Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darbhanga, was on leave, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 15th September 1906 up to the 9th November 1906.

Darbhanga.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2819For.—The 8th November 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 31 of the Indian Forest Act, (VII of 1878), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the following rules for the Protected Forests of the Sundarbans in the district of the 24-Parganas shall be substituted for the like rules, published with the Notification, dated the

5th May 1885, as subsequently amended by Notifications Nos. 1397For. and 4029For., dated the 12th April 1892 and the 13th December 1900, respectively—

RULES FOR PROTECTED FORESTS OF THE SUNDARBANS DIVISION.

I.—No person shall cut, saw, collect, convert or remove any tree or timber or any other forest produce in the Protected Forests in the Sundarbans of the 24-Parganas district without a permit or license.

II.—A permit or license authorizing the holder to cut, saw, convert or remove the forest produce specified therein for his own use or for trading purposes may be obtained from the officer in charge of any Forest Revenue Station, authorized by the Conservator of Forests in Bengal to issue such permits or licenses on payment of the charges set forth below. A list of such Forest Revenue Stations shall be placed in a prominent position in each such Revenue Station and in the District and Divisional Forest Offices, Khulna:—

Charges.

(*a*) Logs—

Timber in pieces measuring 3 feet and upwards at the thick end shall be classed as logs and charged for as follows:—

Amoor ...	...	One anna per running foot.
Other kinds ...	...	One-half anna per running foot, provided that the minimum charge for any keora log shall be 6 annas.

(*b*) Poles and Fuel—

POLES.			FUEL.			
Being pieces of under 3 feet in girth and over 8 feet in length.			Being pieces of under 3 feet in girth at the thick end and under 8 feet in length.			
Maunds by boat measurement.	Amoor or Goran.	Other.	Goran.	Other.	Any other Forest Produce.	
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
25	1 3 0	0 13 0	0 13 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	
50	2 7 0	1 10 0	1 10 0	0 13 0	0 13 0	
75	3 10 0	2 7 0	2 7 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	
100	4 11 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	
Over 100	1 2 9	0 12 6	0 12 6	0 6 3	0 6 3	Per each 25 maunds.
„ 1,000	4 11 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	Per each 100 „

(*c*) Wax ... ... Four rupees per maund.

(*d*) Honey ... ... One rupee per maund.

III.—Every person who obtains a permit or license under these rules shall be bound to observe any rules that have been notified or may hereafter be notified under section 41 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878 (VII of 1878), as amended by Act V of 1890, for the control of the transit of timber and other forest produce in the Sundarbans Forest Division.

C.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2820For.—The 8th November 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 39 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878 (VII of 1878), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that the charges prescribed in Rule II of the Rules for the Protected Forests in the Sundarbans of the 24-Parganas district, published with this Gazette Notification No. 2819For., dated 8th November 1906, shall also be levied on all forest produce exported from lands leased under the Rules of 1879 for the lease of waste lands in the Sundarbans, subject to the levy of the following additional charge for logs, poles and fuel of Sundri (*Heritiera minor, Buch.*) and Passur (*Carapa moluccensis, Lam.*), namely:—

	Rs.	A.	
Logs, *i.e.*, pieces over 3 feet in girth at the thick end ...	0	1	per running foot.
Poles, *i.e.*, pieces less than 3 feet in girth at the thick end and over 8 feet in length	1	12	per 25 maunds by boat measurement.
Fuel, *i.e.*, other pieces	1	5	Ditto.

D.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2821For.—The 8th November 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 31 and 41 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878 (VII of 1878), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the revised rules hereinafter set forth below for the control of the transit of timber and other forest produce in the Sundarbans Forest Division.

The notifications, dated, respectively, the 12th October 1885, the 10th May 1887, the 6th September 1888, and the 10th December 1889, are hereby cancelled.

RULES FOR THE CONTROL OF THE TRANSIT OF TIMBER AND OTHER FOREST PRODUCE IN THE SUNDARBANS FOREST DIVISION.

Prohibition against cutting or converting timber without pass.

I.—No person shall cut or convert any timber in any Reserved or Protected Forest in the Sundarbans of the Khulna and 24-Parganas districts without a pass or otherwise than in accordance with the conditions entered on such pass obtained as provided in Rule IV.

Prohibition of transit without pass.

II.—The transit of forest produce in any forest described in Rule I or in any waterway intersecting or skirting such forest or any land leased under the Rules for the lease of waste lands in the Sundarbans of the Khulna and 24-Parganas districts or through any part of the said forests without a pass, or otherwise than in accordance with the conditions entered on such pass, obtained as prescribed in Rule IV, is prohibited.

Production of passes.

III.—Every person who cuts or converts any timber in any forest described in Rule I or transports any forest produce in any river or waterway or in any forest described in Rule II shall immediately produce his pass when called upon by any Forest or Police Officer, to do so, and permit the said officer to examine the produce, by measurement if necessary.

Form and issue passes.

IV.—Every pass referred to in Rules I and II shall be in the form either of a permit or of a right-of-way pass or of a certificate, in accordance with the Forms hereto appended and shall be obtained from an officer in charge of a Forest Revenue or a Checking Station authorized by the Conservator of Forests in Bengal to issue such passes. The names of the Forest Revenue or Checking Stations, the officers in charge of which so authorized are to issue permits, right-of-way passes or certificates, shall be placed in a prominent position in each Forest Revenue or Checking Station and in the Divisional Forest and District Offices, Khulna.

Rights under permit.

V.—The pass issued shall be in the form of a permit when the applicant wishes to cut or remove forest produce in or from the said Reserved or Protected Forests or leased lands. A permit shall only authorize the cutting and removal of the forest produce specified from the locality described therein and its transit to the depot specified on the pass for its examination, where the permit shall be surrendered on or before the date of expiry entered therein.

Rights under right-of-way pass.

VI.—The pass issued shall be in the form of a right-of-way pass when the applicant wishes to transport forest produce from outside the said Reserved or Protected Forest or leased lands and waterway described in Rule II. A right-of-way pass shall only authorize the transit of the forest produce specified to the depôt mentioned therein for its examination.

Certificates on surrender of permit or right-of-way pass.

VII.—A pass in one or other of the appended forms for a certificate shall be issued in exchange for a permit or a right-of-way pass when the latter has been surrendered and the forest produce collected under it has been examined in the appointed depôt.

Conditions precedent to issue of permits, right-of-way passes and certificates.

VIII.—No permit shall be issued till the estimated value of the forest produce which the permit-holder is authorized to cut, collect and transport, calculated at the rate in force for the time being, has been paid in full, and no right-of-way pass shall be issued till the fee due in accordance with the schedule of right-of-way pass fees ordered by the Conservator of Forests in Bengal has been paid: Provided that this fee shall in no case exceed a rate of two pies per maund of boat capacity. No certificate shall be issued till any balance of the price or fee due for the produce in respect of which the certificate is required has been paid in-full.

Registration of boats.

IX.—No forest produce shall be brought to, or removed from, any depôt in the Sundarbans Forest Division except in a boat which has been registered by an officer in charge of a Forest Revenue or Checking Station described in Rule IV, or under any other Rules or Act for the time being in force and which bears its registered number and marks on a conspicuous place on its bows.

Depôts.

X.—For the purposes of Rules V, VI, VII and IX all Forest Revenue or Checking Stations in the Sundarbans Division shall be deemed to be depôts.

Licenses for transport through water-channels.

XI.—Any person who desires to transport any forest produce from lands leased under the rules in force for the lease of waste lands in the Sundarbans through any of the water-channels described in Rule II shall hold a printed license, duly filled up in accordance with the sample form to be obtained from the officer in charge of the Sundarbans Forest Division at Khulna, signed either by the lessee himself or by an authorized and recognized agent of the lessee, whose signature and residence must be recorded in the office of the said officer at Khulna. The printed license so filled up shall be produced by the holder for inspection when he is called upon to do by any Forest or Police Officer.

Examination of produce transhipped or landed.

XII.—Any person who moves forest produce from one boat to another or lands forest produce from any boat in, or on the bank of any, river or waterway in the districts of Khulna, Jessore and 24-Parganas, shall permit any Forest or Police Officer to examine such produce, and, if so ordered by any Forest or Police Officer, shall desist from such moving or landing between sunset and sunrise.

Transport of *Sundri* or *Passur* timber.

XIII.—No person shall transport any piece of *Sundri* or *Passur* timber which does not bear the Forest Departmental transit or sale mark by river or by land in any part of the Khulna, Jessore and 24-Parganas districts without the permission in writing of a Forest Officer employed in the Sundarbans Division not below the rank of Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests.

Saving.

XIV.—The above rules shall not be held to apply to any trees or the produce of any trees or plants which do not grow in the Sundarbans or the 24-Parganas and Khulna districts.

Penalty for breach of rules.

XV.—Any person who infringes any of these rules shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine not exceeding Rs. 500, or with both.

Form of Right-of-Way Pass (Prescribed in Rule VI).

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

SUNDARBANS DIVISION.

Book No Right-of-Way Pass No.

Name _____

Father's name _____

Residence _____ Thana _____ District

is authorized to pass through the _____ Forest

vid _____ to _____

and to transport _____ in the boat described below :—

Register No.	Length.	Breadth.	Depth.	Maundage.	Rate.
				MDS. S. C.	RS. A. P.

To the _____ Forest Revenue Station, to the officer in charge of which this Pass must be surrendered, the above described boat and all timber or other forest produce carried therein being at the same time presented for examination on or before the _____ 190 .

This Pass only authorizes the transport of one cargo, whatever the size of that cargo may be, of the abovementioned forest produce.

Amount paid Rs.

Officer in charge,

_____ *Revenue Station.*

Form of Certificate prescribed in Rule VII to be filled up and supplied in exchange for a Right-of-Way Pass.

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

SUNDARBANS DIVISION.

Book Right-of-Way Pass No.

Certified that I have examined the undermentioned Forest Produce belonging to_____

Name_____

Son of_

Resident of_

transported under the above Right-of-Way Pass in the undermentioned boat :-

Register No.	Length.	Breadth.	Depth.	Maundage.	Rate.
				MDS. S. C.	RS. A. P

which contains the following amount of Forest Produce:—

		RS. A. P.
_____ Maunds of _____	Fee due	...
	Prepaid	...
	Balance due	

which has been paid to me

The Forest Produce may now be removed in the abovementioned boat by the following route :—

Dated _____

The _____ *190* .

Officer in charge,

_____ *Revenue Station.*

Form of Permit prescribed in Rule IV and V.

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

SUNDARBANS DIVISION.

Permit No. _____ Book No. _____

Name _____

Son of _____

Residence _____

to cut and collect in _____

the undermentioned timber and other Forest Produce, viz : —

_____

and to transport the same in the boat described below :—

Register No.	Length.	Breadth.	Depth.	Maundage.

to the _____ Forest Checking Station, to the Officer in charge of which this permit must be surrendered, the above described boat and all timber or other Forest Produce collected therein being at the same time presented for examination on or before the _____ 190 .

This permit only authorising the cutting, collection and transit of one cargo, whatever the size of that cargo may be, of the above mentioned Forest Produce in or slung from the above described boat. But only logs may be slung from any boat and logs may not be slung more than one deep in the water. The holder of this permit must not use or employ for the cutting, collection or transport of the said Forest Produce more than _____ workmen or any boat other than the boat described above.

The permit-holder must proceed to the place where he is authorised to cut the above described produce by the following route, viz. : —

and he must proceed from such place to the Checking Station specified for the surrender of this permit by the following route, viz. : —

Definition.—Logs are pieces of timber 3 feet or over in girth at the thick end ; poles are pieces of timber over 8 feet or more in length and under 3 feet in girth at the thick end ; all other pieces of timber are classed as timber fuel.

Name of Forest Revenue Station where permit is issued } _____

Rate and price received in advance _____

Date of issue or permit _____

Date of surrender of permit _____

Officer in charge,

_____Revenue Station.

Form of Certificate prescribed in Rule VII, to be filled up and supplied in exchange for a Permit.

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

SUNDARBANS DIVISION.

CERTIFICATE.

Book No. _____ Permit No. _____

Dated the _____ 190 .

CERTIFIED that I have examined the undermentioned Forest Produce collected by—

Name _____

Son of _____

Resident of _____

under the above permit, and found that he has collected the following amount of Forest Produce :—

			Rs.	AP.
Maunds of		worth at ...		
Feet of	Logs	„ ...		
		Total ...		
		Prepaid on permit ...		
		Balance due ...		

Rupees _____ annas _____ pies _____ which has been paid to me.

The above named has now the permission to remove the said Forest Produce by the following route _____ in the boat described below :—

Register No.	Length.	Breadth.	Depth as entered in permit.	Actual depth.	Maundage entered in permit.	Actual maundage.

No. of logs entered in permit rate charged _____ Total. No. of logs brought out _____ total length _____ rate _____ total _____

(Signed) _____

Officer in charge,

_____Revenue Station.

Md. I. K.

No. 2824For.—The 9th November 1906. The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order, with effect from the 15th November 1906, the constitution of the Chaibassa Forest Division with head-quarters at Chaibassa. The Division will, for the present, comprise all protected forests in the Kolhan estate, Singhbhum district, except those in the Saranda Pir, and all protected forests in the Manbhum district.

Chaibassa.

Babu Gokul Chandra Chatterjee, Officiating Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, attached to the Palamau Division, is posted to the charge of the Chaibassa Division.

No. 3871For.—The 12th November 1906.—The following is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Circular No $\frac{31-F.}{186-4}$, dated Simla, the 9th October 1906.

RESOLUTION—By the Govt. of India, Dept. of Revenue and Agriculture.

IN connection with the raising of the status of the Forest School at Dehra Dun to that of Imperial Forest Research Institute and College, the Government of India have had under consideration the questions of the system of recruitment for the Provincial Forest Service, and of the training both for that Service and for the Subordinate Executive Service. After consulting Local Governments, they have arrived at the following conclusions, which are based upon the general principle that it is sufficient for them to prescribe maximum limits of expenditure and minimum limits of qualifications and training, and to leave each Local Government within those limits to draw up rules for its own Forest Service.

2. While the Government of India attach great importance to the efficient training of Deputy Rangers, Foresters and Guards, they consider that the training of these subordinate officials should now be left to Local Governments. They have accordingly decided that the Vernacular class hitherto maintained at the Forest School, Dehra Dun, shall be abolished. They trust that all Local Governments will make satisfactory arrangements for the training of the Subordinate Executive Service below the rank of Ranger, and will be glad if each Local Government will in due course inform them as to the system which it has adopted with this object.

3. In future the education to be given at the Imperial Forest College will be conducted entirely in English, and will be designed for the training of candidates for the post of Ranger and for the Provincial Service. The ordinary course will last for two years, its main object being to give such an education as will fit a candidate for appointment as Ranger. At the close of this period of two years an examination will be held, on the results of which three classes of certificate will be issued, known respectively as the Honours, Higher Standard and Lower Standard certificates. Candidates will be admitted to this course in accordance with the College rules.

4. In addition to the ordinary course of two years arrangements will now be made at the Forest College to give a third year's training, both theoretical and practical, designed to fit the student for early appointment to the Provincial Forest Service. Ordinarily no student will be admitted to this third year course unless he has obtained the Higher Standard certificate at the close of the two years' course, and unless his Local Government or Native State desires that he should remain at the College for a third year. Should however a Local Government or Native State desire that any particular student should undergo only a selected portion of the College training, or that any selected Ranger should be given the third year's course, without having passed by the Higher Standard, or some years after he has so passed, the Principal may arrange to give him the required training, provided that he is satisfied that the student's qualifications are such as to enable him to benefit from the course of instruction desired, and that there is room for him at the College. He may also, on the same conditions, admit any private student who is prepared to defray his own expenses.

5. The Government of India are prepared in future to leave it to Local Governments to draw up their own rules regarding appointments to the post of Ranger, subject to the following conditions. The rules should provide for the appointment as Rangers of subordinate officials of long service and tried ability and probity, in order to encourage efficiency among the Deputy Rangers and Foresters. In such cases selection may be made by the Local Government without restrictions as to the special training the officers may have undergone or the educational certificates they may have obtained; but it may sometimes be advisable to require a selected subordinate to undergo a special course of training or to pass specified examinations before his permanent appointment to the class of Ranger. Direct appointments to this class however should only be given to trained candidates who have obtained the Higher Standard certificate at the Forest College, and have satisfied such other conditions as the Local Government may think fit to impose. It will in future be left to Local Governments to give what weight they choose to the Honours and Lower Standard certificates of the Forest College. It will also be for them, subject to the rules of the College, to draw up their own rules as to the selection of candidates to be admitted to the ordinary College course; and they may grant to such selected candidates, whether already in the service or not, a stipend not exceeding Rs. 50 per mensem for the two years' course.

6. The Government of India have learned from the reports submitted by Local Governments that there is a general feeling of dissatisfaction with the existing standard of qualifications of the members of the Provincial Service. This inferiority of standard appears to be to some extent due to the present practice of appointing to the lowest grade of Extra-Assistant Conservator men who have served for a considerable period as Rangers, so that a candidate who looks forward to an appointment in the Provincial Service cannot expect to attain to it until he is somewhat advanced in years, and has poor prospects of reaching the higher grades of that Service. The Government of India think it of great importance, in order to maintain a high standard of efficiency among the Ranger class, that officers of that class should remain eligible for promotion to the Provincial Service, and are accordingly pleased to rule that in future a Local Government may appoint to the lowest grade of Extra-Assistant Conservator any selected Ranger of long service and of tried ability and probity, irrespective of the educational certificates he may hold, but subject to any special training or examination which the Local Government may see fit to prescribe in each case. In order however to encourage men of good education and good social standing to enter the Provincial Service, they consider it desirable to introduce a system under which a Local Government may select candidates for direct appointment to that service; and in order that such specially selected candidates may acquire the higher qualifications necessary to fit them for the duties of the Provincial Service, they have, as already explained, resolved to arrange for a third year's course at the Forest College. Such candidates may be selected by the Local Government either before or after completion of the ordinary two years' curriculum, but before being allowed to take up the third year's course, they must have obtained the Higher Standard certificate of the College; and before appointment to the Provincial Service they must have obtained a certificate from the Principal that they have satisfactorily completed the third year's training. Candidates who are specially selected by the Local Government for direct appointment to the Provincial Service may be granted a stipend not exceeding Rs. 100 per mensem, during the course of three years' training or such portion of it as the Local Government may prescribe. When such a candidate has satisfactorily completed the third year's training at the College, he may be posted to the Forest Service either as a Ranger or as a probationary Extra-Assistant Conservator, but may not be permanently appointed to the Provincial Service until he has completed at least three years' satisfactory service. It will rest with the Local Government to decide whether the probationary period should be longer than three years, and how the candidate should be employed until he is given a permanent appointment in the Provincial Service; and until he can be absorbed in the permanent staff, he may be given such salary as the Local Government thinks proper, not exceeding Rs. 150 per mensem for the first three years, or thereafter Rs. 200 per mensem. It will be for the Local Government to decide when such a candidate should be given a permanent appointment, and whether any proportion of vacancies in the Provincial Service should be guaranteed to candidates of this class. If any Local Government considers it necessary to compensate the existing staff of Rangers for their diminished prospects of promotion owing to the introduction of this new class of selected candidates for direct appointments in the Provincial Service, the Government of India will be prepared to consider any definite proposals which it may desire to make with this object.

7. In order to meet the peculiar circumstances of Burma, which already possesses a Forest School of its own, the Government of India are pleased to approve of the following modifications in the scheme described above in its application to that Province. Pending the establishment of an English course at the Burma Forest School, Conservators may make direct appointments as probationary Rangers of natives of Burma with a knowledge of English on a pay of Rs. 75 per mensem. Men so appointed will be on probation for two years, during which time their removal or dismissal will rest with the Conservator. After two years' approved service they may be confirmed in their appointment by the Local Government, but will not be eligible for an appointment on more than Rs. 100 per mensem until they have obtained a Higher Standard certificate in the English course at the Burma Forest School or at the Forest College. Candidates selected for direct appointment to the Burma Provincial Service, though they may undergo their first two years' training at the Burma Forest School, must complete the third years' course at the Imperial Forest College, and must thereafter remain on probation for at least three years, during which time they may be given such salary as the Local Government may prescribe, not exceeding Rs. 175 per mensem for the first three years, or thereafter Rs. 200 per mensem.

8. The attention of Local Governments is invited to the changes which have been made in the Forest Department Code and in the rules of the Forest College; and they are desired to submit for the information of the Government of India any rules they may draw up to carry out the objects of this Resolution.

Madras.
Bombay.
Bengal.
United Provinces.
Punjab.
Burma.
Eastern Bengal and Assam.
Central Provinces.
Coorg.
Ajmer.
Baluchistan.
North-West Frontier Province.
Superintendent, Port Blair.

ORDERED that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded, for information, to the Local Governments and Administrations noted in the margin, and the Inspector-General of Forests.

ORDERED also that a copy be forwarded to the Finance Department for information, and that the Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

No. 2872 For.—The 10th November 1906.—Mr. F. Trafford, Deputy Conservator of Forests, is appointed to hold charge of the Darjeeling and Direction Divisions of which he relieved Mr. H. King Robinson, Deputy Conservator of Forests, substantive *pro tempore* on the afternoon of the 30th October 1906.

Darjeeling and Kurseong.

Mr. H. King Robinson, Deputy Conservator of Forests, on being relieved by Mr. Trafford, will continue to hold charge of the Kurseong Division.

From the same date Mr. R. Kirkpatrick, Assistant Conservator of Forests, is appointed to the Darjeeling Division as an attached Officer.

No. 2873 For.—The 10th November 1906.—Consequent on the return of Mr. B. B. Osmaston, F.C.H., Deputy Conservator of Forests, from combined leave, the following promotion and reversions are ordered with effect from the 18th October 1906:—

Mr. B. B. Osmaston, F.C.H., Deputy Conservator of Forests, second grade, to officiate as Deputy Conservator of Forests, first grade.

" H. H. Haines, Deputy Conservator of Forests, second grade, and Officiating Deputy Conservator of Forests, first grade, to revert to the former grade.

" F. Trafford, Deputy Conservator of Forests, second grade, substantive *pro tempore*, and Officiating Deputy Conservator of Forests, first grade, to revert to the former grade.

" T. H. Monteath, Deputy Conservator of Forests, fourth grade, and Officiating Deputy Conservator of Forests, second grade, to officiate as Deputy Conservator of Forests, third grade.

No. 2874 For.—The 10th November 1906.—Consequent on the return of Sir H. A. Farrington, Bart., Deputy Conservator of Forests, from combined leave, the following promotion and reversions are ordered with effect from the 22nd October 1906:—

Sir H. A. Farrington, Bart., Deputy Conservator of Forests, third grade, provisional substantive, to officiate as Deputy Conservator of Forests, second grade.

Mr. J. W. A. Grieve, Deputy Conservator of Forests, third grade, provisional Sub and Officiating Deputy Conservator of Forests, second grade, to revert to the former grade.

" W. R. LeG. Jacob, Assistant Conservator of Forests, first grade, provisional Sub and Officiating Deputy Conservator of Forests, third grade, to officiate, as Deputy Conservator of Forests, fourth grade.

No. 2813 L.R.—The 6th November 1906.—Babu Sarat Chandra Chatarji, Deputy Collector, is appointed to discharge the functions of a Collector under sections 40 and 69 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, in the district of Monghyr.

Monghyr.

No. 2815 L.R.—The 6th November 1906.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. E. Lister, I.C.S., to be Superintendent of Survey in the district of Ranchi and Singhbhum.

Ranchi and Singhbhum.

No. 2816 L.R.—The 6th November 1906.—With reference to the provisions of section 3 (1) (*a*) of the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, IV (B.C.) of 1897, as amended by Act V (B.C.) of 1903, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. E. Lister, I.C.S., to discharge, in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum, the functions of a Revenue Officer for the purpose of commuting predial conditions and services under section 9A of that Act.

Ranchi and Singhbhum.

No. 2817 L.R.—The 6th November 1906.—Mr. E. Lister, I.C.S., is authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of that Act, as extended to the Chota Nagpur Division, except the district of Manbhum, by Government Notification No. 721L.R., dated the 9th February 1903, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers, for the purpose of carrying out the survey and record-of-rights in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum.

He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer in the same districts under Rule 1, Chapter II of the Rules made under the Bengal Tenancy Act, for the Chota Nagpur Division (except the district of Manbhum).

No. 2818 L.R.—The 7th November 1906.—Under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII (B.C.) of 1885, as extended to the Chota Nagpur Division, except the district of Manbhum, by Government Notification No. 721L.R., dated the 9th February 1903, published at page 172 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, Mr. T. S. Macpherson, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is

Singhbhum.

authorised to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of that Act so far as they relate to Revenue Officers, for the purposes of the preparation of a record-of-rights in the Porahat estate and its allied tenures of Anandpur, Kera, Bandgaon and Chainpur, and also in villages Sitahaka, Simidiri, Samrai and Dalki, the property of the Chief of the Kharswan State, in the district of Singhbhum, *vice* Mr. A. N. Moberly, I.C.S., on leave.

He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter II of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act for the Chota Nagpur Division (except the district of Manbhum), as amended by Bengal Government Notification No. 2283L.R., dated the 4th August 1906, published at page 1517 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th idem, in respect of the said estate and its tenures and the villages.

Midnapore.

No. 2822L.R.—The 8th November 1906.—Under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to authorise Mr. E. Lister, I.C.S., to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer, under the provisions of that Act, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers, in respect of the portion of the Dhalbhum estate, bearing tauzi No. 1 on the revenue roll of the district of Singhbhum, and situated in the district of Midnapore.

2. He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer in respect of the same area, under Rule 1, Chapter VI of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

Midnapore.

No. 2823L.R.—The 8th November 1906.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act V (B.C.) of 1875, Mr. E. Lister, I.C.S., is appointed to be Superintendent of Survey in respect of the portion of the Dhalbhum estate, bearing tauzi No. 1 on the revenue roll of the district of Singhbhum, and situated in the district of Midnapore.

Singhbhum.

No. 2875L.R.—The 10th November 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (1) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C) of 1898, and extended to the Chota Nagpur Division, excepting the district of Manbhum, by Government Notification No. 721L.R., dated the 9th February 1903, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included within the external boundaries of the Dalbhum Estate in the district of Singhbhum.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rate, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, under-raiyat or other tenants; and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each, tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid and the customary terms according to which such rent is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed—whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) the name of each landlord, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of the lands cultivated by each landlord;

(*j*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*k*) if the land is jungle, the right to timber, fruits and other jungle produce and the right of grazing.

Midnapore.

No. 2876L.R.—The 10th November 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 101 (1) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands situated within the external boundaries of the Dhalbhum estate, bearing tauzi No 1 on the revenue-roll of the district of Singhbhum, so far as they lie in the district of Midnapore.

2. The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of the tenure;

(*c*) the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or, if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid, and the customary terms according to which such rent is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act;

(*j*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*k*) if the land is jungle, the right to timber, fruits and other jungle produce and the right of grazing.

Singhbhum.

No. 2877.—The 10th November 1906.—Under section 5 (*i*) of the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, IV (B.C.) of 1897, as amended by Act V (B.C.) of 1903, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that a record of all predial conditions or services to which the lands within the external boundaries of the Dhalbhum Estate in the district of Singhbhum, are subject, shall be prepared and a commutation of such conditions or services be made by a Revenue Officer.

Singhbhum.

No. 2878.—The 12th November 1906.—The undermentioned officers are authorised, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of that Act, as extended to the Chota Nagpur Division, except the district of Manbhum, by Government Notification No. 721L R., dated the 9th February 1903, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers for the purpose of carrying out the survey and record-of-rights in the district of Singhbhum. They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer in the same district under Rule 1, Chapter II, of the Rules made under the Bengal Tenancy Act, for the Chota Nagpur Division, except the district of Manbhum :—

1. Mr. P. Gomez.
2. „ F. Alderson.
3. Pundit Rajbullav Miser.
4. Babu Lalit Kumar Sen.
5. Mr. E. A. Oakley.
6. Babu Jogendra Nath Pal.
7. „ Surendra Nath Sen.
8. „ Rajani Kanta Sen.
9. Mr. J. Reid, I.C.S.

Singhbhum.

No. 2879.—The 12th November 1906.—With reference to the provisions of section 3 (1) (*a*) of the Chota Nagpur Commutation Act, IV (B.C.), of 1897, as amended by Act V (B.C.), of 1903, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to appoint the undermentioned officers to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer for the purpose of commuting predial conditions and services under section 9A of that Act in the district of Singhbhum :—

1. Mr. P. Gomez.
2. „ F. Alderson.
3. Pundit Rajbullav Miser.
4. Babu Lalit Kumar Sen.
5. Mr. E. A. Oakley.
6. Babu Jogendra Nath Pal.
7. „ Surendra Nath Sen.
8. „ Rajani Kanta Sen.
9. Mr. J. Reid, I.C.S.

Puri.

No. 2880.—The 12th November 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (*c*) of section 101 (2) of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands situated within the boundaries of tenure Parikud, pargana Parikud, administered by the Court of Wards and comprised in the estate known as the Jagir Mahals being general No. 16892½, on the revenue-roll of the district of Puri.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat; and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of the tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared; or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid, and the customary terms according to which such rent is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*j*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act;

(*k*) the customs of the villages regulating the methods of irrigation and the duties and rights of both landlords and tenants with respect to the use and maintenance of the means of irrigation.

(*l*) if the land is jungle, the right to timber, fruites and other jungle produce and the right of grazing.

No. 2881.—The 12th November 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by clause (*a*) of section 101 (2) of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands situated within the boundaries of the marginally-noted parganas appertaining to estate known as the Jagir Mahals, bearing general No. 16892½ on the revenue-roll of the district of Puri.

Puri.

Malud,. | Atdhari.
Bajarkot. | Manikpa na.

2. The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat; and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid and the customary terms according to which such rent is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*j*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act;

(*k*) the customs of the villages regulating the methods of irrigation, and the duties and rights of both landlords and tenants with respect to the use and maintenance of the means of irrigation.

(*l*) if the land is jungle, the right to timber, fruits and other jungle produce and the right of grazing.

No. 2882.—The 12th November 1906.—Under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III(B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to authorize Babu Sudarsan Das to discharge the functions of a Revenue Officer in the district of Puri under the provisions of that Act, so far as they relate to Revenue Officers.

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2. He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter VI of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

No. 2883.—The 12th November 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, V. (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made in respect of the lands comprised within the boundaries of parganas Parikud, Malud, Bajarkot, Andhari and Manikpatna appertaining to the estate known as Jagir Mahals bearing general No. 16892½ on the revenue-roll of the district of Puri, and that the boundaries of estates, tenures, mauzas and fields be demarcated on the lands so to be surveyed.

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R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2814L.A.—The 6th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Arrah Municipality for constructing a new dispensary building at Arrah, Mahala, Karmantola, in the village of Arrah, pargana Arrah, zilla Shahabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 16 cottahs 4 chitaks of standard measurement, corresponding to 19 cottahs 4 dhurs of local measurement, bounded on the north and east by the Hospital compound, west by the land of Chowdhry Karamat Hussain and on the south by road, is required by the Arrah Municipality within the aforesaid village of Arrah.

Shahabad.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Shahabad.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2825L.A.—The 8th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for extension of Bhuggutdih Siding for Bengal-Nagpur Coal Company, Damuda Branch, in the village of Bhuggutdih, pargana Jherria, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 bighas 5 cottahs 3·55 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north and south by the paddy and waste lands of Amir Das, Behari Das, Nanku Sonar, Kangali Sonar, Peary Sonar and Radhu Sonar; on the east by the colliery lands of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company, and on the west by Bhuggutdih Siding, is required within the aforesaid village of Bhuggutdih.

Manbhum.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2826L.A.—The 9th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a retired line of embankment in mile 17 in Chetua Circuit Embankment No. 22, in the village of Uttarbar, pargana Khariji Mundalghat, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the

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above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 11 bighas 15 cottahs 11 chitaks and 16 gandas of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the Chetua Circuit Embankment land, mile 17, embankment of Boropuskarni tank of Girish Chandra Ray and others and of Nonapuskarni tank of Dwarika Nath Nag and others and parts of *niskar* lands of Syed Fokir Mahammad, Debir-ud-din and Samir-ud-din;

East—By embankment of *niskar* tank of Shamapodo Ray, *mal jotes* of Rakhal De, and Fokir Manji, and *niskar* lands of Shaikh Rekabuddin, Syud Mahatab Ally, Abdul Jolil, Debiruddin, Kodom Ally, Afzuluddin, Besarat Ally and Ramrishi Malakar and others and *khas patit* lands of the Public Works Department;

South—By khamar *patit jote* lands of Shamapodo Ray and others, *jote* of Bedur Mandal and *niskar* lands of Jibon Kristo Chander, Rakhal Malakar, Ramrishi Malakar and others and Mahendra Nath Hajra;

West—By *mal jotes* of Fakir Manji, Fuzloh Hossein, Sidoo Mollick and *niskar* lands of Srish Chandra Banarji and others and Syud Khershed Ally and Khalilmir;

is required within the aforesaid village of Uttarbar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Ghatal.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Murshidabad.

No. 2827L.A.—The 9th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company, for a public purpose, viz., for the Barharwa-Azimganj-Katwa Railway, Barharwa-Dhulian Section, from miles 84-93, both inclusive, in the undermentioned villages, tahsil Jangipur, zilla Murshidabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 731 bighas 11 cottahs and 15 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 241·85 acres, is required within these villages—

Name of village.		Area in decimal of acre.	Name of village.		Area in decimal of acre.
Anupnagar	...	9 69	Koolygram	...	14 00
Chircukmati	...	23·50	Ballalpore	...	29·26
Arjoonpore	...	10·39	Kanupara	...	7·79
Bnubanipore	...	3·86	Jorpokur	...	32 45
Khodabandpore	...	6·51	Undua	...	12·43
Lallpore	...	9·41	Kendwa	...	2·27
Moskinagar	...	9 02	Sahebnagar	...	7·71
Sankopara	...	10·82	Bhabanipore *Urf* Tildanga	...	33·31
Maheshpore	...	5·37	Dahudpore	...	6·83
Joyrampore	...	7·20			
			Total area	...	241·85

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig, or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of Engineer-in-charge of the above Railway, Dhulian.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bhagalpur.

No. 2828L.A.—The 9th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for the main line of the Bhagalpur-Bansi section of the Santhal Railways at mile No. 20, in the villages of Morama and Melikchandpur, pargana Bhagalpur, zilla Bhagalpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land measuring,

more or less, 2 bighas 7 cottahs and 12·72 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

PLOT A.

On the North—Jote land of Darshan Mander;
On the South—Jote land of Bikram Thakur;
On the East—Land under acquisition for the East Indian Railway;
On the West—Jote lands of Moorari Thakur, Barjit Thakur, Bhallku Thakur, Rit Lall Mander, Chandoo Mander, Darshan Mander and Chito Mander;

PLOT B.

On the North—Jote land of Darshan Mander;
On the South—Jote land of Moorari Thakur;
On the East—Jote lands of Moorari Thakur, Barjit Thakur, Radhanath Thakur and Moossamat Sansari;
On the West—Land under acquisition for East Indian Railway;

are required within the aforesaid villages of Morama and Malick-Chandpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bhagalpur.

No. 2829L.A.—The 9th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for the main line Bhagalpur-Bansi Section of the Sonthal Railways in mile No. 26 in the villages of Bishory, Rattanpur and Kotpur, pargana Bhagalpur, zilla Bhagalpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose four pieces of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 11 cottahs 15·36 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

PLOT A.

On the North—Jote land of Lakhi Mahto,
On the South—Jote land of Sukkur Mia,
On the East—Jote lands of Sukkur Mia, Santo Mia, Muffri Mia, Dagger, Lallo Mahto, Jungly Mahto, Danni, Lallo Mahto, Jungly Mahto, Laly Mahto, Jungly Mahto, Himat Ali Mia and Lakhy Mahto,
On the West—Land under acquisition for the East Indian Railway;

PLOT B.

On the North—Jote land of Abdul Naik,
On the South—Jote land of Sukkar Mia,
On the East—Land under acquisition for the East Indian Railway,
On the West—Jote of Sukkar Mia, Lasgari Mia, Samptoo Mia, Chukkoo Mia, Dagger, Mossamat Karuna, Himatally Mia, Lalloo Mahto, Jungly Mahto, Himat Ali Mia, Mohi Mahto, Gopal Chamar, Mangal Chamar, Doman Chamar, Posan Chamar, Tarwa Dome, Sonkhi Chamar, Tarwa Dome, Posan Chamar, Dagger, Sonkhi Chamar and Abdul Naik;

PLOT C.

On the North—Jote land of Jamahir Choudhry,
On the South—Ditto ditto,
On the East—Ditto ditto and Dagger,
On the West—Land under acquisition for the East Indian Railway;

PLOT D.

On the North—Kamat of Bhoop Narain Singh,
On the South—Dagger,
On the East—Land under acquisition for the East Indian Railway,
On the West—Kamat of Bhoop Narain Singh and Jamahir Choudhry—

are required within the aforesaid villages of Bishory, Rattanpur and Kotpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2830L.A.—The 9th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for the main line Bhagalpur-Bansi Section of the Sonthal Railways at mile No. 24 in the village of Lachmipur, pargana Bhagalpur, zilla Bhagalpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 15 cottahs 11·68 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the jote land of Juggernath Missir, on the east and south by the land under acquisition for the East Indian Railway, and on the west by the jote land of Harkhoo Missir, Rohim Missir and Juggernath Missir, is required within the aforesaid village of Lachmipur.

Bhagalpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2831L.A.—The 9th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for main line, Bhagalpur-Bansi Section of the Sonthal Railways at mile No. 27 in the villages of Daperpur and Bishory, pargana Bhagalpur, zilla Bhagalpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three pieces of land measuring, more or less, 13 cottahs 4·96 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

Bhagalpur.

PLOT A.

On the North—Jote land of Aghory Manjhi,
On the South—Jote land of Kadroo Manjhi,
On the East—Jote land of Kadroo Manjhi, Koonjoo Manjhi and Aghory Manjhi,
On the West—Land under acquisition for the East Indian Railway;

PLOT B.

On the North—Jote land of Shaikh Santo Mia,
On the South—Jote land of Horit Roy,
On the East—Parti, road to Godda and Sukkur Mia,
On the West—Land under acquisition for the East Indian Railway;

PLOT C.

On the North—Jote land of Sukkur Mia,
On the South—Parti,
On the East—Land under acquisition for the East Indian Railway,
On the West—Jote lands of Himat Ali, road and Sukkur Mia,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Daperpur and Bishory.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2885L.A.—The 13th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., (*a*) for a District Board bungalow and its compound, together with a road, (*b*) another road to a stream and its surroundings, in the villages of Peska and Ichadag, pargana Jaspur, zilla Ranchi, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose, two pieces of land measuring, more or less—

Ranchi.

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(*a*)		62	7	3
(*b*)		1	2	1
Total ...		63	9	4

bounded as follows—

BOUNDARY OF PORTION (*a*).

On the North.—*Tanr* land of (1) Jadua Bedia; (2) track to the village Basti; *tanr* land of (3) Bhadai Bedia; (4) *parti* land; *tanr* land of (5) Mangra Munda; *don* land of (6) Bhadia Bedia; *tanr* land of (7) Sibu Mahto; (8) *parti* land; (9) track; (10) mango tope; *tanr* land of (11) Firangi Mahto, *tanr* land of (12) Durga Bedia, *tanr* land of (13) Debi Munda and (14) Duga; *don* land of (15) Jitma Bedia; *tanr* land of (16) Khedna Bedia; *bari* land of (17) Sabju Bedia; *bari* land of (18) Sibu Mahto; (19) *parti* hilly land; (20) track; (21) *parti* hilly land; *don* land of (22) Dhoutal Singh and (23) Ram Pahan; (24) waste land; (25) stream (Dhonra); *tanr* land of (26) Ram Pahan and (27) Nanhu Pahan; (28) *parti*; (29) track; *don* land of (30) Udey Kairi, (31) Harlal Manjhi, and (32) Udey Nath; *tanr* land of (33) Lahar Mahto; (34) waste land; (35) jungle over the hills;

On the West.
On the South. } —Jungle over the hills, the same as on north (from No. 1 to 34);

On the East.—Ranchi-Hazaribagh Road.

BOUNDARY OF (*b*)

Bounded on all sides by jungle;

are required in the aforesaid villages of Peska and Ichadag, pargana Jaspur, zilla Ranchi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Ranchi.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Under the provisions of section 2 of Act VI of 1876, as amended by Act V of 1884, Babu Surya Kumar Som, first Manager of the Encumbered Estates, Palamau, is appointed to be the Manager (and the management is vested in him) of the undermentioned immoveable properties of Jhoomak Sahoo of Dabra, in the district of Palamau, and of any other immoveable property to which the said holder is entitled in his own right, or which he is entitled to redeem, or which may be acquired by, or devolve on, him or his heirs during the continuance of such management:—

Name of Estate.	Name of holder.
Dabra, comprising:-	Jhoomak Sahoo.

1. Juroo 16 annas Milkiat.
2. Turkadih 9 pies 12 karants Zarpeshgi right from Dookhoo Singh and others.
3. Ithey 9 pies Zarpeshgi right from Gouri Singh.
4. Rama Nand Dabra 12 anas 10 pies 8 karants Milkiat* and Zarpeshgi† right.
5. Basaura 2 annas Milkiat, besides Kiari 1 bigha 5 kattahs: Bhitha 1 bigha 5 kattahs.
6. Alampoor 2 annas 3 pies Mokrari Istamrary purchased from Ganpat Bharthi and Kishoon Dyal Bharthi.

This cancels the previous notification on the subject, bearing date the 22nd April 1906, published at page 1006, Part, I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th May 1906.

	A.	P.	Kr.
* Milkiat	9	11	4.
† Zarpeshgi	2	11	4.

E. A. GAIT,
Commissioner of Chota Nagpur.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Hazaribagh.

No. 2573.—The 10th November 1906.—The Rural Sub-Registrar of Giridih, in the district of Hazaribagh, is appointed, under section 3 of Act III of 1872, to be *ex-officio* Registrar of Marriages under the same Act for that subdivision.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg.-Secy. to the Government of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 848S.R.—The 10th November 1906.—Mr. J. A. Stevens has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for fourteen days.

No. 855-O.—The 13th November 1906.—Mr. A. H. Biss, Assistant Opium Agent, is appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Gaya, with effect from the afternoon of the 3rd November 1906 during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. F. J. R. Field to undergo a course of training at the Sibpur Civil Engineering College, or until further orders.

Gaya.

No. 856-O.—The 13th November 1906.—The following promotions are ordered owing to the retirement of Mr. J. E. Hand, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, second grade, with effect from the afternoon of the 31st March 1906:—

Mr. J. C. Sarkies, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, second grade, substantive *pro tempore*, to be confirmed in that grade.

„ A. T. Christian, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay of Rs. 800, to be a Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, second grade, substantive *pro tempore*.

„ F. W. Harris, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, substantive *pro tempore*, to be confirmed as Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay.

„ G. W. Oliphant, Assistant Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay, to be a Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay, substantive *pro tempore*.

„ J. A. St. John Farnon, Assistant Opium Agent, substantive *pro tempore*, to be confirmed as Assistant Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay.

Babu Jagadananda Sahai, Probationary Assistant Opium Agent, to be an Assistant Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay, substantive *pro tempore*.

No. 857O.—The 13th November 1906.—The following promotions are ordered owing to the retirement of Mr. A. C. Bryson, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, 1st grade, with effect from the 12th May 1906:—

Mr. J. Christian to be a Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of the 1st grade, but to continue to be Factory Superintendent of Patna.

„ J. C. Sarkies, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, 2nd grade, to be a Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, 1st grade, substantive *pro tem.*

„ A. T. Christian, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, 2nd grade, substantive *pro tem.*, to be confirmed in that grade.

„ R. W. Blair, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay of Rs. 800, to be a Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, 2nd grade, substantive *pro tem.*

„ G. W. Oliphant, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, substantive *pro tem.*, to be confirmed as Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay.

Rai Keshari Narain Chadha, Assistant Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay, to be a Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay, substantive *pro tem.*

Mr. W. J. Jones, Assistant Opium Agent, substantive *pro tem.*, to be confirmed as Assistant Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay.

„ P. S. Quarry, Probationary Assistant Opium Agent, to be an Assistant Opium Agent, ungraded, on personal pay, substantive *pro tem.*

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 209Medl.—The 8th November 1906.—Babu Biswoswar Chakrabatti, a passed student of the Medical College, Calcutta, is admitted into the service of Government as an Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 2nd August 1906.

Calcutta.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3717A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3537A.—The 9th November 1906.—Babu Jatindra Nath Mukharji, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Bhagalpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Jamui, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Sharat Chandra Basu, or until further orders.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3616A.—The 13th November 1906.—The services of Babu Nikunja Bihari Rav, Munsif, Hooghly, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

Hooghly.

No. 3621A.—The 13th November 1906.—Babu Surendra Nath Mukharji, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station.

Hooghly.

No. 3623A.—The 13th November 1906.—Babu Sushil Chandra Mitra, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Arambagh, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Kali Kumar Sarkar, or until further orders.

Hooghly.

This cancels the order of the 6th November 1906, appointing Babu Sharat Chandra Sanyal to act as a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Arambagh, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Kali Kumar Sarkar, or until further orders.

LEAVE.

No. 3568A.—The 2nd November 1906.—Babu Bipin Chandra Chatarji, Munsif of Arambagh, in the district of Hooghly, is allowed leave for thirty days under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 15th September 1906.

Hooghly.

No. 3609A.—The 13th November 1906.—Mr. C. D. Panioty, Fifth (now officiating Fourth) Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, is allowed leave for twenty-one days, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th November 1906 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

No. 3612A.—The 13th November 1906.—Babu Sarada Prasad Basu, Officiating Subordinate Judge, Saran, is allowed leave for one month and eighteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th November 1906.

Saran.

No. 3714A.—The 10th November 1906.—Babu Sharat Chandra Bose, Munsif of Jamui, in the district of Bhagalpur, is allowed leave for one month under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3715A.—The 12th November 1906.—Mr. Saiyid Nasim-ul-Hakk, Munsif of Bhagalpur, is allowed leave for two months and two days under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 21st November 1906.

Bhagalpur.

POWERS.

No. 3548A.—The 9th November 1906.—Maulvi Abul Khair Muhammad Is-hakk, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, Purnea, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Purnea.

No. 3550A.—The 9th November 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Maulvi Abul Khair Muhammad Is-hakk, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Purnea, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Purnea.

No. 3563A.—The 10th November 1906.—Babu Satish Chandra Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate, Midnapore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Midnapore.

No. 3597A.—The 13th November 1906.—Mr. Rowland Nagendra Lal Chandra, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the Howrah district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Howrah.

No. 3619A.—The 13th November 1906.—Babu Atul Chandra Ghose, Munsif, Hooghly, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of that portion of the Hooghly Munsifi which lies outside the limits of the jurisdiction of the Small Cause Court proper at Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 3703A.—The 13th November 1906.—Mr. W. S. Hopkyns, Officiating Joint-Magistrate Bettiah, Champaran, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Champaran.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3045J.—The 8th November 1906.—The gentlemen named below are re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Jhenida, in the district of Jessore:—

Jessore.

(1) Mr. T. C. Tweedie. | (2) Babu Girija Bhushan Chatterjee.

No. 3131J.—The 12th November 1906.—Babu Gopendra Lal Dey is reappointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Baranagar, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 3117J.—The 10th November 1906.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignations tendered by the gentlemen named below of their appointments as Honorary Magistrates of the Jamalpur Independent Bench in the district of Monghyr:—

Monghyr

Mr. Charles David St. Clair Wedderburn.
Dr. Harry George Waters.

POWERS.

No. 3046J.—The 8th November 1906.—The gentlemen named below, who have been re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Jhenida, in the district of Jessore, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class:—

Jessore.

(1) Mr. T. C. Tweedie. | (2) Babu Girija Bhushan Chatterjee.

No. 3048J.—The 8th November 1906.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Girija Bhushan Chatterjee, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Jhenida, in the district of Jessore, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Jessore.

No. 3121J.—The 10th November 1906.—Babu Harendra Krishna Sarkar, an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Magura, in the district of Jessore, is authorized to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him.

Jessore.

No. 3152J.—The 12th November 1906.—Babu Gopendra Lal Dey, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Baranagar in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class. He is also empowered, under section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

24-Parganas.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3168J.—The 13th November 1906.—Under section 3, Act I (B.C) of 1876 (an Act to provide for the voluntary registration of Muhammadan marriages and divorces), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a license to Maulvi Muhammad Fazlur Rahim authorizing him to register Muhammadan marriages and divorces, and to exercise the other functions of a Muhammadan Registrar within the police-station of Jamalpur, in the district of Burdwan.

Burdwan.

No. 3169J.—The 13th November 1906.—Under section 2, Act XII of 1880 (an Act for the appointment of persons to the office of Kazi), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a sanad (license) to Maulvi Muhammad Fazlur Rahim appointing him Kazi of thana Jamalpur, in the district of Burdwan for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, when application is made to him to perform any such functions.

Burdwan.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3130J.—The 10th November 1906.—Whereas certain land was acquired by the Bengal Government under the provisions of Act I of 1894 and Act XVIII of 1885 for a public purpose, viz., for the Ikra Branch line, and the Jamuria Railway Station of the East Indian Railway Company, and whereas coal-mines are situate under the said land, and whereas the Equitable Coal Company, Limited, have given notice to the Government of Bengal, in accordance with the provisions of Act XVIII of 1885, that the said Company intend to work the coal-mine under the said land, and whereas the mine has been inspected by the officer appointed by the Bengal Government for the purpose under section 5 (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, and whereas it appears to the Bengal Government that the working out of the coal of the mine underlying the said land is likely to cause damage to the surface of the said land and to the works constructed thereon, and whereas the said mining Company have agreed not to work and get minerals underlying the land acquired for their siding, or underlying the land acquired for the branch or other lines with which the siding is connected, or underlying the land of the branch or branches connecting the said siding with the main line, in such a manner as to injure or to endanger the safety of the undertaking or any part thereof, nor to claim any compensation for any restricted working:

Now, therefore, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to declare, under section 5, sub-section (2), clause (*b*) of the abovementioned Act, XVIII of 1885, that the working shall be carried on by the said mining Company in the manner and subject to the restrictions below specified, viz.—

Galleries driven under the acquired land shall be not more than 12 feet wide and not more than 12 feet high, with centres not less than 42 feet apart, forming pillars not less than 30 feet square to be left unworked for support; and that in all the above cases no further excavation shall be made in any of the galleries which already have been driven, the actual heights and widths of which have been carefully recorded on the plan marked L.A.M.A. No. 59 signed by the Chief Inspector of Mines.

The plan referred to may be seen in the office of the Chief Inspector of Mines in India by the parties interested.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

No. 1890P.—The 12th November 1906.—Babu Murari Misra, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Angul.

Angul.

No. 1891P.—The 12th November 1906.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B. C.) of 1875, Babu Murari Misra, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to be an Assistant Superintendent of Survey in the district of Angul.

Angul.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

POLICE.

No. 1868P.—The 10th November 1906.—In Government Notification No. 1193P., dated the 9th July 1906, published at page 1358, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, *for* "Babu Brij Nath Sahay" *read* "Babu Baij Nath Sahay."

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 1849P.—The 9th November 1906.—Maulvi Abdul Samad, Rural Sub-Registrar, Nadia. Shikarpur, in the district of Nadia, is transferred to Kachua, in Khulna. the district of Khulna.

No. 1851P.—The 9th November 1906.—Babu Satkari Mukharji, Rural Sub-Registrar, Khulna. Kachua, in the district of Khulna, is transferred to Shikarpur, in Nadia. the district of Nadia.

No. 1883P.—The 12th November 1906.—Babu Khagendra Nath Mustafi, Rural Sub-Burdwan Registrar, Jamalpur, in the district of Burdwan, is transferred to Bankura. Sonamukhi, in the district of Bankura

No. 1885P.—The 12th November 1906.—Babu Srikantha Ray, Rural Sub-Registrar, Bankura. Sonamukhi, in the district of Bankura, is transferred to Jamalpur, Burdwan. in the district of Burdwan.

No. 1917P.—The 13th November 1906.—Babu Badri Narayan, Rural Sub-Registrar, Patna. Bankipore, in the district of Patna, is appointed to be Rural Sub-Gaya. Registrar of Nawadah, in the district of Gaya, with effect from the 14th October 1906, during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Muhammad Abu Zafar, or until further orders.

No. 1919P.—The 13th November 1906.—Maulvi Muhammad Abu Zafar, Rural Sub-Registrar, Nawadah, in the district of Gaya, is appointed to act as Gaya. Special Sub-Registrar of Patna, with effect from the 20th October Patna. 1906, during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Khwaja Muhammad Riza, or until further orders.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 8th November 1906.

No. 212.—Mr. H. A. Gubbay, Assistant Engineer, Darjeeling Division, is transferred in the interests of the public service to the Champaran Division.

The 9th November 1906.

No. 213.—Mr. C. H. De Mello, Executive Engineer, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India furlough for 8 months in extension of that previously granted.

The 13th November 1906.

No. 216.—In supersession of Bengal Government Notification No. 189, dated 6th October 1906, Mr. L. M. Priday, Assistant Engineer, is attached to the office of the Superintending Engineer, Gandak Circle, with effect from the 1st November 1906, and until further orders.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 10th November 1906.

No. 214.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the formation of a Public Works Division to be designated the Sambalpur Division with effect from the 1st December 1906. The head-quarters of the Division will be at Sambalpur.

2. The Sambalpur Division will be under the control of the Superintending Engineer, Orissa Circle.

No. 215.—Mr. O. S. Smith, Executive Engineer, is, on return from leave, appointed to be Executive Engineer of the Sambalpur Division.

The 13th November 1906.

No. 217.—Mr. B. G. Gwyther, Assistant Engineer, is temporarily attached to the office of the Superintending Engineer, Central Circle, with effect from the 26th October 1906.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Second Publication.]

The 6th November 1906.

No. 8.—Notification.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 99 and 78 of Act III (B. C.) of 1876, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal proposes to make the following additions and alterations in rule 5 of the Water-rate Rules for the Orissa Canals and in items 2 and 5 of the Schedule of rates to be charged for water supplied from the said canals.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Existing rule and rate.	Proposed rule and rate.
Rule 5 (1st portion only).—The preliminary application for a lease for a term of years, either new or renewal, may be of an informal nature, but it must be in writing. It may be presented at any time; but, if presented after the 31st March in the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of one pice per *goont* of local measure, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, will be made for the year following that in which the lease has been applied for.	*Rule 5 (1st portion only).*—The preliminary application for a lease for a term of years, either new or renewal, may be of an informal nature, but it must be in writing. It may be presented at any time; but, if presented after the 31st March in the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of 1 pice per *goont* of local measure, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, will be made *on all lands leased at Rs. 1-12 per mán, and an additional charge of 1 pie per goont of local measure, equivalent to 2 annas and 1 pie per mán, will be made on all lands leased at 8 annas per mán* for the year following that in which the lease has been applied for.
Item 2 of the Schedule (portion only).—Provided that in all cases in which the preliminary application for the lease has been presented on any date subsequent to the 31st of March of the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of 1 pice per *goont*, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, shall be made on all lands in the lease for the year subsequent to that from which the lease commences.	*Item 2 of the Schedule (portion only).*—Provided that in all cases in which the preliminary application for the lease has been presented on any date subsequent to the 31st of March of the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of one pice per *goont*, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, shall be made *on all lands leased at Rs. 1-12 per mán, and an additional charge of 1 pie per goont of local measure, equivalent to 2 annas and 1 pie per mán, will be made on all lands leased at 8 annas per mán*, for the year subsequent to that from which the lease commences.
Item 5 of the Schedule.—For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June—Rs. 3-8 per *mán*.	*Item 5 of the Schedule.*—(*a*) For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June *on lands leased for a term of years at Rs. 1-8 per mán—Rs. 3-8 per mán.* (*b*) *For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June on lands leased for a term of years at Rs. 1-12 per mán—Rs. 3-4 per mán.*

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 10th November 1906.

No. 119Marine.—Mr. G. E. Champness, Junior Master Pilot, is granted privilege leave for three months under article 676 (*a*), Civil Service Regulations, with effect from 8th November 1906, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 12th November 1906.

No. 120Marine.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 8 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Magistrate of Howrah to be *ex-officio* a Commissioner of the Port of Calcutta, *vice* Mr. D. Currie, whose term of office as a Commissioner will expire on the 23rd November 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 13th November 1906.

No. 121Marine.—In accordance with the provisions of section 50, clause (2) of the Indian Ports Act, 1899, the following account of the receipts and expenditure of the Hospital Port Dues Fund of the Port of Calcutta for the year 1905-1906 is published for general information. It should be read as a supplement to the abstract account of receipts and expenditure of the Port of Calcutta for the year 1905-1906, which was published in the Appendix to the *Calcutta Gazette* of 17th October 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements on account of the Calcutta Hospital Port Dues Fund for the year 1905-1906.

	Receipts.	Repairs of steam launch and Bacteriological Laboratory.	Salary of Health Officer and Assistant Health Officer.	Exchange compensation allowance.	Establishment.	Office expenses.	Miscellaneous.	Travelling allowance.	Charges for sick seamen sent to Howrah Hospital.	Charges for sick seamen sent to Presidency General Hospital.	Charges for sick seamen sent to Medical College Hospital.	Charges for sick seamen sent to Mayo Hospital.	Charges for sick seamen sent to Lunatic Asylum.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs.
Opening balance.	3,43,047 10 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...
1905.													
April	.....	.....	2,041 2 0	75 0 0	430 3 3	12 7 6	68 12 0	.....	1,184	.....	...	...	...
May	11,259 14 0	.....	2,325 0 0	75 0 0	473 0 0	7 0 8	66 14 6	.....	1,334	3,076	...	...	..
June	.....	.....	1,973 10 8	7 1 0	465 8 3	224 3 9	143 15 0	307 11 10	578	.....	218	..	..
July	.....	.....	1,425 0 0	.....	469 0 0	422 2 1	153 15 3	150 0 0	1,018	.....	...	...	...
August ...	...	1,391 2 3	1,884 4 4	0 1 0	470 4 0	10 1 0	70 4 0	150 0 0	724	5,364	256	32 8	...
September ...	21,057 1 0	77 15 7	1,471 12 5	.....	470 4 0	6 8 6	.....	263 8 0	716	2,872	782	...	...
October ...	16,349 3 0	.....	2,201 9 8	191 12 2	469 0 0	119 3 9	3 8 0	.....	734	.....	...	...	...
November ...	16,240 2 0	.....	1,589 0 6	.....	470 4 0	24 14 0	251 6 8	.....	834	5,210	238	...	...
December ...	17,875 2 0	.....	1,914 8 5	.....	887 5 9	4 8 0	79 4 6	.....	346	3,026	85	...	...
1906.													
January ...	10,832 11 0	760 1 5	1,670 0 0	75 0 0	51 9 10	10 12 3	88 4 0	.....	254	.....	..	...	...
February ...	23,803 1 0	838 6 7	1,090 0 0	.....	553 4 0	6 8 0	.....	41 8 0	176	1,524	...	...	25,000
March	17,317 4 0	2,847 5 0	1,670 0 0	75 0 0	464 10 10	80 5 8	304 11 6	....	184	3,416	479	...	...
Total ...	1,35,134 6 0	5,914 14 10	21,566 0 0	498 14 2	5,683 5 11	928 10 9	1,230 15 5	972 11 10	8,082	27,388	2,068	32 8	25,000
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GRAND TOTAL	4,78,182 0 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...

	Cost of firewood and coal.	Hire of fixed mooring.	Cost of coal for steam-launch *Relief*.	Dockyard supplies and services.	Grant-in-aid to Diamond Harbour Dispensary.	Telegram and Postage.	Charges for sick seamen sent to Campbell Hospital.	Pension.	Rent, rates and taxes.	Subscriptions to Newspapers and Periodicals.	Contribution to the Hospital Nurses' Institution.	Contribution for maintenance of General Hospital.	Temporary establishment.	House allowance.	TOTAL.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Opening balance.	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1905.															
April	1	25	... ..	... .	.....	... ...	36	...	.....	.. ...	...	.....	.....	51 13 5	3,937 6 2
May	1	25	.....	... .	.....	17 13	...	...	88 5 5	.....	...	.....	.....	7 0 0	8,366 1 2
June	1	...	.....	... .	.....	.....	...	...	... ..	.....	...	.....	...	7 0 0	4,231 5 1
July	..	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	44 5 9	...	.....	.....	7 0 0	3,789 7 1
August ...	1	50	.....	435 0 0	1,159 5	1 1	...	...	58 5 5	9 0 0	.....	.....	.....	15 8 0	12,051 12 0
September ...	1	...	204 8 6	49 15 6	.....	3 13	...	...	.....	9 0 0	... ..	.....	.....	15 8 0	6,993 13 6
October ...	1	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	9	... ..	...	.....	.....	.....	8 8 0	3,787 9 7
November ...	1	75	.....	139 3 9	.....	6 0	...	9	.....	...	...	.....	.....	4 1 9	8,951 14 8
December ...	1	...	111 11 6	118 9 6	.....	.....	...	9	58 5 5	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	6,741 5 1
1906.															
January ...	1	50	92 13 0	107 4 9	.....	.....	...	9	... ..	.. .	...	.....	.....	... ..	3,229 13 3
February ...	1	25	110 0 0	...	.....	1 1	...	9	38 5 5	.....	4,405	.....	.....	... ..	34,349 1 0
March	111	25	250 15 0	231 4 10	180 0	—3 0	...	9	....	12 0 0	.....	2,00,000	.....	.....	2,10,337 4 10
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Closing balance.	...	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,71,415 3 5
GRAND TOTAL	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	4,78,182 0 10

The 13th November 1906.

No. 122 Marine.—Intimation having been received of the outbreak of plague in the port of Bhavnagar in Kathiwar, it is hereby notified, for general information, that Bhavnagar is declared an infected port, and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea, in force in the ports of Bengal, will be enforced in the ports of Orissa against vessels arriving from Bhavnagar.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3718A.

No. 3534A.—The 9th November 1906.—Mr. William Raha, Sub-Deputy Collector, Nadia, is transferred to the Narail subdivision of the Jessore district.

Nadia.
Jessore.

No. 3539A.—The 9th November 1906.—Babu Radha Prasad Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Jangipur, Murshidabad, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of that district.

Murshidabad.

This cancels the order of the 22nd October 1906, transferring Babu Radha Prasad Mukharji to the Narail subdivision of the Jessore district.

Jessore.

No. 3555A.—The 9th November 1906.—Babu Nanda Kishor Jain, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, is transferred to the Jangipur subdivision of that district.

Murshidabad.

No. 3557A.—The 9th November 1906.—Pandit Hriday Narayan, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Barh, Patna, is allowed leave from the 3rd December to 22nd December 1906, under article 242 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations.

Patna.

No. 3705A.—The 13th November 1906.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Hara Mohan Patnaik, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Bhadrak, Balasore, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Balasore.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 10732, dated Calcutta, the 13th November 1906.—Captain F. H. Watling, I.M.S., made over charge of the Sambalpur Jail to Captain M. Mackelvie, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 1st November 1906.

W. J. BUCHANAN,
Inspr.-Genl. of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 6740, dated Calcutta, the 12th November 1906.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Narendra Nath Basu, Medical Officer, Eastern Bengal State Railway, Chitpur, is granted privilege leave for 51 days under article 269, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the forenoon of the 6th October 1906.

No. 6744, dated Calcutta, the 12th November 1906.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Surendra Nath Ghosh I is appointed, with effect from the forenoon of the 6th October 1906, to act as Medical Officer, Eastern Bengal State Railway, Chitpur, during the absence, on leave, of third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Narendra Nath Basu, or until further orders.

No. 6749, dated Calcutta, the 12th November 1906.—Babu Biswesswar Chakrabatti, third grade Assistant Surgeon, did supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the 2nd to the 4th August 1906, both days inclusive.

A. M. CROFTS, COL., I.M.S.,
Offg. Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU JNANENDRA NATH CHAUDHURY has been placed in charge of the Jessore Treasury from 14th October 1906 and authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

E. W. COLLIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 7th November 1906.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU MANMATHA NATH MUKHARJI, who has been placed in charge of the Champaran Treasury with effect from the forenoon of the 14th September 1906, *vice* Babu Bhabataran Chatarji, transferred, is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries

W. MAUDE, *Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 9th November 1906.*

Sheriff's Office, the 26th September 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1906 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the 26th day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

A. A. APCAR, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৬ সাল তারিখ ২৬শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৬ সালের ২৬শে নবেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতায় হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবে এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

এঃ এঃ আপকার, শরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 7th November 1906.—Babu Narayan Chandra Mukerji, Assistant Head Master, Hare School (class III), is allowed leave of absence for forty-one days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from 12th November 1906, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Babu Khetra Mohan Banerjia, an Assistant Master in the Hare School (class IV), is appointed to act as Assistant Head Master of the same institution, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Narayan Chandra Mukerji, or until further orders.

Mr John Navakishore Sarkar, Sub-Inspector of Sonthal Schools, Handway Circle, now officiating as a Sub-Inspector of Schools, Sonthal Parganas (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is confirmed in the latter appointment.

Maulvi Golam Salmani, an Assistant Maulvi in the Calcutta Madrasah (class IV), is allowed leave of absence for six months, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 24th November 1906, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Maulvi Mir Muhammad, an Assistant Maulvi in the Anglo-Persian Department of the Calcutta Madrasah, on a salary of Rs. 45 a month, is appointed to act as an Assistant Maulvi in the Arabic Department of the same institution and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Golam Salmani, or until further orders.

Babu Rajendra Lal Bhattacharji, 2nd Clerk, office of Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division (class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for forty-five days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 4th October 1906.

Babu Priya Nath Sarkar, Clerk, office of Assistant Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, is appointed to act as 2nd Clerk in the office of Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Rajendra Lal Bhattacharji, or until further orders.

The 8th November 1906.—Babu Durga Das Sur, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Burdwan (class VI), is allowed leave of absence for forty-three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th November 1906, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Babu Bhupendra Nath Ghosh, B.A., Officiating Assistant Master, Uttarpara Government School, is appointed to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Burdwan and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Durga Das Sur, or until further orders.

The 11th November 1906.—Mr. T. A. Gregory, an Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction (substantively *pro tempore* in class VI), is allowed leave of absence for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 15th October 1906.

Babu Suresh Chandra Sen Gupta will continue to act as an Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction on an allowance of Rs. 50 a month and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. T. A Gregory, or until further orders.

The 12th November 1906.—The following arrangements are sanctioned :—

(1) Babu Panna Lal Banerjea, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Manbhum (class VI), is appointed to act as Head Master of the Barasat Government School during the absence, on leave, of Babu Kalipada Bhattacherjea, or until further orders.

(2) Babu Kasi Bhusan Sen, B.A., an Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction (class IV), is appointed to act as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Manbhum, *vice* Babu Panna Lal Banerjea, transferred.

(3) Babu Upendra Nath Banerjea, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Hazaribagh Zilla School and now Officiating Head Master of the Barasat Government School (class VII), is appointed to act as an Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction, *vice* Babu Kasi Bhusan Sen, transferred.

The 13th November 1906.—Babu Srinath Banerjea, Head Clerk, office of Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division, and now officiating as an Assistant in the office of Director of Public Instruction (class IV), is allowed leave of absence for fifteen days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 3rd November 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that on the publication of the result of the Entrance Examination of 1907, the eleven third grade junior scholarships, allotted to this division under Government order No. 2916, dated the 9th September 1902, will be distributed as follows :—

Patna	...	...	2
Gaya	...	...	1
Shahabad	...	..	2
Saran	...	...	2
Champaran	...	...	1
Muzaffarpur	...	..	1
Darbhanga	...	..	2

F. W. DUKE, *Addl. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 9th November 1906.*

List of successful Candidates at the Central Examination of Bengal Madrasahs for the year 1906.

[Arranged in order of Merit.]

CALCUTTA MADRASAH.

Senior 5th Year Class.

No	Names.	Division.
1.	Abdur Rahmán, II	2nd.
2.	Mukhlisur Rahmán	3rd.
3.	Ubaidul Haq	3rd.
4.	Abdul Wájid	3rd.
5.	Abul Muhámed Muhammad Wajih	3rd.

Senior 4th Year Class.

1.	Abdul Wahháb	1st.
2.	Muhammad Abdul Ghaní	1st.
3.	Irfán Ali	1st.
4.	Abdul Azíz	1st.
5.	Muhammad Serájul Haq	1st.
6.	Alláfuddín	1st.
7.	Muhammad Abdul Karím	1st.
8.	Núr Bakhsh	2nd
9.	Muhammad Azamullah	2nd.
10.	Muhammad Sifatulláh	2nd.
11.	Abdul Ghafúr	3rd.
12.	Akbar Husain	3rd.
13.	Azízur Rahmán	3rd.
14.	Muhammad Ibrahím	3rd.
15.	Abdul Majíd	3rd.
16.	Muhammad Akhtaruzzamán	3rd.

Senior 3rd Year Class.

1.	Ghulám Kibriyá	1st.
2.	Abdul Majíd	1st.
3.	Abdush Shukúr	1st.
4.	Saidur Rahmán	1st.
5.	Abdul Azíz, VI	1st.
6.	Abdul Azíz, II	3rd.

Senior 2nd Year Class.

1.	Arzún Alí	1st.
2.	Sayyid Záhiduddín	1st.
3.	Abdul Hakím	1st.
4.	Muhammad Irshádulláh	1st.
5.	Muhammad Ibráhím	1st.
6.	Ghulám Sarwar	1st.
7.	Muhammad Idrís	1st.
8.	Akhtaruzzamán	2nd.
9.	Abdul Jalíl	2nd.
10.	Abdur Rahmán, I	2nd.
11.	Muhammad Ziyá-ul-Haq	3rd.
12.	Afsarud dín Ahmad	3rd.
13.	Abdul Majíd	3rd.
14.	Shaikh Ahmad	3rd.
15.	Núrulláh	3rd.
16.	Muhammad Qásim	3rd.
17.	Bashírulláh	3rd.

Senior 1st Year Class.

1.	Mansúr Ahmad	1st.
2.	Abdus Subhán	1st.
3.	Muhammad Abdul Majíd	1st.
4.	Muhammad Sábir	1st.
5.	Abdul Ghaní	1st.
6.	Muhammad Abdul Azíz	1st.
7.	Ausáfuddín	1st.
8.	Abdul Ghafúr	2nd.
9.	Hiláluddín	2nd.

CHITTAGONG MADRASAH.

Senior 4th Year Class.

No.	Names.	Division.
1.	Muhammad Is-háq	1st.
2.	Muhammad Yaqúb	1st.
3	Ahmad	1st.
4.	Ziyá-ul-Haq	2nd.
5.	Abdul Hamíd	3rd.
6.	Muhammad Ruhul Amín	3rd.

Senior 3rd Year Class.

1.	Khalílur Rahmán	1st.
2.	Azízur Rahmán	2nd.
3.	Wá-izuddín	3rd.

Senior 2nd Year Class.

1.	Abdul Bárí	2nd.
2.	Abdul Hakím, II	2nd.
3.	Munawwar Ali	2nd.
4.	Abdul Qádir	3rd.
5.	Kalímulláh	3rd.
6.	Ahmad	3rd.

Senior 1st Year Class.

1.	Abdul Hádí	1st.
2.	Núrus Safá	1st.
3.	Abdul Hakím, II	1st.
4.	Abu Saíd	2nd.
5.	Abdul Alím	2nd.
6	Faizur Rahmán, I	3rd.
7.	Abdul Hakím, I	3rd.
8.	Abul Háshim	3rd.
9.	Tasaddaqur Rahmán	3rd.
10.	Abdul Ahad	3rd.

DACCA MADRASAH.

Senior 4th Year Class.

1.	Ghaus Ali	1st.
2.	Afsaruddín	1st.
3.	Muhammad Raushan Ali	1st.
4.	Sanáulláh	2nd.
5.	Mufazzal Husain	2nd.
6.	Alímuddín	3rd.
7.	Muhammad Serájul Haq	3rd.
8.	Abdul Ghafúr	3rd.

Senior 3rd Year Class.

1.	Ali Naváz (Mymensingh)	1st.
2.	Abdul Azíz (Comilla)	1st.
3.	Anwarulláh (Ramganj)	1st.
4.	Abdul Bárí	3rd.

Senior 2nd Year Class.

1.	Muhammad Najíb	1st.
2.	Abut Tayyab Muhammad Ubaidulláh	1st.
3.	Sayyid Abdul Ghaffár	2nd.
4.	Aftábuddín (Comilla)	2nd.
5.	Husainuddín	2nd.
6.	Muhammad Husain	3rd.
7.	Sayyid Ahmad	3rd.

DACCA MADRASAH—*concluded.*

Senior 1st Year Class.

No.	Names.	Division.
1.	Serájuddín	1st.
2.	Azfar Ali	1st.
3.	Abdul Jabbár (Mymensingh)	1st.
4.	Muhammad Yasín	1st.
5.	Mufízuddín	2nd.
6.	Tájuddín	2nd.
7.	Khalílur Rahmán	2nd.
8.	Muhammad Kázim	3rd.
9.	Sayyid Wasiuzzamán	3rd.

HOOGHLY MADRASAH.

Senior 4th Year Class.

1.	Ahmad Ali	2nd.
2.	Muhammad Ibráhim, II	2nd.
3.	Muhammad Abu Bakr	3rd.
4.	Muhammad Abdur Rashíd	3rd.

Senior 3rd Year Class.

1.	Abdul Mannán	1st.
2.	Muhammad Is-háq	3rd.

Senior 2nd Year Class.

1.	Abul Lais Saduddín Muhammad	1st.
2.	Abdul Jabbár	1st.
3.	Abul Abbás Majduddín Ahmad	1st.
4.	Abdul Wájid	1st
5.	Sarírur Rahmán	3rd.
6.	Mehrulláh	3rd.

Senior 1st Year Class.

1.	Muhammad Nizámuddín	1st.
2.	Abdur Rahmán	1st.
3.	Diyánatulláh	2nd.

COMILLA HUSAMIAH MADRASAH.

Senior 4th Year Class.

1.	Abdul Hamíd	2nd.
2.	Azímuddín	3rd.

Senior 3rd Year Class.

1.	Samíruddín	1st.
2.	Sayyid Saíd Bakht	2nd.

Senior 2nd Year Class.

1.	Minnat Ali	3rd.
2.	Muhammad Faiz	3rd.

Senior 1st Year Class.

1.	Rayhánuddín	3rd.
2.	Abdus Subhán	3rd.
3.	Muhammad Ali	3rd.

SASARAM MADRASAH.

Senior 4th Year Class.

1.	Muhammad Mutiulláh	3rd.

SITAKUND MADRASAH.

Senior 4th Year Class.

No.	Names.	Division.
1.	Hafiz Muhammad Zakíuddín	2nd.
2.	Muhammad Yaqúb	2nd.
3.	Muhammad Umaid Ali	3rd.

Senior 2nd Year Class.

1.	Muzaffar Ahmad	2nd.
2.	Tamízuddín	3rd.
3.	Mansúr Ahmad	3rd.
4.	Habíbulláh, I	3rd.
5.	Hedáyetulláh	3rd.
6.	Muhammad Qásim	3rd.

Senior 1st Year Class.

1.	Abdul Ghafúr	1st.
2.	Abdus Subhán	2nd.
3.	Núr-ul-Haq	3rd.
4.	Maqbúl Ahmad	3rd.

NOAKHALI AHMADIA MADRASAH.

Senior 4th Year Class.

1.	Muhammad Anwarulláh	3rd.

Senior 2nd Year Class.

1.	Muhammad Rezá-ul-Haq	2nd.

Senior 1st Year Class.

1.	Habíbulláh	1st.
2.	Abdul Majíd	3rd.

DACCA AHSANIAH MADRASAH.

Senior 4th Year Class.

1.	Muhsinuddín	3rd.

Senior 1st Year Class.

1.	Muhammad Abbás	1st.
2.	Abu Bakr	3rd.
3.	Abdul Azíz	3rd.

DACCA HAMMADIAH MADRASAH.

Senior 4th Year Class.

1.	Muhammad Usmán	3rd.

Senior 1st Year Class.

1.	Ghulámur Rahmán	1st.

SERAJGANJ MADRASAH.

Senior 2nd Year Class.

1.	Abdul Jabbár	1st.
2.	Núruddín	2nd.
3.	Abdur Rashíd	3rd.
4.	Ziyá-uddín	3rd.

Senior 1st Year Class.

1.	Ziyá-uddín	2nd.

J. A. CHAPMAN,

Offg. Principal, Calcutta Madrasah,
and
Offg. Registrar, Central Examination of
Bengal Madrasahs.

Pleadership and Mukhtarship Examinations.

As there exists some misapprehension in consequence of the High Court order, published on page 1641 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 22nd August 1906, it is hereby notified that there has been no lowering of the qualifications for the Pleadership and Mukhtarship Examinations, which remain the same as heretofore. The High Court's order refers only to certain nominal change in the standard of qualification for the Mukhtarship Examination and is confined to natives of the districts comprised within the Commissionerships of the Assam Valley and the Surma Valley and Hill districts only, and in no way affects other candidates.

W. GRAHAM,
Secy., Pleadership and Mukhtarship Examination Board.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College.—

I.—Engineer Department.

A four-year course leading to the Engineering Degrees of the Calcutta University. Admissions made yearly in June. Admission qualification, the First Arts examination of the Calcutta University or its equivalent.

II.—Apprentice Department.

The full course of study covers five years. There are special classes in Mining and in Electrical Engineering.

After 1½ years the Sub-Overseer examination is held.

After 3½ years the Final or Overseer examination is held with special modification for Mining students.

After a further 1½ years' practical training the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate is given.

Admissions are made yearly in June to 1st year and in March to 2nd and 3rd years. Admission qualifications—

To 1st-year class, Entrance examination of Calcutta University or equivalent, to the Middle School.

To 2nd-year class, the Final examination of B Course of zilla schools.

To 3rd-year class, the Sub-Overseer examination of affiliated Technical schools.

III.—Workshops.

Artisan classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine,
Blacksmiths';	Turners;	and Foundry.

IV.—Agricultural Department.

Admission made by nomination of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor. Application to be sent to the Principal.. A two-year course leading to the Agricultural Diploma of the College. Admission made yearly in November.

Admission qualifications—

As general student, B. A., B Course, of Calcutta University or equivalent.

As special student, satisfactory evidence that the candidate can benefit by the instruction.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

SIBPUR,
The 7th June 1906.

B. HEATON,
Principal.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 6472B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1904-05, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 4th December 1906, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,400 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of	...	2,200
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of	...	2,200
Total	...	4,400

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 28th November 1905, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 19th December 1906, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 10th December 1906, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 19th December 1906.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. P. YAKCHEE, for *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 24th October 1906.*

No. 6508B.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Dated Calcutta, the 29th October 1906.

IN supersession of the rules published under Notification, dated the 25th September 1894, in Part I, pages 1108 and 1109 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 31st October 1894, as amended by the Resolution by the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, No. 3998.R., dated the 19th January 1904, published at pages 157 and 158 of the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*, dated the 6th February 1904, the following rules framed by the Board of Revenue, L. P., under section 75 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878) for the landing and shipping of passengers' baggage and the passing of the same through the Customs House are published for general information. The fee to be charged under rule 17 has been sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

BAGGAGE RULES.

EXAMINATION ON BOARD SHIP OR AT THE LANDING PLACE.

1. Ordinarily in Calcutta an Inspector with a staff of Baggage Officers will board passenger steamers at Garden Reach, and proceed to examine all cabin baggage and such hold baggage as can be conveniently produced, before the vessel reaches her moorings. But when there is not likely to be time to complete such examination before the vessel is ready to discharge her passengers, as in the case of large passenger vessels proceeding direct to the docks or jetties, or in the case of vessels discharging passengers by launch at Garden Reach, in such cases the examination shall be conducted at the place at which the baggage is landed, and will not be commenced on board-ship.

2. Upon boarding a vessel, the Baggage Officers shall distribute declaration forms in Customs Form No. 478, and give all necessary information to passengers for filling them up.

3. The Inspector shall also obtain from the Chief Officer a list of the passengers and of the unaccompanied baggage carried by the vessel. The Baggage Officers on board are not permitted to pass the latter. In the event of there being no unaccompanied baggage, a certificate to that effect must be obtained from the Chief Officer.

4. In examining, Baggage Officers shall be guided by the following directions :—

(*a*) When no suspicion of an attempt to smuggle dutiable goods, or introduce merchandise or firearms, etc., is entertained, the officers may dispense with the examination of hand-bags, rugs and parcels and satisfy themselves by the examination of a selected portion of the other baggage to the extent of one or more representative packages according to the number brought by each passenger or set of passengers.

(*b*) The right to open any or every package remains, however, and can be exercised at the discretion of the officers.

(*c*) The officers are to put to each passenger the following question :—

"Have you anything in your possession liable to duty, such as firearms, ammunition, alcoholic liquor, perfumed spirits, or any other article which is for sale?" They shall at the same time draw attention to the rules printed on the reverse of the declaration form.

(*d*) The utmost tact and courtesy are needed in every case. The rights of the revenue mut be asserted, but no delay or unnecessary annoyance must be caused on any account to passengers.

5. If no dutiable articles are declared or detected, the Baggage Officer shall issue a pass in Customs Form No. 479. The declaration form entered by the passenger shall also be taken by the Baggage Officer at the time of passing and the entries completed.

6. If any dutiable articles are declared or found on examination, the passenger will be referred to the Baggage Inspector, who will receive duty, and issue a receipt in Customs Form No. 480.

7. Should a claim be made to pass dutiable articles free of duty under the concessions allowed for articles of private personal property re-imported, the Inspector may pass such goods free only if there are authenticated documents, in each case, substantiating the claim. In all other cases the passenger shall be referred to the Collector of Customs, with the option, should he wish to remove the article at once, of paying duty and applying for a refund afterwards.

The receipt in Form 480 shall be issued for all dutiable articles whether duty be levied or not, and shall contain a sufficient description of each article to permit of subsequent identification, as well as, in the case of any on which duty is not levied under the preceding clause, a note explaining the reasons. In the case of firearms, the details on the back of the form shall be filled up. Firearms of every description must be carefully examined.

8. Baggage Inspectors are authorized to pass free of duty firearms and ammunition in reasonable quantities belonging to passengers from Customs ports, or forming part of the equipment of an officer entitled to wear diplomatic, military or police uniform, etc., provided that the following particulars should in such cases be noted on the back of the receipt form, namely, the name, rank, position and address of the passenger, under his signature, in addition to the particulars of the arms required under the preceding rule, and particulars of the ammunition, if any.

Baggage Inspectors are also authorised to pass a gun, pistol, sword or knife, the property of a native officer or soldier arriving from a coast port when covered by a license from the Commanding Officer of the regiment to which he belongs.

9. Baggage Inspectors may not, however, pass the following, which shall be sent to the Custom House, and reported for orders :—

(1) Arms imported by a native officer or soldier arriving from Hongkong.

(2) Martini-Henry rifles and rifles of ·303 bore and ammunition for these weapons imported by any passenger, or any other rifles of a military pattern or ammunition the importation of which is prohibited.

Exceptions.—When an officer of the British or Indian Army or of the Imperial Service Troops arrives in Calcutta by sea on duty and carries a rifle or carbine ostensibly as part of his military equipment, such weapon, even if of a prohibited bore, may be passed by the Baggage Officer on board, provided it is of a service or military pattern and bears the stamp and mark that indicate that it is the property of the State, or in the case of Imperial Service Troops, of the Native State concerned.

10. Passengers' baggage need not be detained owing to arms or ammunition or other dutiable articles being found in their boxes, unless they have in any way attempted to conceal them. In such cases the articles shall not be passed, but shall be sent to the Custom House with a special report.

11. Baggage shall be marked with the Baggage Officer's initials as soon as passed, and may then be removed. An officer shall be deputed to see that no packages leave the vessel without being marked. Passengers on vessels proceeding to the jetties or docks should be instructed to send the baggage pass along with the baggage to enable it to pass the jetty or dock gates. Baggage Officers must see that packages are removed as soon as possible after examination.

12. All packages which cannot be conveniently presented or opened for examination on board-ship, or at the time of landing, and all unaccompanied baggage, shall be sent to the Custom House.

If the vessel is discharging in the stream, such packages shall be forwarded by the baggage staff in charge of a Baggage Officer or peon, with a green boat note. Unaccompanied baggage shall be shown separately in the boat-note.

If the vessel is discharging at the jetties, such packages shall be forwarded by officers of the Port Trust as soon as possible after landing with a challan.

If the vessel is discharging at the docks, such packages may remain at the docks for a day or two before being forwarded by the officers of the Port Trust. In this case passengers shall be informed how long their baggage will remain in the docks before transfer to the Custom House.

The list of passengers and of unaccompanied baggage obtained under rule 3, or the certificate in the case of there being no unaccompanied baggage, shall be forwarded by the Baggage Inspector to the Inspector in charge of the Custom House Division when the baggage is forwarded to the Custom House. Unaccompanied baggage may only be passed at the Custom House.

Articles detained for any special reason shall be forwarded by the baggage staff to the Superintendent of the Preventive Service in charge of a Baggage Officer or peon.

13. Baggage Officers must see that no delay occurs in forwarding packages to the Custom House.

14. The Baggage Inspector on board shall forward the duty collected with a statement in Customs Form No. 453 accompanied by his receipt book and the passengers' baggage declarations to the Superintendent of the Preventive Service who shall compare the items in the statement with the foils of the receipts issued, initialling the last foil in token of his examination.

The statement with the cash shall then be sent to the cashier through the accountant, the amount remitted being entered in a register in Customs Form No. 403 in which the cashier shall give his acknowledgment.

15. The Superintendent shall forward the necessary reports to the Collector in the case of articles detained with the least possible delay.

16. Receipts shall be granted in Customs Form No. 576 for all baggage received in the Custom House ; the receipts shall be serially numbered [illegible]

17. A landing charge of 8 annas shall be leviable for every package brought into the Custom House.

EXAMINATION AT THE CUSTOM HOUSE.

18. [illegible]ge brought into the Custom House shall be examined by the Inspector of the Custom House Division and his staff. Fresh declarations in Form No. 478 are not required, but otherwise, except in the case of unaccompanied baggage when manifested, the procedure in examination shall follow the rules already laid down. The Inspector shall assess and realise landing fees and any wharf rent that may be chargeable in addition to duty. Such realization shall be entered in counterfoil receipts in Form No. 349 and brought to account in the manner prescribed in rule 14. Persons applying to clear unaccompanied baggage that is manifested shall be directed to present a bill-of-entry, which will be passed under the ordinary import procedure.

19. A register in Form No. 570 shall be maintained for all baggage upon which wharf rent accrues. Entries shall be commenced as soon as the rent becomes leviable, and be completed when the goods are passed out. A weekly inspection must be made to ensure that entries are regularly made. The boat-note or chalan number to be shown in column 2 of this register will be the serial number given under rule 16.

APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES INCLUDING THEATRICAL PARAPHERNALIA.

20. Article 41 of Schedule IV of the Tariff admits apparatus and appliances and parts thereof free, when imported by a passenger as part of his personal baggage and in actual use by him in the exercise of his profession or calling. Theatrical paraphernalia may be admitted free under this article, provided that the goods fall under the conditions specified therein, and in any orders issued from time to time by the Government of India. The examination of theatrical paraphernalia may be conducted on the importer's premises under suitable precautions.

EXPORT. SHIPMENT OF BAGGAGE.

21. Shipping bills are not required for the shipment of *bona fide* passengers' baggage.

22. Preventive officers shall at their discretion examine baggage brought for shipment to China, the Straits, Mauritius, and Ceylon, and report for orders any case in which they have good reasons to suppose that baggage for other ports contains dutiable or contraband articles.

23 When passengers embark at Diamond Harbour, it shall be the duty of the Preventive Officer in charge of the station to see that neither opium nor ganja is taken on board in their baggage.

LIST OF FORMS.

		C. H. No.
1.	Passenger's Baggage Declaration	478
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C. H. No.

PASSENGER'S BAGGAGE DECLARATION.

ATTENTION IS DRAWN TO THE RULES AND NOTICE ON THE REVERSE.

Ship *Dated*

I HEREBY declare that my baggage comprises the following :—

Passed.	Sent to Custom House or detained at Docks.

Baggage Officer.

Entries in this space will be made and signed by the Baggage Officer.

In the case of goods discharging at the Docks, passengers will ascertain from the Baggage Officer how long their packages will remain at the Docks before being forwarded to the Custom House.

Number of open packages

Number of nailed-down packages

GENERAL CONTENTS:

My baggage contains the following DUTIABLE ARTICLES only :—

Description.	Quantity or number.	VALUE. Rs.	A.	P	REMARKS. [Note if any articles have paid duty in India before.]

Passenger's Signature.

*Rules *for the exemption of passengers' baggage from Customs duty.*

1. The *bonâ fide* baggage of a passenger is exempt from duty when it accompanies him; does not form part of the cargo; and is not included in the manifest.

2. *Bonâ fide* baggage shall include wearing apparel and personal effects, provided that the articles are not for sale and are imported for the personal use of the passenger or for the use of members of his family travelling with him; but it shall not include the following articles on which duty must be paid in all cases:—

(*a*) Arms, ammunition and all other articles enumerated in Schedule II of the Tariff Import Schedule.

(*b*) Alcoholic liquor, exceeding two quarts, perfumed spirit, exceeding one quart, and all other articles enumerated in Schedule III.

(*c*) Cigars and cigarettes exceeding 100 in number, whether in opened or unopened boxes, and other tobacco exceeding 1 pound in weight.

(*d*) Pianos, pianolas, carriages, motor-cars and motor-cycles.

(*e*) Articles for household use such as furniture, pictures, carpets, glass, crockery, cutlery, and silver and plated-ware, except such articles (other than furniture or carpets) as shall appear to the Customs authorities to be imported in a moderate quantity and to be required for the personal use of the passenger whilst travelling or immediately upon his arrival at his destination.

3. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in Rule 1, *bonâ fide* baggage landed at any Customs port within one month before or after the arrival of a passenger in India may, subject to the exceptions specified in Rule 2, be passed free at the discretion of the Collector of Customs.

* Published under the Resolution by the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 6095–6099 – 08, dated 3rd August 1906, at page 1630 of the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*, dated 4th August 1906.

NOTICE

1. Any person making a false declaration or attempting to pass dutiable goods without payment of duty is liable to a heavy penalty in addition to having his goods confiscated.

2. For all information regarding the landing and clearing of baggage, passengers are requested to apply to the Baggage Officers on Board or in the Baggage Godown at the Custom House.

3. A charge of eight annas per package is made upon all baggage sent to the Custom House to cover the expenses of landing and removal.

4. A further charge is made on account of wharf rent if baggage is not cleared from the Custom House within seven days from date of its receipt.

C. H. No. 479.

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS.

BAGGAGE PASS.

Ship _____

Passenger's name _____

Number of packages in (words) _____

CALCUTTA,

The _____ *190* .

Baggage *Inspector / Officer.*

C. H. No. 576.

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS.

RECEIPT FOR PASSENGER'S BAGGAGE.

No. _____

Received from _____

Ship's Name _____

No. of Packages _____

Condition of Packages _____

Address or Marks _____

Inspector, *Custom House Division. / Baggage Officer*

Dated _____ *190* .

H. No. 453.

Statement of Duty and Charges realised on Baggage.

Baggage Receipt Number.	Duty.			Landing Fees.			Wharf Rent.			Remarks.
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
1	2			3			4			5
Total ...										
Grand Total ...										

Grand Total in words.

*Dated*_____ *190* .

Baggage Inspector.

H. No. 480.

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS.

BAGGAGE RECEIPT.

Ship_____

Passenger's Name_____

Date_____

Description of Articles.	Value.			Duty.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Total duty ...						
Landing fees ...						
Wharf rent ...						
Total ...						

Passenger's signature. *Baggage Inspector.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS.

BAGGAGE RECEIPT.

Ship_____

Passenger's Name_____

Date_____

Description of Articles.	Value.			Duty.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Total duty ...						
Landing fees ...						
Wharf rent ...						
Total ...						

The passengers is advised to keep this receipt in case of future re-importation of the goods.

Baggage Inspector.

FIRE-ARMS.

tion ... ...
r name and number ... ...
... ...
r double-barrelled ...
smooth-bore ... ...
o which sighted ... ...
r fitted for bayonet or not ... ...

Baggage Inspector.

FIRE-ARMS.

Description ... ...
Maker's name and number ... ...
Bore ... ...
Single or double-barrelled ... ...
Rifle or smooth-bore ... ...
Range to which sighted ... ...
Whether fitted for bayonet or not ... ...

Baggage Inspector.

C. H. No. 570.

Register of Passenger's Baggage.

Serial number.	Boat-note or challan number.	Passenger's name.	Number of packages.	Date of receipt.	Inspector's initials.	Baggage receipt number.	Duty.	Landing charges.	Wharf rent.	Date of passing out.	Inspector's initials.	REMARKS
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13

C. H. No. 403.

Register of Baggage Duty.

Date.	Name of Vessel.	Amount realised.			Cashier's Receipt.
1	2	3			4
		Rs.	A.	P.	

Statement showing the quantity of salt (private property) in bonded warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 31st day of October 1906, and transactions during the half month from the 16th to the 31st October 1906.

Description of Salt.	In Bonded Warehouses in Calcutta.					Transactions during half-month from the 16th to the 31st October 1906 inclusive.			
	Golas.	Docks. Sukea.	Docks. Kidderpore.	Total	Quantity afloat.	Gross.	Duty paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from shipboard for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—										
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	6,18,052	5,71,489	11,89,581	35,168	12,24,749	1,89,555	1,82,752	1,13,350	1,48,820	
Other European countries—										
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	1,95,949		1,95,949	22,771	2,18,120	53,065	1,17,468	1,925	3',290	
Do. Rock salt	10,009	8,178	18,187		18,187	20)			200	
Spanish salt	3,84,584	130,194	4,14,778		4,14,778	81,460			71,870	
Port Said salt	2,23,554	.....	2,23,554		2,23,554	25,150			12,900	
Aden and Red Sea—										
Aden salt	1,73,418	31,044	2,04,462		2,04,462	86 885	5,598	59,090	48,833	
Salif salt ...	25,764	6,000	31,364		31,364	77,605			83,405	
Do. rock salt	9,820		9,820		9,820	640			440	
Rawayah salt	742		742		742				9.0	
Muscat and Persian Gulf—										
Muscat, Lungah and Hanjam salt.		3,866	3,866		3,866	2,800			2.400	
Ditto ditto rock salt										
British India—										
Bombay salt	41,768		42,168		42,168	55,271*	40,110	1,700	34,604	
Madras salt										
Cocconada salt										
Vizagapatam salt ...										
Other places—										
Madagascar salt										
Total	16,82,700	6,51,171	23,33,871	57,939	23,91,810	5,73,321	3,54,898	1,75,965	4,45 662	

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in private golas	...
Ditto in Sukea golas	2,450
Ditto in Kidderpore Dock golas ...	3,992
Abandoned and destroyed	61

* This quantity includes 55,063 maunds Bombay Karkach salt on which duty has been paid at Bombay.

In transit Liverpool and other Panga salt ... 6,300 mds.
Hamberg salt ... ... 12,740 ,,

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

L. F. MORSHEAD,
Collector of Customs.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 9th November 1906.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that the 3rd December 1906 has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner of the Kurseong Municipality in the district of Darjeeling in the place of Revd. C. H. Owen, resigned.

D. J. MACPHERSON, *Commissioner of the Bhagalpur Div'n.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 6th November 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

THE following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the dispensary at Chandi, in the district of Patna, in addition to those appointed under notification published at page 169, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 31st January 1906.

1. Maulvi Abdul Hussain Khan.
2. Habibuddin Hyder.
3. Babu Adit Pershad Singh.
4. Narain Parshad Singh.

AHMAD ALI KHAN, *Personal Assistant*, for *Addl. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 8th November 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 9th February 1907, is fixed as the date for holding the 8th General Election of Commissioners of the Jessore and Koreehandpur Municipalities in the district of Jessore, in the place of those who having been elected at the 7th General Election held in January 1904 or subsequently thereto, in the place of Commissioners so elected complete the term of office under sections 21 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, as amended.

E. W. COLLIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVISION, CALCUTTA, *the 9th November 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN supersession of the notification dated the 7th September 1906, published at page 1725, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th September 1906, it is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the undermentioned gentlemen have been appointed members of the Managing Committee of the Serampore and Rishra-Mahesh Charitable Dispensaries in the district of Hooghly :—

Serampore.

1. The Subdivisional Officer of Serampore.
2. The Chairman of the Serampore Municipality.
3. The Vice-Chairman of the Serampore Municipality.
4. The Civil Surgeon of Serampore.
5. Mr. G. B. Dunn.
6. Babu Rajendra Lal Gossain.
7. Rai Ram Das Bhattacharjya Bahadur.
8. Mr. S. Tremearne.
9. Dr B. L. Bose.
10. Dr. Promotha Nath Mukerjee.
11. Mr. P. T. Rose.
12. Babu Aghore Nath Banerjee.
13. Mr. W. R. Criper.
14. Babu Mohendra Chandra Lahiri.

Rishra-Mahesh.

1. The Subdivisional Officer of Serampore.
2. The Chairman of the Serampore Municipality.
3. The Vice-Chairman of the Serampore Municipality.
4. The Civil Surgeon of Serampore.
5. Babu Joggeswar Ghose.
6. „ Prasanna Kumar Das.
7. „ Khettra Nath Chatterjee.
8. „ Ashutosh Choudhuri.
9. „ Umesh Chandra Mitra.
10. „ Purna Chandra Daw.
11. „ Tincouri Mukerjee.
12. „ Ram Das Gargari.
13. „ Gopal Chandra Mullik.

E. H. WALSH, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 3rd November 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the general election held on the 22nd August 1906, under the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, the undermentioned gentlemen were duly elected as Commissioners of the Raniganj Municipality, in the district of Burdwan :—

Ward No. I.

1.	Babu Bipin Behari Banerjee, L.M.S.	...	Medical Practitioner and Honorary Magistrate.
2.	„ Krista Dhan Roy ...	...	Teacher, Searsole H. E. School.
3.	„ Chhotoo Lal Marwari ...	...	Merchant.

Ward No. II.

1.	Babu Biseswar Lal Marwari ...	...	Merchant.
2.	Munshi Mobarak Ali ...	...	Trader.
3.	Babu Debi Prosad Chowbey ...	...	Mahajan.

Ward No. III.

1.	Babu Jogannath Marwari	...	Banker, Merchant and Honorary Magistrate.
2.	„ Bhagwan Das Marwari	...	Merchant and Honorary Magistrate.

E. H. WALSH, *Offg. Commissioner.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 6th November 1906.*



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PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 10th November 1906.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

MEDICAL.

Calcutta, the 6th November 1906.

No. 1-C.—In supersession of the Home Department Notification No. 850, dated the 6th October 1906, the services of the undermentioned officers are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bengal:—

Captain M. Mackelvie, M.B., I.M.S.
Captain F. P. Connor, F.R.C.S., I.M.S.

JUDICIAL.

The 9th November 1906.

No. 1454.—His Majesty's Secretary of State for India has permitted the Hon'ble Mr. Justice F. Bodilly to resign his office of Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, with effect from the 1st November 1906.

H. H. RISLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Nos. 1304—11.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

ALLOTMENT OF MEMBERS OF THE INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE APPOINTED TO THE BENGAL PRESIDENCY IN 1906.

Calcutta, the 9th November 1906.

RESOLUTION.

THE undermentioned gentlemen have recently been appointed in England to the Indian Civil Service (Bengal Presidency) in the order specified below:—

John Johnston	Lower Provinces.
Alexander Keith Jameson	Lower Provinces.
Sankara Balaji Dhavle	Lower Provinces.
Francis George Rowland	Lower Provinces.
Joseph Charles French	Lower Provinces.

2. The Governor-General in Council has been pleased to attach the abovementioned gentlemen to the Provinces shown below against their names:—

Mr. J. Johnston	Bengal.
„ A. K. Jameson	
„ Sankara Balaji Dhavle ..	
F. G. Rowland	
J. C. French	

3. The Governor-General in Council is further pleased to direct that the gentlemen posted to Bengal shall, on arrival at Calcutta, report themselves to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal. * * * Gentlemen who land at Bombay should enquire of the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay whether any orders are awaiting them from the Government of the province to which they have been posted.

G. B. H. FELL,
for *Secy. to the Govt. of India.*

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENT.

Calcutta, the 8th November 1906.

No. 8693-25.—In supersession of the Notification in this Department, No. 6495—25, dated the 17th August 1906, Mr. W. D. R. Prentice, I.C.S., an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service, is granted privilege leave for fifteen days, with effect from the 4th October 1906.

W. L. HARVEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 432 Organization, dated Simla, the 31st August 1906.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Army Department.

IN accordance with an arrangement agreed upon by the Home, Colonial, and Indian Governments, it is hereby notified that, with effect from the 1st January 1907, all Indian recruits required for the Police in China will be selected by the recruiting staff of the Indian Army, through whose agency alone men will be entertained for such service. The local recruitment of natives of India by Colonial and Municipal Administrations, in their own settlements, will cease entirely.

2. Applications for employment in the Police of Hongkong, Shanghai, and Tientsin should be made to the Recruiting Staff Officer charged with the recruitment of the classes to which the applicants belong.

3. All men enlisted for the Police in China will serve under an agreement, the terms of which will be settled by the Government of India in communication with the Colonial and Municipal authorities concerned. Copies of the conditions of service in the Hongkong, Shanghai, and Tientsin Police will be furnished to Recruiting Staff Officers in due course for the information of candidates desirous of such employment.

4. The period of service of the men will in every case terminate in India. On the expiry of their term of service in, or on discharge or dismissal from, the Colonial or Municipal Police, they will be sent back to India in every case for disposal.

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PART IB.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2103M.—The 8th November 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 53, sub-section (3) of the Calcutta Hackney Carriage Act, 1891 (Bengal Act II of 1891), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confirm the substitution by the Commissioners of the Calcutta Municipality of the words "dark green" for the word "yellow" in bye-law *(d)* (3) of the bye-laws which were confirmed in Government Notification No. 2395-T.—M., dated the 16th September 1903, and published at pages 212-13 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem.

Calcutta. 24-Parganas. Howrah.

No. 2111L.S.-G.—The 12th November 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 74 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be members of the District Board of Palamau :—

Palamau.

The Senior Deputy Magistrate of Palamau ...	*Ex-officio.*
The Civil Surgeon ...	*Ex-officio.*
The District Superintendent of Police ...	*Ex-officio.*
The Deputy Inspector of Schools ...	*Ex-officio.*
Raja Bhagabat Dayal Singh.	
Rai Kishen Bux Rai Bahadur.	
Rai Gobinda Prasad Singh Bahadur.	
Kuar Laljiwan Singh.	
Babu Bhuban Moban Baral.	
Mr. S. C. Dey.	

No. 2117M.—The 12th November 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Rajpur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Babu Upendra Nath Mitra.	Babu Akshay Kumar Mukharjee.
„ Kalidas Basu.	„ Rakhal Nath Brahmochari.
„ Nitya Nath Mitra.	„ Gopal Chandra Chatarjee.

No. 2122L.S.-G.—The 12th November 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under sections 10 and 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Mukunda Sundar Mazumdar to be a member of the Jangipur Local Board, in the district of Murshidabad, *vice* Babu Kunja Bihari Banarji, deceased.

Murshidabad.

No. 2145L.S.-G.—The 12th November 1906 —It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the Magistrate of Gaya to be the Chairman of the District Board of Gaya.

Gaya.

No. 2147L.S.-G.—The 12th November 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the Magistrate of Patna to be the Chairman of the District Board of Patna.

Patna.

No. 2149L.S.-G.—The 12th November 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 24 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to re-appoint the Magistrate of Shahabad to be the Chairman of the District Board of Shahabad.

Shahabad.

No. 2151M.—The 12th November 1906.—It is hereby notified that the Commissioners of the Motihari Municipality, in the district of Champaran, having, at a meeting, requested the Local Government under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. J. Clark, I.C.S., to be their Chairman

Champaran.

No. 2153M.—The 12th November 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Raniganj Municipality in the district of Burdwan:—

Burdwan.

Mr. A. C. Hills.
Revd. T. M. Kerruish.
Mr. Y. N. Downing.
Babu Shashi Bhusan Sen.

H. J. MCINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

ERRATUM.

No. 2033M.—The 8th November 1906.—In Government Notification No. 2050T.M., dated the 17th September 1906, published at pages 146-147, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 19th September 1906, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to sanction the inclusion of a certain area within the Suri Municipality, in the definition of the Eastern, Southern and Western boundaries of the Municipality after the inclusion of the area referred to, *for* "Mahdnabad, Kebra, Kedua" *read* "Mehdecabad Kulera, Kendua;" *for* "Dahirpur" *read* "also Daturpur," and *for* "Kalipur" *read* "also Kalipur."

Birbhum.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by the East Indian Railway Company, situated along the East Indian Railway, chord line, in the subdivision of Jamtara, district Sonthal Parganas, will be put up to sale at 12 A.M. on the 10th day of January 1907, corresponding with the 26th Pous 1313, Bengali, in the Court compound, Jamtara.

The purchaser of the plot of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the plot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th.—The purchaser shall be put in possession on receipt by the Subdivisonal Officer of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Serial number of plot.	Name of the sub-district and district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situated.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of the plot in bighas and acres.	
					B. K. G.	Acres.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Jamtara, Sonthal Parganas.	Bodmá and Nugdee, taluk Pabia.	The land is situated between mile 152 feet 2,427 and mile 152 feet 1,622 from Howrah.	West side of the Railway line.	39 16 5	19 17

Dated Jamtara, the 10th October 1906.

P. MEERZA, Subdivisional Officer.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at 12 noon for the said arrears :—

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3			6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
35-4	Mondleghat, pargana Mondleghat.	2,23,423 3 8	Nil	5g. 11k. 3til share of the	Jahur Lal Seal ...	3,370 5 2	Nil	89 7 5	Arrears of March 1905.

M. A. KADIR, Dy. Collr. in charge, for Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th November 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 4th February 1907, at 12 o'clock noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate not specifically mentioned in column 5 are excluded from sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of the proprietors of the property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.		As		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
106 1	Ta. Ganeswarpur, Ph. Banchas.	1,619 0 0	.....	Kismat ... 9	Baludeb Pr kash Brahmachari.	910 11 0	.....	455 0 0	Due for kist November 1906.
166 2	Ditto ...	1,619 0 0	.....	Do. ... 7	Chadmoni Dibya, mother and guardian of Hanuman Khuntia, minor, and others.	708 5 0	.....	354 0 0	Ditto.
66	Ma. Drugadaspur, Ph. Kotrahang.	879 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Bhikari Misra and others.	.....	439 0 0	.....	Ditto.
171	Ma. Gope, Ph. Banchas.	555 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Satyabadi Patra and others.	.....	273 4 10	.....	Ditto.
7 6	Killah Balarampur, Ph. Paschimduai.	2,057 0 0	.....	Kismat ... 4	Mussummat Sadatan Nissa Begam *alias* Channe Begam and others.	664 4 0	.....	332 2 0	Ditto.

Puri Collectorate, the 15th October 1906. P. C MITTER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on the 15th December 1906 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
241	Udanpur, pargana Khatanga.	971 12 0	.....	Residuary share, 8 annas 5 gandas of the entire estate, excepting se, arate account No. 1. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rajendra Kishore Mukerjee and others.	501 0 11	.....	5 7 5

Birbhum Collectorate, the 29th October 1906. H. FOSTER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Khulna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 17th December 1906 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
56-3	Panitor, pargana Panitor.	Rs. A. P. Land Revenue— 5,651 9 3 Police Revenue— 67 3 2	No ...	2a. 18g. 1k. 1kt. ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rai Jatindra Nath Chowdhury and others.	Rs. A. P. Land Revenue— 911 14 11 Police Revenue— 11 3 2	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Land Revenue— 213 4 4 Police Revenue— 5 5 4
29	Khulisakhali, pargana Khulisakhali.	897 12 11	The whole	.....	Gopal Chandra Bose and others.	....	54 4 4	.....
161	Ram Chandrapur, pargana Dhuliapur.	1,603 2 5	Ditto ...	.....	Raja Khitish Chandra Rai Bahadur.	.....	90 11 11	.....

A. AHMAD, Collector.

Khulna Collectorate, the 5th November 1906.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3521	Digra, pargana Boro ..	530 3 5	Entire ...	Nil.	Shaikh Mohammad Ali Rajendra Nath Roy, Manager to the estate of Brindaban Chandra Tagore.	Nil.	188 0 0	Nil.
2092	Kristobati Chheracharr, pargana Raypur.	1,002 6 0	Do. ...	Nil.		Nil.	150 10 0	Nil.

Hooghly Collectorate, the 8th November 1906.

K. N. MITRA, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
397	Rashulpur, pargana Sherpur.	Rs.	.....	14a. 8g. 1k. 1k. 1small share	Khondkar Mehedi Hosen and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,267 4 4	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 1 7 3
661	Char Kanthalia, pargana Fatehsingha.	1,825	Whole ...	.....	Dwijendra Narain Ray and others.	Revenue .. Dak cess .. Penalty .. Road cess ...	55 2 7 3 13 6 3 13 8 9 8 4 72 6 3	

Berhampore, the 10th November 1906.

R. S. BHATTACHARJEE, *for* Collector.

INSOLVENT ESTATES.

QUARTERLY STATEMENT MADE UP TO 31ST MARCH 1906.

ESTATES.	Whole amount of receipts.	WHOLE DISBURSEMENTS.		Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Net balance.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
		Dividends paid.	Other payments.				
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Alexander & Co. ...	2,91,087 1 9	2,32,428 3 10	48,899 13 8	9,789 0 3	8,954 5 1	804 11 2	Nothing further recoverable.
Adam, Scott & Co. ...	1,31,609 5 4	1,06,547 4 0	23,086 5 1	1,975 12 3	1,109 15 0	865 13 3	Ditto ditto.
Anderson & Co., William ...	2,678 8 1	.....	1,845 4 3	833 3 10	625 11 6	207 8 4	Ditto ditto.
Allen, Deffell & Co. ...	1,57,553 10 4	1,26,063 13 5	30,521 2 3	968 10 8	946 1 5	22 9 3	Ditto ditto.
Asiatic Marine Insurance Office ...	8,40,361 11 1	6,92,443 5 11	1,38,990 12 9	8,927 8 5	8,621 4 0	306 4 5	Ditto ditto.
Anstruthers & Co. ...	17,005 3 3	7,366 11 6	3,747 4 1	5,891 3 8	5,496 3 11	394 15 9	Ditto ditto.
Arrakiel, J. G. ...	1,024 5 6	52 6 1	394 15 9	576 15 8	129 2 7	447 13 1	Ditto ditto.
Alexander Wallace & Co. ...	24,142 11 7	16,856 2 7	6,404 3 1	1,382 5 11	1,268 10 4	113 11 7	Ditto ditto.
Anderson, George ...	1,806 12 6	.....	953 9 3	853 3 3	733 0 2	120 3 1	Ditto ditto.
Atkinson, W. L. & Co. ...	17,234 12 9	5,630 9 6	8,863 2 11	2,741 0 4	2,058 0 4	683 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Adhur Chunder Shaw ...	19,013 9 11	8,134 4 9	8,242 15 4	2,636 5 10	1,207 3 3	1,429 2 7	Ditto ditto.
Andrews, J. ...	1,939 8 5	950 10 0	348 5 8	640 8 9	45 3 3	595 5 6	Ditto ditto.
Anderson, G. (2nd) ...	4,963 9 4	2,787 14 2	1,560 1 9	615 9 5	264 8 2	351 1 3	Ditto ditto.
Albertini, Ceasar (F. Acerboni & Co.) ...	20,143 7 1	15,348 8 6	2,086 13 1	2,708 1 6	147 3 9	2,560 13 9	Ditto ditto.
Ayacoob Hadjee Abdool Rohoomon ...	11,461 10 3	7,959 6 6	2,088 9 11	1,413 9 10	1,299 3 10	114 6 0	Ditto ditto.
Anund Mohun Dutt and another ...	3,739 2 3	530 1 1	2,540 9 5	668 7 9	668 7 9	.....	Ditto ditto.
Adam Ahmed ...	7,545 1 7	5,330 4 5	1,296 2 3	918 10 11	918 10 11	.....	Ditto ditto.
Ashutosh Mookerjee ...	29,301 1 11	3,885 14 4	17,411 4 11	8,003 14 8	115 11 9	7,888 2 11	Outstanding : in course of recovery
Abdool Gurny ...	11,938 9 3	.....	3,781 2 10	8,157 6 5	.....	8,157 6 5	Nothing further recoverable.
Akhoy Kumar Chuckerbutty ...	2,501 3 9	.....	601 15 5	1,899 4 4	.....	1,899 4 4	Ditto Ditto.
Akhoy Kumar Mookerjee ...	7,911 13 9	2,727 10 6	3,383 8 9	1,800 10 6	140 6 9	1,660 3 9	Outstanding : in course of recovery
Arthur Allan (Ewing & Co.) ...	1,64,925 13 0	1,02,546 12 4	39,284 2 7	22,194 14 1	25,000 G. P. Notes 5,248 12 1	16,946 2 0	
Arthur Allan (Ewing & Co., Bazar Chitty account) .	23,798 13 4	.....	22,933 9 2	865 4 2	.....	865 4 2	
Arthur Allan (P. account) ...	15,413 13 6	12,896 4 10	1,663 10 3	853 14 5	196 14 5	657 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Adhur Chunder Hazra and others ...	1,198 14 0	.....	210 0 0	988 14 0	.....	988 14 0	Ditto ditto.
Abdul Gaffur Mullick ...	560 10 0	.....	7 3 9	553 6 3	.....	553 6 3	Outstanding: in course of recovery.
							Nothing further recoverable.
Balfour & Co. ...	5,61,316 3 6	3,04,469 3 4	2,55,181 14 1	1,665 2 1	713 10 2	951 7 11	Ditto ditto.
Boyd & Co ...	30,673 14 3	10,773 10 4	13,425 1 11	6,475 2 0	6,364 3 4	110 14 8	Ditto ditto.
Bruce Shand & Co. ...	8,86,536 3 5	4,96,777 1 0	3,32,316 3 0	7,442 15 5	6,618 1 2	824 14 3	Ditto ditto.
Brunet Saliz & Latapie ...	15,235 0 0	8,047 9 5	5,625 0 5	1,562 6 2	1,445 10 8	116 11 6	Ditto ditto.

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Estates.	Whole amount of receipts.	Whole Disbursements. Dividends paid.	Whole Disbursements. Other payments.	Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Net balance.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Crompton, G. F. ...	5,413 5 4	2,747 14 3	2,124 12 6	540 10 7	487 13 3	52 13 4	Nothing further recoverable.
Charles Nephew & Co. ...	5,15,390 11 10	3,99,340 6 4	98,146 12 8	17,903 8 10	15,958 7 10	1,945 1 0	Ditto ditto.
Castello, M. G. ...	3,201 7 9	2,227 5 6	264 10 2	709 8 1	372 14 3	336 9 10	Ditto ditto.
Carr, Robert ...	11,349 3 8	9,779 11 7	966 1 8	603 6 5	603 6 5	.....	Ditto ditto.
Cantopher, Robert ...	907 10 6	196 15 8	167 15 9	542 11 1	542 11 1	.....	Ditto ditto.
Child, W. C. ...	22,090 10 0	16,599 6 0	4,704 11 10	786 8 2	691 4 8	95 3 6	Ditto ditto.
Christophoridi C. (1st) ...	5,784 12 5	4,092 8 2	734 2 6	958 1 9	958 1 9	.....	Ditto ditto.
Coie, George (Perry & Co.) ...	3,018 10 4	1,310 12 1	937 1 11	770 12 4	770 12 4	.....	Ditto ditto.
Colville, Gilmore & Co. ...	1,77,543 10 8	12,453 5 4	88,649 4 8	76,441 0 8	67,589 10 5	8,851 6 3	Ditto ditto.
Chota Lall Sewprasad ...	44,733 11 0	19,348 5 2	19,610 14 10	5,774 7 0	5,632 1 11	142 5 1	Ditto ditto.
Conti, G. W. ...	3,567 10 8	849 7 7	1,092 4 4	1,625 14 9	383 3 11	1,242 10 10	Ditto ditto.
Cohen, S. E., and E. E. Cohen ...	1,806 3 0	280 1 10	1,012 9 4	513 7 10	317 12 5	195 11 5	Ditto ditto.
Chunder Kanto Shaw ...	43,972 1 6	6,315 7 7	36,831 6 6	825 3 5	825 3 5	.....	Ditto ditto.
Coleman, C. ...	1,716 8 0	986 7 5	119 3 2	610 13 5	610 13 5	.....	Ditto ditto.
Coverjee Bomanjee ...	985 6 6	157 11 7	59 6 6	768 4 3	690 2 6	78 1 9	Ditto ditto.
Collins, W. R. ...	2,581 6 8	.....	.....	2,581 6 8	.....	2,581 6 8	Ditto ditto.
Cohen, J. A. (2nd) ...	2,303 6 7	.....	1,374 11 7	1,228 11 0	1,160 3 1	68 7 11	Ditto ditto.
Croft, J. R., and another (Croft, Wells & Co.)	9,022 11 6	.....	4,704 0 0	4,318 11 6	.....	4,318 11 6	Ditto ditto.
Chogemull Chota Lall ...	3,237 12 6	693 14 0	1,493 3 4	1,050 11 2	241 11 6	808 15 8	Ditto ditto
Chandmull Jorwarmull ...	9,658 11 6	5,973 10 4	2,699 14 2	985 3 0	803 8 10	181 10 2	Ditto ditto.
Choonee Lall Boyd and another (Chogemull Malum Chand).	6,620 14 3	3,756 5 8	1,736 2 0	1,128 6 7	875 5 11	253 0 8	Ditto ditto.
Clark, A. M. (J. H. Fergusson & Co.) ...	23,198 8 2	12,913 0 9	7,606 9 11	2,678 13 6	1,482 12 5	1,196 1 1	Ditto ditto.
Cowie, David & another (Colvin, Cowie & Co.)	1,63,281 4 11	91,447 1 7	64,343 1 4	7,491 2 0	6,904 4 0	586 14 0	Ditto ditto.
Choonee Lall Doodhooriah ...	1,990 12 3	.....	60 15 3	1,929 13 0	.....	1,929 13 0	Ditto ditto.
Cohen, A. A. ...	1,690 2 0	.....	.....	1,690 2 0	.....	1,690 2 0	Ditto ditto.
Chooney Lall Oswal ...	16,340 12 7	4,529 2 6	3,512 4 10	8,299 5 3	3,905 6 7	4,393 14 8	Ditto ditto.
Charu Chunder Bose ...	1,603 7 0	109 12 3	662 15 11	830 10 10	830 10 10	.....	Ditto ditto.
Cotton, W. G. L. ...	1,769 1 5	1,034 6 11	119 12 10	614 13 8	614 13 8	.....	Ditto ditto.
Chatoorbhooj Domany ...	1,688 11 6	33 12 0	71 7 6	1,583 8 0	.....	1,583 8 0	Ditto ditto.
Chedi Lall Agarwala ...	1,748 3 9	228 6 10	812 2 1	707 10 10	605 12 9	101 14 1	Ditto ditto.
Chutterput Sing ...	873 11 0	.....	33 12 0	839 15 0	.....	839 15 0	Ditto ditto.
Cohen, E. A. ...	755 1 3	.....	200 0 0	555 1 3	.....	555 1 3	Outstanding : in course of recovery.
Dove, J. M. ...	12,991 0 0	10,202 12 8	2,214 0 8	574 2 8	316 11 4	257 7 4	Nothing further recoverable.
DeSilva, John Emanuel ...	14,298 14 6	11,131 11 5	894 2 6	2,273 7	1,936 3 6	336 13 1	Ditto ditto.

Dickson, William	...		0	2	1,039	2	3	297	0	3		13	8	506	13	8	.....		Ditto	ditto.
Dorrett Brothers	...		9	6	34	7	9	1,470	1	6	----	0	5	660	0	5	.....		Ditto	ditto.
DeSouza, John	...		0	3	.....			805	9	0	528	7	3	.....			528	7	3	Ditto	ditto.
Dumat, Alfred	...	6,	5	6	1,051	12	9	2,024	3	5	3,148	5	4	2,815	3	0	333	2	4	Ditto	ditto.
Durrant, Edward	...	2,	1	6	816	5	4	927	1	6	479	10	8	479	10	8	.....			Ditto	ditto.
Denison, G. R.	...	29,	14	7	26,967	6	10	1,607	6	4	1,254	1	5	787	0	0	467	1	5	Ditto	ditto.
Duff, David	...	2,	12	9	1,041	8	5	489	15	9	606	4	7	483	9	4	122	11	3	Ditto	ditto.
Deno Nath Pal	...		4	3	.....			119	12	9	714	7	6	.....			714	7	6	Ditto	ditto.
Dwarka Nath Mitter	...	5,	12	0	731	10	10	4,641	13	5	565	3	9	447	8	9	117	11	0	Ditto	ditto
Deno Nath Dey	...	12,	11	11	7,804	8	7	2,315	6	4	2,098	13	0	1,631	1	4	467	11	8	Ditto	ditto.
Damodur Dass	...		15	9	1,715	1	4	999	14	6	1,303	15	11	1,160	13	4	143	2	7	Ditto	ditto.
DeBrunner, Julius	...	6	4	7	58,106	7	4	7,188	1	7	617	11	8	491	5	3	126	6	5	Ditto	ditto.
Doyal Chand Pyne and another	...	5	3	0	174	8	0	52,107	10	5	2,308	0	7	.....			2,308	0	7	Ditto	ditto.
Dawood Khan Esabhoy	...		8	9	31	11	4	1,238	4	7	527	8	10	190	5	0	337	3	10	Ditto	ditto.
Debnarain Bysack and another	...		14	6	3,385	4	9	1,447	4	7	859	5	2	859	5	2	.....			Ditto	ditto.
Dwarka Nath Daw and another	...		9	6	4,764	8	9	1,980	12	10	1,121	3	11	876	9	3	244	10	0	Ditto	ditto.
DeSantos, R. J.	...		7	2	795	0	0	649	1	5	606	5	9	3	11	8	602	10	1	Ditto	ditto.
Dhurrum Chand (Golab Chand Dhurrum Chand).		2	9	8	16,521	13	9	3,270	7	6	2,616	4	5	2,575	3	11	41	0	6	Ditto	ditto.
Dover, M.	...		14	9	1,358	3	4	1,439	13	1	697	14	4	285	11	9	412	2	7	Ditto	ditto.
Dhattry Coomar Shaw	...		9	7	5,577	1	8	1,840	14	5	889	9	6	881	8	5	8	1	1	Ditto	ditto.
Durrant, W. E.	...		3	9	983	15	0	1,307	14	11	1,611	5	10	1,611	5	10	.....			Ditto	ditto.
Debendro Nath Chunder (C. D. Mangos & Co.).			13	8	5,619	7	4	2,136	6	4	1,054	0	0	757	14	11	286	1	1	Ditto	ditto.
Dinendro Nath Mullick	...		9	9	.....			307	11	2	1,046	14	7	.....			1,046	14	7	Outstanding : in course of	
DeCruze, Charles	...		6	6	.....			12	0	0	746	6	6	.....			747	6	6	Nothing further recoverabl	
Ewing, Aird Anderson	...		1	8	59,611	6	10	2,42,032	15	9	9,678	11	1	9,516	3	7	162	7	6	Ditto	ditto.
Elias, M. B.	...		13	6	3,428	10	7	1,26[illegible]	15	10	2,541	3	1	2,218	0	3	328	2	10	Ditto	ditto
Eagleton, F. A.	...		3	6	72	11	2	2,841	4	4	739	4	0	446	0	1	293	3	11	Ditto	ditto
Espino, Manuel Del	...		1	3	1,419	8	11	1,298	6	11	1,082	1	5	935	15	7	146	1	10	Ditto	ditto
Emmet, C. H., and J. H. Chambers (Emmett and Chambers).			8	3	8,799	11	3	13,109	13	1	1,581	15	11	1,581	15	11	.....			Ditto	ditto.
Fergusson & Co.	...		7	4	48,653	6	2	33,097	7	10	4,254	9	4	1,828	3	11	2,426	5	5	Ditto	ditto.
Fergusson Brothers	...		5	4	68,687	12	4	75,113	15	2	4,172	9	10	3,761	0	8	411	9	2	Ditto	ditto.
Foster, Rogers & Co.	...		9	10	857	3	7	2,294	7	11	3,224	14	4	2,512	11	8	682	2	8	Ditto	ditto.
Fabian, E. D.	...		10	0	263	3	3	.....			513	6	9	.....			513	6	9	Ditto	ditto.
Ferris, G. R.	...		0	0	67	7	6	813	2	3	1,769	6	3	1,292	1	6	477	4	9	Ditto	ditto.
Fanshaw, R. F.	...		0	10	176	8	6	96	15	1	602	9	3	425	4	7	177	4	8	Ditto	ditto.
Fornaro, C. (Fo [illegible]aro and Huni)	...		4	3	17,381	1	4	9,001	15	7	905	3	4	453	12	4	451	7	0	Ditto	ditto.
Forbes, H. T.			0	0	497	8	0	1,248	15	7	1,253	8	5	21	8	0	1,232	0	5	Ditto	ditto.
Freck, D.		504	10	6	.....			.....			504	10	6	.....			504	10	6	Ditto	ditto.
Floyd, E. M.		614	0	9	.....			.....			614	0	9	.....			614	0	9	Ditto	ditto.
Frood, A. D.		954	13	9	136	12	9	57,424	4	6	5,393	12	6	5	9	6	5,388	3	0	Ditto	ditto.

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Gilmore & Co. ..	47.269 5 4	23,186 11 8	19,717 10 7	4.362 15 1	.....	4,362 15 1	Nothing further recoverable.
Griffiths, Curtis & Co. ...	49,784 9 8	23,262 15 3	19,201 1 0	7.320 9 5	6,991 13 5	328 12 0	Ditto ditto.
Gordon, Stuart & Co. ...	78,183 10 4	39,924 6 8	35,568 12 4	2,690 7 4	2,632 0 10	58 6 6	Ditto ditto.
Goberdhone Mullick ...	2.880 14 9	1.371 10 5	968 12 4	545 8 0	473 12 3	71 11 9	Ditto ditto.
Gubboy, A. J. ...	9,055 7 0	6,088 9 2	2.075 4 0	891 9 10	565 5 11	326 3 11	Ditto ditto.
Gocool Doss Soonderjee ...	18,266 14 1	11,879 7 1	5,760 12 11	626 10 1	584 4 8	42 5 5	Ditto ditto.
Golab Chand Hem Chand ...	1,586 2 0	.....	200 9 0	1,385 9 0	.....	1,385 9 0	Ditto ditto.
Golam Hossain Virjee ...	1.26.756 14 4	40,928 6 8	85,314 2 4	514 5 4	318 1 0	196 4 4	Ditto ditto.
Ghaseeram ...	38,350 5 10	10,535 5 6	25.967 15 3	1,847 1 1	1,231 11 2	615 5 11	Ditto ditto.
Ghose, R. G. & Co. ...	29,911 1 2	21,218 2 4	7,954 3 8	738 11 2	536 2 0	202 9 2	Ditto ditto.
Gregory, M. ...	17,186 2 5	12.174 13 6	4,154 14 4	856 6 7	717 5 5	139 1 2	Ditto ditto.
Gasper, N. M. ...	7.010 0 9	4.872 0 8	607 12 0	1.480 4 1	1,188 9 1	291 11 0	Ditto ditto.
Gubboy, E. S. ...	53,783 3 0	17,176 15 8	36,070 3 1	536 0 3	432 14 9	103 1 6	Ditto ditto.
Gilmore, J. A. G. ...	512 8 0	.....	.....	512 8 0	.....	512 8 0	Ditto ditto.
Greedhary Lall Kanoy Lall ...	26,621 12 4	15,961 3 1	3,418 3 4	7 242 5 11	7,242 5 11	.....	Ditto ditto.
Gopal Chunder Bose ...	3,891 0 0	2,267 1 4	876 10 0	747 4 8	535 8 6	211 12 2	Ditto ditto.
Gobin Chand Doogur and others (Nunsee Inder Chand).	1,07,816 2 7	59,601 10 5	41,217 9 11	6,996 14 8	6,996 14 3	.....	Ditto ditto.
Gray, Walter, and another (Robert and Charriol).	3,14,768 4 0	2,09,594 14 1	48,148 3 10	63,025 2 1	54,570 0 10	8,455 1 3	Ditto ditto.
Greesh Chunder Marrick and others ...	13,956 0 5	5,818 11 2	5,481 2 2	2,653 3 1	1.776 13 7	879 5 6	Ditto ditto.
Gopal Chunder Rage ...	2,834 15 3	1,516 0 3	813 12 3	505 2 9	505 2 9	.. .	Ditto ditto.
Giridhari Lall Sadkhan and Kally Churn Sadkhan.	6,246 6 0	400 9 6	4,991 13 2	853 15 4	374 1 3	479 14 1	Ditto ditto.
Gosto Behary Seal ...	34,539 14 3	13,975 8 11	19,941 2 7	623 2 9	508 10 10	114 7 11	Ditto ditto.
Gopee Kanto Sen ...	986 14 1	.....	358 6 0	628 8 1	.....	628 8 1	Ditto ditto.
Gobir Dass and another ...	2,152 8 8	85 4 5	1,270 14 1	796 6 2	550 1 4	246 4 10	Ditto ditto.
Golab Roy & another (Kally Shai Golab Roy)	13,975 10 11	8,774 4 9	3,102 8 0	2.098 14 2	1,902 5 8	196 8 6	Ditto ditto.
Gouri Dutt and Mooraly Dhur ...	3,601 13 6	.....	1,993 0 6	1,608 13 0	.....	1,608 13 0	Ditto ditto.
Gobindram and another ...	7,414 13 3	4,733 13 5	1,957 10 11	723 4 11	723 4 11	.....	Ditto ditto.
Ghunsham Das Chandgotia and others (Juggernath Sirdar Mull).	24,883 9 1	10,796 13 6	4,249 14 3	9,836 13 4	9,832 10 0	4 3 4	Ditto ditto.
Gungaram Domany ...	2,183 2 9	269 6 4	1,253 13 8	659 14 9	239 5 11	420 8 10	Ditto ditto
Gobindas Domany ...	14,410 1 2	1,415 1 8	12,383 12 4	611 3 2	134 15 4	476 3 10	Ditto ditto
Griffiths, O. B. (W. Moran & Co.) ...	7,40,947 9 2	3,58,013 3 0	3.55,379 10 4	27,554 11 10	10,316 6 8	17,238 5 2	Ditto ditto.
Girindro Nath Dass ...	17,035 2 9	3,358 2 10	12,500 8 8	1,171 7 3	468 9 10	702 13 5	Ditto ditto.
Gopal Dass Mookerjee ...	648 4 6	.....	117 4 8	530 15 10	.....	530 15 10	Ditto ditto.

Goordial (Hurdeodas Goordial)	...	,298	14	11	8,299	5	0	7,735	9	10	21,263	15	3	5	4	1	14,033	11	2	Ditto	ditto.
Georgiadi, G. A. (2nd)	..	,380	9	7	.....			13	2	0	3,367	7	7	...			3,367	7	7	Ditto	ditto.
Hurry, W. C.	...	2,768	9	2	....			1,937	14	8	825	10	6	...			825	10	6	Ditto	ditto.
Hoffman & Co.	...	25,170	12	5	6,933	3	3	17,650	8	0	586	7	2	6	3	4	230	3	10	Ditto	ditto.
Heera Lall Munna Lall	...	19,704	0	3	8,519	0	5	7,122	11	3	4,061	10	7	1	10	7	.....			Ditto	ditto.
Hughesdon Brothers	...	2,44,226	5	7	39,290	4	8	2,04,268	13	9	687	3	2	2	5	9	144	13	5	Ditto	ditto.
Hoppe, William	...	1,346	8	6	2	0	0	672	1	1	672	7	5	3	3	1	59	4	4	Ditto	ditto.
Hudson, Nathaniel	...	2,225	11	3	655	5	6	461	2	6	1,109	3	8	6	15	2	172	4	6	Ditto	ditto.
Huffnagle & Co., Charles	..	1,320	4	7	74	9	3	342	4	1	903	7	3	1	11	2	81	12	1	Ditto	ditto.
Heera Lall Hunmontharam	...	752	14	3	.....			61	0	0	691	14	3	...			691	14	3	Ditto	ditto.
Holloway, William	...	1,055	11	11	76	8	8	324	8	7	654	10	8	4	10	6	40	0	2	Ditto	ditto.
Honigberger, William	...	1,001	5	6	.....			344	0	0	657	5	6	..			657	5	6	Schedule not filed as yet.	
Hanlon, E.	...	2,069	9	0	152	2	2	1,191	9	4	725	13	6	5	13	6	.....			Nothing further recoverable.	
Howard Brothers	...	10,421	9	10	6,168	12	7	3,394	13	6	857	15	9	0	5	0	227	10	9	Ditto	ditto.
Hill, James (Berham, Hill & Co.)	...	32,114	9	9	17,374	4	0	10,861	5	8	3,879	0	1	3,	9	8	4	389	7	9	Ditto	ditto.
Hurry Narain Khettry	...	10,178	5	9	4,209	9	3	3,808	13	1	2,159	15	5	2,	5	4	6	64	10	11	Ditto	ditto.
Huckting & Co., B. H.	...	4,872	5	3	2,018	15	3	1,846	12	9	1,006	9	3		9	13	7	66	11	8	Ditto	ditto.
Hutcheson & Co., J. H. (L. W. Toulmin & Co.).		4,326	0	3	2,036	15	8	507	9	0	1,781	7	7		2	7	11	338	15	8	Ditto	ditto.
Heera Lall Dhoodhooria	...	2,965	14	3	1,498	4	4	357	4	10	1,110	5	1		5	1	10	715	3	3	Ditto	ditto.
Heeranund (Budder Mull Heeranund)	...	1,212	15	3	607	15	1	88	2	1	516	14	1		2	3	11	74	10	2	Ditto	ditto.
Hubbard, C. E.	...	4,154	2	8	2,265	9	3	698	0	2	1,190	9	3		0	9	3	.....			Ditto	ditto.
Hay, William (Stewart & Co.)	...	1,999	10	3	.....			1,002	3	9	997	6	6	...				997	6	6	Ditto	ditto.
Hurro Nath Mozomdar and others	...	7,700	0	0	3,516	2	0	2,306	7	5	1,877	6	7		7	6	7	.....			Ditto	ditto.
Hurrusk Chand Johurry Mull (Kanoy Lall Hurruck Chand).		12,671	6	0	11,277	7	0	753	15	4	639	15	0		2	4	4	477	11	4	Ditto	ditto.
Hadjee Noor Mahomed Jackeria	...	1,70,006	13	10	09,054	9	0	51,196	8	8	9,755	12	2		3	14	7	5,321	13	7	Ditto	ditto.
Heins, G. W. (C. Gould & Co.)	...	12,502	2	11	8,061	15	0	3,726	2	0	714	1	11		9	14	4	134	3	7	Ditto	ditto.
Heera Lall Addy	...	6,132	1	10	3,277	12	10	858	10	0	2,000	11	0		)	11	0	.....			Ditto	ditto.
Hurro Nath Shaw	...	20,937	1	7	13,817	8	5	5,819	5	7	1,300	3	7		)	3	7	.....			Ditto	ditto.
Hogg, Thomas (Beak & Co.)	...	1,282	8	6	.....			6	12	0	1,275	12	6	...				1,275	12	6	Ditto	ditto.
Hadjee Sallay Mahomed Ellias	...	2,341	4	1	1,534	10	11	128	12	3	677	12	11	5	12	4		162	0	7	Ditto	ditto.
Hadjee Hidiafoolah and others	...	,25,835	9	8	02,114	5	8	17,809	4	8	5,911	15	4	)	11	1		42	4	3	Ditto	ditto.
Hazareemull	...	1,811	1	6	251	2	10	160	6	6	1,399	8	2	)	8	2		.....			Ditto	ditto.
Heera Lall and another	..	12,389	11	0	...			296	8	0	2,093	3	0	..				12,093	3	0	Ditto	ditto.
Hurruck Chand and another	...	5,269	10	0	..			380	8	5	4,889	1	7	..				4,889	1	7	Ditto	ditto.
Hurdas Acharaj (Megraj Beenraj)	...	1,366	14	0	...			776	9	0	590	5	0	..				590	5	0	Outstanding : in course of recove	
Hafiz Enamullah	...	928	1	6	....			98	8	0	829	9	6	..				829	9	6	Ditto	ditto.
Isur Chunder Mill	...	8,546	1	6	06	2	3	6,175	1	7	1,864	3	8			3	8	.....			Nothing further recoverable.	
Isen Chunder Sen and another	...	631	14	9	23	7	1	101	0	2	507	7	6			7	6	.....			Ditto	ditto.
Isur Dass Juggernath	...	75 994	14	11	63, 37		5	11,248	1	0	1,309	2	6			2	6	.....			Ditto	ditto.
Ajoory Prosad and others		364	7	0				7	10	6	656	12	6	..				656	12	6	Ditto	ditto.

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Jansen & Co., J. ...	20,002 10 9	139 11 5	15,872 5 0	3,990 10 4	3,766 5 1	224 5 3	Nothing further recoverable.
Jeebun Coomari Bibee (Jesroop Meher Chand)	1,46,826 1 5	1,03,935 13 7	29,435 12 11	13,454 6 11	3,947 7 7	9,506 15 4	Ditto ditto.
Juggessur Laha ...	34,868 4 1	16,701 4 2	15,519 2 4	2,167 13 7	1,851 6 1	316 7 6	Ditto ditto.
Jadub Chunder Seal ..	2,094 6 7	374 1 10	907 2 9	813 2 0	580 12 8	232 5 4	Ditto ditto.
Jordon, J. S. ...	5,376 8 0	3,582 9 6	984 15 5	808 15 1	545 0 7	263 14 6	Ditto ditto.
Juggun Prosad ...	960 8 9	.....	223 8 0	736 15 9	.....	736 15 9	Ditto ditto.
Jacob, Charles ...	933 8 0	.....	415 13 4	517 10 8	454 6 7	63 4 1	Ditto ditto.
Judah, S. E. ...	2,186 15 0	.....	1,459 4 7	736 10 5	643 2 11	93 7 6	Ditto ditto.
Johur Lall Mookim ...	1,656 0 0	648 15 0	262 4 7	744 12 5	373 13 9	370 14 8	Ditto ditto.
Joakim, M. C. ...	7,754 15 3	4,223 8 11	2,422 12 5	1,108 9 11	838 9 7	270 0 4	Ditto ditto.
Jogendra Nath Cowar ...	5,958 0 0	1,391 15 3	3,577 14 3	988 2 6	806 0 9	182 1 9	Ditto ditto.
Joogul Kissore Sew Lall Futteh Chand ...	9,544 8 6	5,950 3 1	2,262 11 9	1,331 9 8	1,051 7 2	280 2 6	Ditto ditto.
Jarewas Mull Begamy and another ...	918 15 6	.....	71 8 0	847 7 6	.....	847 7 6	Ditto ditto
Johury Lall Pal and another ...	88,066 15 8	47,661 10 4	33,572 5 7	6,832 15 9	6,143 2 5	689 13 4	Ditto ditto.
Jumna Dass ...	3,315 4 6	1,296 14 4	1,516 5 1	502 1 1	467 4 7	34 12 6	Ditto ditto.
Jaitroop Chooney Lall ...	8,292 7 2	5,458 4 10	2,081 8 11	752 9 5	752 9 5	.....	Ditto ditto.
Juggernath and others, Guzanund Luchminarain (Juggernath Chota Lall).	15,184 6 6	... ..	531 9 1	14,652 13 5	.....	14,652 13 5	Outstanding : in course of recovery.
Johurmull Mohun Lall ...	2,822 10 3	.....	758 11 5	2,653 14 10	.....	2,063 14 10	Ditto ditto.
Kemp, H. C. (T. Hyde, Gardiner & Co.)	38,765 12 9	27,374 0 2	5,817 5 1	574 7 6	135 0 4	439 7 2	Nothing further recoverable.
Kemp, H. C. ...	2,469 15 10	168 12 6	436 2 5	1,865 0 11	1,600 0 0	265 0 11	Ditto ditto.
Khan Mahomed Dhurrumsee ...	55,247 9 1	33,008 1 8	11,149 7 7	11,089 15 10	1,312 7 6	9,777 8 4	Ditto ditto.
Kally Dass Dass and others ...	73,719 13 5	22,069 12 6	46,591 2 0	5,058 14 11	2,359 4 2	2,699 10 9	Ditto ditto.
Kullianjee Soonderjee (Soonderjee, Walljee & Co.).	12,444 6 0	2,351 3 3	6,936 8 0	3,156 10 9	3,093 13 10	62 12 11	Ditto ditto.
Khetter Nath Chatterjee ...	2,371 8 9	144 6 4	1,282 2 8	944 15 9	944 15 9	.....	Ditto ditto.
Kelly, H. ...	6,800 9 3	4,090 4 11	2,136 11 5	573 8 11	495 2 4	78 6 7	Ditto ditto.
Kyser Mahomed Sahebzadah ...	5,925 0 0	4,687 12 10	574 14 2	662 5 0	662 5 0	.....	Ditto ditto.
Kissory Mohun Chunder ...	3,300 0 0	2,025 2 4	269 4 2	1,005 9 6	590 11 9	414 13 9	Ditto ditto.
Kally Churn Roy ...	510 0 0	.....	4 0 0	506 0 0	.....	506 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Kissen Chand Galecha (Okhoyram Kissen Chand).	2,43,271 1 11	1,38,446 8 4	96,486 11 0	8,337 14 7	5,641 11 10	2,696 2 9	Ditto ditto.
Khetter Mohun Dass ...	1,133 8 5	.....	456 2 0	677 6 5	.....	677 6 5	Ditto ditto.
Kally Prosonno Bhattacharjee ...	2,327 11 0	.....	809 9 10	1,518 1 2	.....	1,518 1 2	Ditto ditto.
Kasim Arif Bham ...	796 9 3	.....	257 8 0	539 1 3	.....	539 1 3	Ditto ditto.

Kirtybas Pal and another (Annoda Prasad Banerjee and others).	3,976	9	3	.....			2,640	7	7	,336	1	8				1,336	1	8	Ditto	ditto.
Koylas Chunder Sreemany ...	43,215	8	5	12,468	6	4	29,651	8	7	1,095	9	6	783	8	0	312	1	6	Ditto	ditto.
Kallypodo Nundy ...	660	12	3	.....			139	9	0	521	3	3	.....			521	3	3	Ditto	ditto.
Kally Churn Ghose ...	9,432	9	3	5,115	10	4	3,120	12	9	1,193	2	2	624	4	0	568	14	2	Ditto	ditto.
King, Lorraine ...	8,268	1	11	6,728	6	3	777	3	6	762	8	2	596	6	11	166	1	3	Ditto	ditto.
Krieg & Co. ...	4,858	9	2	2,190	2	9	1,186	9	8	1,481	2	9	308	5	7	1,173	7	2	Ditto	ditto.
Kissory Chand Sheremull ...	5,756	10	5	2,105	2	8	2,180	1	7	1,471	6	2	1,121	3	2	350	3	0	Ditto	ditto.
Kapp, F. ...	942	13	10	.....			428	14	0	513	5	10	.....			513	15	10	Ditto	ditto.
Kuladaprosonno Ghose ...	2,647	11	9	.....			452	0	0	2,195	1	9	.....			2,195	11	9	Ditto	ditto.
Kashi Prosad Luchmenarain ...	12,521	0	0	7,051	5	6	2,628	14	4	2,845	2	2	1,802	4	0	1,043	8	2	Ditto	ditto.
Kalooram Hirawat and others (Heera Lall Sobon Lall).	2,32,803	14	0	1,96,176	5	3	25,737	2	6	10,890	6	3	2,945	1	6	7,945	4	9	Ditto	ditto.
Kalooram Behaniwallah ...	1,740	7	3	211	14	4	860	9	11	667	5	0	667	15	0	.....			Ditto	ditto.
Kristo Kisore Dutt ...	3,677	2	0	2,007	1	11	1,066	10	10	603	5	3	603	5	3	.....			Ditto.	ditto.
Kalagurla Surjunarain ...	3,401	9	6	.....			1,808	6	0	1,593	3	6	.....			1,593	3	6	Ditto	ditto.
Kanjee Jesha and others ...	27,906	5	1	.....			1,851	11	8	26,054	9	5	.....			26,054	9	5	Ditto	ditto.
Kedar Nath Tabriwalla ...	575	10	9	.....			16	6	3	559	4	6	.....			569	4	6	Ditto	ditto.
Kassim Ally Nasker ...	1,604	9	6	.....			15	12	10	1,588	2	8	...			1,588	12	8	Ditto	ditto.
Lyall, Mathewson & Co. ...	3,68,485	13	8	2,81,882	10	8	54,883	12	0	1,719	7	0	1,285	5	1	434	1	11	Ditto	ditto.
Larpent, Saunders & Co. ...	80,893	0	4	42,900	8	0	22,836	4	7	5,156	3	9	2,631	12	0	2,524	7	9	Ditto	ditto.
Langlois & Co. ...	33,718	2	8	1,620	6	4	23,592	8	7	8,505	3	9	8,170	3	9	335	0	0	Ditto	ditto.
Letourneaux, Labadie & Co. ...	7,483	10	3	1,098	13	8	5,463	14	7	920	4	0	538	7	3	382	6	9	Ditto	ditto.
Latapie (2nd), E. D. ...	3,982	6	2	12	0	2	3,079	2	10	891	3	2	795	10	5	95	8	9	Ditto	ditto.
Luke, Hamill & Co. ...	6,527	12	4	595	0	8	2,343	0	4	3,589	1	4	3,244	15	2	344	12	2	Ditto	ditto.
Landeman, J. V. ...	1,008	10	5	234	3	6	243	15	10	530	7	1	480	12	4	49	10	9	Ditto	ditto.
Lindsay, D. B. ...	1,430	3	0	.....			557	4	0	872	5	0	.....			872	15	0	Ditto	ditto.
Ledlie, A. H. (2nd) ...	1,654	8	7	180	6	6	658	12	11	815	5	2	52	8	2	762	13	0	Ditto	ditto.
Lutchminarain Khettry ...	1,726	9	9	429	2	0	617	3	6	680	4	3	411	14	8	268	5	7	Ditto	ditto.
Langlois, J. P. ...	1,448	12	0	.....			532	0	0	916	2	0	.....			916	12	0	Ditto	ditto.
Latapie & Co., E. D. ...	2,444	10	6	286	6	6	48.	3	0	1,670	4	0	1,557	12	4	113	1	8	Ditto	ditto.
Leisk, A. H. S. (2nd) ...	885	8	11	142	0	6	69	0	4	673	8	7	200	0	0	473	8	7	Ditto	ditto.
Loke Nath Shaw ...	8,323	8	6	5,175	6	2	2,494	13	6	653	4	10	653	4	10	.....			Ditto	ditto.
Lyall, R. A., and another (Lyall, Rennie & Co.).	3,60,219	2	3	3,06,074	15	5	50,755	7	1	3,388	1	9	2,712	7	11	676	3	10	Ditto	ditto.
Leitch, J. K. (Kerr, Leitch & Co.) ...	1,853	3	0	588	2	9	520	14	6	744	1	9	51	13	3	692	4	6	Ditto	ditto.
Larmour, F. D. A. (separate account) ...	1,170	8	0	.....			.....			1,170	8	0	.....			1,170	8	0	Ditto	ditto.
Leckie, Thomas ...	1,010	1	6	.....			171	8	0	838	9	6	.....			838	9	6	Ditto	ditto.
Lehzen, E. F. W. (Marquardt, Lehzen & Co.).	17,282	10	0	12,483	10	5	3,369	13	3	1,429	2	4	312	10	3	1,116	8	1	Ditto	ditto.
Lee Zander & Co. ...	37,331	4	11	30,200	7	9	5,639	10	3	1,491	2	11	905	15	4	585	3	7	Ditto	ditto.
Larmour, C. F., and another (C. Lazarus & Co.).	6,750	8	5	.....			5,735	4	3	1,015	4	2	.....			1,015	4	2	Ditto	ditto.
Larmour, C. F. (separate account) ...	2,822	12	2	.....			25	6	6	2,797	5	8	.....			2,797	5	8	Ditto	ditto.
Lesram Bulceo Dass ...	14,468	5	3	10,116	7	0	3,788	13	1	563	1	2	563	1	2				Ditto	ditto.

ESTATES.	Whole amount of receipts.	WHOLE DISBURSEMENTS. Dividends paid.	Other payments.	Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Net balance.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Limjeebhoy Dhunjeebhoy ...	4,781 8 5	2,836 15 7	992 9 8	951 15 2	951 15 2	.....	Nothing further recoverable.
LeFranc, E. A. (3rd) ...	960 0 0	254 14 6	91 3 2	613 14 4	613 14 4	.....	Ditto ditto.
Lalit Mohan Pal Chowdhury ...	21,611 8 9	.....	3,909 12 7	17,701 12 2	.....	17,701 12 2	Outstanding: in course of recovery.
Luchmon Das Benani (Radha Kissen Luchmon Das). ...	1,139 14 6	.....	171 9 9	968 4 9	.....	968 4 9	Nothing further recoverable.
Lakshmi Narain Dutt ...	829 10 0	.....	.....	829 10 0	.....	829 10 0	Ditto ditto.
Mackintosh & Co. ...	2,28,494 11 9	1,24,788 3 2	77,432 6 5	26,274 2 4	24,413 1 2	1,861 1 2	Ditto ditto.
Macleod, Fagan & Co. ...	17,631 7 7	6,841 8 1	10,248 13 1	541 2 5	8 6 7	532 11 10	Ditto ditto.
Macgregor, Hunter & Co. ...	10,719 11 10	.....	9,875 11 3	844 0 7	.....	844 0 7	Ditto ditto.
Mackey & Co., D. C. ...	1,17,362 7 8	58,372 14 3	41,916 2 8	17,073 6 9	17,064 9 3	8 13 6	Ditto ditto.
Martin, Pillans & Co. ...	96,154 3 7	19,123 12 4	71,924 2 4	5,106 4 11	5,078 15 2	27 5 9	Ditto ditto.
Minto, William & Co. ...	9,560 5 4	3,938 0 5	2,759 2 7	2,863 2 4	2,863 2 4	.....	Ditto ditto.
Maclean, L. A. ...	885 4 9	18 8 8	342 2 8	524 9 5	430 15 10	93 9 7	Ditto ditto.
Melville, William ...	1,868 8 8	.....	359 4 6	1,509 4 2	1,339 13 7	169 6 7	Ditto ditto.
Morris, James (Senior) ...	662 6 9	.....	146 0 0	516 6 9	.....	516 6 9	Ditto ditto.
Monteith, John ...	821 0 3	20 12 0	189 4 0	611 0 3	.....	611 0 3	Ditto ditto.
Mackenzie, Murdock & Co. ...	5,598 2 8	17 10 1	5,037 6 4	543 2 3	458 0 8	85 1 7	Ditto ditto.
Meyers, F. ...	1,263 13 6	.....	139 0 0	1,124 13 6	.....	1,124 13 6	Ditto ditto.
MacDonald, Daniel ...	1,691 14 2	247 8 0	589 13 2	854 9 0	609 11 3	244 13 9	Ditto ditto.
Martin, William ...	2,106 11 8	75 0 0	552 6 2	1,479 5 6	1,425 0 0	54 5 6	Ditto ditto.
Michael, J. C. (2nd) ...	7,760 12 8	5,358 3 5	1,869 3 4	533 5 11	.....	533 5 11	Ditto ditto.
Meddlecoat, J. H. P. ...	1,011 14 6	111 7 11	98 14 5	801 8 2	579 6 5	222 1 9	Ditto ditto.
Meyers, A. J. ...	8,876 3 6	4,248 9 10	2,804 7 10	1,823 1 10	1,580 10 0	242 7 10	Ditto ditto.
Meer Dawood Ally ...	3,044 0 2	1,459 3 0	229 14 5	1,354 14 9	1,191 12 2	163 2 7	Ditto ditto.
Munnoo Lall ...	1,410 4 10	.....	647 10 7	762 10 3	.....	762 10 3	Ditto ditto.
Muddonjee Dhurrumsee ...	880 0 2	.....	68 9 6	811 6 8	472 10 8	338 12 0	Ditto ditto.
Morgan, C. ...	1,978 6 3	685 1 2	200 1 11	1,093 3 2	813 3 5	279 15 9	Ditto ditto.
Michael, J. C. (3rd) ...	10,323 8 6	7,099 4 9	1,573 8 10	1,650 10 11	1,406 12 10	243 14 1	Ditto ditto.
Mugneeram ...	4,227 6 6	1,405 6 1	2,040 11 0	781 5 5	695 14 0	85 7 5	Ditto ditto.
Murray, James (Black and Murray) ...	14,162 15 2	9,637 3 3	2,593 4 3	1,927 7 8	1,927 7 8	.....	Ditto ditto.
Mamood Shah Mahomed Shahibzada ...	16,074 5 7	10,017 10 7	1,496 13 0	4,559 14 0	712 8 0	3,847 6 0	Ditto ditto.
Martin, J. C. ...	2,327 4 4	840 6 5	159 13 4	1,327 0 7	1,239 1 1	87 15 6	Ditto ditto.
Modhusudun Dutt (No. 2) ...	8,150 7 5	6,026 15 11	1,226 14 3	896 9 3	896 9 3	.....	Ditto ditto.
Muddun Mohun Dey and another ...	40,990 4 2	34,781 7 11	5,687 12 8	520 15 7	437 6 4	83 9 3	Ditto ditto.
Madhusoodun Pyne ...	1,762 10 1	.....	203 11 0	1,558 15 1	.....	1,558 15 1	Ditto ditto.
Mangos, C. D. ...	13,687 12 10	4,643 6 11	8,055 1 1	989 4 10	858 0 9	131 4 1	Ditto ditto.

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		Dividends paid.	Other payments.				
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Ord, W. K. ...	679 8 4	57 7 10	53 4 9	568 11 9	503 11 10	64 15 11	Nothing further recoverable.
O'Niel, Thomas ...	1,510 13 8	.....	671 3 1	839 10 7	465 9 6	374 1 1	Ditto ditto.
Omrao Sing ...	2,747 15 11	1,845 11 8	391 9 2	510 11 1	352 14 1	157 13 0	Ditto ditto.
Obhoy Churn Dutt ...	1,127 0 6	487 9 9	137 0 0	502 6 9	.....	502 6 9	Ditto ditto.
Palmer & Co. ...	5,69,984 6 1	4,01,103 3 11	1,67,389 8 10	1,491 9 4	542 6 10	949 2 6	Ditto ditto
Palmer, Thomas ...	1,473 0 0	.....	887 4 9	585 11 3	.....	585 11 3	Ditto ditto.
Palmer, John ...	7,707 7 11	6,152 6 4	1,013 0 10	542 0 9	542 0 9	.....	Ditto ditto.
Pew, P. L. ...	52,965 13 1	34,068 0 5	12,875 1 11	6,022 10 9	5,847 11 2	174 15 9	Ditto ditto.
Parry, John ...	4,996 8 11	1,744 7 6	1,616 0 2	1,636 1 3	1,549 15 9	86 1 6	Ditto ditto.
Price, Henry ...	15,380 1 3	.....	14,642 1 8	737 15 7	660 5 9	77 9 10	Ditto ditto.
Posner, J. ...	7,075 8 6	2,972 1 0	3,003 4 3	1,100 3 3	806 10 9	293 8 6	Ditto ditto.
Payne & Co. (Walter, Newton & Co.) (Bombay firm). ...	8,025 0 0	6,125 3 10	1,367 15 6	531 12 8	531 12 8	.....	Ditto ditto.
Phillips, John ...	4,156 0 0	10 11 8	248 10 5	3,896 9 11	1,501 10 4	2,394 15 7	Ditto ditto.
Phillips, G. W. DeRhee ...	1,260 0 0	538 14 4	98 9 5	622 8 3	562 4 3	60 4 0	Ditto ditto.
Prosonno Coomar Bannerjee ...	1,241 0 0	.....	325 2 0	915 14 0	.....	915 14 0	Ditto ditto.
Prosun Chand Galeecha (Dhurrum Chand Poorum Chand). ...	96,847 4 1	42,486 15 0	33,592 7 0	20,767 14 1	19,827 8 11	940 5 2	Ditto ditto.
Punchanun Dass Mungle Chand (Hatee Sing, Sooraj Mull, Mungle Chand). ...	6,183 14 0	.....	2,744 3 0	3,439 11 3	.....	3,439 11 3	Ditto ditto.
Protap Chunder Chatterjee ...	748 11 7	.....	53 13 6	694 14 1	673 2 10	21 11 3	Ditto ditto.
Purmessur Khan and another (Purmessur Khan, Debendro Nath Khan, Purmessur Khan & Co.). ...	3,129 9 9	1,109 0 8	1,364 2 4	656 6 9	656 6 9	.....	Ditto ditto.
Poolin Chunder Mitter ...	637 11 1	.....	.....	637 11 1	.....	637 11 1	Ditto ditto.
Palmer, R. G. & Co. ...	35,446 13 0	15,111 5 0	11,148 4 1	9,187 3 11	255 3 8	8,932 0 3	Ditto ditto.
Panna Lall Addy ...	1,589 12 7	260 0 0	245 0 4	1,084 12 3	1,036 13 11	47 14 4	Ditto ditto.
Pran Nath Pal ...	3,223 10 11	1,409 7 3	1,269 3 10	544 15 10	515 2 2	29 13 8	Ditto ditto.
Pasumarti Jagappa ...	9,184 7 10	4,123 0 1	3,727 13 7	1,333 10 2	177 13 1	1,155 13 1	Ditto ditto.
Purusttam Lall ...	15,629 1 11	.....	1,747 5 6	13,878 4 5	.....	13,878 4 5	Ditto ditto.
Pran Kristo Nandy ...	19,282 0 7	5,141 4 6	12,747 15 4	1,392 12 9	1,357 5 8	35 7 1	Ditto ditto.
Potenger, C., Mrs. ...	2,052 2 6	1,452 13 10	96 2 6	503 2 2	207 13 5	295 4 9	Ditto ditto.
Quillet, DeGaye ...	6,539 10 4	3,148 1 11	2,380 4 6	1,011 3 11	1,011 3 11	.....	Ditto ditto.
Runtz, Rees & Co. ...	19,490 12 2	3,907 1 1	10,031 14 8	5,551 12 5	5,551 12 5	.....	Ditto ditto.

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	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Ram Lall and others (Bhugwan Das Bunna Chand).	5,828 1 9	.....	267 3 0	5,560 14 9	.....	5,560 14 9	Nothing further recoverable.
Ramjee Das Khettry and another (Ramjee Das Gopal Das).	1,630 12 0	.....	327 8 0	1,303 4 0	.....	1,303 4 0	Ditto ditto.
Ramdhone Das Bayti ...	1,688 2 6	.....	.....	1,688 2 6	.....	1,688 2 6	Ditto ditto.
Rajendra Nath Ghose and another (Ghose Sinha & Co.	39,505 4 0	.....	2,634 11 7	36,870 8 5	.....	36,870 8 5	Outstanding : in course of recovery.
Saunders, May, Fordyce & Co. ...	4,03,262 11 3	3,21,713 7 1	68,904 4 4	12,642 15 10	11,992 9 4	650 6 6	Nothing further recoverable.
Stewart, W. C. & Co. ...	8,040 4 10	2,515 5 5	1,414 11 0	4,110 4 5	3,953 12 5	156 8 0	Ditto ditto.
Senais, W. DeMonti ...	2,514 11 7	.....	912 2 6	1,602 9 1	1,533 5 10	69 3 3	Ditto ditto.
Smith, W. S. ...	3,620 13 5	2,635 15 6	471 0 8	513 13 3	471 11 1	42 2 2	Ditto ditto.
Stocquelar, J. H. ...	7,138 0 0	210 6 5	5,537 0 7	1,390 9 0	1,122 12 7	267 12 5	Ditto ditto.
Schlatter, Michael ...	20,294 14 10	16,357 13 1	2,433 0 9	1,504 1 0	1,006 8 1	497 8 11	Ditto ditto.
Smoult, W. H. ...	1,976 10 3	248 4 11	328 9 3	1,399 12 1	1,040 0 0	359 12 1	Ditto ditto.
Sheppard, G. A. ...	5,598 2 10	4,179 1 11	662 0 7	757 0 4	652 6 0	104 10 4	Ditto ditto.
Sarkies & Co., P. J. ...	52,610 10 9	6,473 9 2	45,380 2 2	756 15 5	602 12 10	154 2 7	Ditto ditto.
Scott, C. C. J. ...	7,723 13 9	4,659 10 11	2,002 0 10	1,062 2 0	631 9 11	430 8 1	Ditto ditto.
Sarkies, P. J. ...	10,227 7 7	6,170 7 7	3,097 5 4	959 10 8	787 6 3	172 4 5	Ditto ditto.
Smith, Huffnagle & Co. ...	26,632 14 5	13,828 7 4	10,798 4 10	2,006 2 3	.....	2,006 2 3	Ditto ditto.
Stubbs, W. V. G. ...	3,491 6 5	81 3 10	1,649 12 7	1,760 6 0	262 2 3	1,498 3 9	Ditto ditto.
Snook, J. V. ...	775 10 0	.....	158 0 0	617 10 0	.....	617 10 0	Ditto ditto.
Sreegopal Misser ...	1,951 0 0	55 14 4	678 6 8	1,216 11 0	1,093 0 11	123 10 1	Ditto ditto.
Solomon Moladina ...	64,041 6 10	43,579 4 11	17,498 10 0	2,963 7 11	2,682 12 0	280 11 11	Ditto ditto.
Stewart, W. M. ...	24,989 4 9	12,513 15 1	6,325 15 7	6,149 6 1	5,610 9 8	538 12 5	Ditto ditto.
Shib Chunder Seal ...	13,555 3 9	3,239 6 10	9,479 3 3	836 9 8	836 9 8	.....	Ditto ditto.
Sewnundun Panday ...	32,283 9 9	18,850 1 5	7,473 4 4	5,960 4 0	5,229 5 1	730 14 11	Ditto ditto.
Sreenath Mullick ...	17,782 7 7	13,851 5 6	3,389 12 10	541 5 3	431 12 6	109 8 9	Ditto ditto.
Smith, A. M. ...	2,800 10 7	244 1 6	801 15 7	1,754 9 6	1,371 10 8	382 14 10	Ditto ditto.
Solomon & Co., D. H. ...	16,053 12 9	9,548 4 5	4,711 4 9	1,794 3 7	1,606 0 1	188 3 6	Ditto ditto.
Schiller, F., and others (Borradaile, Schiller & Co.).	1,52,678 15 7	84,826 0 6	31,168 12 4	36,684 2 9	29,445 3 6	7,238 15 3	Ditto ditto.
Straw, F. T. ...	1,22,111 4 8	60,033 2 9	61,513 13 4	564 4 7	564 4 7	.....	Ditto ditto.
Smith, Thomas & Co. ...	66,941 4 3	8,918 11 0	56,288 9 2	1,734 0 1	1,078 12 0	655 4 1	Ditto ditto.
Sham Lall Khettry (Dewky Nundun Lalljeemull).	16,952 12 6	12,583 1 6	3,302 15 10	1,066 11 2	1,066 11 2	.....	Ditto ditto.
Sitaram Rohatjee ...	945 8 3	.....	158 6 6	787 1 9	.....	787 1 9	Ditto ditto.

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	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
Tincurry Dass ...	6,741 8 4	3,502 3 9	1,140 0 2	2,099 4 5	2,076 2 0	23 2 5	Ditto	ditto.
Tiruthram ...	1,445 3 9	519 12 6	226 0 7	699 6 8	207 4 5	492 2 3	Ditto	ditto.
Taraprosanna Sircar ...	1,62,699 9 6	70,638 13 6	83,524 15 4	8,535 12 8	8,463 9 4	72 3 4	Ditto	ditto.
Tin Cowry Nundy ...	8,330 6 9	2,745 12 3	3,729 1 6	1,855 9 0	851 2 10	1,004 6 2	Ditto	ditto.
Vandenberg, J. B. (2nd) ...	5,740 4 3	4,036 6 7	468 7 9	1,235 11 11	1,235 11 11	.....	Ditto	ditto.
Voight, S. E. & Co. ...	1,680 0 4	199 0 0	13 8 8	1,467 7 8	.....	1,467 7 8	Ditto	ditto.
Willis, Joseph ...	1,20,846 2 7	88,227 7 6	29,932 12 8	2,165 14 5	1,839 2 11	326 11 6	Ditto	ditto.
Willis, F. F. ...	7,102 7 11	892 13 4	2,906 1 7	3,303 9 0	2,932 2 8	371 6 4	Ditto	ditto.
Wood, Olliffe & Co. ...	3,276 6 10	.....	1,427 4 6	1,849 2 4	.....	1,849 2 4	Ditto	ditto.
Waring, E. S. S. ...	3,066 8 8	1,784 1 7	529 5 2	753 1 11	647 4 3	105 13 8	Ditto	ditto.
Williams, Stephen ...	20,504 1 5	17,453 13 10	2,207 14 7	842 5 0	474 9 9	367 11 3	Ditto	ditto.
Watson & Co. (Gibbon & Co.) ...	1,06,519 3 0	87,390 15 9	15,992 0 3	3,136 3 0	2,703 9 8	432 9 4	Ditto	ditto.
Wood, H. W. J. ...	2,539 13 0	712 3 7	885 5 3	942 4 2	785 11 9	156 8 5	Ditto	ditto.
Wood, David ...	1,414 3 0	56 7 3	809 0 3	548 11 6	548 11 6	.....	Ditto	ditto.
Wiseham, William ...	969 3 6	.....	32 0 0	935 3 6	.....	935 3 6	Ditto	ditto.
Webb, John ...	4,457 8 3	2,391 0 8	1,103 4 5	963 3 2	890 14 9	72 4 5	Ditto	ditto.
Wallis, C. B. ...	8,520 11 5	6,592 2 1	1,403 4 3	525 5 2	120 11 5	404 9 8	Ditto	ditto.
Woodin, W. (G. F. Hodgekinson & Co.)	25,413 4 5	1,022 8 2	22,444 3 9	1,946 8 6	1,549 5 6	397 3 0	Ditto	ditto.
Woomesh Chunder Banerjee ...	23,991 14 1	19,723 8 11	3,084 8 11	1,183 12 3	1,183 12 3	.....	Ditto	ditto.
Wyldi, J. J. ...	1,200 0 0	126 6 4	21 7 1	1,052 2 7	.....	1,052 2 7	Ditto	ditto.
Winterscale, James ...	1,254 12 10	175 0 0	378 7 0	701 5 10	.....	701 5 10	Ditto	ditto.
Woopendra Nath Dey and another ...	6,164 5 9	2,905 15 10	1,308 6 9	1,949 15 2	386 14 7	1,563 0 7	Ditto	ditto.
Woopendra Chunder Singhee and another	9,243 6 3	2,114 0 9	2,635 2 1	4,494 3 5	3,092 11 6	1,401 7 11	Ditto	ditto.
Woopendra Nath Dutt ...	2,148 11 8	.....	3 14 0	2,144 13 8	.....	2,144 13 8	Ditto	ditto.
Zunini, A. ...	4,860 2 9	1,002 1 3	2,984 10 3	873 7 3	534 6 9	339 0 6	Ditto	ditto.

In addition to the above, there are 2,619 estates with balances under Rs. 500 each, aggregating Rs. 2,45,455-7-6, pa wh ay be learnt at this office. Th Official Assignee has received for remuneration for the quarter ending 31st March 1906 Rs. 1,184-2-3.

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd September 1906.

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A. B. MILLER,
Official Assignee of Bengal.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 6th November 1906.

LIABILITIES

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		1,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs.	70,32,286 0 3			
Ditto ditto at Branches „	79,92,889 13 0	1,50,25,175	13	3
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...		13,63,29,895	0	8
Bank Post Bills, &c.		6,96,679	15	6
Sundries		24,92,479	1	6
Rupees ...		18,90,44,229	14	11

ASSETS.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities		73,65,000	0	0
Other authorised investments		48,60,113	0	0
Loans on Government and other securities		3,90,92,295	1	11
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto		4,43,09,292	2	8
Bills discounted and purchased		3,35,28,696	5	4
Balances with other Banks		7,25,744	12	10
Bullion		.....		
Dead Stock		18,39,183	15	5
Stamps		11,051	5	0
Sundries		6,31,537	11	2
		13,25,62,921	6	4
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office Rs.	3,01,76,157 12 4*			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches	2,63,05,147 12 8†	5,64,81,305	8	7
Rupees ...		18,90,44,229	14	11

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 26,43,120 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 4,42,980 0 0

Rs. 30,86,100 0 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 8th November 1906.

C. M. BASTIN, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans, 6 per cent.
Percentage 36·54.

HENRY GRAY,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.
(1121—1)

WANTED a Head Clerk for the District and Sessions Judge's Office at Gaya, temporarily for six months, on a salary of Rs. 60—2—80. Subject to revision on the publication of the Salaries Committee's report, the vacancy is likely to be a permanent one. Candidates must have experience in Civil Court business and good English qualifications. Applications with copies of testimonials should reach the undersigned not later than 20th instant.

L. PALIT,
District and Sessions Judge.

Judge's Office, Gaya, the 6th November 1906.
(1123—1)

WANTED an Assistant Estimator and Draftsman. Salary Rs. 35 per month rising to Rs. 50 by annual increments of Rs. 3.

None need apply except he has a good knowledge of estimating and drawing.

Applications with copies of testimonials should be submitted before 25th instant to Superintending Engineer, Gandak Circle, Muzaffarpur.

T. BUTLER,
Superintending Engineer, Gandak Circle.

Muzaffarpur, the 8th November 1906.

Wanted

A BIHARI B Course graduate for the Bhagalpur Zilla School on a salary of Rs. 40 for a B.A. with Honours and Rs. 30 for a Pass B.A. Applications will be received in this office up to the 20th November 1906.

G. W. KÜCHLER,
Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.

Bhagalpur, the 5th November 1906.

Wanted

FOR three months the following establishment to audit the old Batwara accounts from 1st December 1906. Preference will be given to those who have experience in the account work :—

	Rs.
One Auditor ...	... 75 per mensem.
Two Clerks ...	... 40 each per mensem.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 25th November 1906.

A. H. VERNÈDE, *for* Collector.

Darbhanga Collectorate, the 10th November 1906.

Notice.

WANTED a retired Deputy Collector-Magistrate for the revision of Chaukidari Unions in the Saran district for a period of six months on a consolidated salary of Rs. 200 a month, including travelling allowance. The application should reach the undersigned by the 15th November 1906. Preference will be given to candidates from Patna and Bhagalpur Divisions.

(ILLEGIBLE),
Chaukidari Deputy Magistrate.

Chapra, the 22nd October 1906. (1095—3)

Notice.

WANTED a passed and experienced Accountant for the District Engineer's office, Midnapore. Pay Rs. 60—2—80. Increments annual. Applications will be received by Chairman, District Board, Midnapore, up to 20th November 1906.

RAGU NATH DAS, M.A., B.L.,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Midnapore.

The 3rd November 1906. (1110—2)

Notice.

WANTED immediately for the Land Acquisition Office, Purulia-Ranchi Railway, at Ranchi, a Draftsman-Surveyor on Rs. 40 and a Peshkar on Rs. 30.

The appointments will last for about a year, and none need apply who is not prepared to stick up to the completion of the work.

Samples of printing should accompany applications for the Draftsman-Surveyor's post A fair knowledge of Hindi, Urdu and English is essential for the Peshkar's appointments.

An original certificate of good character from a gentleman should be submitted with each application.

KANTI BHUSHAN SEN,
Land Acquisition Officer.

Ranchi, the 30th September 1906.

SUSILMADHUB MULLICK, M.A., B.L., Pleader, Judge's Court, 24-Parganas, intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.

(1086—4—922)

BABU SATIS CHANDRA BHATTACHARYA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court.

(1099—4—935)

Supply and Transport Notice, No. 1.

DATED 3RD NOVEMBER 1906.

SEALED tenders will be received by the Store and Shipping Officer, Calcutta, up to 12 noon on the 5th December 1906 for supply of sugar as specified below.

Forms of Tenders and Schedules and all further particulars can be obtained on application to the above Officer up to 2 P.M. on the 28th November 1906.

No Tender will be received except on forms obtainable from the above Officer for which a fee of Re. 1 (one) only will be charged for each set:

Stations where required.	Estimated requirements. Sugar Ration.	Sugar Hospital.	Period of Contract. From	To
	Lbs.	Lbs.		
	Maximum.			
Calcutta for Port Blair ...	19,125			
	Minimum.			
	17,000			
Lucknow Division.				
Lucknow, Sitapore, Naini-tal, Fyzabad, Allahabad, Benares, Cawnpore, Fategarh, Calcutta, Dinapore, Dum-Dum, Barrackpore, Jalapahar and Lebong.	Maximum. 691,130	40,340		
	Minimum. 605,75	34,975		
Meerut Division.				
Meerut, Delhi, Roorkee, Mutra, Chakratta, Landour, Bareilly, Ranikhet, Shahjehanpore, Dehra Dun and Agra.	Maximum. 1,123,750	68,125		
	Minimum. 280,936	17,029		

NOTE.—Tenderer is at liberty to offer his rate for one or both the descriptions and for all the stations in the Eastern Command or the station of any Divisional Supply and Transport ranges or for any single station.

N.B.—Estimated requirements of Sugar ration and hospital of each station showing the maximum and minimum quantities, required will be noted separately in the schedule attached to the tender form.

W. BURLTON, MAJOR,
Store and Shipping Officer.

The 3rd November 1906.

Notice under section 10A. clause (1) of Act I of 1906 (B.C.).

NOTICE.

THE estate of late Kumar Gopalendra Narayan Roy of Puthia Ekani which descended to his minor sons Nripendra Narayan Roy and Khagendra Narayan Roy has been taken charge of by the Court of Wards Notice is hereby given, under the provisions of section 10A, clause (1) of Act I of 1906 (B.C.) that all persons who have any claim against the said wards or their immoveable property do submit their claims in writing to the Court of Wards at the Rajshahi Collectorate within six months from the date of the publication of this notice, and that any claim not put forward within the said period shall cease to carry interest on the expiry of the said period.

HARA CHANDRA GHOSE, *for* Collector.

The 7th November 1906.

নোটীশ।

পুটীয়ার কুমার মৃত গোপালেন্দ্র নারায়ণ রায়ের সম্পত্তি তাহার নাবালক পুত্রদ্বয় নৃপেন্দ্র নারায়ণ রায় ও খগেন্দ্র নারায়ণ রায় উত্তরাধীকারী সূত্রে প্রাপ্ত হইয়াছে। ঐ সম্পত্তি কোর্ট অব ওয়ার্ডসের তত্ত্বাবধানে লওয়া হইয়াছে। অতএব ১৯০৬ সনের ১ আইনের ১০ এ ধারার (প্রকরণ ১ম) বিধান মত সর্ব্বসাধারণকে জানান যাইতেছে যে যে সমস্ত পাওনাদার উল্লিখিত নাবালগ দ্বয়ের নিকট অথবা তাহাদের স্থাবর সম্পত্তির উপর পাওনার দাবী রাখেন, তাহারা এই নোটীশ প্রকাশের তারিখ হইতে ছয় মাসের মধ্যে রাজসাহীর কালেক্টরীর কোর্ট অব ওয়ার্ডস্ বিভাগে নিজ নিজ পাওনার বিষয় লিখিত দরখাস্ত দ্বারা জানান। ঐ সময়ের মধ্যে না জানাইলে, ঐ সময়ান্তে তাহারা ফল পাইবেন না।

H. C. GHOSH *for* Collector

The 7th November 1906. (1122—3)

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 052586 and 009613 of the 3½ per cent. of 1865 and 1854-55 for Rs 500 each originally standing in the name of Joggeshur Chandra Chunder and last endorsed to Baikuntha Nath Datta, Bhusan Chandra Bhattacharjee, Kartick Chandra Ray Chowdhury, Madhusudan Rao, Jadunandan Majumdar and Visvanath Kar, the proprietors, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of Duplicates in favour of the proprietors. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned securities.

BAIKUNTHA NATH DATTA,
BHUSAN CHANDRA BHATTACHARJEE,
KARTICK CHANDRA RAY CHOWDHURY,
MADHUSUDAN RAO,
JADUNANDAN MAJUMDAR,
VISVANATH KAR,
Executors to the estate of late BABU JUGGOMOHAN RAY, Alumchand Bazar, Cuttack.

Cuttack, the 7th October 1906. (1111—3—945)

Road Cess Notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the District Board of Shahabad have, at a special meeting held on the 26th October 1906, determined that the road cess for the next year, 1907-1908, shall be levied at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value and annual net profits as described in section 6 of Act IX of 1880.

SURENDRALAL MITTRA,
for Chairman, District Board, Shahabad.

Arrah the 29th October 1906. (1103—2)

Corporation of Calcutta.

THE General Committee, having previously given notice of their intention and no objections having been received within one month from the date of the publication of such notice, hereby, under section 350 (4) of Act III (B.C) of 1899, define the general line of buildings on the north side of Market Street between Hogg Street and Free School Street in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the 20th August 1906.

C. G. H. ALLEN,
Chairman of the Corporation.

Municipal Office, dated the 12th November 1906.
(1167—1)

The Bengal Coal Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Bengal Coal Company, Limited, will be held at 12 o'clock in the forenoon on Friday, the 30th November 1906, at 5 Fairlie Place, Calcutta, the Registered Office of the Company, for the purpose of taking into consideration and if thought fit of sanctioning certain proposals for the sale and transfer by this Company to a new Company called the Bengal Bhatdee Coal Company, Limited, of the two mauzas called Bhatdee and Teturia, situate in Nowaghur district (forming portion of the Moorladih group recently acquired by this Company, at the price and upon the terms and conditions embodied in the draft, already prepared, of an intended agreement between this Company and the said new Company (which draft provides for the whole of the 45,000 shares of Rs. 10 each in the initial capital of the said new Company being offered at a premium of 4 annas to the members of this Company), and of considering and if thought fit of passing such resolutions as may be brought forward at the said meeting relative to the said proposed sale and transfer and the said draft agreement.

N.B.—A copy of the said intended draft agreement can be seen by members of this Company on application at the Company's Registered Office.

By order of the Board,
H. MACLEOD,
Superintendent.

5 Fairlie Place, Calcutta, the 12th November 1906.
(1170—1—959)

SALE NOTIFICATION.

In the First Court of the Subordinate Judge at Chapra.

EXECUTION CASE No. 222 OF 1906.

Lalla Herdeni Lal and others, decree-holders, *versus* Mr. John Hodding and others, judgment-debtors.

THE right, title and interest of the judgment-debtors will be sold by auction on 5th November 1906 by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court. The description of the properties to be sold is as follows:—

Serial number.	Tauzi number.	Name of mahal with pargana.	Name of mauza.	Kasrat. A.	P.	K.	M.	D.	Khata or ijmali.	Jama sadar of entire estate. Rs.	A.	P.	Jama sadar of mauza (share of judgment-debtors). Rs.	A.	P.	Estimated value. Rs.	A.	P.
1	1632	Dudhra, pargana Barea.	Dudhra ...	4	1	13	6	10	Ijmali	1,389	10	6	334	11	6	250	0	0
2	1632	Ditto	Bhikhampore	4	1	13	6	10	Do. ...	1,389	10	6	334	11	6	150	0	0
3	1632	Ditto	Saraya ...	3	3	18	6	5	Do. ...	1,389	10	6	334	11	6	50	0	0
4	1632	Ditto	Chandowli	2	3	6	13	5	Do. ...	1,389	10	6	334	11	6	50	0	0
5	1632	Ditto	Majhowlia	4	6	10	0	0	Do. ...	1,389	10	6	334	11	6	200	0	0
6	1632	Ditto	Rampore ...	5	0	6	13	5	Do. ...	1,389	10	6	334	11	6	200	0	0
7	1632	Ditto	Mogaltapore	3	0	6	13	5	Do. ...	1,389	10	6	334	11	6	50	0	0
8	1632	Ditto	Jalalpore	3	2	15	0	0	Do. ...	1,389	10	6	334	11	6	50	0	0
9	1632	Ditto	Saerpore ...	3	0	6	13	5	Do. ...	1,389	10	6	334	11	6	50	0	0
10	1632	Ditto	Hetampore	4	0	1	13	5	Do. ...	1,389	10	6	334	11	6	100	0	0

Chapra, the 24th October 1906. (1119—1) SARADA PRASAD BASU, Subordinate Judge.

NOTIFICATION OF SALE.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Gaya, 2nd Court.

MORTGAGE EXECUTION CASE No. 221 OF 1906.

Nawab Jehan Arra Begum, decree-holder, *versus* Rajkumari Bhuneshwari Kuer and another, judgment-debtors.

IT is hereby notified that the following properties of the judgment-debtors will be sold at auction sale by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court in his office on the 26th November 1906 at 12 o'clock noon for realization of Rs 50,855-3 due to decree-holder from the said judgment-debtors:—

1. The entire 16-anna share of mauza Malsari, appertaining to mahal Nimsar, lat Sibnagar, pargana Sonout, zilla Gaya, tauzi No. 5151, and jama sadar of the entire lát Sibnagar is Rs. 1,16,403-3, proprietary right of the judgment-debtors in thana Tikari; approximate value Rs. 5,000.

2. The entire 16-anna share of mauza Digoona, mahal Nimsar, lat Sibnagar, pargana Sonout, zilla Gaya, tauzi No. 5151 and jama sadar Rs. 1,16,403 3 in thana Tikari, proprietary right of the judgment-debtors; approximate value Rs. 9,000.

3. The entire 16-anna share of mauza Sherpore in mahal Nimsar, lat Sibnagar, pargana Sonout, zilla Gaya, tauzi No. 5151 and jama sadar Rs. 1,16,403-3, proprietary right of the judgment-debtor in thana Tikari; approximate value Rs. 4,000.

4. The entire 16-anna share of mauza Kharagpore in mahal Nimsar, lat Sibnagar, pargana Sonout, zilla Gaya, tauzi No. 5151 and jama sadar Rs. 1,16,403-3, proprietary right of the judgment debtors in thana Tikari; approximate value Rs. 5,000.

5. The entire 16-anna share of mauza Amjhar in mahal Nimsar, lat Sibnagar, pargana Sonout, zilla Gaya, tauzi No. 5151 and jama sadar Rs. 1,16,403-3, proprietary right of the judgment-debtors in thana Tikari; approximate value Rs. 9,000.

6. The entire 16-anna share of mauza Jamoosra Jogni in mahal Nimsar, lat Sibnagar, pargana Sonout, zilla Gaya, tauzi No. 5151 and jama sadar Rs. 1,16,403-3, proprietary right of the judgment-debtors in thana Tikari; approximate value Rs. 10,000.

7. The entire 16-anna share of mauza Bhainsmara in mahal Nimsar, lat Sibnagar, pargana Sonout, zilla Gaya, tauzi No. 5151 and jama sadar Rs. 1,16,403-3, proprietary right of the judgment-debtors in thana Tikari; approximate value Rs. 7,000.

8. The entire 16-anna share of mauza Usri Bazidpore in mahal Nimsar, lat Sibnagar, tauzi No. 5151 and jama sadar Rs. 1,16,403-3, proprietary right of the judgment-debtors in thana Tikari; approximate value Rs. 9,000.

RAM NARAIN SARKAR,
Offg. Subordinate Judge, 2nd Court.

Gaya, the 7th November 1906. (1124—2)

In the Court of the District Judge, Gaya.

EXECUTION CASE No. 90 OF 1906.

Babu Kailaspati Narain Singh and others, decree-holders, *versus* Ram Sunder Koer and another, judgment debtors.

THE following property belonging to the judgment-debtors will be sold by auction in the sale-room of the Gaya Judge's Court on the 26th day of November 1906 at 10 A.M., in the execution of the decree for Rs. 87,564-0-4 in the above mentioned case.

Property sought to be sold.

Serial number.	Tauzi number.	Name of village with pargana and thana.	Jama sadar. Rs.	Extent of share. As.	Approximate value. Rs.
3,574		Proprietary right in m. Nadawat, pargana Narhat, than Atri, district Gaya.	2,501	16	25,000

L. PALIT,
District Judge.

Gaya, the 9th November 1906. (1125—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of the Subordinate Judge of Jessore.

PRESENT:

Babu Raj Narayan Mukherjee, 1st Sub-Judge.

RENT EXECUTION CASE No. 23 OF 1906.

Prosanna Chandra Maulik, decree-holder, *versus* Jogendra Chandra Ray, judgment-debtor.

TO be sold by the Nazir at the sale-room of the District Judge's Court, Jessore, at 12 noon of the 17th day of December 1906, the undermentioned property for the realization of Rs. 9,149-7-9, due to the decree-holder in the above execution case:—

Properties.

Tauzi mahal No. 247 of Jessore Collectorate, consisting of eight annas of taraf Rakra, situate within pargana Mahamedshahi allotted to judgment-debtor's share, and putni Dauk, which contains No 9877, kismat. Asian, situate within thana Shalika. The amount payable for two taluks is Rs. 6,731 and cess Rs. 176-4. Total Rs. 6,906-4.

RAJ NARAYAN MUKHERJEE,
1st Subordinate Judge, Jessore.

Jessore, the 7th November 1906. (1169—1)

In the first Court of the Munsif at Baruipur.

EXECUTION CASE No. 1843 OF 1906.

Jogendra Nath Das, of Mojilpur, decree-holder, *versus* Prionath Mitra, Probodha Chandra Mitra, Subodha Chandra Mitra and Sachindra Nath Mitra, of Mojilpur, judgment-debtors.

Decree-holder's claim Rs. 818-5-15gds.

TWO annas seven half gundas share of taluk No. 1534, sadar jama of which is Rs 14,681 6-4, situate within thana and Sub-registry Joynagore, pargana Moyda, is to be sold on 3rd December 1906 by the Nazir of this Court.

NAGENDRA NATH CHATTERJEE, Munsif.

Baruipur, the 2nd November 1906. (1107—3)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to a decree of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, in suit No. 319 of 1904 (wherein Pulin Behary Dutt and others are the plaintiffs and Mohendranath Dutt and another are the defendants), and dated the 13th day of January 1905, by the undersigned in the Registrar's sale-room in the Court-house at 12 o'clock noon, on Saturday, the 1st day of December 1906, the following properties belonging to the estate of the late Prosad Das Dutt:—

Lot 1.—An undivided half part or share of and in all that rent-free land called the Dhoblat estate in the Sagore Island, in the district of 24-Parganas and sub-district of Diamond Harbour, containing according to Settlement Map 17,726 bighas 10 cottahs, more or less, but of which some portions in the south have been washed away by the sea and, excepting Bisalakhipur and Radhakantopur, measuring about 1,250 bighas, together with all bunds and protection works, canals and tanks around the same, dedicated and covered by the Bengali deed, dated the 29th day of June 1890, executed by Prosad Das Dutt and Kedar Nath Dutt; the whole of the said estate being bounded on the north by the creek Satbanki khal, on the east partly by the said creek and partly by the Channel creek or Baratola river, on the south by the Bay of Bengal and on the west by a portion of the Ganga Sagor khal. This estate is held rent-free under a grant dated the 9th day of July 1875.

Lot 2.—All that undivided half part or share of and in all that river-side garden land and premises, comprising a one-storied brick-built house and out-offices, boundary walls, privy, ghats, tank and trees, containing by measurement 7 bighas 1 cottah and 12 chitaks, more or less, situate, lying and bearing No. 227 in the Register of the Kamarhatty Municipality, Revenue Division I, subdivision Kamarhatty, thana and sub-registry Casipore, district 24-Parganas, and bounded on the north partly by the land of the late Opurba Kissen Sett and partly by the land of Dinonath Mullick, on the east partly by a private passage and partly by Bhuttacharjee's land, on the south partly by the burning place and partly by a road leading to Doorga Churan Pathoories Ghat, and on the west partly by the said burning place and partly by the river Hooghly. Out of the entire land 5 bighas are rent-free, and the rest is held under a *maurasi* lease at an annual rent of Rs. 2-12 16 gundahs payable to the zamindars of Panihatty.

Lot 3.—All that undivided half part or share of and in all that partly two-storied and partly three-storied brick-built messuage and premises, together with the piece or parcel of rent-free land thereunto belonging, and containing by measurement 2 cottahs and 6 square feet, more or less, situate, lying and being Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Cross Street and Nos. 51, 52 and 53 Clive Street, being holding No. 162 of block No. 12 in the North Division of the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by Cross Street, on the east by the house No 4 Cross Street, on the south by the house No. 50 Clive Street and on the west by Clive Street.

Lot 4.—All that one-storied brick-built messuage and premises, together with the piece or parcel of *maurasi* land thereunto belonging, containing by measurement 7 cottahs 14 chitaks, more or less, situate, lying and being No. 4 King's Road, Howrah, thana and sub-registry Howrah, district Hooghly, and bounded on the north by the yard of Messrs Martin and Company, on the east by the St Agnes' Convent School, on the south by King's Road, and on the west by the house No. 5 King's Road. Annual rent of Rs. 9-9-6 is payable to Giris Chunder Banerjee of Sulkea for this property as well as for Nos. 5 and 6 King's Road, Howrah.

Lot 5.—All that piece or parcel of rent-free *bustee* land or ground measuring 2 cottahs and 7 chittaks, situate, lying and being No. 64 Sovaram Bysack's 1st Lane, being holding No. 338 of block No. III of the North Division of the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by Sovaram Bysack's Lane, on the east partly by the house No. 63-1 Sovaram Bysack's 1st Lane and partly by a Siva's temple, on the south by Sovaram Bysack's 1st Lane, and on the west by premises No. 12 Sovaram Bysack's Lane.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale and plans of the properties to be sold may be seen at the office of the undersigned at the Court-house or at the office of Babu Nibaran Chandra Datta at No. 9 Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK,
Commissioner of Partition in suit No 319 of 1904.

Nibaran Chandra Datta, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, the 24th day of September 1906. (1118—1—260)

Notice.

THE six Government Promissory Notes for Rs. 35,000 showing the number, loan, amount and name of original holder of each as detailed below and last endorsed to Syed Mahammad Fayaz Ali Khan, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the said notes and the interest thereon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of Duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the said notes.

Nos. of Notes.	Loans.	Names of original holders.	Amounts.
			Rs.
029022		Bank of Bengal ...	25,000
027645		Prosad Das Boral	
	3½ per cent.	and Bros. ...	5,000
012050	of 1900-01.	Binoy Krishna	
		Hazra ...	2,000
028741		Ditto ...	1,000
037167	3 per cent.	Bank of Bengal ...	1,000
037168	of 1896-97.	Ditto ...	1,000
6		Total ...	35,000

Name of Advertiser—Syed Mahammad Fayaz Ali Khan.

Residence—Deorhi Jaffraguni, post Nashipur, district Murshidabad. (1078½—3—937)

Notice

IS hereby given that the District Board of 24-Parganas, at their meeting held on the 16th October 1906, have resolved that the Road Cess be levied at the maximum rate of half anna in the rupee on the annual value of all lands in the district during the year 1907-08.

J. H. BERNARD,
Chairman, District Board, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 22nd October 1906. (1097 3)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of SHEIK OOMER ALI and another, insolvents.

On the 3rd day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. C. Matter, Attorney. (1127—2)

In the matter of BANCHAND and others, insolvents.

On the 15th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukhit, Attorney. (1128—2)

In the matter of KALOORAM HIRAWAT and others, insolvents.

On the 7th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

O. Camell, Attorney. (1129—2)

In the matter of GEORGE ALEXANDER STYLIANDES, an insolvent.

On the 20th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court

B. S. Ghosha, Attorney. (1130—2)

In the matter of SOSHEE BHUSHAN MOOKERJEE, an insolvent.

On the 21st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Haldar, Attorneys. (1131—2)

In the matter of NUNDOMULI KHETTRY, an insolvent.

On the 21st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Bonnerjee, Attorney. (1132—2)

In the matter of JUGANNATH KORNANI, an insolvent.

On the 22nd day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of Novemher instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys (1133—2)

In the matter of INDRANARAIN KHETTRY, an insolvent.

On the 24th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. N. De, Attorney. (1134—2)

In the matter of FRANK EDWARD YOUD, an insolvent.

On the 24th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Leslie and Hinds, Attorneys. (1135—2)

In the matter of BEPIN BEHARY CHUKRAVARTI, an insolvent.

On the 24th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1136—2)

In the matter of PANCHCOWRIE RAM and another, insolvents.

On the 24th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukhit, Attorney. (1137—2)

In the matter of C. V. WARDEN, an insolvent.

On the 25th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1138—2)

In the matter of HENRY TORRENS ROE, an insolvent.

On the 27th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1139—2)

In the matter of SITAL CHUNDER NUNDY, an insolvent.

On the 28th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Bannerjee, Attorney. (1140—2)

In the matter of WILLIAM JONES D'ROZARIO, an insolvent.

On the 29th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1141—2)

In the matter of GOBIND CHUNDER SIKDAR, an insolvent.

On the 29th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. L. De, Attorney. (1142—2)

In the matter of KISSEN DAHI DADHE, an insolvent.

On the 31st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1143—2)

In the matter of SURAJDIN KALICHARAN, an insolvent.

On the 31st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M Rukhit, Attorney. (1144—2)

In the matter of HURRY CHURN MOOKERJEE, an insolvent.

On the 31st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1145—2)

In the matter of RAM NARAIN TAPARIA, an insolvent.

On the 31st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1146—2)

In the matter of AZEEZUDDIN MEAH, an insolvent.

On the 31st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1147—2)

In the matter of ANUNDRAM BOID, an insolvent.

On the 1st day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. N. De, Attorney. (1148—2)

In the matter of JOHN WILLIAM AVIET, an insolvent.

On the 1st day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1149—2)

In the matter of KALOORAM PODDAR, an insolvent.

On the 5th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukhit, Attorney. (1150—2)

In the matter of MOSES ELIAS SOLOMON *alias* M. E. HILALI and others, insolvents.

On the 7th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

C. C. Bose, Attorney. (1151—2)

In the matter of HUNMAN DASS, an insolvent.

On the 7th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

B. S. Ghosha, Attorney. (1152-2)

In the matter of JOSEPH KERVER, an insolvent.

On the 8th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1153—2)

In the matter of SHAIKH SIKUNDER SIRKAR, an insolvent.

On the 10th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1154—2)

In the matter of KALI PROSONNO GHOSE, an insolvent.

On the 11th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1155—2)

In the matter of RUSSELL CECIL SMITH, an insolvent.

On the 11th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1156—2)

In the matter of CHARLES D'CRUZ and another, insolvents.

On the 13th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1157—2)

In the matter of RAJ CHUNDER KUNDU and others, insolvents.

On the 13th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvents in person. (1158—2)

In the matter of KASISWAR MOCKERJEE, an insolvent.

On the 15th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. G. Roy, Attorney. (1159—2)

In the matter of GIRISH CHUNDER CHUCKERBUTTY, an insolvent.

On the 21st day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. N. De, Attorney. (1160—2)

In the matter of D. H. J. ARAKIE COHEN, an insolvent

On the 15th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1161—2)

In the matter of A. D. SINCLAIR, an insolvent.

On the 6th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1162—2)

In the matter of MARY MARIA ALDER, an insolvent.

On the 6th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Fox and Mandal, Attorneys. (1163—2)

In the matter of JOHN GEORGE FINNEY, an insolvent.

On the 10th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1164—2)

In the matter of BALCHAND, NEEMCHAND, insolvents.

On the 17th day of August last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said insolvents be discharged personally as well as to their after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvents at the time of their adjudication.

J. K. Fox, Attorney. (1165—2)

In the matter of NOORAL HOSSEIN KHAN, an insolvent.

On the 30th day of August last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

K. L. Burral, Attorney. (1166—2)

In the matter of KRISTO DHONE DUTT, an insolvent.

On the 30th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. C. Dutt, Attorney. (1171—2)

In the matter of NUDDEA CHAND SANYASI and others, insolvents.

On the 7th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1172—2)

In the matter of K. P. MARWAN and another, insolvents.

On the 13th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Fox and Mundle, Attorneys. (1173—2)

In the matter of KANAI LAL SHAHOO, an insolvent.

On the 15th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1174—2)

In the matter of BENODE BEHARY GHOSE, an insolvent.

On the 10th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

G. K. Ghose, Attorney. (1175—2)

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.	Route by which despatched.
	1906. P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *viâ* United Kingdom and East Africa *viâ* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *viâ* United Kingdom or Aden).	Nov. 15 At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	14 Parcels, 5 P.M.; M.-O., 4 P.M.	Ditto ditto
* Australasian Colonies ...	19 At 7-30	*Viâ* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
† Straits Settlements, China and Japan.	15 , 8-30	Per steamer *Upear*.
Burma	15 , 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	17 , 7-30	
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	16 , 7-30	Ditto ditto.
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	19 , 7-30	
South Africa (Letters) ...	14 , 7-30	
Ditto (Parcels)	14 , 5	Per steamer *Umbilo* from Colombo.
South Africa (Letters), Supplemental.	15 7-30	
Ditto (Parcels), Supplemental.	15	
Mauritius, Réunion, Mayotte and Nossi-Bé.	17 , 7-30	Per steamer *Muttra* from Colombo.
Ditto (Supplemental.)	18 , 7-30	
Port Blair	17 7-30	*Viâ* Madras.

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that they may proceed by any steamer from Colombo that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

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1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—
   For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 6 A.M.
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   For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.
   For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 4-15 P.M.
   For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore *viâ* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 1-15 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 1-35 P.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—
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   For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-55 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 4-15 P.M.
   For the Bombay Mail *viâ* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
   For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
   For Midnapore, Orissa, Madras Presidency and Ceylon, at 7-30 P.M.
   For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
   For the Eastern Bengal Mail, Darjeeling, and places on the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway, at 7-30 P.M.
   } and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—
   For the Bombay Mail *viâ* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
   For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
   For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
   For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
   For Midnapore, Orissa, Madras Presidency and Ceylon, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

4. Articles for Burma and for Port Blair by sea are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M., and late registered letters on the days on which direct mails are closed will be received from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. with a late fee of 2 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the letters.

5. On the latest safe day of despatch of Mails for the Australasian Colonies, or any other Foreign Countries, *viâ* Madras or Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time at 7-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 8-45 P.M., and late registered letters will be received from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

6. On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Thursday) the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles, without the late fee, at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-45 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On the day of despatch of any Foreign Mail by sea, the letter-box will be cleared for the last time, without the late fee, up to 8-30 P.M., and late letters and papers up to 9 P.M. and late registered letters will be received from 6 P.M to 7 P.M. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 12th November 1906.* } JOHN OWENS, *Presidency Postmaster.*

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 9th November 1906.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water sounding. Ft.	in	Remarks.
	Entrance from Ganges ...	11	3	
	Thence to Geriah ...	4	6	Mominto'a.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	4	6	Kanupur
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	3	0	Azamganj.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa...	5	0	Malini..
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	8	6	Matiary.
Bhairab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	3	0	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	6	0	Chakharparah.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	4	9	Hariampur.
	Thence to Patkabari	7	6	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	6	6	Turanagar.
Matha-bhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...	3	6	
	Thence to Dewangan) ...	5	6	Dewanganj.
	From Dewangan) to Shikarpur	4	6	Jhowtola.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...	4	9	Mohomedpur.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...	7	3	Mahishpur.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissengan) and Hanakhali ...	9	6	Shibnibash.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date	Hour	Height above zero	Height above mean sea level.	Remarks
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges ..	Shebganj ..	10-11-1906	8	4·09	72·00	Falling.
	Rampur Boalia...	.....	..	...	...	...
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah...	11-11-1906	A.M. 7	10·75	55·75	Falling.
	Entrance of Bhairab Jalangi, Akriganj ..	11-11-1906	A.M. 7	5·63	43·69	Do.
	Entrance of Matabhanga ...	.....	..	..	...	..
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	11-11-1906	A.M. 8	26·10	62·90	Falling.
	Berhampore ...	12-11-1906	A.M. 7	8·00	41·75	Do.
	Katwa ...	10-11-1906	P.M. 5	10·70	25·86	Do.
Jalangi	Krisnnagar ...	9-11-1906	...	13·50	...	Do.
	Sarupganj ...	11-11-1906	Noon 12	9·60	9·60	Do.
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali ...	10-11-1906	P.M. 4	9·50	19·90	Do.

U. P. BAGCHI, *Acctt.*,
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Bills of the Bengal Council.

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The 13th November, 1906.—The following Bills were introduced in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal on the 10th November, 1906, and are hereby published for information, together with the Statements of Objects and Reasons and Notes on Clauses.

[THE BENGAL TENANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1906.]

BILL

to amend and supplement the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, in the manner hereinafter appearing; VIII of 1885.

And whereas the previous sanction of the Governor General has been obtained under section 5 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, to the passing of this Act; 55 & 56 Vict., c. 14.

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title and extent.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1907.

The Bengal Tenancy (Amendment) Bill, 1906.

(*Clauses 2-7.*)

(*2*) It shall extend to all the territories for the time being under the administration of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in which the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, is in force. VIII of 1885.

Repeal of sections 40 and 45 of Act VIII of 1885.

2. Sections 40 and 45 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, are hereby repealed. VIII of 1885.

Addition of Explanation to sub-section (*3*) of section 1.

3. To sub-section (*3*) of section 1 of the said Act, the following Explanation shall be added, namely:—

"*Explanation.*—The words 'the town of Calcutta' mean, subject to the exclusion or inclusion of any local area by notification under section 637 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, the area described in Schedule I to that Act." [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1899, s. 3 (*7*)]. Ben. Act III of 1899.

Amendment of section 3, sub-section (*5*).

4. (*1*) In sub-section (*5*) of section 3 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885,—

(*a*) after the word "money," where it occurs for the first time, and

(*b*) after the words "as if it was rent,"

the words "together with interest due thereon, or damages granted in lieu of interest" shall be inserted and added, respectively.

(*2*) In the same sub-section after the word and figures "Chapter XII" the word and figures "Chapter XIV" shall be inserted.

Addition to section 12.

5. To section 12 of the said Act, the following shall be added, namely:—

"(*4*) Nothing contained in any deed of transfer to which the landlord is not a party shall be evidence against the landlord of the permanence, fixity of rent, specification of area, transferability or any incident of any tenure or holding referred to in such deed."

New sections 17A and 17B.

6. After section 17 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"17A. The acceptance by a landlord of the fees payable under the foregoing sections and under section 18, clause (*a*), shall not operate— Saving as to acceptance of fees.

(*a*) as an admission as to the permanence, fixity of rent, specification of area, transferability or any incident of the tenure or holding, for which such fees have been paid, or

(*b*) as an express consent, under the provisions of section 88, to the division of the tenure or holding, or to the distribution of the rent thereof.

"17B. All fees now in deposit, or which may hereafter be deposited, under the foregoing sections and under section 18, clause (*a*), for payment to a landlord, may, unless claimed by the landlord within six months from the date of the commencement of this Act or from the date of service of the notice prescribed in sections 12, 13 and 15, whichever is later, be declared to be forfeited to the Government." Forfeiture of unclaimed fees.

Amendment of section 19.

7. (*1*) Section 19 of the said Act shall be re-numbered section 19, sub-section (*1*).

The Bengal Tenancy (Amendment) Bill, 1906.

(Clauses 8-11.

(*2*) In the said sub-section (*1*), after the words "this Act," in both places where they occur, the words, brackets and figures "or the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1907," shall be inserted. Ben. Act of 1907.

(*3*) After the said sub-section (*1*), the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*2*) The inclusion of any land in the town of Calcutta by notification under section 637 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, shall not affect any right of occupancy previously acquired in such land." Ben. Act III of 1899.

Amendment of section 22.

8. In section 22 of the said Act,—

(*a*) for the words "the occupancy-right" in sub-section (*1*), and

(*b*) for the word "it" in sub-section (*2*),

the words "the tenancy" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 37.

9. In section 37 of the said Act, for the figures "40" the figures and letter "71A" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 38, sub-section (*1*).

10. (*1*) In sub-section (*1*) of section 38 of the said Act, after the word and brackets "(namely)" the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*a*) on the ground that the rate of rent paid by the raiyat is above the prevailing rate paid by occupancy-raiyats for land of a similar description and with similar advantages in the same village or neighbouring villages, and that there is no sufficient reason for his holding at so high a rate, or"

and the existing clauses (*a*) and (*b*) shall be re-lettered clauses (*b*) and (*c*), respectively.

(*2*) To the same sub-section the following proviso shall be added, namely :—

"Provided that where the rent of an occupancy-raiyat has been fixed or settled—

(*i*) by a lawful contract, or

(*ii*) by a Revenue-officer acting under the provisions of Chapter X, or

(*iii*) by a decree of any Court other than a decree passed *ex-parte*, or on confession of judgment or on any compromise between the parties,

such raiyat shall not be entitled to institute a suit for the reduction of his rent on the ground specified in clause (*a*)."

Addition to section 52.

11. To section 52 of the said Act, the following shall be added, namely :—

"(*6*) When in a suit under this section the landlord or tenant proves that there is a custom, in the village in which the tenure or holding is situate, of settlement being made after measurement of the land assessed with rent, it may be presumed that the area of the tenure or holding specified in any patta, kabuliyat, or rent-roll relating to it has been entered in such patta, kabuliyat or rent-roll after measurement."

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(*Clauses 12-14.*)

Amendment of section 58.

12. In section 58 of the said Act, for sub-section (*3*), the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"(*3*) If a landlord or his agent without reasonable cause, the burden of proving which shall lie on him, fails to deliver to the tenant a receipt or statement, or to prepare and retain a counterfoil or copy of a receipt or statement as required by either of the said sections, the landlord or his agent, as the case may be, may be punished on summary trial and conviction before the Collector with fine, which may amount to fifty rupees.

(*4*) The Collector may take cognizance of an offence under this section, either on information received from a Revenue-officer, or upon complaint of the party aggrieved, or upon the report of a Civil Court; and it shall be the duty of every Revenue and Judicial Officer to report to the Collector all such cases as may come to his knowledge.

(*5*) Where, in any case under sub-section (*3*), the Collector convicts the landlord or his agent, as the case may be, and is satisfied that the tenant has not already instituted a suit under the provisions of sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*),

the Collector may, on the application of the tenant, made either orally or in writing, award to the tenant such compensation not exceeding the penalty prescribed in sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*), as the case may be, as he thinks fit.

(*6*) A tenant to whom compensation has been awarded by the Collector under sub-section (*5*) shall not be entitled thereafter to institute a suit under the provisions of sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*) to recover any penalty from the landlord in respect of the same matter.

(*7*) Where, in any case under sub-section (*3*), the Collector acquits the landlord or his agent, as the case may be, and is satisfied that the complaint or information of the tenant on which the proceedings were instituted is false or vexatious, the Collector may, in his discretion, by his order of acquittal, direct the tenant to pay to such landlord or agent such compensation, not exceeding fifty rupees, as the Collector thinks fit. [*Cf.* Act V of 1898, s. 250 (*1*)].

(*8*) An appeal shall lie to the Commissioner of the Division against any order of the Collector imposing a fine under sub-section (*3*) or awarding compensation under sub-section (*7*), and the orders passed by the Commissioner on such appeal shall be final and conclusive."

New section 68A.

13. After section 68 of the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"*Damages for denial of landlord's title.*

"68A. (*1*) When, in any suit between a landlord and tenant as such, the tenant renounces his character as tenant of the landlord by setting up without reasonable and probable cause title in a third person or himself, the Court may pass a decree in favour of the landlord for such amount of damages, not exceeding ten times the amount of the annual rent payable by the tenant, as it may consider to be just. [*Cf.* Act V of 1882, s. 111].

Damages for denial of landlord's title.

(*2*) The amount of damages decreed under sub-section (*1*), together with any interest accruing due thereon, shall, subject to the landlord's charge for rent, be a first charge on the tenure or holding of the tenant; and the landlord may execute such decree for damages and interest, either as a decree for a sum of money, or, subject to the provisions of section 158B, in any of the modes in which a decree for rent may be executed."

Addition to section 69.

14. To section 69 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely :—

"(*4*) No order shall be passed on an application, under this section when, previously to such application, an application under section 121 for the distraint of the crops of a tenant has been made by the landlord and admitted by the Civil Court, and, if,

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after an order has been passed under this section, it appears that an application for the distraint of the tenant's crops has been made to the Civil Court before the application was made under this section, the Collector shall stay all proceedings under this section."

New section 71A.

15. After section 71 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"*Commutation.*

"71A. (*1*) Where a raiyat pays for a holding rent in kind, or on the estimated value of a portion of the crop, or at rates varying with the crop, or partly in one of these ways and partly in another, either such raiyat or his landlord may apply to have the rent commuted to a money-rent. [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 40]

Commutation of rent payable in kind.

(*2*) The application may be made to the Collector or Sub-divisional Officer or to an officer making a survey and record-of-rights under Chapter X, or to any other officer specially authorized in this behalf by the Local Government.

(*3*) On the receipt of the application the officer may determine the sum to be paid as money-rent, and may order that the raiyat shall, in lieu of paying his rent in kind, or otherwise as aforesaid, pay the sum so determined.

(*4*) In making the determination the officer shall have regard to—

(*a*) the average money-rent payable by raiyats of the same class for land of a similar description and with similar advantages in the vicinity;

(*b*) the average value of the rent actually received by the landlord during the preceding ten years, or during any shorter period for which evidence may be available; and

(*c*) the charges incurred by the landlord in respect of cultivation or irrigation under the rent system previously in force, and the arrangements made on commutation for continuing those charges.

(*5*) The order shall be in writing, shall state the grounds on which it is made, and the time from which it is to take effect, and shall be subject to appeal in like manner as if it were an order made in an ordinary revenue proceeding.

(*6*) If the application is opposed, the officer shall consider whether under all the circumstances of the case it is reasonable to grant it, and shall grant or refuse it accordingly. If he refuses it, he shall record in writing the reasons for the refusal."

Amendment of section 88.

16. (*1*) In section 88 of the said Act, for the words "with his consent in writing," the words "with his express consent in writing, or with that of his duly authorized agent" shall be substituted.

(*2*) To the same section the following proviso shall be added, namely:—

"Provided that, if there is proved to have been made in a landlord's rent-roll any entry showing that the tenure or holding of any tenant has been divided, or that the rent payable in respect thereof has been distributed, such landlord may be presumed to have given his express consent in writing thereto within the meaning of this section."

Amendment of sub-section (*2*) of section 101.

17. In sub-section (*2*) of section 101 of the said Act,—

(*1*) For clause (*a*) the following clause shall be substituted, namely:—

"(*a*) where—

(*i*) the landlord or tenants, or

(*ii*) a proportion of not less than one-fourth of the total number of landlords, or

(*iii*) a proportion of landlords, the aggregate of whose interests in the lands of the local area, estate or tenure or part thereof is not less in value than one-fourth of the total value of the interests of all the landlords therein, or

(*iv*) a proportion of not less than one-fourth of the total number of tenants,

applies or apply for such an order, and on his or their depositing, or giving security for such amount for the payment of expenses as the Local Government directs;".

(*2*) To clause (*c*) the following shall be added, namely :—

"or a Manager appointed by the District Judge under the provisions of section 95;".

(*3*) To the first *Explanation* to clause (*d*) the following shall be added, namely :—

"but does not render it necessary to settle the rents of tenants of every class in an estate or tenure belonging to Government, when it does not appear to the Government to be expedient to do so."

New clause (*cc*) in section 102.

18. After clause (*c*) of section 102 of the said Act, the following clause shall be inserted, and shall be deemed to have been so inserted from the commencement of the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1898, namely :— Ben. Act III of 1898.

"(*cc*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;".

Insertion of section 102A in Act VIII of 1885.

19. After section 102 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, the following shall be inserted, namely :— VIII of 1885.

"102A. The Local Government may,

Power to order survey and preparation of record-of-rights as to water.

for the purpose of settling or averting disputes existing or likely to arise between landlords and tenants, or between tenants and tenants, or between landlords or tenants and riparian proprietors,

make an order directing that a survey be made, and a record-of-rights be prepared, by a Revenue-officer, in order to ascertain and record the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in any local area, estate or tenure or part thereof, in respect of—

(*a*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply; and

(*b*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land."

Amendment of section 103B.

20. For section 103B of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"103B. (*1*) In any suit or other proceeding in which a record-of-rights prepared and published under this Chapter, or a duly certified copy thereof, or extract therefrom, is produced, such record-of-rights shall be presumed to have been finally published, unless this is expressly denied, and a certificate signed

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by the Revenue officer, or by the Collector of any district in which the local area, estate or tenure or part thereof to which the record-of-rights relates, is wholly or partly situate, stating that a record-of-rights has been finally published under this Chapter, shall be conclusive evidence of such publication.

(*2*) The Local Government may, by notification, declare, with regard to any specified area, that a record-of-rights has been finally published for every village included in such area, and such notification shall be conclusive evidence of such publication.

(*3*) Every entry in a record-of-rights so published shall be evidence of the matter referred to in such entry, and shall be presumed to be correct until it is proved by evidence to be incorrect.

Amendment of heading to Part II of Chapter X.

21. In the heading to Part II of Chapter X of the said Act, for the words "*decision of disputes*" the words "*disposal of objections*" shall be substituted.

Addition to section 105 (*4*).

22. To sub-section (*4*) of section 105 of the said Act, the following shall be added, namely :—

"and may, if the circumstances are, in his opinion, such as to make it practicable and expedient to prepare a table of rates, frame a table of rates, and settle and record all or any of the rents on the basis of such rates in the manner described in sections 104B, 104C and 104D." [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 104 A (*1*)(*c*)].

Addition to section 109A.

23. To section 109A of the said Act the following shall be added, namely :—

"(*4*) A note of all rents settled and of all decisions of disputes on revision or appeal, under section 108 or section 109A, shall be made in the record-of-rights finally published under section 103A, and such note shall be considered as part of the record." [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 107 (*2*)].

New section 109B.

24. In Part IV of Chapter X of the said Act, immediately before section 110, the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"109B. In ascertaining and recording the rents payable, and in deciding disputes under this Chapter, the Revenue-officer may give effect to any lawful agreement or compromise made or entered into by the landlord and tenant, and may frame the record accordingly ; [*Cf.* Act XIV of 1882, s. 375.]

Power of Revenue-officer to give effect to agreement or compromise.

but he may refuse to do so, if, for reasons to be recorded, he considers the agreement or compromise to be illegal or unfair and inequitable,

and he shall not give effect to any agreement or compromise which contravenes the provisions of section 29."

Amendment of section 112.

25. (*1*) In sub-section (*1*) of section 112 of the said Act, the words "acting under this Chapter" shall be omitted.

(*2*) After sub-section (*1*) of the said section the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*2*) The Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, invest a Revenue-officer with power to settle or reduce rents under this section, after satisfying himself that the landlord is demanding rents which have been illegally enhanced above those entered as payable in a record-of-rights prepared under this Chapter." ;

and the existing sub-sections (*2*) and (*3*) shall be re-numbered sub-sections (*3*) and (*4*), respectively.

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(5) After sub-section (4) the following shall be added, namely:—

"(5) The provisions of sections 104 to 104J (both inclusive) shall apply to a settlement of rent made under this section."

Amendment of section 113(1).

26. In sub-section (1) of section 113 of the said Act for the word, letter and brackets "clause (a)" the word, letter and brackets "clause (b)" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 114.

27. In section 114 of the said Act,—

(1) In sub-section (1),—

(a) the words "by the Government" shall be omitted, and

(b) for the words "from time to time in the maintenance," the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"at any time, whether before or after the preparation of the record-of-rights, in the maintenance, repair or restoration".

(2) After sub-section (1), the following shall be inserted namely:—

"(2) The estimated amount of the expenses likely to be incurred for the maintenance, repair or restoration of boundary-marks for a period not exceeding fifteen years, or such part of such expenses as the Local Government may direct, may be recovered in advance in the same manner as if they had been already incurred.";

and the present sub-section (2) shall be re-numbered sub-section (3).

(3) After sub-section (3), the following shall be added, namely:—

"(4) The cost of the preparation of copies of the survey maps and record-of-rights, prepared under this Chapter for distribution to landlords and tenants, shall be deemed to be part of the expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions of this Chapter."

Addition to heading to Chapter XI.

28. To the heading to Chapter XI of the said Act the following words shall be prefixed, namely:—

"NON-ACCRUAL OF OCCUPANCY AND NON-OCCUPANCY RIGHTS, AND"

Amendment of section 116.

29. In section 116 of the said Act, after the words "shall apply to" the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"lands acquired under the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, for the Government or for any local body or for a Railway Company, or lands belonging to the Government within a cantonment under the Cantonments Act, 1889, while such lands remain the property of the Government, or of such local body or Railway Company, or to". I of 1894. XIII of 1889.

New sections 147A and 147B.

30. After section 147 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, the following shall be inserted, namely:— VIII of 1885

"147A. (1) The provisions of section 375 of the Code of Civil Procedure shall not apply to any suit between landlord and tenant as such. XIV of 1882.

Compromise of suits between landlord and tenant.

(2) Where any suit between landlord and tenant as such is adjusted wholly or in part by any lawful agreement or compromise, or if the defendant satisfies the plaintiff in respect to [Cf. Act X of 1882, s. 375.]

the whole or any part of the matter of the suit, the Court may pass a decree in accordance with such agreement, compromise or satisfaction, so far as it relates to the suit;

but may refuse to do so if, for reasons to be recorded, it considers such agreement, compromise or satisfaction to be illegal or unfair and inequitable.

(*3*) No decree shall be passed in accordance with any agreement or compromise which contravenes the provisions of section 29.

(*4*) A decree passed in accordance with any lawful agreement, compromise or satisfaction shall be final so far as it relates to so much of the subject-matter of the suit as is dealt with by such agreement, compromise or satisfaction.

Regard to be paid by Civil Courts to entries in record-of-rights.

"147B. In all areas in which a record-of-rights has been prepared and finally published under sub-section (*2*) of section 103A, a Civil Court shall, in all suits between landlord and tenant as such, have regard to the entries in such record-of-rights referring to the land in dispute which may be produced before it, unless such entries have been proved by evidence to be incorrect, and, when a Civil Court passes a decree at variance with such entries, it shall record its reasons for so doing."

New clause (*bb*) in section 148.

31. (*1*) In section 148 of the said Act, after clause (*b*), the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*bb*) where the suit is for the rent of land situated within an area in which a record-of-rights has been prepared and published, the plaint shall, unless the Court is satisfied that the plaintiff was prevented by any sufficient cause from furnishing such statement, further contain a statement of the rental of the tenancy according to the record-of-rights :

Provided that, if the Court sees fit at any time to require it, a verified or certified copy of, or extract from, the record-of-rights relating to the tenancy shall be produced by the plaintiff, or shall, if necessary, on the requisition of the Court, be supplied by the Collector without payment of fee :".

(*2*) After clause (*f*) of the same section, the following shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*ff*) where any account-books, rent-rolls, or collection or measurement papers have been produced by a landlord in any Court in a suit pending therein, copies of, or extracts from, such documents, which have been certified by a duly authorized officer of such Court to be true copies or extracts, may be admitted in evidence in proof of the originals in any other suit instituted in the same or another Court, unless the Court in which such copies or extracts are produced sees fit to require the production of the originals :".

Amendment of section 153.

32. (*1*) Section 153 of the said Act shall be re-numbered section 153, sub-section (*1*).

(*2*) To section 153 the following shall be added, namely :—

"(*2*) Where, in a suit instituted by a landlord for the recovery of rent, no appeal lies under this section, no appeal shall lie from any order passed in execution of the decree in such suit."

New section 158A.

33. After section 158 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"*Summary Procedure for the Recovery of Rents under the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895.*" Ben. Act I of 1895.

"158A. (*1*) Any landlord whose land is situate in an area in which a record-of-rights has been prepared and published, and in which such record is periodically revised, [*Cf.* Bom. Act V of 1879, ss. 86, 88.]

Recovery of arrears by application of procedure prescribed in the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895, in certain areas.

may apply to the Local Government, through the Collector of the district in which his land is situate, for the application of the procedure prescribed by the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895 [as amended by the Bengal Public Demands Recovery (Amendment) Act, 1897], to the recovery of the arrears of rent which he alleges are due to him for lands in such area. Ben. Act I of 1895. Ben. Act I of 1897.

(*2*) The Local Government may refuse to allow the landlord's application, or may allow it subject to such terms and conditions as it may see fit to impose, and may at any time add to or vary those terms and conditions, or withdraw its allowance of the application, without, in any of these cases, assigning any reason for its action.

(*3*) When any such application has been allowed, such Revenue Officer as may be appointed for the purpose may,

after inquiry and after inspection of the landlord's rent-rolls, accounts and collection papers, in accordance with such rules as the Local Government may prescribe in this behalf under this Act,

issue certificates for the recovery of the arrears alleged to be due in the Form prescribed therefor, and any such certificate shall, as regards the remedies for enforcing the same and so far only, have the force and effect of a decree of a Civil Court.

(*4*) The following provisions of the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895 [as amended by the Bengal Public Demands Recovery (Amendment) Act, 1897] shall, so far as they are applicable, apply to all certificates for the recovery of rent issued under sub-section (*3*), namely:— Ben. Act I of 1895. Ben. Act I of 1897.

'the proviso to sub section (*1*) of section 7, and sections 10 to 17 (both inclusive), 19 to 22 (both inclusive), 23, 25, 26, and 29 to 33 (both inclusive).'

(*5*) No landlord shall institute a suit in a Civil Court for the recovery of any arrears of rent in respect of which he has applied for the issue of a certificate;

and no tenant, after the issue of any certificate against him, shall institute a suit in, or apply to, a Civil Court for the alteration of the rent payable by him, or the determination of his status as a tenant, in respect of the period during which the arrears of rent for which such certificate has been issued against him has accrued."

New section 158B.

34. In Chapter XIV of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, immediately before section 159, the following shall be inserted, namely:— VIII of 1885.

"158 B. (*1*) Where a tenure or holding is sold in execution of a decree for arrears due in respect thereof, or of a decree for damages under section 68A, the tenure or holding shall pass to the purchaser, provided that the decree in execution of which it has been sold has been obtained by—

Passing of tenure or holding sold in execution of decree.

(*a*) a sole landlord; or

(*b*) the entire body of landlords; or

(*c*) one or more co-sharer landlords, who has, or have, sued for the rent due to all the co-sharers in respect of the whole tenure or holding and made all the remaining co-sharers parties defendant to the suit.

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(*2*) On one or more co-sharer landlords, who has, or have, sued for the rent due to all the co-sharers in respect of the whole tenure or holding and made the remaining co-sharers parties defendant to the suit, applying for the execution of the decree by the sale of the tenure or holding, the Court shall, before proceeding to sell the tenure or holding, give notice to the other co-sharers."

Amendment of sub section (*1*) of section 169 and addition of proviso.

35. (*1*) In clause (*c*) of sub-section (*1*) of section 169 of the said Act, after the words "the date of" the words "the confirmation of" shall be inserted.

(*2*) To the said sub-section the following proviso shall be added, namely:—

"Provided that, where a tenure or holding has been sold in execution of a decree obtained by one or more co-sharer landlords, who has, or have, sued for rent due to all the co-sharers in respect of the whole tenure or holding and made all the remaining co-sharers parties defendant to the suit,—

(*i*) payment of the amount due under such decree shall, notwithstanding anything contained in clause (*b*), be made to the decree-holder and to the other co-sharer landlords in proportion to the amount found due to each, and,

(*ii*) if there remains a balance, payment of any rent which may have fallen due in respect of the tenure or holding between the institution of the suit and the date of the confirmation of the sale shall, notwithstanding anything contained in clause (*c*), but subject to the determination, in the manner and with the effect mentioned in sub-section (*2*), of any dispute as to their respective rights to receive such rent, be made to the said decree-holder and the other co-sharer landlords in proportion to their respective shares in the tenure or holding;"

Amendment of section 170.

36. In section 170 of the said Act, after the words and brackets "(both inclusive)," the word, figures and letter "and 310A" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 174.

37. To the proviso to sub-section (*2*) of section 174 of the said Act, the following shall be added, namely:—

"and if he applies under this section, he shall not be entitled to make an application under section 311 of the Code of Civil Procedure." XIV of 188

Amendment of sub-section (*3*) of section 178.

38. (*1*) In clause (*g*) of sub-section (*3*) of section 178 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, for the figures "40" the figures and letter "71A" shall be substituted. VIII of 1885

(*2*) In proviso (*iii*) to the same sub-section, after the words "cultivation of" the words "horticultural or" shall be inserted.

New section 183A.

39. After section 188 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"188A. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, every suit instituted by one or more joint landlords, whose share of the rent of a tenure or holding is collected separately, for the recovery of the arrears of such share, shall be subject to the provisions of sections 143 to 153 (both inclusive), 168, 169, 184 and 185.

Procedure in suits by joint landlords, with separate collection.

(*2*) A decree obtained in any such suit may, subject to the provisions of section 158B, be executed in the manner prescribed in the Code of Civil Procedure for the execution of a decree directing a party to pay money, and no other provision of Chapter XIV of this Act shall apply to any such decree." XIV of 1882

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New clauses (2) and (3) in section 189.

40. For sub-section (2) of section 189 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, the following shall be substituted, namely:— VIII of 1885.

"(2) to prescribe forms and the mode of service of notices under this Act where no form or mode is prescribed by this or any other Act;

(3) to prescribe the authority by which the fees deposited under sections 12, 13, 15, 17 and 18, clause (*a*), may be declared to be forfeited, and the mode in which such fees when so forfeited shall be dealt with."

Amendment of section 191.

41. In section 191 of the said Act, for the words "has never been" the words "is not" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 192.

42. In section 192 of the said Act, before the words "fix a fair and equitable rent" the words "or of his own motion" shall be inserted.

Amendment of Schedule III.

43. In Schedule III to the said Act,—

(1) After Article 1 the following shall be inserted, namely:—

1(*a*) To eject a non-occupancy raiyat on the ground of the expiration of the term of his lease.	Six months	...	The expiration of the term.

(2) In Article 3, for the words "an occupancy raiyat" the words "a raiyat or an under-raiyat" shall be substituted.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE objects of this Bill are—

(1) while, on the one hand, giving landlords greater facilities for the collection of their rents yet, on the other, to discourage their evading the provisions of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, with regard to the enhancement of rent by entering into unfair, inequitable and collusive compromises with their tenants;

(2) to give greater authority to the record-of-rights, when such record has been duly prepared and published;

(3) to give power to Government to distinguish between good and bad landlords, and to take steps in the case of the latter for the reduction of rents, when they appear to have been so unduly enhanced as to be oppressive to the cultivators of the soil, and

(4) to revise the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, to the extent of removing such defects in it as the working of the Act during the past twenty years has brought to light, and such ambiguities and anomalies as have given rise to conflict of opinion and judicial decision.

An explanation of the provisions of the Bill is given in the subjoined *Notes on Clauses*.

NOTES ON CLAUSES.

Clause 2.—Section 40, though repealed is reproduced in an amended form as section 71A. Experience has shown that the necessity to serve a notice to quit on a non-occupancy raiyat holding under a lease is often overlooked by the landlord, and that, even when served, the landlord has no means of proving service. It is therefore proposed to dispense with the notice by repeal of section 45, at the same time transferring the provision as to limitation for a suit for ejectment of a non-occupancy raiyat to Schedule III of the Act.

Clause 3.—In the ruling of the High Court, reported in I. L. R., 27 Calc., 202, it has been held that occupancy rights may accrue in those areas which have been included within the Town of Calcutta, subsequent to the passing of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885. It is undesirable that the Act should have any application to the Town of Calcutta, as it is now constituted, or as it may hereafter be constituted under any future extension or modification of its boundaries. The proposed Explanation to section 1 (*3*) of the Act will remove any doubts on the subject. The amendment projected in clause 7 of the Bill will prevent rights of occupancy already acquired, or acquired prior to a future extension of the Act, being affected.

Clause 4.—The object of this clause is so to widen the definition of rent as to make it clear that rent includes interest on arrears and cesses. Tenures and holdings can, under the existing law, only be sold free of incumbrances for arrears of rent, and, under the present definition and the High Court's ruling in Kailash Chandra Dey *versus* Tarak Nath Mandal (I. L. R., 25 Cal, 571), interest is not rent. It is apprehended that this ruling may give rise to difficulties in practice. A landlord's claim in a rent-suit almost invariably includes cesses and interest on arrears. It is to the interest of landlords and tenants alike that the law regarding the recovery of arrears of rent should be as simple as possible, and that rent, interest and cesses, lawfully due, should be recoverable by a single proceeding.

Clauses 5 and 6.—The working of sections 12 to 17 of the present Act, relating to the transfer of permanent tenures, is not satisfactory. They induce tenants to register transfers of tenures which are not really permanent, in the hope that the acceptance of the fee by the landlord will operate as an admission of the permanence and transferability of the tenure. The landlords, on the other hand, are reluctant to accept the fees, and the result is that a very large amount of unclaimed fees has accumulated in different districts in the province. This state of things is not only a source of embarrassment to Government, but also creates doubts and difficulties in regard to the position of the transferees of tenures. It is hoped that the amendments now proposed will overcome the reluctance of landlords to accept the fees in the case of tenures which are really permanent, and that tenants will be deterred thereby from registering transfers of tenures which are not of this character.

The same considerations apply to the transfer of, and succession to, holdings at fixed rents or rates of rent, and under section 18 (*a*) of the Act, these are governed by the same conditions. Clauses 5 and 6 have been so framed as to make the proposed amendments applicable to the case of holdings at fixed rents or rates of rent.

There is no provision in the Act for the disposal of unclaimed fees. As these have accumulated, and in order to expedite claims to fees due, thus freeing the district establishments from much extra work, it is proposed that the Government should have power to deal with them in such manner as it thinks fit.

Clause 7.—The necessity for the amendment of section 19 is explained in the note to clause 3, *supra*.

Clause 8.—The object of this amendment of section 22 is to counteract the ruling of the High Court in Zuwadul Huq's case (I. L. R., 24 Cal., 143) and the Full Bench ruling in

Ram Mohan Pal *versus* Sheikh Kachu (I. L. R., 32 Cal., 386). These decisions lay down a rule opposed to the policy of the authors of Act VIII of 1885, which was to discourage the acquisition of occupancy holdings by landlords.

Clause 9.—This clause is consequential upon clauses 2 and 15.

Clause 10.—It seems fair that an occupancy raiyat should be allowed to apply for reduction of rent on the ground that his rent is above the prevailing rates. The proposed addition to section 38 will enable him to do so. It is inadvisable, however, that raiyats should be allowed to institute suits on such a ground, in cases where their rents have been fixed or settled by a Revenue-officer under Chapter X of the Act, or by a lawful contract or a decree of Court. The proviso has been framed for this purpose.

Clause 11.—The law, as it stands at present, contains no provision for the proof of excess area, otherwise than by evidence of its specific existence in each case, and the decisions of the Courts have not always been in accordance with the intentions of the framers of the Amendment Act of 1898, who, by adding sub-section (5) to section 52, by implication suggested that excess area may be assessed to rent, even if the landlord is unable to indicate any particular land as held in excess. The proposed modification of section 52 will allow the custom of settlement on measurement to be taken as a presumption that the area of a tenure or holding mentioned in the landlord's papers has been ascertained by actual measurement, and thus make it easier for the landlords to prove the existence of excess area.

Clause 12.—The provisions of the Tenancy Act regarding the issue of proper rent receipts by landlords are very generally disregarded in certain parts of the Province. It is considered necessary to take more active measures to enforce them. At present the provisions of section 58 can only be set in motion on the complaint of the tenant and are practically inoperative. It is proposed, therefore, to give the Collector power to take action on reports received from Revenue or Judicial officers, who will be required to bring to the Collector's notice any breaches of the law which come to their knowledge. The power to require payment of compensation to the landlord will, it is hoped, to a large extent debar the bringing of false and vexatious complaints. In cases where the complaint is substantiated, the Collector should be empowered to award compensation to the tenant on the same scale as is provided in section 58 (1) and (2), and where compensation is so awarded by the Collector, the tenant should not be allowed to sue the landlord in the Civil Court for any penalty. It is inadvisable that tenants should be able to obtain damages in two different Courts; the amendments proposed will be sufficient to safeguard their rights and to secure obedience to the law.

Clause 13.—One of the main objects of the Bill is to give landlords greater facilities for collecting their rents. It is to a great extent owing to *malâ fide* denials of the landlord's title that ordinary rent-suits have in so many cases become complicated and protracted title suits. The proposed new section 68A will, it is hoped, be very effectual in preventing tenants from attempting to evade payment by the setting up of false titles, while at the same time protecting those who may have acted *bonâ fide*.

Clause 14.—The proposed addition to section 69 will prevent the powers of distraint at present enjoyed by landlords being rendered ineffectual. It is a common device of the tenants, as soon as the landlord applies to the Civil Court for distraint of their crops, to apply to the Collector for orders of appraisement under section 69. The Collector then prohibits the removal of the crops; so the landlords cannot prosecute their applications to distrain. The new sub-section is intended to defeat such devices.

Clause 15.—This clause transfers the provisions regarding the commutation of produce rents to a more appropriate place in the Act, and reproduces the present section 40 with certain modifications. Under section 40, only occupancy raiyats are allowed to apply for commutation. It seems reasonable that the same privilege should be conferred on all classes of raiyats. Under section 40 (2) the application may be made "to an officer making a settlement of rents under Chapter X." This phrase has given rise to difficulties in practice, as where a settlement of land revenue is not being or is not about to be made, settlement of rents does not take place until after final publication. It is therefore proposed to modify the sub-section with the object of allowing applications for commutation to be filed before any officer making a survey and record-of-rights under Chapter X.

Clause 16.—The ruling reported in I. L. R. 25 Calc., 531, has given rise to doubts as to the circumstances, in which consent to the division of a tenure or holding, or distribution of the rent payable in respect thereof, may be inferred from the conduct of the landlord. The amendment will make it clear that the landlord is only bound by an express consent in writing given by himself or a duly authorised agent. The ordinary practice, however, is for the landlord to signify his consent to the division of a tenure or holding and distribution of the rent payable, by making the necessary alteration in his rent-roll, and it is accordingly provided that where such an alteration has been made, it may be presumed that the landlord has given his express consent to the division.

Clause 17.—The words "a large proportion of the landlords or of the tenants" in section 101 (2) (*a*) are vague and have given rise to differences of interpretation. It is desirable that the proportion of landlords or tenants, who may apply for a survey and record-of-rights, should be more clearly defined; one-fourth has been adopted as a reasonable proportion. It is always open to the Government to grant or refuse such an application if it should think fit, and the Government has also the full discretion in regard to the apportionment of the costs of the operations under section 114. In the case of co-sharer landlords, either a fourth of the

total number, or a co-sharer or co-sharers representing a fourth of the total interests, should be permitted to apply. There is sometimes difficulty in getting co-sharers to join in such applications, and it is thought equitable that a considerable minority, such as one-fourth should be permitted to submit an application for the consideration of the Government.

The addition to section 101 (*2*) (*c*) made by the clause will enable a survey and record-of-rights to be made in the case of an estate placed under a Manager appointed by the District Judge under section 95. The proper management of such estates will often be greatly facilitated by survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights. It seems reasonable that they should be placed on the same footing as estates taken over by the Court of Wards

It has been held that *Explanation 1* to section 101 (*2*) (*d*), read with section 104 (*a*), renders it necessary to settle fair and equitable rents for tenants of every class, whenever a survey and record-of-rights is made in respect of a Government estate or tenure. This course is ordinarily adopted, but it is sometimes found inconvenient. The addition to the explanation therefore provides that it shall not be necessary to settle the rents of tenants of every class in a Government estate or tenure, when it does not appear to the Government to be expedient to do so.

Clause 18.—It has been the practice in most surveys and records-of-rights made within recent years to include among the particulars entered in the record-of-rights, a record of the rights and obligations of landlords and tenants with regard to the use of water for agricultural purposes. Conflicting opinions have been given by the legal advisers of the Government, as to whether such a record can be made under the present section 102. Such records have been found useful in areas in which irrigation is a matter of importance; this clause therefore, is intended to authorize the making of such records in future, and also to place beyond doubt the validity of those which have already been made.

Clause 19.— The object of this clause is to give the Local Government power to make a record of the rights and obligations of landlord and tenant in regard to the use of water for agricultural purposes, independently of a general record-of-rights under section 101, when such a course appears necessary for the purpose of settling or averting disputes.

Clause 20.– This clause modifies the present section 103B, with the object of defining more clearly the weight to be attached to the entries in a finally published record-of-rights and to facilitate the proof of final publication At present, difficulties are sometimes raised in the Appellate Courts owing to the certificate of final publication not having been produced in the Original Court, because the due publication of the record was not disputed there. There may also be difficulty in furnishing the necessary certificate, if it is called for, after the settlement operations have been concluded and the Revenue Officer has left the district. It is therefore proposed that the record-of-rights shall be presumed to have been finally published, unless this is expressly denied, and that a certificate signed by the Revenue Officer or by the Collector of the district, stating that the record-of-rights has been finally published, shall be conclusive evidence of such publication. It is also proposed to make the provisions of the section applicable to all suits and proceedings in which the record-of-rights may be produced.

Sub-section (*2*) of the proposed new section 103B, will obviate the necessity of producing a certificate regarding the final publication in every case in which there is a dispute.

Clause 21.—The amendment cures a defect in the wording of the heading of the Part, which does not deal with the decision of disputes.

Clause 22.—In settling rents under section 105 the existing rent, which, under section 105(*4*), is presumed to be fair and equitable, should be taken as the starting point; but frequently, owing to disputes between landlord and tenant, it is impossible to ascertain the existing rent. It is therefore desirable that a Settlement Officer acting under section 105 should have authority to fix rents in accordance with a table of rates, such as may be used in proceedings under section 104A, in cases where such a course is practicable and expedient.

Clause 23.—This clause is intended to rectify what was apparently an oversight in the Amendment Act of 1898. Under section 107 (*2*), the Revenue Officer is required to make in the record-of-rights a note of all rents settled under section 105 and of all decisions of disputes under section 106, and this note is declared to be a part of the record. There is no corresponding provision as to the entry of orders passed regarding such rents or disputes, on revision under section 108, or on appeal under section 109A. It is clearly advisable that a note of such revisional or appellate orders should be made in the record, in order to make the record complete. The clause provides for this being done. As appeals are frequently not decided till after the Settlement Officer has left the district, the proposed section abstains from prescribing by what officer the note of the revisional or appellate decision shall be made. The Government or the Board of Revenue will have power to prescribe this by rules made under the Act or by executive order.

Clause 24.—The object of this clause is to empower Revenue Officers making a record-of-rights under Chapter X to refrain from giving effect to illegal and inequitable compromises, and to make it obligatory on them to disregard compromises regarding the enhancement of rents by contract between landlord and tenant, if they contravene the provisions of section 29 of the Act. A large number of illegal and inequitable compromises regarding rent, status and other matters have been filed in the course of the settlement operations now being carried on throughout the Province, and Government has declared that it cannot consent to Revenue Officers being compelled to give effect to them in framing the record-of-rights. The necessity for adopting some such provision has been forced upon the Government by the action of certain zamindars.

Clause 25.—This clause is intended to give effect to one of the main objects of the Bill, *viz*, to enable Government to take steps to reduce rents, in cases where these have been illegally enhanced, so as to be oppressive to the cultivators of the soil. It is possible that the Government has power to take such action under section 112, as it stands at present, but that section was incorporated in the Tenancy Act under a guarantee that it would be used only in cases of agrarian disturbance Experience has shown, however, that certain landlords have been able to force illegal and oppressive rents on their tenantry, without creating any immediate agrarian disturbance. In such cases the Government proposes in future, to take action to reduce the excessive rents before any actual disturbance arises.

Clause 26.—This clause is consequential upon the amendment proposed in sub-section (*1*) of section 38.

Clause 27.—When a survey and record-of-rights are undertaken on the application of landlords and tenants, the costs are usually met in the first instance from deposits made by the applicants, and not from Government funds. In such cases, it is often equitable to recover a share of the expenses from the other landlords and tenants concerned, who also benefit by the preparation of the record-of-rights. The proposed omission will make clear the legality of this course.

In the course of survey and settlement operations, permanent boundary marks are erected at all points where the boundaries of three villages meet Arrangements are made for the repair and restoration of these marks from time to time as may be necessary, after the completion of the original survey proceedings. Such marks, if properly maintained, are of great utility in preventing boundary disputes from arising, and are, in fact, a valuable adjunct to the record-of-rights. It is therefore proposed to take power to recover in advance the estimated cost of the maintenance, repair and restoration of these boundary marks for a period of fifteen years together with the cost of the preparation of the record-of-rights. The cost of maintaining the boundary marks for fifteen years will be an insignificant addition to the cost of the preparation of the record-of-rights, and it will be more convenient both to the Government and to the landlords and tenants to collect both sums simultaneously, than to have a separate proceeding for the recovery of the cost of maintenance of boundary marks. The period of fifteen years has been fixed, because this is the time for which the rents of tenures and occupancy holdings settled under Chapter X have effect under section 113.

After the preparation of a record-of rights, it is usual to distribute copies of it, together with copies of the village maps to the landlords and tenants. No proceedings under Chapter X can be considered complete without this. In order to remove all doubt, it is proposed to provide that the cost of the preparation of these copies shall be deemed to be part of the expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions of the Chapter.

Clauses 28 and 29.—These clauses are intended to bar the accrual of occupancy and non-occupancy rights in lands acquired under the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, and the Cantonments Act, 1889, so long as they are the property of the Government or the local body or Railway Company for which they were acquired. It often happens that such lands are temporarily not required by the Government or the local body or Railway Company, but under the present law, if they are temporarily sublet to agricultural tenants, occupancy and non-occupancy rights accrue, and these have to be reacquired on payment of compensation, when the lands are again required for public purposes. This consideration often deters the Government, local bodies and Railway Companies from temporarily subletting such lands, where this course might be followed with advantage. In either case, whether the lands are temporarily sublet (the occupancy and non-occupancy rights being subsequently reacquired, when the land is again required for public purposes), or whether the lands are allowed to remain unlet from fear of this contingency, an unnecessary waste of public money occurs, and it is justifiable on this account to apply these special provisions to such lands.

Clause 30.—The proposed section 147A is intended to give to Civil Courts the same power to disregard illegal and inequitable compromises regarding rent and other matters in suits between landlord and tenant as such, as it is proposed to confer by clause 24 upon Revenue officers engaged in the preparation of the record-of-rights. Section 375 of the Code of Civil Procedure governs compromises filed in suits under the present law, and there is reason to believe that decrees have been passed giving effect to compromises containing illegal and inequitable provisions, and in particular that the provisions of section 29 regarding the limits of enhancement of rent by contract between landlord and tenant have frequently been nullified in this way. The addition to the law, which is now proposed, will enable the Civil Courts to refrain from giving effect to any compromise which is illegal, unfair or inequitable, and will make it obligatory on the Courts to refuse to give effect to any compromise which contravenes the provisions of section 29.

The proposed section 147B is intended to define more clearly the force to be attached to entries in the record-of-rights in proceedings and suits between landlord and tenant as such. Under the present Act, (section 103B), such entries are presumed to be correct until the contrary is proved. But cases have occurred which indicate that it is doubtful whether the Courts pay sufficient attention to this presumption. It is proposed therefore to provide that the Courts shall have regard to the entries in the record-of-rights, unless such entries have been proved by evidence to be incorrect, and that when a Court passes a decree at variance with such entries, it shall record its reasons for so doing.

Clause 31.—A large proportion of suits for arrears of rent are decided *ex parte* owing to the absence of the defendant raiyat. It is believed that in such cases it is the practice

of the Civil Courts to pass a decree in accordance with the landlord's claim, without any reference to the entry in the record-of-rights of the rent payable. It is generally recognised that it is desirable that the Court should have regard to the entry of rent in the record-of-rights in all suits for arrears of rent. Various expedients have been suggested for giving effect to this. It is intended to require the landlord to include in the plaint a statement of the rental of the tenancy according to the record-of-rights, and to give the Court power, when it thinks necessary, to procure from the Collector's office a verified or certified copy of, or extract from, the record-of-rights relating to the tenancy, without payment of any fee. This will save landlords the trouble and expense of procuring certified copies for themselves.

Much inconvenience is caused to landlords, owing to their original rent-rolls, collection and measurement papers and account books having to be simultaneously filed in Court in different suits for the recovery of arrears of rent. The new clause (*ff*) provides that, when the originals have been once produced in Court in any suit, the landlord may be permitted to file certified copies or extracts in subsequent suits.

Clause 32.—The ruling reported in I. L. R., 32 Calc., 957, lays down that there may be a second appeal in an execution proceeding in a suit for the recovery of rent, even when there is no such right of appeal in the original suit. It is undesirable that execution proceedings should be protracted in this way, and the object of the clause is to limit the right of appeal in an execution proceeding to that provided for the original suit.

Clause 33.—The provision of a summary procedure for the recovery of rents has for many years been urged upon the Government by landholders. The delay and expense caused by the present system are admitted, but hitherto no scheme, which has been put forward, has commended itself The fact that records-of-rights have now been prepared for large areas in the province justifies a reconsideration of the matter. Where a record-of-rights has been prepared and is periodically revised or maintained, the annual demand due from each individual raiyat is accurately known. The only question at issue in a rent suit will be the amount due from the raiyat for the period for which rent is claimed in the suit. If the landlord's accounts and collection papers are properly maintained, and if proper rent-receipts in foil and counterfoil are habitually kept and given as required by law, this will, in the great majority of cases, be an easy matter to determine. It is therefore proposed that in areas in which a record-of-rights has been prepared and published and is periodically revised, the Local Government should take power to allow the recovery of arrears of rent by the application of the procedure prescribed by the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895, in the case of those landlords to whom, in the opinion of the Government, this privilege may safely be conceded. It is further proposed that the issue of certificates should be entrusted to a Revenue Officer, who shall have power to inspect the landlord's rent-rolls, accounts and collection papers, and to compare the receipts given to the raiyats with the counterparts kept by the zamindar, and to test their agreement with entries in the accounts. The conditions under which the summary procedure may be applied will thus resemble those under which it is extended to Government estates and estates under the Court of Wards, for the demand of each individual raiyat will be accurately known and the landlord's accounts and collection papers will be subject to inspection by a Government officer. If it is possible, with safety, to reduce the expense of rent-suits, the results will be beneficial to landlords and tenants alike, and it is expedient, therefore, that a trial should be given to the scheme provided for in the clause subject to the safeguards laid down in sub-section (*2*) of the projected new section 158 A.

Clause 34.—Under the present law, considerable difficulty in realizing rents is often experienced by co-sharer landlords, who make rent collections jointly. A decree for arrears of rent, obtained by a co-sharer for the amount due to him alone, is a mere money decree (8 C. W. N., 472) and the tenure or holding, in respect of which the arrears are due, does not pass to the purchaser in a sale for the execution of such a decree (I. L. R., 29 Calc., 219) unless he can get himself recognised by the other co-sharers. Decrees for arrears of rent obtained by single co-sharers, are therefore often of little value, and the system is further objectionable, in that it exposes the tenant to the trouble of several successive suits brought by different co-sharer landlords. Considering that the majority of estates in the province are held by co-sharer landlords, it seems necessary to provide a remedy for the present state of things. As it is often impossible to get all the landlords to join in a suit for arrears of rent, a single co sharer should be empowered to sue for the rent due to all the co-sharers, and that the tenure or holding should pass in execution of a decree obtained in such a suit, provided that the other co-sharers have been made parties.

Clause 35.—As the law now stands, the decree-holder is, under section 169 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, entitled to the rent up to the date of the sale, while, under section 316 of the Civil Procedure Code, the title does not vest in the purchaser until the date of the confirmation of the sale. The proposed amendment will bring the sections into conformity.

The proviso is necessary for the carrying out of the object of the preceding clause. Each co-sharer will get his share of the proceeds of the sale in proportion to his interest and the amount of rent due to him.

Clause 36.—It has been held by the High Court that the provisions of section 310A of the Code of Civil Procedure apply to sales in execution of rent decrees. This enables persons other than the judgment-debtor to apply to have such sales set aside. It is undesirable that proceedings between landlord and tenant, relating to the recovery of rent, should be protracted

by the intervention of third parties, and it is accordingly proposed that section 310A of the Code of Civil Procedure shall not apply to a tenure or holding attached in execution of a decree for arrears of rent.

Clause 37.—Under section 174, as at present framed, there is nothing to prevent a tenant from applying to have a sale set aside, by paying the decretal amount, and subsequently claiming, under section 311 of the Code of Civil Procedure, that the sale was invalid. It is clearly inequitable that the tenant should be allowed to have recourse to a double procedure in applying to have a sale set aside, and the proposed addition to section 174 will prevent this.

Clause 38.—The proposed amendment in clause (*g*) of section 178 is merely consequential upon clauses 2 and 15 of the Bill. It seems reasonable that proviso (iii) to section 178 should be extended to horticultural land, temporarily let out for the cultivation of ordinary crops. If a tenant is given a temporary lease of such lands, he should not be allowed to retain them after the expiry of the lease, on the plea that occupancy rights have accrued.

Clause 39.—The object of this clause is to counteract the effect of several rulings of the High Court, two of which are cited above in the note on clause 34, as to the nature of suits brought by co-sharer landlords for arrears of rent and as to the effect of decrees obtained in such suits. Their result is that—

(1) suits in which co-sharer landlords sue for rent are not rent suits, but money suits;
(2) the provisions of section 148 do not apply to them;
(3) evidence in such suits cannot be recorded summarily;
(4) a second appeal lies in them, while an appeal is barred in the case of a decree obtained by a sole landlord;
(5) co-sharer landlords cannot sue for four years' rent as sole landlords can, under article 2 (*b*), Schedule III of the Act, and
(6) decrees obtained in suits by co-sharer landlords can be executed within twelve years, instead of within three, as in the case of ordinary rent decrees.

Such results are anomalous and inconvenient, and the clause, the introduction of which has been recommended by the High Court, will have the effect of removing them.

Clause 40.—The object of this clause is to rectify an omission in the present Act, by giving the Government power to prescribe forms for use under the Act. It will also enable the Government to frame rules for dealing with forfeited fees.

Clause 41.—The object of this clause is to extend the provisions of section 191 to estates, which though originally permanently settled, have fallen into the hands of Government by escheat or otherwise, and have been let out on a temporary settlement. It has been held that such estates are excluded from the provisions of the section, as at present worded.

Clause 42.—This clause is intended to enable the Revenue Officer, in cases where a settlement of land revenue is being made, to fix a fair and equitable rent of his own motion for all lands, in respect of which the settlement of land revenue is being made. It sometimes happens that temporary settlement-holders, in the course of a settlement, fraudulently create fictitious rent-free holdings or holdings at low rates of rent, with the object of reducing the value of the estate and getting the revenue lowered. The revenue demand is fixed on a fair valuation of the lands of the estate, but unless fair and equitable rents are fixed, the settlement-holder may be unable to meet the demand, and the Government revenue may be endangered. It is considered necessary, therefore, that the Revenue Officer should have power to settle fair and equitable rents of his own motion, in cases where the settlement-holder has collusively lowered the rental demand, with the object of preventing a new settlement being made on a fair revenue.

Clause 43.—This clause gives effect to the provisions of clause 2, so far as they amend section 45, and removes the anomaly now existing (see I. L. R., 17 Calc., 930) as regards limitation between suits brought by an occupancy and a non-occupancy raiyat to recover possession of land from which they have been dispossessed by, or with the connivance of, their landlords. At present the former has two, and the latter twelve years within which to bring such a suit. It is proposed that the limit of two years should apply to both.

There is no reason why the period of limitation for the recovery of possession of land by an under-raiyat should not be the same as that provided in article 3 in the case of a raiyat, *viz.*, two years from the date of dispossession. At present the period of limitation in the case of an under-raiyat is twelve years. The amendment proposed will place both raiyats and under-raiyats on the same footing.

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THE BENGAL LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1906.

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to amend the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885.

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to amend the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 in manner hereinafter appearing; Ben. Act III of 1885.

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title and extent.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Act, 1907.

(*2*) It shall extend to all the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in which the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 is in force.

Repeal of portions of Bengal Act III of 1885.

2. The following portions of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 are hereby repealed, namely:— Ben. Act III of 1885.

in section 1, the words "or of the districts of Singhbhum, the Sonthal Parganas or the Chittagong Hill-tracts";

the proviso in section 6;

section 13;

clause (*c*) of section 18;

section 24;

the last paragraph of section 25;

section 34;

section 72;

the proviso to section 73, and

in section 103, the words "A Local Board shall exercise powers of supervision and control over all Union Committees within the area under its authority, and".

Addition to section 5.

3. To section 5 of the said Act, the following shall be added, namely:—

"and 'sanitation' includes water-supply."

Amendment of sections 7, 11 and 15.

4. (*1*) In section 7 of the said Act, after the figures "22" the words and figures "section 23A or section 29" shall be inserted.

(*2*) For the words "Lieutenant-Governor," where they occur in the sixth paragraph of section 7, in section 11, and in the first paragraph of section 15 of the said Act, the word "Commissioner" shall be substituted.

New section 10.

5. For section 10 of the said Act, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"10. If within the time prescribed by rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act, the prescribed proportion of elected members of any District Board or Local Board is not duly elected, the Commissioner may appoint members to make up that proportion."

Power to appoint members of District or Local Board, if prescribed proportion not duly elected.

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Amendment of section 17.

6. In section 17 of the said Act, for the words 'Lieutenant-Governor" and for the word "Commissioner," in both places in which they respectively occur, the word "Commissioner" and the words "District Board," respectively, shall be substituted.

New section 18A.

7. After section 18 of the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"18A. (*1*) The Commissioner may remove any member of a District Board or Local Board who, without an excuse which the Commissioner considers sufficient, absents himself from six consecutive meetings of the Board. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 20.]

Power of Commissioner to remove members.

(*2*) Any member so removed may appeal to the Lieutenant-Governor, whose decision shall be final."

New sections 19 and 19A.

8. For section 19 of the said Act, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"19. (*1*) When the place of an elected member of a District Board or Local Board becomes vacant by his resignation, removal or death, a new member shall be elected, in accordance with the rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act, to fill the place:

Filling of casual vacancies.

Provided that if, within the time prescribed by rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act, no new member is duly elected, the Commissioner may appoint a new member to fill the place.

(*2*) When the place of an appointed member of a District Board or Local Board becomes vacant as aforesaid, the Commissioner may appoint a new member to fill the place.

(*3*) No act of any District Board or Local Board, or of its officers, or of the Board in meeting, shall be deemed to be invalid by reason only of the fact that the number of members of the Board, at the time of the performance of the act, was less than the prescribed number.

"19A. (*1*) A member of a District Board or Local Board who has been appointed by official designation shall, subject to sections 17, 18 and 18A of this Act, and unless the Lieutenant-Governor otherwise directs, continue to be a member of the Board while he continues to hold the office to which such designation refers. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1885, s. 16 and s. 19, last para.]

Term of office of member of District Board or Local Board.

(*2*) A member of a District Board or Local Board who has been elected or appointed under section 19 shall, subject as aforesaid, hold office until the person whose place he fills would regularly have gone out of office, and shall then go out of office.

(*3*) In cases not provided for by sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*) of this section, the term of office of a member of a District Board or Local Board shall be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor by rules, which may provide for the retirement of members by rotation.

(*4*) An outgoing member of a District Board or Local Board may, if otherwise qualified, be re-elected or re-appointed."

Amendment of section 22.

9. In section 22 of the said Act, after the word "elected" the words "either by name or by virtue of his office" shall be inserted.

The Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Bill, 1906.

(Clauses 10-14.)

New section 23A.

10. After section 23 of the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"23A. If any District Board fails to elect a Chairman or Vice-Chairman within the time prescribed by rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act, the Lieutenant-Governor may appoint a Chairman or Vice-Chairman, as the case may be."

Appointment of Chairman or Vice-Chairman of District Board on failure to elect.

Amendment of section 25.

11. In section 25 of the said Act,—

(*a*) after the word "elected" the words "either by name or by virtue of his office" shall be inserted; and

(*b*) for the words "Lieutenant-Governor," in the first, second, fourth and fifth places in which they occur, the word "Commissioner" shall be substituted.

New sections 26 and 26A.

12. For section 26 of the said Act, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"26. (*1*) Every Local Board shall, from time to time, within a period prescribed by rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act, elect one of its members to be Vice-Chairman.

Vice-Chairman of Local Board.

(*2*) If any Local Board fails to elect a Vice-Chairman within such period, the Commissioner may appoint a Vice-Chairman.

"26A. A District Board or Local Board may grant leave of absence to their Chairman or Vice-Chairman for any period not exceeding three months in any one year."

[*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 26B.]

Leave of absence to Chairman or Vice-Chairman of District or Local Board.

Amendment of section 27.

13. In section 27 of the said Act, for the words "to the Lieutenant-Governor, and on such resignation being accepted," the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"in the case of a Chairman of a District Board, to the Lieutenant-Governor, and, in the case of a Chairman of a Local Board, to the Commissioner; and, on such resignation being accepted by the Lieutenant-Governor or Commissioner, as the case may be".

New sections 29 and 29A.

14. For section 29 of the said Act, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"29. (*1*) If a Chairman of a District Board dies, resigns, is removed, becomes incapable of acting, or avails himself of leave granted under section 26A, the Lieutenant-Governor may appoint a new Chairman, or may direct that, within a period prescribed by rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act, a new Chairman be elected by the members of the Board from among their own number, subject to his approval.

Casual vacancies in office of Chairman or of Vice-Chairman of District or Local Board.

(*2*) If a Chairman of a Local Board or a Vice-Chairman of a District Board or Local Board dies, resigns, is removed, becomes incapable of acting, or avails himself of leave granted under section 26A, the Board shall, at a special meeting held for the purpose within a period prescribed by rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act, elect from among its members a new Chairman or Vice-Chairman, as the case may be.

(*3*) If any District Board or Local Board fails to elect a new Chairman or Vice-Chairman within the prescribed period, the Lieutenant-Governor (in the case of a District Board) or the Commissioner (in the case of a Local Board) may appoint a new Chairman or Vice-Chairman, as the case may be.

The Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Bill, 1906.

(Clauses 15-17.)

Term of office of Chairman and Vice-Chairman.

"29A. (*1*) The term of office of an elected Chairman or Vice-Chairman of a District Board or Local Board, or of an appointed Vice-Chairman of a District Board or Chairman or Vice-Chairman of a Local Board, shall, subject to sections 27 and 28 of this Act, be the residue of his term of office as a member of the Board. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1885, s. 24; s 25, last para.; s. 26, second para.; and s. 29, third para.]

(*2*) The term of office of an appointed Chairman of a District Board shall, subject as aforesaid, be one year from the date of his appointment; but he may be re-appointed on the expiration of that term.

(*3*) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*), the term of office of a Chairman or Vice-Chairman appointed or elected to fill a casual vacancy consequent upon the grant of leave under section 26A shall expire upon the return from leave of the person whose office he was appointed or elected to fill. [*Cf.* Ben Act III of 1884, s. 27.]

(*4*) Every appointed Chairman of a District Board shall be deemed to be a member of the Board during his term of office."

Amendment of section 32.

15. In section 32 of the said Act,—

(*a*) for the words "Every District Board, and every Local Board with the sanction of the District Board," the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"Any District Board, with the sanction of the Commissioner and subject to the control of the Lieutenant-Governor, and any Local Board, with the sanction of the District Board and of the Commissioner and subject to the control of the Lieutenant-Governor";

(*b*) for the words "leave, suspension and removal," in clause (*g*), the words "leave, leave allowance and punishment (including suspension and removal)" shall be substituted;

(*c*) after the words "and may" the words "with the like sanction and subject to the like control" shall be inserted; and

(*d*) for the concluding paragraph the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"All rules made under this section, and all orders repealing or altering any such rules, shall be published in such manner as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct; and, so far as they are consistent with this Act and with any rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor hereunder, shall, upon such publication, have the force of law."

Amendment of section 33.

16. In section 33 of the said Act, after the words and figures "under section 30" the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"or by an Education Committee referred to in section 65B."

New section 35.

17. For section 35 of the said Act, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

Pensions and gratuities to be paid out of the District Fund.

"35. A District Board may, from time to time, with the sanction of the Commissioner and subject to the control of the Lieutenant-Governor, make rules for pensions and gratuities to be granted and paid out of the District Fund to its establishment and to the families of deceased employés; and may with the like sanction, and subject to the like control, repeal or alter such rules."

The Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Bill, 1906.

(*Clauses 18-22.*)

New section 35A

18. After section 35 of the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"35A. A District Board may, from time to time, with the sanction of the Commissioner and subject to the control of the Lieutenant-Governor, make rules— [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 47.

Provident Fund.

(*a*) for the creation and management of a Provident Fund;

(*b*) for compelling members of their establishments to make contributions to such Fund;

(*c*) for supplementing such contributions by grants from the District Fund; and

(*d*) for the payment of moneys out of such Provident Fund;

and may, with the like sanction and subject to the like control, repeal, add to, or alter such rules."

Amendment of section 36.

19. In the proviso to section 36 of the said Act, before the words "Local Board" the words "District Board, or" shall be inserted, and before the word "subordinate," the words "for the purposes of this section" shall be inserted.

New section 41A.

20. After section 41 of the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"41A. Every Union Committee shall, from time to time, elect one of its members to be Chairman of the Committee."

Chairman of Union Committee.

Amendment of section 44.

21. In section 44 of the said Act,—

(*a*) for the words "the Local Board to which it is subordinate as hereinafter provided," the words "the District Board or Local Board to which the Committee is, for the purposes of this section, subordinate" shall be substituted, and

(*b*) for the words "the Local Board," the words "the aforesaid District Board or Local Board" shall be substituted.

New sections 46A to 46F.

22. After section 46 of the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"46A. If at any time it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor that a District Board is unable— [*Cf.* Mad. Act V of 1884, s. 57, cl. (ii), inserted by Mad. Act VI of 1900, s. 47.]

Power to impose a rate to meet payments due in respect of a railway or tramway.

(*a*) to make any payment of interest or capital in respect of a loan raised under section 50 for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a railway or tramway under the provisions of section 80, or

(*b*) to make any payment guaranteed under section 82 in respect of a railway or tramway,

without effecting such a reduction of its ordinary expenditure as would, in the opinion of the Lieutenant-Governor, prevent the Board from efficiently maintaining the existing communications in the district, or from carrying out any other duty which is imposed on the Board by law or which the Board has undertaken to perform,

the Lieutenant-Governor may, by notification for the purpose of providing the required funds, impose a rate on the annual value of lands as defined in section 4 of the Cess Act, 1880. [*Cf.* Ben. Act IX of 1880, s. 6.]

Ben. Act IX of 1880.

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(Clauses 23-25.)

"46B. The amount of any rate imposed under section 46A for the purpose of making any payment shall be so fixed as to yield approximately no more than the amount required for making that payment, and shall not exceed three pies on every rupee of the annual value of the lands on which the rate is imposed.

Amount of such rate.

"46C. The procedure prescribed by and under the Cess Act, 1880, for the assessment, payment and recovery of road cess and public works cess shall, so far as may be, and subject to the provisions of sections 46A and 46B, apply to the assessment, payment and recovery of any rate imposed under section 46A.

Ben. Act IX of 1880.

Assessment, payment and recovery of such rate.

"46D. The Lieutenant-Governor may, from time to time, by notification exempt all or any lands in any local area from payment of any rate imposed under section 46A.

Power to exempt lands from payment of such rate.

"46E. The proceeds of any rate imposed under section 46A for the purpose of making any payment shall be utilised solely for the purpose of making that payment.

Application of proceeds of such rate.

"46F. Whenever the proceeds of any rate imposed under section 46A are sufficient for making every payment on account of which the rate was imposed, the levy of the rate shall cease."

Cessation of levy of rate when required sum collected.

Addition to section 48.

23. To section 48 of the said Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, the following shall be added, namely:—

Ben. Act III of 1885.

"*Explanation.*—Alterations or modifications may be made or directed by the Commissioner under this section on any of the grounds mentioned in the penultimate paragraph of section 47."

Addition to section 50.

24. To section 50 of the said Act, the following shall be added, namely:—

"Provided that no loan shall be raised for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a railway or tramway under the provisions of section 80, unless—

[*Cf* the proposed addition to s. 89, post.]

(*a*) it is authorized by a resolution which has been passed at a meeting specially convened for the purpose and in favour of which a majority of not less than two-thirds of the members of the District Board have voted, and

(*b*) such resolution declares the assent of the said majority to the imposition of a rate under section 46A in the circumstances stated in that section."

Amendment of section 52.

25. (*1*) For clause (*3*) of section 52 of the said Act, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"(*3*) all sums directed by notification under the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871, section 31, to be placed to the credit of the Fund."

1 of 1871.

(*2*) After clause (*5*) of the said section 52, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*5a*) all receipts accruing within the district from tolls or leases under Part III D (*1*) of this Act."

(*3*) After clause (*7*) of the same section, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"The proceeds of any rate imposed under section 46A, shall be placed to the credit of the District Fund, under a separate head."

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(*Clause 26.*)

Amendment of section 53.

26. (*1*) In clause *Fourthly* of section 53 of the said Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, after the figures "35" the following words, figures and letter shall be inserted, namely:— Ben. Act III of 1885.

"and of any grants made for supplementing contributions by members of such establishments to any Provident Fund created under section 35A."

(*2*) For clause *Fifthly* of the same section, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"*Fifthly*.—To the payment of—

(*a*) expenses incurred by the District Board in—

(*i*) the construction, repair and maintenance of any works which may become vested in, or be placed under the control and administration of, such Board under Part III of this Act;

(*ii*) the acquisition of land for, and the construction of, offices for the use of the District Board, or a house for the residence of the District Engineer; and

(*iii*) the performance of duties imposed by this Act ; and

(*b*) any contribution made by the District Board under Part III of this Act; and

(*c*) any sums assigned by the District Board to a Local Board or Union Committee under this Act."

(*3*) In clause *Sixthly* of the same section, for the words "of the travelling expenses incurred by members of the District Board in attending meetings of the Board or meetings of a Joint Committee," the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"(*a*) of travelling expenses incurred by delegates of the District Board in attending meetings convened under the rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor in pursuance of sub-section (*4*) of section 1 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, for the purpose of recommending a person to be nominated as a member of the Lieutenant-Governor's Council; [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1894, s. 99(3).] 55 & 56 Vict. c. 14.

(*b*) of travelling expenses incurred by members of the District Board in attending meetings of the Board or meetings of a Joint Committee; and

(*c*) in such cases, if any, as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct, of travelling expenses incurred by members of the District Board or any Local Board in performing journeys for carrying out other objects of this Act."

(*4*) In proviso (*1*) to the said section 53, after the word "that" the words and figures "except as is provided in section 99A" shall be inserted.

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(*Clauses 27-33.*)

Amendment of section 56.

27. For clause (*l*) of section 56 of the said Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, the following shall be substituted, namely:— Ben. Act III of 1885.

"(*l*) all sums directed by notification under the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871, section 31, to be placed to the credit of the Fund." I of 1871.

Amendment of section 58.

28. In section 58 of the said Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, for the words "Local Board" the words "District Board" shall be substituted. Ben. Act III of 1885.

Amendment of section 59.

29. In section 59 of the said Act, for the letter "D" the letter, figure and brackets "D (*l*)" shall be substituted.

New section 61.

30. For section 61 of the said Act, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"61. Every District Board shall perform such functions as may be transferred to it by notification under the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871, section 31." I of 1871.

Pounds.

Addition to section 63.

31. To section 63 of the said Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, the following shall be added, namely:— Ben. Act III of 1885.

"or may make grants in aid of any such schools, whether the same be under public or private management."

New section 64A.

32. After section 64 of the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"64A. The District Board may, subject to any rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act,—

Provision, maintenance and management of students' hostels.

(*a*) provide buildings to be used as students' hostels in connection with schools for the maintenance and management of which the Board is responsible under section 62 or section 63, and maintain and manage such hostels, or

(*b*) make grants in aid of any school referred to in section 63 or section 64, or any other school, college or educational institution, for the purpose of providing buildings to be used as students' hostels in connection with such school, college or institution, or for the purpose of maintaining and managing such hostels."

Amendment of section 65.

33. In section 65 of the said Act, for the words "the improvement of primary schools within the district under private management," the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"(*a*) the improvement of any schools or class of schools within the district under private management, or

(*b*) the maintenance or improvement of any schools or class of schools maintained and managed by the District Board, or

(*c*) the provision of buildings to be used as students' hostels in connection with any school referred to in section 64, or in clause (*a*) or clause (*b*) of this section, or any other school, college or educational institution, and the maintenance and management of such hostels."

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(Clauses 34-39.)

New sections 65A and 65B.

34. After section 65 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely :—

Site of students' hostels

"65A. The hostels referred to in sections 64A and 65 may be situated either within the area directly subject to the authority of the District Board, or within any place or town lying within that area in which the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, is for the time being in force.

Constitution and functions of Education Committees.

"65B. (1) Every District Board shall appoint, to be members of an Education Committee,—

(a) three members of the District Board, and

(b) not more than three residents of the district not being members of the District Board.

(2) The Deputy Inspector of Schools also shall be a member of such Committee *ex-officio*.

(3) The appointment of any person referred to in clause (b) of sub-section (1) to be a member of an Education Committee shall be subject to the approval of the Commissioner.

(4) It shall be the duty of an Education Committee, subject to the control of the District Board and to any rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor under section 138,—

(i) to superintend all matters connected with the finances, accounts, maintenance and management of all schools maintained by the District Board, and

(ii) to determine the conditions to be complied with when grants are made by the District Board in aid of other schools.

(5) Nothing in the foregoing sub-sections shall apply to schools referred to in section 64."

Addition to section 67.

35. To section 67 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely :—

"A District Board may also provide for—

(a) the training and employment of medical and veterinary practitioners; and

(b) the promotion of free vaccination."

Addition to section 70.

36. To section 70 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely :—

"or defray the expenses of any such inhabitants for journeys to and from any hospital established in any part of British India for the treatment of special diseases."

Amendment of section 73.

37. In section 73 of the said Act, after the words "for the purposes of this Act" the words and figures "but subject to the provisions of Chapter III of Part III thereof" shall be inserted.

New section 78A.

38. After section 78 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely :—

Power to turn, divert, discontinue or close road.

"78A. The District Board may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, turn, divert, discontinue or permanently close any road which is under the control and administration of, or is vested in, the District Board." [*Cf* Ben. Act III of 1899, s. 354 (c).]

Amendment of section 82.

39. (1) In section 82 of the said Act, for the words "Lieutenant-Governor" the words "Governor General in Council" shall be substituted.

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(Clauses 40, 41.)

(2) To the same section the following shall be added, namely:—

"Provided that no application for the said sanction shall be made, in the case of a railway or tramway, unless— [*Cf.* Mad. Act V of 1884, s. 58, proviso, added by Mad. Act VI of 1900, s. 48.]

(*a*) it is authorized by a resolution which has been passed at a meeting specially convened for the purpose and in favour of which a majority of not less than two-thirds of the members of the District Board have voted; and

(*b*) such resolution declares the assent of the said majority to the imposition of a rate under section 46A in the circumstances stated in that section."

Addition to section 86.

40. To section 86 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely:—

"and the power of the District Board to make any contribution under section 79 shall be subject to any rules, made by the Lieutenant-Governor under this Act, prescribing conditions precedent to the making of such contribution."

New heading and new sections 86A to 86L.

41. After section 86 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"*D*(1).—*Tolls on Bridges.*

"86A. The District Board, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, may establish a toll-bar [*Cf.* Ben., Act III of 1884, ss. 153, 159 (*1*).]

Power of District Board to establish toll-bars and levy tolls on bridges.

on any bridge in the district which was constructed out of the District Fund and the construction of which was completed after the commencement of the Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Act, 1907, or

at any place in the district, adjacent to any such bridge, at which tolls may conveniently be levied;

and may levy tolls at such toll-bar on vehicles and animals passing over such bridge:

Provided as follows:—

(*1*) no toll-bar shall be established, or tolls levied, otherwise than for the purpose of recovering—

(*a*) the expenses incurred in constructing such bridge;

(*b*) interest on such expenses, at the rate of four *per centum per annum*, and

(*c*) the capitalised value of the estimated cost of maintaining such bridge, and of renewing it, if it requires periodical renewal;

(*2*) no toll-bar shall be established, or tolls levied, on or in respect of any bridge, the cost or estimated cost of which, as indicated in clauses (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) of proviso (*1*), was or is less than five thousand rupees.

"86B. The District Board may grant a lease, for any period not exceeding three years, of any toll-bar established under section 86A of this Act. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 164.]

Lease of toll-bar.

"86C. (*1*) The following persons and things shall be exempted from payment of tolls at any toll-bar established under section 86A of this Act, namely:— [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 168.]

Exemptions.

(*a*) Government stores, and persons in charge thereof;

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(Clause 41.)

(*b*) police-officers, other public officers travelling on duty, District Board officers so travelling, persons in the custody of any of the officers aforesaid, property belonging to or in the custody of any of the officers aforesaid, and vehicles and animals employed by any of the officers aforesaid for the transport of such property ;

(*c*) conservancy carts and other vehicles and animals belonging to the District Board, and persons in charge thereof ; and

(*d*) any other class of persons or things which may be exempted by order of the District Board.

(*2*) In granting a lease of any toll-bar, the District Board may stipulate that any servants and property of the District Board and any other persons and things shall be exempted from payment of tolls thereat.

Rates of tolls.

"86D. (*1*) When it has been determined that tolls shall be levied at any toll-bar established under section 86A of this Act, the District Board shall make and publish an order specifying the rates at which the tolls shall be levied. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 160.]

(*2*) Such rates shall be subject to the sanction of the Commissioner, and may from time to time be varied with the like sanction.

Table of tolls to be hung up.

"86E. (*1*) A table of such tolls, legibly printed or written in the vernacular of the district, shall be hung up in some conspicuous position near every such toll-bar, so as to be easily readable by all persons required to pay the tolls. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 165.]

(*2*) In default of compliance with sub-section (*1*) of this section, the toll-collector, or the lessee of the toll-bar, as the case may be, shall be liable to fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and to a further fine which may extend to ten rupees for each day after the first during which the default continues. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 166.]

Power to compound for tolls.

"86F. The District Board, or the lessee of any toll-bar, may compound with any person for a certain sum to be paid by such person for himself, or for any vehicles or animals kept by him, in lieu of the rates specified under section 86D of this Act. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 167.]

Power of toll-collector or lessee in case of refusal to pay toll.

"86G. Any toll-collector or lessee of a toll-bar established under section 86A of this Act may refuse to allow any person to pass through the toll-bar until the proper toll has been paid. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 161.]

Penalty for refusing to pay toll.

"86H. Whoever, having driven through any such toll-bar any vehicle or animal which is not exempted from payment of toll, refuses to pay the toll, shall be liable to fine which may extend to fifty rupees. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 162.]

Police-officers to assist.

"86J. If resistance is offered to any person authorized under this Chapter to collect tolls, any police-officer whom he may call to his aid shall be bound to assist him; and such police-officer shall, for that purpose, have the same powers as he has in the exercise of his ordinary police duties. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 169.]

Penalty for taking unauthorized tolls.

"86K. If any person authorized under this Chapter to collect tolls demands or takes any higher tolls than the tolls authorized under this Chapter, he shall be liable to fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and, in default of payment, to imprisonment for a term which may extend to one month. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 170.]

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(Clauses 42-45.)

"86L. (*1*) When a toll-bar has been established and tolls have been levied, under section 86A of this Act in respect of any bridge, the District Board shall, at the end of each financial year, publish, by causing to be posted up at their office, an abstract account showing— [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884 s. 159.]

District Board to publish expenses, etc., of toll-bars.

(*a*) the amount of the expenses incurred in constructing the bridge;

(*b*) the amount of interest which has accrued due on such expenses;

(*c*) the capitalised value of the estimated cost of maintaining the bridge, and of renewing it, if it requires periodical renewal; and

(*d*) the amount which has been received from the profits of the said toll-bar since its establishment.

(*2*) As soon as such expenses, interest, and capitalised value have been recovered as aforesaid, such toll-bar shall be removed, and tolls shall no longer be levied on such bridge."

Now section 88A.

42. After section 88 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"88A. A District Board may, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, contribute such annual or other sum as may be agreed upon towards the cost of the construction, repair and maintenance, under the provisions of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, of water-works, wells or tanks within the district." [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1885, s. 69.]

Power to contribute towards cost of municipal water-supply.

Ben. Act III of 1884.

Addition to section 99.

43. To section 99 of the said Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, the following shall be added, namely:— Ben. Act III of 1885.

"(*4*) distribute such gratuitous relief, in the form of doles of money, as may be necessary."

New section 99A.

44. After section 99 of the said Act the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"99A. It shall be lawful for a District Board, with the sanction of the Commissioner, to incur expenditure on any local irrigation work which may appear to it to be necessary for the purpose of preventing, or mitigating the effects of, scarcity or famine within its district:

Irrigation works for relief of scarcity or famine.

Provided that no such expenditure shall be incurred unless such irrigation work has been sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor as a relief work in accordance with rules made under this Act."

Amendment of section 100.

45. (*1*) In section 100 of the said Act, for the words "subject to any rules made by the Lieutenant-Governor" the words "subject to such rules and restrictions as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time prescribe" shall be substituted.

(*2*) After clause (*3*) of the same section the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*3a*) establish and maintain veterinary dispensaries for the reception and treatment of horses, cattle and other animals, and charge such fees for the use of such dispensaries as may from time to time be approved by the Commissioner;

Veterinary dispensaries.

(*3b*) appoint and pay qualified persons to prevent and treat diseases of horses, cattle and other animals;

Treatment of diseases of animals.

(*3c*) provide for the improvement of the breed of horses, cattle and asses, and for the breeding of mules;

Breeding of animals.

(*3d*) prescribe an annual fee, to be paid by owners of boats for a license to ply for hire on any river or water-channel which is under the control of the District Board; and appoint and pay an Inspector to issue such licenses and to supervise the boat traffic on such rivers and water channels, and".

Boats plying for hire.

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Amendment of section 104.

46. In section 104 of the said Act, for the words "Local Board," in both places in which they occur, the words "District Board" shall be substituted.

Amendment of sections 105 to 107 and 117.

47. (*1*) In sections 105, 106, 107 and 117 of the said Act, for the words "Local Board," wherever they occur, the words "District Board" shall be substituted.

(*2*) In the said section 105, for the words "an estimate of the probable expenditure of the Committee" the words "an estimate of the probable receipts and expenditure of the Committee under each head of account" shall be substituted. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 72.]

(*3*) To the said section 105 the following shall be added, namely:— [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 76.]

"Every estimate submitted under this section shall be subject to the sanction of the District Board, who may, before sanctioning any estimate, modify it as they may think fit."

(*4*) In the said section 107, after the words "village roads" the words "and bridges" shall be inserted.

(*5*) In the said section 117, for the words "drainage or water-supply" the words "or drainage" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 108.

48. In section 108 of the said Act, after the word "roads," in both places in which it occurs, the words "and bridges" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 109.

49. In section 109 of the said Act, after the words "village roads," where they first occur, the words "and bridges" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 110.

50. In section 110 of the said Act,—

(*a*) for the words "Local Board," in the first and third places in which they occur, the words "District Board" shall be substituted, and

(*b*) for the words "Local Board," in the second place in which they occur, the words "District Board or of a Local Board" shall be substituted.

New section 111.

51. For section 111 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"111. Every Union Committee shall perform such functions as may be transferred to it by notification under the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871, section 31." [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1885, s. 111.]

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New section 114.

52. For section 114 of the said Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 the following shall be substituted, namely:— Ben. Act III of 1885.

"114. A Union Committee shall, if required to do so by the Magistrate of the district, provide for the registration of births and deaths within the Union, and shall submit such returns thereof as the said Magistrate may direct."

Registration of births and deaths.

New section 118.

53. For section 118 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"118 (*1*). A Union Committee may provide the Union or any part thereof with a supply of water proper and sufficient for public and private purposes; and for the purposes of this section, may— [*Cf.* 38 & 39 Vict., c. 55, s. 51; 56 & 57 Vict., c. 73, s. 8.]

Water-supply.

(*a*) construct, repair and maintain tanks or wells, clear out streams or water-courses, and do any other necessary acts;

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(*b*) with the sanction of the District Board, purchase or acquire by lease any tank, well, stream or water-course, or any right to take or convey water, within or without the Union;

(*c*) with the consent of the owner thereof, utilize, cleanse or repair any tank, well, stream or water-course within the Union, or provide facilities for obtaining water therefrom;

(*d*) deal with any tank, well, pool, ditch, drain or place containing, or used for the collection of, any drainage, filth, stagnant water or matter likely to be prejudicial to health—by draining or cleansing it, or otherwise preventing it from being prejudicial to health, but so as not in any case to interfere with any private right; or

(*e*) contract with any person for a supply of water.

(*2*) When a Union Committee has, under clause (*c*), with the consent of the owner, cleansed or repaired, or provided facilities for obtaining water from, any tank, well, stream or water-course, the same shall, subject to any rights retained by the owner with the concurrence of the Committee, be reserved for drinking purposes, and shall be kept open to access by the public.

(*3*) Any tank, well, stream or water-course which a Union Committee may construct, repair or maintain under clause (*a*), or purchase or acquire by lease under clause (*b*), shall remain under the control and administration of the Union Committee; and the Committee may, by order duly published in the village or villages in which such tank, well, stream or water-course is situated, set apart the same, or subject to the provisions of clause (*c*), any other tank, well, stream or water-course within the Union, for the supply of water for drinking and culinary purposes.

New section 119.

54. For section 119 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"119. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything in the foregoing provisions of this Act, the District Board may, by order in writing, with the sanction of the Commissioner, direct that any specified Union Committee shall act as the agent of, and shall be subject to the control of, a Local Board, instead of the District Board, either for all purposes or for the purposes specified in the order.

Power of District Board to subordinate Union Committee to Local Board

(*2*) Any order made under sub-section (*1*) may, with the like sanction, be revoked.

(*3*) So long as an order made under sub-section (*1*) with respect to any Local Board continues in force, the references to the District Board in the foregoing sections of this Act shall, so far as may be necessary, be read as if made to such Local Board."

Amendment of section 130.

55. (*1*) In the first paragraph of section 130 of the said Act,—

(*a*) after the figures "124" the figures "125" shall be inserted, and

(*b*) for the words "by the Local Board" the words "by the District Board or Local Board to which the Committee is, for the purposes of this section, subordinate" shall be substituted.

(*2*) In the third paragraph of the same section, after the words "Local Board" the words "or Union Committee" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 131.

56. In section 131 of the said Act, after the words "Local Board," in both places in which they occur, the words "or Union Committee" shall be inserted.

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(Clauses 57-59.)

Amendment of section 132.

57. In section 132 of the said Act,—

(*1*) after the words "Local Boards," in the first four places in which they occur, the words "or Union Committee" shall be inserted, and

(*2*) after the words "the Board," in the second place in which they occur, the words "or Committee" shall be inserted.

New section 133.

58. For sections 133 and 134 of the said Act the following shall be substituted, namely:—

Disputes between two or more Union Committees when to be referred to District Board or Local Board.

"133. (*1*) If a dispute arises between two or more Union Committees which are, for the purposes of this section, subordinate to the same District Board or Local Board, the matter shall be referred to such Board, and the decision of the Board thereon shall be final and binding.

(*2*) If a dispute arises between two or more Union Committees within the same district, and such Committees are not all, for the purposes of this section, subordinate to the same Local Board, the matter shall be referred to the District Board, and the decision of the District Board thereon shall be final and binding."

Amendment of section 138.

59. (*1*) To clause (*a*) of section 138 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely:—

"and determining the authority who shall decide disputes relating to such elections." [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 15.]

(*2*) In clause (*f*) of the same section for the word "immediate" the word "intermediate" shall be substituted.

(*3*) To clause (*g*) of the same section the following shall be added, namely:—

"and declaring what circumstances shall be a disqualification for continuance of employment under that section."

(*4*) After clause (*h*) of the same section the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*h1*) prescribing the conditions on which a house may be built by the District Board for the residence of the District Engineer, and the terms on which the District Engineer may be required to occupy the same;".

(*5*) After clause (*j*) of the said section 138 the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*jj*) prescribing the powers and duties of Education Committees, and regulating the removal from office of members referred to in sub-section (*1*) of section 65B."

(*6*) To clause (*k*) of the same section the following shall be added, namely:—

"the training and employment of medical and veterinary practitioners, and the promotion of free vaccination."

(*7*) To clause (*m*) of the said section 138 the following shall be added, namely:—

"and prescribing conditions precedent to the making of any contribution under section 79."

(*8*) After clause (*m*) of the same section the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*mm*) prescribing, for the purposes of section 86A of this Act, the mode of ascertaining the capitalised value of the estimated cost of maintaining bridges and of renewing any bridge which requires periodical renewal, and the mode of determining what class of bridges requires periodical renewal."

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(9) After clause (*o*) of the said section 138 the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*o1*) regulating the duties of District Boards in regard to famine relief."

(*10*) In clause (*p*) of the same section, after the word "animals' the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"the establishment and maintenance of veterinary dispensaries, the appointment and payment of qualified persons to prevent and treat diseases of horses, cattle and other animals, the improvement of the breed of horses, cattle and asses, the breeding of mules, the issue of licenses for, and the supervision of, boat traffic on rivers and water-channels under the control of District Boards."

(*11*) After clause (*q*) of the same section the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*qq*) regulating conservancy in Unions, defining and prohibiting public nuisances in Unions, and directing that the breach of any rule made under this clause shall be punishable with fine which may extend to ten rupees." [*Cf.* Act XI of 1902, s. 7 (2) (*d*), (3).]

Amendment of section 139.

60. In section 139 of the said Act,—

(*a*) before the words "make by-laws" the words "subject to the control of the Lieutenant-Governor" shall be inserted; and

(*b*) for the words "confirmed by the Lieutenant-Governor" the words "confirmed by the Commissioner" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 142

61. In section 142 of the said Act, before the words "or Union Committee" the words "Local Board" shall be inserted.

Addition to section 144.

62. To section 144 of the said Act the following shall be added, namely:—

"Nothing in this section shall apply to the payment of fees to a vakil or pleader for services rendered by him in his professional capacity"

Amendment of Schedule III.

63. In the heading to the Third Schedule to the said Act, for the words "Districts in every sub-division of which a Local Board shall be established" the words "Districts in which the elective system is in force for the nomination of members of the Local Board" shall be substituted.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE object of this Bill is to make various amendments in the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, for the following purposes, namely:—

(1) to delegate formally to Commissioners of Divisions certain powers which practically, though not nominally, are at present exercised by them;

(2) to legalize the expenditure of the District Fund on tanks and wells which are not the property, or under the control of the District Board, and on minor works of irrigation;

(3) to enable a District Board, by the imposition of a cess, to make payments of interest guaranteed, or re-payment of a loan raised, in respect of a railway or tramway;

(4) to impose tolls on newly-constructed bridges until the initial cost and the capitalised value of the cost of maintenance and renewal have been recovered;

(5) to give legal authority to the practice now already in existence under which District Boards incur expenditure on veterinary objects;

(6) to legalize the licensing of boats that ply for hire on any river or water channel under the control of the District Board;

(7) to permit District Boards to contribute towards the construction and maintenance of hostels attached to private institutions of all kinds, and to enable the Government to transfer money to the District Board for that purpose;

(8) to legalize expenditure of the District Fund on the construction of a residence for the District Engineer, and

(9) to remove certain flaws and omissions in the Act which experience of its working has brought to light.

The amendments are explained in detail in the following notes.

NOTES ON CLAUSES.

Clause 2 repeals—

(1) the words "or of the Districts of Singhbhum, the Sonthal Parganas, or the Chittagong Hill Tracts" in section 1. This repeal is required partly because one of these districts (Singhbhum) is now considered to be sufficiently advanced to be admitted to the benefits of Local Self-Government, and partly because the specific exception in the case of the Sonthal Parganas is now unnecessary, having been superseded by Regulation III of 1872, section 3 (as amended by Regulation III of 1899, section 3), while the Chittagong Hill Tracts no longer form part of this Province;

(2) the proviso in section 6. The first portion of this proviso is entered for repeal in order to permit of the abolition of Sadar Local Boards, which experience has proved to be unnecessary and which have already been abolished in some districts in which the proviso does not stand in the way. The rest of the proviso assumes that a Union Committee cannot exist except where a Local Board has been created. This principle has been proved to be inconvenient and difficult of working. It is, therefore, proposed, by later clauses of the Bill, to subordinate Union Committees primarily to the District Board instead of the Local Board;

(3) section 16, its provisions being embodied in a new section 19A;

(4) clause (*c*) of section 18, as being unnecessary in view of the new section 18A;

(5) section 24, its provisions being reproduced in amended form in a new section 29A;

(6) the last paragraph of section 25, its provisions being embodied in a modified form in the new section 29A;

(7) section 34, its provisions becoming unnecessary in view of the amendments made in section 32 (*g*);

(8) section 72. The repeal of this section is necessary, as it will be superseded by the new section 114 which appears in clause 52 of the Bill. Section 114 as it now stands in the Act requires every Union Committee to provide for the registration of births and deaths, and to submit such returns as the Local Board may direct. But the registration of births and deaths is not, and never has been, under the Local Board, and it is not now contemplated that a Local Board, even if it possessed this power, should exercise, except by delegation, control over Union Committees. In point of fact the registration of vital statistics is carried out by the police under the control of the Magistrate, and there is no intention of transferring this work to District or Local Boards. In

the few rural areas (the colliery tracts of Burdwan and a portion of the Darjeeling district) in which Bengal Act IV of 1873 (which provides for the compulsory registration of births and deaths) has been brought into force, the District Magistrate, and not the District or Local Board, is and will continue to be the controlling authority. For these reasons it is proposed to alter section 114 so as to provide that a Union Committee shall register births and deaths only if required to do so by the District Magistrate;

(9) the proviso to section 73. This proviso is rendered unnecessary by the amendment made in section 108 by clause 48 of the Bill;

(10) the words in section 103 "A Local Board shall exercise powers of supervision and control over all Union Committees within the area under its authority, and" } These repeals are proposed as part of the policy of subordinating Union Committees to District Boards rather than to Local Boards.

2. *Clause 3* declares that "sanitation" includes water-supply. This amendment is specially needed with reference to section 115, relating to the duties of Union Committees. The word "sanitation" is used in sections 87, 115, 117 and 138 (*a*). In section 117 water-supply is mentioned as if it were not included in "sanitation," and it is intended to amend that section.

3. *Clause 4, sub clause* (*i*), is consequential upon the new section 33A and the amendment in section 29.

4. *Clause 4, sub-clause* (*z*), *and clauses 5, 6 and 7* form part of the proposals for the delegation to the Commissioner of the Division of the powers at present vested in the Local Government, *viz.*, to appoint members of District and Local Boards under sections 7, 10, 11 and 15; to accept the resignation of a member of a District Board, and to remove a member absent without excuse. The powers in question are already, as a matter of practice, exercised in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioner. This being so, it is important that the responsibility for the action taken should rest with those who in fact possess the powers.

5. *Clause 5* also amends section 10 of the Act, in order to provide for cases in which the members of a Local Board make default in electing representatives on the District Board, there being at present no legal means for dealing with such cases.

6. *Clause 8* introduces a new section 19 with the object of covering similar defects in by-elections, and a new section 19A, which reproduces the provisions of the existing section 16 and the latter portion of the existing section 19 as to duration of a member's term of office. The references in section 19A to sections 17, 18 and 18A (as to resignation and removal) are new, but are obviously required.

7. *Clause 9* amends section 22 so as to permit the election of Chairmen of District Boards by official designation in the case of districts in which the election of Chairmen is authorized.

8. *Clause 10* introduces a new section 24A to provide for cases of default in the election of a Chairman or Vice-Chairman of a District Board, the Lieutenant-Governor being empowered to intervene to fill the vacancy by making an appointment.

9. *Clause 11* amends section 25 of the Act so as to permit the election of Chairmen of Local Boards by official designation. The absence of such a provision gives rise to frequent difficulties in cases where the Chairman is the Sub-divisional Officer, when it often happens that his transfer or absence on short leave occasions an interregnum, prolonged by the almost inevitable delay on the part of the Board in carrying out the necessary formalities for appointing a successor or substitute. It is proposed that the power hitherto vested in the Lieutenant Governor should be delegated to the Commissioner of the Division for the reasons given in paragraph 4 of these notes.

10. *Clause 12* amends section 26 so as to provide for cases of default in the election of a Vice-Chairman of a Local Board, the Commissioner being empowered to intervene to fill the vacancy by making an appointment.

11. *Clause 12* also introduces a new section 26A to authorize the grant of leave to Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen of District and Local Boards.

12. *Clause 13* is intended to give the Commissioner of the Division power to accept the resignation of the Chairman of a Local Board. The reason for this amendment is given in paragraph 4 of these notes.

13. *Clause 14* substitutes a new section 29 providing for the filling of vacancies caused by grant of leave. It is proposed that the power of appointment on failure of a Board to elect a successor within a period to be prescribed by rules should be delegated to the Commissioner of the Division.

14. *Clause 14* further introduces a new section, 29A, which reproduces the provisions of sections 24, 25 (last paragraph), 26 (second paragraph), and 29 (third paragraph) of the existing Act, as to a Chairman's and Vice-Chairman's term of office, with the addition of a sub-section as to the term of office of a Chairman or Vice-Chairman acting for another who is on leave.

15. *Clause 15* introduces amendments which it is proposed to make in connection with the sanctioning of rules and by-laws under the Act in order to curtail routine correspondence. Model rules and by-laws are framed by the Government under the various sections of the Act. If a District Board desires to adopt any of these models as rules

made by itself, sanction is at once accorded by the Government as a matter of course, on the recommendation of the Commissioner of the Division. The amendments substitute the Commissioner of the Division for the Local Government as the sanctioning authority, but provide that the Commissioner's powers shall be exercised subject to the control of the Lieutenant-Governor. It is intended that this control shall only be exercised by the Local Government in cases where a District Board desires to modify any of the model rules or to adopt any new rule or by-law. In such cases the approval of the Lieutenant-Governor will be necessary.

The addition of the words "leave allowances" in clause (*g*) is required in consequence of the repeal of section 34.

The words "punishment (including suspension and removal" are substituted for the words "suspension and removal" in section 32, clause (*g*), in order to enlarge the scope of the section by legalising the imposition of penalties for minor offences or breaches of discipline.

16. *Clause 16* makes an amendment which is consequential upon the proposed new section 65B.

17. *Clause 17* will amend section 35 so as to give the Commissioner the power, hitherto vested in the Lieutenant-Governor, of sanctioning rules framed by a District Board as to pensions and gratuities, but subject to the control of the Lieutenant-Governor. At present a District Board has no power under the Act to make grants from the District Fund to the families of deceased employés though deserving cases at times arise. It is proposed to give this power subject to a like sanction and control.

18. *Clause 18* introduces a new section authorizing District Boards to make rules for the creation and management of a Provident Fund. The adoption of the system of Provident Funds for employés of District Boards was approved in principle by the Government of India, while at the same time the absence of a specific provision of law authorizing the creation of such Funds was pointed out. On the introduction of the system, District Boards were instructed to act on the assumption that power would be taken at the first opportunity to give legal effect to it, and it is with this object that the enactment of clause 18 of the Bill is now proposed.

19. *Clause 19* makes certain amendments in section 36 in persuance of the policy of subordinating Union Committees and District Boards rather than to Local Boards.

20. *Clause 20* provides for the election of a Chairman of a Union Committee, for which there is at present no provision of law.

21. *Clause 21* makes certain amendments in section 44 in pursuance of the policy of subordinating Union Committees to District Boards rather than to Local Boards.

22. *Clause 22* introduces new sections 46A to 46F, as to the levy of a rate to enable District Boards to pay sums guaranteed by them by way of interest on capital expended on railways or tramways or to pay interest on a loan taken for the construction of a railway or tramway and to gradually repay the amount borrowed. Clause 39 (*2*) introduces a proviso to section 82 to declare the procedure to be followed by District Boards before giving such guarantees, and clause 24, a proviso to declare the procedure to be followed before raising a loan. The Government of India have attached great importance to the introduction of District Boards into the field of railway enterprise. They have pointed out that there are many places in Bengal where light railways would prove of great service to local trade, and that District Boards would be the appropriate agency to further the development of the country by aiding the construction of such lines. Under existing conditions, however, there seems to be little hope of the assistance of District Boards being forthcoming in Bengal, as it is improbable that many District Boards would at any time have a sufficient surplus of income to enable them to embark on projects of the kind. In these circumstances, it was suggested that District Boards should be empowered to impose a special cess, to be utilised for the purpose of railway construction; and that section 57 (ii) and the proviso to section 58 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, should be adopted so as to secure that the power to impose an additional tax should be purely permissive, and that it would rest with the District Board alone to take action. Clauses 22, 24 and 39 (*2*) have been inserted in the Bill to give a modified effect to these views. It is proposed that the Lieutenant-Governor should have power to exempt specified lands from the payment of the extra cess. This is provided for in the new section 46D.

23. *Clause 23* adds an *Explanation* to section 48 with the object of making it clear that the Commissioner, in dealing with estimates framed by District Boards, is to have the same powers as the District Magistrate, as defined in section 47. The absence of an express declaration to this effect has given rise to practical difficulties.

24. *Clause 24* is explained in the note on clause 22.

25. *Clause 25 (1)* amends section 52 (*5*) in order to bring it into closer accordance with the law as now contained in Act I of 1871, section 31, as amended by Act I of 1891.

26. *Clause 25* (*2*) introduces an additional clause into section 52, which is necessitated by the new provisions [section 86A *et seq.*] relating to tolls on bridges.

27. *Clause 25* (*3*) introduces an additional clause in section 52, which is necessitated by the new provisions [sections 46A *et seq.*] relating to the levy of a rate for payment of interest on capital expended on railways or tramways.

28. *Clause 26* (*1*) is consequential upon the new section 35A which it is proposed to introduce by clause 18.

29. *Clause 26* (*2*) (*a*) (*ii*) is intended to legalize the expenditure of the District Fund on the acquisition of land for, and the construction of, District Board offices and a residence for the District Engineer. Residences have already been constructed by several District Boards for their District Engineers, but the Government has been advised that under the Act as it now stands there is no sanction for the use of the District Fund for such an object.

30. *Clause 26* (*2*) (*b*) is designed to meet the following difficulty:—Under the law as it now stands the District Fund may not be expended on the repair and maintenance of any works, unless these become vested in or are placed under the control and administration of the Board. The effect of this limitation has been to hamper the Boards considerably in their efforts to improve the water-supply. The owner of a tank or well, although willing to let the public use it, is often unwilling to part with its ownership. The proposed amendment will allow the Board to contribute towards improvement of such tanks or wells subject to conditions prescribed under the amended sections 86 and 138 (*see* paragraph 52 below).

31. *Clause 26* (*2*) (*c*) is introduced with the object of legalizing the payment from the District Fund of sums assigned by the District Board to a Local Board or Union Committee. The power to make such payments, though contemplated throughout the Act, is nowhere clearly given by the Act as it now stands.

32. *Clause 26* (*3*) amends section 53, clause *Sixthly*, with the objects of (1) extending to delegates of District Boards the concession granted by section 69 (*2*) of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, to Municipal Commissioners, as to travelling expenses for attending meetings in connection with the election of members for the Bengal Legislative Council; and (2) legalising the payment from the District Fund of travelling allowance to members of District Boards and Local Boards in performing journeys for carrying out any of the objects of the Act.

33. *Clause 26* (*4*) contains an amendment consequential upon the proposed new section 99A.

34. *Clause 27* amends section 56 (*1*) with the object explained in paragraph 25 above.

35. *Clause 28.*—The working of Union Committees under the control of the Local Boards has hitherto been far from satisfactory. In order to make them more efficient it is proposed to place them under the District Board. Amendments with the same object are proposed in Chapter III of Part III and in section 130.

36. *Clause 29* is necessitated by the additions made by clause 41.

37. *Clause 30* amends section 61 with the object explained in paragraph 25 above.

38. *Clause 31* makes an addition to section 63, in order to legalize the grant from the District Fund of contributions in aid of secondary schools in cases where they are not under the direct control of the District Board. It might have been supposed that the power already conferred by section 63 of undertaking the maintenance and management of schools under public management includes the minor power of assisting them with funds, but this view has been overruled. It is therefore contemplated to remedy the deficiency in the manner shown in this clause, and also to provide for the furtherance of education by taking power to authorize similar contributions to schools under private management.

39. *Clause 32* introduces a new section 64A. The Government is advised that, as the construction of a hostel cannot be considered to be a "local work likely to promote the health, comfort or convenience of the public" [*vide* section 100 (*4*) of the Act], the District Board cannot spend money on it, and that in any case such expenditure cannot be incurred unless the schools are vested in the Board under section 63 of the Act. It is expedient that measures should be taken to give District Boards the legal powers necessary to enable them to contribute towards the cost of constructing and maintaining hostels attached to colleges and schools whether such institutions are in District Board areas or within the limits of Municipalities. Almost all the colleges and most of the large schools are to be found within Municipal limits, but as the bulk of students who attend them come from outside, it is only right that the District Fund should contribute towards the requisite expenditure. It is accordingly proposed to amend the Act by adding a new section 64A, a new clause (*c*) in section 65, and a new section 65A.

40. *Clause 33* (*a*), (*b*) has the object of removing a frequent source of complaint, *viz.*, that at present the Government is unable to transfer funds to Boards for the purpose of subsidising Middle Schools, Technical Schools, Tols (Sanskrit Schools), *Muktabs* (Elementary Muhammadan Schools) or *Madrasahs* Secondary Muhammadan schools).

41. *Clause 33* (*c*) is explained in paragraph 39 above.

42. *Clause 34* adds a new section 65A, which is explained in paragraph 39 above.

43. *Clause 34* also adds a new section 65B under which it is proposed to introduce into Bengal the system of School Committees, so successful in the Central Provinces, in encouraging and maintaining local interest in education. The Local Self-Government Act contains no provision expressly recognising such Committees. The object of sub clause (*b*) of sub-section (*1*) is to provide for the representation of all classes of the community, including important minorities or associations or specialists, who should have a voice in the educational policy of the district. The elected members of the District Board are interested no doubt in education no less than in all other matters entrusted to their care. It is thought desirable, however, to take advantage of the present occasion to offer additional representation to all sections of the public in respect of educational matters with the object of utilising all the public spirit which exists in the cause of education.

44. *Clause 35* makes an addition to section 67 with the object of empowering District Boards to devote a portion of their funds to their training and employment of medical

practitioners. The practice has for some time existed in Bengal, and the occasion of the amendment of the Act is taken to give it the authority of law.

45. The same provision is extended to the case of Veterinary Practitioners. Some time ago, when the Civil Veterinary Department in Bengal was in process of formation, District Boards were invited to co-operate, and were asked in particular to what extent they were prepared to utilize the services of passed Veterinary Assistants. It then came to notice that doubts prevailed whether, under section 100 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, District Boards were legally competent to contribute to veterinary measures, and it was further found that many of these bodies were disposed to rely on this legal difficulty as an excuse for declining to spend money in the manner suggested. The difficulty was reported to the Government of India, and that Government requested that, if there were any doubt whether local bodies, and especially District Boards, could legally contribute towards the maintenance of veterinary projects, the law might be amended in order to enable them to do so. The necessary additions have therefore been made to section 67 of the Act.

46. *Clause 35* also contains a provision empowering District Boards to spend money on the promotion of free vaccination. Though the licensed system of vaccination is generally in force throughout Bengal occasions at times arise on which District Boards find it necessary to employ paid vaccinators, subject to the supervision of the Civil Surgeon (who is the Superintendent of Vaccination in all districts), to operate free of charge. The law as it stands does not expressly authorize this procedure, but the difficulty is surmounted in practice by the expedient of permitting District Boards to devote funds to this object under the head "Medical." The necessary legal powers will be attained by sub-clause (*b*) of the proposed addition to section 67.

47. *Clause 36* has been inserted with the object of extending to servants of District Boards the concessions granted by the Government of India as to the treatment of Government servants at the Pasteur Institute at Kasauli.

48. *Clause 37* amends section 73 in order to prevent conflict between that section and sections 108 *et seq.* of the Act.

49. *Clause 38* is intended to supply a power to divert or close public roads which at present the District Board does not possess. It frequently happens that a District Board desires to straighten or re-align a public road to the great advantage of the public, but under the existing law they are unable to make over to the landlord the site of the existing road in exchange for the site of the proposed realignment.

50. *Clause 39* (*1*) makes an amendment in section 82 of the Act. By that section the Local Government is empowered to permit District Boards to guarantee the payment of interest on capital expended on works of communication. But the Government of India have directed that, in view of the possibility of the liability for the fulfilment of such guarantees being ultimately shifted to Imperial revenues, guarantees should not be given without the previous sanction of the Government of India; and consequently all guarantees of the kind that may be given must, in existing circumstances, be regarded as subject to the sanction of the Governor General in Council. In view, however, of the importance of this requirement, the Government of India have expressed a desire that it should be placed on a statutory basis. The words "Lieutenant-Governor," in section 82 of the Act, have accordingly been replaced by the words "Governor General in Council."

51. *Clause 39* (*2*) adds a proviso to section 82 as part of the new scheme of taxation which is explained in paragraph 22 above.

52. *Clause 40* will give power to prescribe by rules the conditions on which a District Board may make contributions towards the upkeep of private tanks, wells and other sources of water-supply (*see* paragraph 30 above). Such rules will direct that public money shall be expended only in cases where the owner has agreed to allow the public full use of the water for drinking purposes or for watering cattle. It is thought that this provision will sufficiently obviate the danger which exists in theory, that the District Board may use public money for the exclusive benefit of a private individual.

53. *Clause 41* introduces a series of new sections, numbered 86A to 86L, to authorize District Boards to impose tolls on newly-constructed bridges until the initial cost and the capitalised value of the cost of maintenance and renewal have been recovered. The principle is no new one in Bengal, being already embodied in the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884. The provisions contained in clause 27 of the Bill are in the main reproduced from sections 158 to 170 of the Municipal Act, with the omission of matter relating to tolls on roads. The following points may be noticed in connection with the proposed new sections.

54. *Section 86A.*—This has been drafted so as to confine the power of taking tolls to the case of bridges constructed out of the District Fund and completed after the commencement of the new law.

55. The rate of interest is in proviso (*b*) to section 86A put at 4 *per cent.* instead of as in the Municipal Act, 6 *per cent.* The latter Act reproduced a rate of interest in force more than 20 years ago.

56. *Proviso* (*2*) will prevent the levy of tolls on any but large bridges. It is estimated that the minimum cost of a bridge over a river requiring a ferry throughout the year is Rs. 5,000, and this limit is tentatively taken in the Bill.

57. *Section 86C* reproduces the provisions of section 168 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, except the portions which were repealed by the Indian Tolls (Army) Act II of 1901. The exemptions from toll which are enacted by the latter Act will of course continue after the passing of the present Bill.

58. *Section 86H.*—Section 162 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, declares that whoever, with intent to evade payment of toll, fraudulently avoids passing through a toll-gate shall be liable to fine. Such a provision may be suitable in a municipality and in the case of a toll-bar on a road (though its utility has not been tested), but it is liable to abuse in the mufassal, and can hardly be necessary when the toll-bar is on a bridge over an unfordable river. The section has therefore not been reproduced in the Bill.

59. Section 163 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, provides that in case of non-payment of toll the vehicle or animal or any part of its burden may be seized and sold. This section is possible in a town, but would be very dangerous in the mufassal, where it would be difficult to supervise the action of the toll-bar-keeper. The section has therefore not been reproduced in the Bill. It is believed that sections 86G, 86H and 86J in the Bill will be sufficient to secure the due payment of tolls.

60. *Clause 42* introduces a new section, 88A, with the object of legalising contributions from the District Fund towards the improvement of the water-supply of municipalities situated within the district. The legality of such an allocation of District Funds formed the subject of a discussion in 1893, when a contribution was made for this purpose by the Shahabad District Board to the Municipality of Arrah. The Legal Remembrancer of the day decided in its favour, but it seemed that such an interpretation of section 88 might at any time be called in question, in view of the declaration in section 1 that the Act shall not extend to any place or town to which the provisions of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, have been extended. The object is clearly one to which a portion of the District Fund may very properly be diverted, seeing that a pure water-supply in a municipality is an advantage to the district in general. Section 88A has accordingly been framed with a view to preventing any dispute on the point, the contribution being made subject to the approval of the Local Government.

61. *Clause 43* amends section 99 so as to enable a District Board to distribute such gratuitous relief in the form of doles of money as may be necessary in times of famine or distress.

62. *Clause 44* is intended to carry out a suggestion by the Indian Irrigation Commission that District Boards should be permitted to carry out minor irrigation works sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor as relief works in times of scarcity or famine. It is intended that programmes of such works should be drawn up and approved beforehand in the same manner as programmes of other relief works. A corresponding amendment has been made in section 53.

63. *Clause 45* introduces new sub-clauses 3 (*a*), 3 (*b*) and 3 (*c*), in section 100, in order to legalize expenditure incurred by District Boards for veterinary purposes. This matter is explained in paragraph 45 above.

64. It is expedient that, where a District Board has obtained control of a river or canal, it should be empowered to impose a fee for the licensing of boats that ply for hire thereon as a contribution towards cost of control.

65. *Clauses 46 and 47* amend sections 104, 105, 106, 107 and 117 with the object of subordinating Union Committees primarily to the District Board instead of to the Local Boards.

66. *Clause 47 (3)* will enable a District Board to examine and modify, if necessary, the budget estimates of Union Committees.

67. *Clause 47 (5)* is explained in paragraph 2 above.

68. *Clauses 47 (4), 48 and 49* make certain additions to sections 107, 108 and 109 with the object of authorizing Union Committees to undertake, where necessary, and subject to the provision of the new section 119A, the construction, maintenance and repair of bridges situated within the Union.

69. *Clause 50* amends section 110 with the object stated in paragraph 65 above.

70. *Clause 51* amends section 111 with the object stated in paragraph 25 above.

71. *Clause 52* amends section 114, and provides that a Union Committee shall register births and deaths only if required to do so by the District Magistrate, who will continue to be the controlling authority—*see* paragraph 1 (8) above.

72. *Clause 53* has been introduced with the intention of extending to Union Committees the permission to spend money on the improvement of private sources of water-supply under conditions similar to those under which it is proposed (*see* paragraph 30 above) to allow District Boards to incur expenditure on the same object.

73. *Clause 54* provides for cases where it may be found expedient that a Union Committee should act as Agent and under the control of a Local Board instead of under a District Board.

74. *Clause 55* has as its object the giving of more control to the District Board over Union Committees.

75. *Clauses 56 and 57* are intended to give the Local Government the same control over Union Committees as it has over District Boards and Local Boards.

76. *Clause 58* introduces an amendment with the object stated in paragraph 65 above.

77. *Clause 59 (1)* extends the rule making power conferred by section 138 (*a*), so as to enable the Lieutenant-Governor to determine the authority who shall decide disputes concerning elections. The precedent followed in this case is that of section 15 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, as amended by Bengal Act IV of 1894.

78. An extension of the power of the Local Government to make rules is also proposed in the same clause to enable the Government to declare what circumstances shall

be a disqualification for continuance of employment under section 33. Rules have been issued by the Government for regulating the retirement, under certain conditions, of District Engineers and other employés of District Boards on attaining the age of 55 years. The existing Act contains no definite authorization of such rules, and it is desirable to give them at the earliest opportunity a strictly legal basis. The clause is expressed in general terms in order that it may cover disqualifications, other than that of age—indebtedness for example,—the rules on which subject do not definitely apply under the existing provisions of the law to officers paid from Local Funds.

79. Further it is proposed that power should be given to make rules :—

(*i*) declaring the intermediate offices through which correspondence must pass;
(*ii*) laying down the terms and conditions under which a residence may be built for, and be occupied by, a District Engineer;
(*iii*) prescribing the powers and duties of Education Committees;
(*iv*) regulating the training and employment of medical and veterinary practitioners, the promotion of free vaccination and the establishment and maintenance of veterinary dispensaries;
(*v*) prescribing the mode of ascertaining the capitalised value of the estimated cost of maintaining and renewing bridges;
(*vi*) regulating the duties of District Boards in regard to famine relief;
(*vii*) regulating the issue of licenses for, and the supervision of, boat traffic on rivers under the control of a District Board;
(*viii*) regulating conservancy in Unions.

80. *Clause 60* is intended to amend the Act so as to give power to the Commissioners to confirm by-laws subject to the control of the Lieutenant-Governor. The reason is explained in paragraph 4 above.

81. *Clause 61* amends section 142 so as to remedy a verbal omission.

82. *Clause 62* is proposed in order to exclude pleaders, who are professionally engaged by a District Board of which they are members, from the operation of section 144 of the Act.

83. *Clause 63* amends the heading to Schedule III in consonance with the proposal to take power to abolish Sadar Local Boards, and brings it into accordance with the provisions of section 9 of the Act.

H. J. McINTOSH.

The 27th October, 1906.

CALCUTTA,
The 13th November, 1906.

L. C. ADAMI,
Offg. Secretary to the Bengal Council.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 9th November 1906.*

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Rajpuri Point—Red buoy replaced in position.

No. 432 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 239, dated 26th June 1906, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 116 of 1906) that the red buoy on the north side of the 'Whale Reef,' off Rajpuri Point at the entrance of the Janjira Harbour that had been removed for the south-west monsoon was replaced on the 10th October 1906.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH—SOLOMON ISLANDS—FLORIDA ISLAND.

Sandfly passage—Pinnacle rock.

No. 433 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1142 of 1906, that a pinnacle rock, awash, exists nearly in the centre of North channel, Sandfly passage) in a position from which the northern of the two pinnacle rocks at present shown on the chart bears, approximately, S. 78° E. distant about three cables.

It is proposed to place a buoy on this rock.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 59′ S., long. 160° 5′ E.

(*Variation 8° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Plan of Sandfly passage on No. 2873; Guadalcanar and Florida islands, No. 1469: Also Pacific Islands, vol. I, 1900, page 292.

CHINA SEA—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—MINDORO ISLANDS.

Port Galera—Colour of light altered.

No. 434 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1155 of 1906) that the colour of port Galera light (*fixed*) has been altered from white to *red* and the power

of the light has been increased, so that it is now visible in clear weather from a distance of 7 miles.

In other respects the light is unaltered.

Approximate position, lat. 13° 30¼′ N., long. 120° 57′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Port Galera, etc., on No. 949: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 660; and Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 229; and Supplement, 1906, page 16.

The 9th November 1906.

BAY OF BENGAL—Chittagong Coast.

Karnafuli river—Depth of water in the Channels.

No. 435 (first publication).—The Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the channels by soundings taken on the 8th November 1906.

	Ft.	In.
Track No. 1—Outer bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	6
Marks open to the north	13	6
Track No. 2—Inner bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	0
Batten beacon on pillar	12	0
Track No. 3—		
Triangle on cross and ball	17	6
Track No. 4—Guptakhally crossing—		
Tripod on diamond	18	0

The 12th November 1906.

BAY OF BENGAL—Orissa coast.

False Point anchorage—Outer Ridge buoy adrift.

No. 421 (second publication).—A telegraphic communication has been received from the Port Officer, Cuttack and Balasore ports, stating that the Outer Ridge buoy, False Point anchorage, has broken adrift and will be replaced as soon as possible.

The 31st October 1906.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Caution—Position of a derelict.

No. 422 (second publication).—A telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Burma, stating that the Master of the *Taroba* has reported having passed on the 28th October a derelict, with seas washing over her in lat. 15° 47½′ N., long. 93° 57¾′ E., bearing N. 65° W. (true), distant 13½ miles from Alguada light-house. Mariners are hereby warned.

The 1st November 1906.

AFRICA, SOUTH COAST—Cape Colony.

Algoa bay—Cape Recife light.

No. 423 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1116 of 1906) that Notice to Mariners No. 926 of 1906, relating to cape Recife light, Algoa bay, is hereby cancelled.

Further Notice will given.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 1¾′ S., long. 25° 42′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Cape St. Francis to Waterloo bay, No. 2085; Algoa bay, No. 642: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 15; and Africa Pilot, part III, 1903, page 125.

Note.—This cancels Notice to Mariners No. 358, dated 21st Septmeber 1906, issued by this office.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Mirs bay.

Grass island—Shoal spit to the eastward.

No. 424 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1120 of 1906) that the 3-fathoms contour line off the east coast of Grass island, Mirs bay, to the south-westward of Kong chau (North Gau), extends in the form of a spit about 80 yards further to the north-eastward than is at present shown on the chart.

A rock, with a depth of 5 feet over it at low water, exists on the north-eastern extremity of this spit at a distance of 1¼ cables from the coast of Grass island, from it the summit of Kong chau bears N. 39° E., distant 3¼ cables, and Wintz hill N. 75° W. Within the 3-fathoms line the spit quickly shoals to a depth of only 9 feet over boulders.

The passage between Grass island and Kong chau should, therefore, no longer be used.

Approximate position, lat. 22° 29′ N., long. 114° 22′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Mirs bay, Nos. 1964, 3474; Long harbour and approaches, No. 3386: Also, China Sea Directory, vol., III, 1904, page 130.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Hongkong approach.

Fo tau mun pass—Rocks.

No. 425 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1121 of 1906) that a patch of rocks, with a least depth of 2 fathoms over them at low water, exists on the northern side of the Fo tau mun pass, in a position from which the rock (30 feet high) off Fo tau point bears N. 80° E., distant $1\frac{8}{10}$ cables, and the eastern point of Lamtong island S. 11° E.

There is a depth of 3 fathoms close southward of these rocks.

Approximate position, Fo tau point, lat. 22° 15¾′ N., long. 114° 18′ E.

(*Variation 1° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Hongkong, with plan of Fo tau mun pass, No. 1466: Also, China Sea Directory, vol III, 1904, page 66.

PERSIAN GULF—Kuweit approach.

Ras al Arz—Shoal to the southward—Buoy established.

No. 426 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1134 of 1906 that a shoal with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, and 7 fathoms around, composed of mud and coral, on which the S.S. *Kola* grounded, exists on the western side of the approach to Kuweit harbour, in a position from which Hill fort bears S. 82° W., distant 3½ miles, and the beacon on Ras al Arz N. 3° W.

A cask, painted red and surmounted by a red flag, has been moored on the shoal; but its existence must not be depended on.

Approximate position, lat. 29° 17½′ N., long. 48° 7½′ E.

(*Variation Nil in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Persian gulf, No. 2837b; Kuweit harbour, No. 22: Also Persian gulf Pilot, 1898, page 155; and Supplement, 1905, page 19.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Sumatra, south coast—Lampong bay.

Telok Betung light—Character altered.

No. 427 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 374, dated the 6th October 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1139 of 1906) that the character of Telok Betung light has been altered from red fixed to *white flashing every three seconds*, thus:—light, *one second*; eclipse, *two seconds*. The light, which is now visible 12 miles, is of the 6th order.

In other respects the light is unaltered.

Approximate position, lat. 5° 26¾′ S., long. 105° 16¼′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Tyingkok bay to Sunda strait, No. 2761; Sunda strait and approaches, No. 2056; Telok Betung, No. 940: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 467; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 364.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Caution—Position of a capsized country craft off Mount Dilli.

No. 428 (second publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 114 of 1906) that the Master of S. S. *Florican* reports that at 3-30 P.M. he passed in latitude 11° 55′ N. and longitude 75° 0′E., Mount Dilli bearing N. 66°E., distant 16 miles, a two-masted country craft capsized with sails set and painted top side green and bottom white, number on side board 2405C.

Caution.—This derelict is a great danger to navigators.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Mulki to Mount Dilli, No. 746; Vizadrug to Cochin, No. 2737; Vengurla to Cape Comorin, No. 827: Also West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, fourth edition, 1898, page 142.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Buoys between Alibag and Vengurla replaced.

No. 429 (second publication)—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 240, dated the 25th June 1906, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 112 of 1906) that the undermentioned buoys were replaced in position on the dates marked against each :—

Alibag Buoy ...	...	...	...	[illegible] September	[illegible]
Ambulgad Reef Buoy, Jaitapur	...	...	24th	,,	,,
Málvan Harbour Buoys	...	...	19th	,,	,,
Chaldea Rock Buoy	...	...	24th	,,	,,
Málvan Outer Rock Buoy	...	...	21st	,,	,,
Johnstone Castle Rock Buoy	...	...	22nd	,,	,,
Vengurla Harbour Buoys	...	...	26th	,,	,,
Bhatkal Buoy ...	...	...	20th	,,	,,
Murdeshwar Buoy ...	...	...	21st	,,	,,

BAY OF BENGAL—Singapur strait.

Cyrene shoal—Wigham buoy to be painted white.

No. 430 (second publication).—The Acting Master Attendant, Straits Settlements, has given notice, dated 17th October 1906, that on and after the 1st December 1906 the superstructure of the Wigham buoy, moored off the Cyrene shoal, Singapur, will be painted white.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Caution—Position of a derelict reported.

No. 431 (second publication).—A telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Burma, stating that the Master of the S. S. *Rampuna* reports having passed a derelict on lat. 16° 16′ N., long. 96° 33′ E. Mariners are hereby warned.

The 5th November 1906.

AUSTRALIA, NORTH COAST—Melville island and Dundas strait.

Parry Shoal—Depth of water incorrectly shown on chart.

No. 409 (third publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 15 of 1906) that the Master of the S.S. *Empire* reports that when passing Parry Shoal at 6 P.M. on the 6th May 1906, at a distance of half-a-mile, he noticed a very heavy break on the five-fathom Patch, marked on the Chart—

Lat. 11° 10′ S.
Long. 129° 40″ E.

From this the Master presumed that the depth of water as shown on the Chart is incorrect.

Mariners are warned to avoid the vicinity.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—Backstairs Passage.

Yatala Shoal—Buoy with spherical top placed.

No. 410 (third publication).—The President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 16 of 1906) that, on or about 24th September, a buoy with a Spherical Top surmounted by a Half Globe, round side up, and painted red and white (horizontal bands), will be placed in five (5) fathoms L.W.S. on the N.W. side of the Yatala Shoal.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—Spencer Gulf.

Middle bank lightship replaced in position.

No. 411 (third publication).—Referring to the removal of the light-vessel from Middle bank for overhaul, the President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given further notice (No. 17 of 1906) informing Masters of vessels and others that the lightship has been replaced.

This affects Admiralty Chart 838B.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST- Gulf of St. Vincent.

Port Adelaide river—Additional new beacons placed—Amended sailing directions.

No. 412 (third publication).—The President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 18 of 1906) that in accordance with previous notices, eight extra Beacons have been placed on the north and east side of the cutting. The Beacons are painted black, and the lanterns green, from which a green light showing towards the cutting is exhibited; a white light is also exhibited from the back of each lantern showing towards the shore.

All the green light Beacons are numbered from the first or seaward Beacon with the letter "G" added, as follows:—No. 0G being outside Beacon; No. 1G, near the reflecting Beacon; No. 2G, opposite the old boat channel This light indicates the turning point from No. 2 (red) lead towards No. 3 All the others, that is, Nos. 3G to 9G, both inclusive, are placed opposite the corresponding numbers of the white light Beacons on the other side of the cutting.

All the single light Beacons are placed about 15 feet back from the cutting, and painted red to starboard and black to port. The lights are white to starboard and green to port from seaward.

The red light on the pile Beacon south of No. 3 being no longer required has been discontinued.

In consequence of the above alterations the sailing directions have been amended to read as follows:—

Sailing directions.

By Night.—In approaching the Anchorage, vessels of deep draught should not bring the white light on the old structure to bear north of N.E. by E. in order to avoid the four-fathom patch, which bears N.W. half N. from the light on Wonga Shoal; then get No. 1 lead (which consists of two red lights vertical 10 feet apart, and two white lights vertical 11 feet 9 inches apart) in line; keep these in line passing between the occulting light on the red buoy and the outer green light on the north bank, also between the other green lights on the north bank and the white lights on the revetment mound.

Steer on the same line until the two red lights of No. 2 lead are coming on; then steer with them in line until abreast of No. 2G Beacon; then direct the course to pass between No. 3 and No. 3G Beacons; and so on from Beacon to Beacon round the point until No. 9 is reached. From a safe distance off No. 9 the lights of No. 10 lead will be seen; keep them in line until the red light is about a quarter of a point open to the right of the white light of No. 11 lead; then gradually alter the course to bring the lights of No. 11 lead in line; keep them in line (a sharp look-out being kept for the mooring buoys on the starboard hand) until the lights of No. 12 lead are seen coming into line; proceed as before by altering the course before the lights are on with each other. The same applies in the change from No. 12 to No 13 lead. When the lights on the wharves are seen opening out off Luff Point, alter the course so as to round the point at a safe distance, and then up the centre of the channel, looking out for the mooring buoys on the starboard hand.

In going outwards the directions are just the opposite to those given for coming inwards; but in such case, in changing from one lead to another, the course should be gradually altered when abreast of the low (red) Beacon of each lead, except No. 2 lead. In this case, when abreast of No. 3 Beacon, gradually alter the course to a safe distance off No. 2G until the two red lights of No. 2 lead are in line, then proceed outwards with No. 2 lead in line.

By Day.—The directions by day are the same as by night, merely substituting the Beacons for the Lights.

This affects Admiralty Charts 2389A and B, 1750 and 1752.

During the progress of the work at the Light's Passage Harbour Works, masters of vessels exempt from pilotage may, if they so desire, avail themselves of the services of a pilot to assist them in passing such works, either in or out, at one-half the usual rates.

If the usual exemption flag is not hoisted it will be taken as a signal that a pilot is required. At night if a pilot is required the usual signal for a pilot should be shown.

N.B.—Owing to the nature of the work in progress, this notice may require to be amended from time to time, and therefore should be treated as tentative only.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH COAST—SPENCER GULF.

Corny Point light—Alteration in character.

No. 413 (third publication).—The President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 19 of 1906) that it is intended, on or about the 1st January 1907, to alter the characteristics of the above Light in the following respects:—

Instead of the Light being obscured over the Webb Rock and thence inshore as at present, a Red Sector will be shown over this Arc, *i.e.*, between the bearings of N.E. ½ E and N.E. by N. ¾ N., where it is shut in by the first point to the Southward of the Light-house.

The Red Sector will be visible for 14 miles, the full range of the Light.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 2389A.

Note.—This cancels Notice to Mariners No. 379, dated 6th October 1906, issued by this office.

CHINA—YANG TSE KIANG.

Harvey point channel—Buoys removed. Acteon shoal—Colour of S.E. Spit buoy altered.

No. 414 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1091 of 1906) that, owing to the disuse of Harvey point channel, Yang tse kiang, the buoys marking it, viz., Cone Tree buoy, N.E Acteon buoy, the Fairway buoy, and Mason Bank buoy, have been withdrawn.

A red spar buoy has been placed in the position formerly occupied by Mason Bank buoy for the guidance of native craft.

The S.E. Spit light-buoy, formerly painted in red and black vertical stripes, has been painted red.

Approximate position, S.E. Spit buoy, lat. 31° 35¾′ N., long. 121° 18½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Shanghai to Nanking, No. 2809: Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 431.

CHINA—YANG TSE KIANG ENTRANCE.

South channel—Buoys established.

No. 415 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1095 of 1906) that a good channel having been formed through the banks of the South channel, Yang tse kiang entrance, northward of Tungsha light-vessel and Middle ground, this channel would, on or about the 5th August 1906, be buoyed provisionally as follows:—

(*a*) Tungsha bank buoy, red conical, surmounted by staff and black ball, moored in a depth of 25 feet at low water to the south-eastward of the Tungsha banks, at a distance of 8 miles, S. 77° E., from Tungsha light-vessel.

(*b*) Tungsha buoy, red conical, surmounted by staff and black triangle, moored in a depth of 18 feet, to mark the southern edge of the Tungsha banks, at a distance of 2¼ miles, N. 17° E., from Tungsha light-vessel.

Approximate position, Tungsha light-vessel, lat. 31° 8¾′ N., long. 122° 0′ E.

(*c*) House island buoy, red spherical, moored in a depth of 17 feet, to mark the edge of the bank extending south-eastward from House island, at a distance of 4 miles, S. 48° E., from House island beacon

(*d*) House island crossing buoy, conical, painted in red and black vertical stripes, surmounted by staff and black diamond, moored in a depth of 17 feet, to mark the crossing on to the Kiutoan flats, at a distance of $1\frac{3}{10}$ miles, S. 47° W, from House island beacon.

(*e*) Kiutoan flats buoy, black conical, moored in a depth of 17 feet, to mark the northern edge of the Middle ground, at a distance of $2\frac{8}{10}$ miles, S. 86° W., from House island beacon.

Approximate position, House island beacon, lat. 31° 16½′ N., long. 121° 51½′ E.

(*Variation 2° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kue shan islands to the Yang tse kiang, No. 1199; approaches to the Yang tse kiang, No. 1602: Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, pages 406—408.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Celebes—Gulf of Boni.

Cape Tabako—Reef to the north-westward.

No. 416 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice No. 1101 of 1906 that a reef, about 50 yards in extent, with a depth of 10 feet over it at low water, exists to the north-westward of cape Tabako, gulf of Boni.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 12½′ S., long. 120° 47¾′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, western portion No. 941b; Eastern Archipelago, eastern portion, No. 942a: Also Eastern Archipelago, Par. II, 1904, page 354

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Bali island—Bali strait.

Lichin Point—Light buoy established.

No. 417 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 251, dated 26th June 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice No. 1105 of 1906 that a light buoy, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every twenty seconds*, thus:—light, *ten seconds;* eclipse, *ten seconds*, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles, has been moored off Lichin Point, Bali, strait.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 7¼′ S., long. 114° 25¾′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Java island, No. 1654; plan of Bali strait on No. 934. Also Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1904, page 147.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Sumatra, north-east coast—Aru bay.

Babalan channel—Tide-gauge established.

No. 418 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice No. 1106 of 1906) that a tide-gauge, surmounted by a red ball, has been erected in Babalan channel, Aru bay, between the black light-buoy at the entrance to the Babalan river, and the white conical buoy northward of it.

Approximate position, black light-buoy, lat. 4° 6′ N., long. 98° 19′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart—Aru bay, No. 3586: Also China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 78: and Supplement, 1899, page 7.

JAPAN (NIPON)—Yokohama bay.

Mandarin bluff—Light-buoy to the north-east withdrawn.

No. 419 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1107 of 1906) that the red conical buoy, exhibiting a white fixed light, shown on the chart at a distance of 9½ cables, N. 50° E., from Mandarin bluff, Yokohama bay, has been permanently withdrawn.

Approximate position, lat. 35° 26¼′ N, long. 189° 40¼′ E.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of Tokyo, No. 2657: Yokohama to Uraga, No. 3548; Yokohama bay, No. 3109.

CHINA, NORTH—MANCHURIA—PECHILI STRAIT—KWANG TUNG PENINSULA.

Port Arthur - Mines removed in approach.

No. 420 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 131, dated 12th April 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1112 of 1906) that the mines in the western approach to Port Arthur have been cleared away.

Vessels, however, must still exercise due caution, as solitary mines may yet exist on this area, though it is believed that the sweeping operations carried out have been effective.

The cautionary note respecting mines will, for the present, be retained on the charts until it is known that the whole coast in this locality is free from these dangers.

Approximate position, Port Arthur, lat. 38° 47′ N., long. 121° 16′ E.

(Variation 4° Westerly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Gulf of Pechili and Liau tung, No. 1256; Kwang tung peninsula, No. 1798 : Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, pages 592, 594.

The 29th October 1906.

ST. L. S. WARDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.



APPENDIX TO

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1906.

Schedules of Estates under Charge of the Administrator-General of Bengal.

PREPARED FROM 1ST JANUARY TO 30TH JUNE 1906 UNDER SECTION 44 OF ACT II OF 1874.

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ESTATES.	Date of Administration.	Date of Payment.	Payments.			Parties to whom paid.
			Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities not being Government securities.	Cash.	
			Rs.		Rs. A. P.	
Alexander, Lieut. B. W. J.	27th June 1892	28th June 1906	.....	.....	293 14 7	Paid to the Bank of Bengal for a set of demand bills of Exchange in favour of the Official Agent of Administrators-General in India at the India Office, London, for payment to Mrs. S. T. Bethett, being the surplus of the amount paid by her to make up the deficiency in the amount of claims admitted and registered against this estate.
Allison, D.	19th Dec. 1903...	31st May and 1st June 1906.	.....	.....	14,256 15 3	Paid to the Bank of Bengal for sets of demand bills in favour of the Official Agent of the Administrators-General in India at the India Office, London, for payments to John, James and Hugh Allisons through Messrs. Lawford Waterhouse and Lawford being their respective one-sixth shares of the balance of the estate as per account closed on the 11th May 1906, payable to them as brothers and next of kins of the deceased by their constituted attorneys said Messrs. Lawford Waterhouse and Lawford as per release executed by them jointly, transferred from this estate to the share of accounts Mrs. Jane Keag and Mrs. Eliza Ross as sisters of the deceased being their respective one-sixth shares of the balance of this estate; and transferred from this estate to the shares accounts of Mr. Alexander Rainey, nephew of the deceased, of Mrs. Mary Fydewan, Rachel Fitzwald and Jene Greenshield, nieces of the deceased being their respective one-fourth of one-sixth shares of the balance of this estate as per account closed on the 11th May 1906.
Athanass M. legacy account of mother of the deceased...	31st Jan. 1849	16th Mar. 1906	14,400	.....	6,242 12 2	Delivered and paid to Mrs. E. E. Athanass, being her two-thirds share of the balance of this account closed on the 7th March 1906, payable to her as the widow of Mr. T. Athanass, deceased, and sole executrix and universal legatee under the will and testament of the deceased as per separate release executed by her.

Adam, J. H.	23rd Jan. 1906	3rd May 1906	.....	.....	2,538 3 7	Paid to the Bank of Bengal, for a set of demand bills in favour of t Official Agent of the Administrators-General in India, at the Ind Office, London, for payment to Mrs. J. W. H. Adam, being t balance of this estate as per account closed on the 24th April 190 payable to her as the sole executrix and legatee under the will of t deceased.
Allen Alfred	19th Aug. 1905	22nd Feb. „	.....	.....	19,969 3 6	Paid to the Bank of Bengal, for a set of demand bills in favour of t Official Agent of the Administrator-General in India at the Ind Office, London, for payment to Arthur Allen, Esq., being the balan of the estate as per account closed on the 19th February 1906, pe able to him as the executor of the deceased's will in England.
Babajohn Massey *alias* Martyrus account of rent of house No. 109 and Godowns Nos. 110 and 119, Old China Bazar Street.	1st Nov. 1814	3rd and 12th April 1906.	.....	.....	198 12 1	Paid to the Official Trustee of Bengal, being the balance of this accoun closed on the 27th March 1906 to be held upon trust in terms of t deceased as per separate deed of transfer executed by him and t amount retained for payment of contribution for management house property in this estate for March 1906.
Babajohn Massey *alias* Matyrus account of legacy to the Institution at New Naukchewan.	1st „ „	3rd April 1906	10,400	.....	73 9 4	Delivered and paid to the Official Trustee of Bengal, being the balance this account, closed on the 8th March 1906, to be held upon tr under the will of the deceased as per separate Deed of Trans executed by him.
Babajohn Massey *alias* Matyrus account of legacy to the prisoners of Court of Requests and poor Armenians.	1st „ „	3rd „ „	94,400	.....	1,275 11 9	Ditto ditto ditto.
Babajohn Massey *alias* Matyrus account of legacy to the prisoners of the Court of Requests.	1st „ „	3rd „ „	10,100	.....	274 5 0	Ditto ditto ditto.
Boreham, G. S.	11th Dec. 1903	25th Jan. „	.....	.....	250 3 0	Paid to the Bank of Bengal, for a set of demand bills in favour of t Official Agent of the Administrator-General in India at the Ind Office, London, for payment to Mrs. K. S. Boreham and Mrs. C. E. Tailor, being the balance of this estate as per account closed th. 19th January 1906, payable to them in equal shares as moth and sister of the deceased.
Brooke, W. A., Trust account of a Muhammadan woman	5th Aug. 1883	5th May „	11,500	.....	56 7 9	Delivered and paid to the Official Trustee of Bengal, being the balan of this account, closed on the 11th April 1906, to be held upon tr in terms of the will of the deceased as per separate Deed of Trans executed by him.
Bridge, Mrs. A.	27th July 1905	24th „ „	.....	.....	3,464 13 5	Paid to the Bank of Bengal for a set of demand bills in favour of t Official Agent of the Administrators-General in India, at India Off London, for payment to Mr. James Bridge, being the balance of t estate as per account closed on the 19th May 1906. payable to h as husband and sole next of kin of the deceased.

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ESTATES.	Date of Administration.	Date of Payment.	Payments.			Parties to whom paid.
			Government Securities. Rs.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities not being Government securities.	Cash. Rs. A. P.	
Batt, A. W.	5th June 1904	29th March 1906	.....	.....	652 12 3	Paid to the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent to the Administrators-General in India at India Office, London, for payment to Mrs. M. J. A. Beek, being the balance of this estate, as per account closed 23rd March 1906, payable to her as sister and sole legatee under the will of the deceased as per release executed by her.
Cowan, Mrs. S. M., legacy account of W. C. Dix ...	11th Nov. 1891	14th June „	1,300	.....	107 11 9	Delivered and paid to Mr. William Chester Dix, being the balance of the funds of this account, closed on the 11th June 1906, payable to him as one of the grandsons and legatee under the Will of the deceased.
Cohen, J. S. A.	17th July 1905	12th and 17th April 1906.	.....	.....	26,101 13 8	Transferred from this account to the estate of the late Mr. A. J. A. Cohen, being his one-fifth share as one of the children and legatees under the Will of the deceased, and paid to Mr. H. A. Ballin, the respective one-fifth shares of Mr. S. J. A. Cohen and Mr. E. J. Cohen, the children and legatees under the will of the deceased, as assignees of Mr. Martin Gregory in whose favour they assigned their shares, as also respective one-fifth shares of Mrs. Sarah Sasoon Ezra, formerly Cohen and of Miss R. S. H. J. Cohen, children and legatees under the will of the deceased, as their assignee, of the balance of this estate as per account closed on the 7th April 1906, as per separate releases executed by him this day.
Cohen, A. J. A.	.....	9th and 18th June 1906.	.....	.....	4,894 9 10	Transferred to the estate of Mrs. Sarah Joshua Shalone Arrakie Cohen, being her one-fifth share as mother of late A. J. A. Cohen and paid to Mr. H. A. Ballin by his constituted attorney, Mr. F. H. Godwin, for payment to Mr. S. J. A. Cohen, Mr. E. J. A. Cohen, Mrs. R. S. H. J. Cohen (formerly Rebecca Cohen) and Mrs. S. S. Ezra (formerly Sarah Cohen) as their assignee, being their four-fifth shares of the balance of this account closed 30th May 1906, paid to them as brothers, sisters, and next of kin of the deceased.

DaCosta, J. S.	7th Jan. 1839	27th June 1906	.....	.....	101	1	7	Transferred from this estate to the estates of Madam S. V. (or L Dela Harpe and of G. N. DaCosta being their respective half of third shares of the balance of this estate as per account closi the 14th June 1906.
DeSilva, Domingo	15th July 1848	26th March „	.....	.....	12	15	3	Paid to the Comptroller-General through Bank of Bengal being bal of this estate payable to Government under section 62 of Act I 1874.
Dalton, Mrs. E. C.	.....	4th April „	.....	.....	506	15	5	Remitted by G. C. Notes and money-order to Miss P. B. Bastien Jha being the balance of the funds of this estate as per account cl on the 31st January 1906, as the only daughter and next of kl the deceased.
Davies, C. E., share account of Mr. W. Hollway, one of two surviving children of H. Hollway.	11th March 1892	21st June „	.....	.....	605	8	11	Paid into the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent of Administrators-General in India at the India Office, London, payment to Mr. W. J. F. Hollway, being the balance of this acc closed on the 19th June 1906, payable to him as one of two sur ing children of Mrs. H. Hollway predeceased sister of the decease
Dickie, James	20th Aug. 1887	1st March „	.....	.....	166	9	4	Paid into the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent of Administrators-General in India at the India Office, London, payment to Mrs. A. Semple or Porteus, William Semple and J Semple, the children of Mrs. Semple, aunt of the deceased, t their respective one-third of half; and paid to Hugh Dickie, the l representative of James Dickie, uncle of the deceased, being his share of the balance of the further assets of this estate as per acc closed on the 28th February 1906.
Dickinson, C. H.	31st Mar. 1904	31st May „	.....	.....	4,360	8	7	Paid into the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent of Administrators-General in India at the India Office, London, payment to Messrs. C. S. Dickinson and H. A. Carter as executors in England of the deceased being the balance of this es as per account closed on the 21st May 1906.
Darwin, Dr. B. T.	23rd Jan. 1896	17th April „	1,000	.....	120	2	3	Delivered and remitted to Mrs. J. T. Kennedy, the sister and sole legat under the will of the deceased, being the balance of the funds of th estate as per account closed on the 29th February 1906.
Dougherty, P. O.	8th July 1897 ...	19th April „	.....	.....	481	2	11	Paid to Mr. G. J. Rapson, being the balance of the fund of this estate per account closed on the 14th March 1906, in full satisfation of h legacy under the will of the deceased paid to her as the sole legat under the will of the deceased.
Doucett, Mrs. L. G.	10th Jan. 1896	24th Jan. „	.....	.....	5,588	2	4	Paid to Miss E. D. Andrews and Miss R. E. Andrews, grand daughte and residuary legatees under the Will of the deceased, being their equ shares of the balance of the funds of this estate as per account clos on the 20th January 1906, as per release executed by them jointly.

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			Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities not being Government securities.	Cash.	
			Rs.		Rs. A. P.	
Dias, J. F.	...	28th Feb.; 7th, 12th, 13th, 16th, 20th, Mar.; 9th and 12th April 1906.	.....	.....	7,354 5 4	Paid to Mrs. J. C. Hart, A. McGill Dias, Mr. S. E. Dias, Mr. E. F. Dias, Mrs. F. A. Cameron, Mr. M. R. Nyss, Mrs. A. Dias and Mr. P. J. Dias; and to the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent of the Administrators-General in India, at the India Office, London, for payment to Mrs. M. E. Meyer, and to Mrs. C. M. Vakes, the children and legatees under the will of the deceased, being their respective one-tenth shares of the balance of this estate as per account closed on the 17th February 1906.
Ezekiel Judah, account of Calcutta property retained for minor R. M. Ezekiel.	18th April 1884	10th May 1906	6,000	.....	3,024 2 11	Transferred this account to the estate J. Ezekiel, share account of R. M. Ezekiel, minor grand-daughter of the deceased, being the balance of this account closed on the 3rd May 1906.
Fenton, J. E.	8th March 1905	15th March and 18th June 1906.	.....	.....	126 2 8	Paid into the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent to the Administrators-General in India at the India Office, London, for payment to W. C. Fenton, being his one-third share of the balance of the further assets as one of the brothers and next of kin of the deceased and remitted by cheques to G. W. Fenton and Miss Gladys Sperling through their constituted attorney being their respective one-third share payable to them as God-child and one of the brothers and next of kin of the deceased as per account closed on the 2nd March 1906.
Fraser, Peter	Taken charge 9th Nov. 1905.	14th and 15th Feby. 1906.	.....	.....	488 7 2	Transferred from this estate to the estate of K. T. Mackenzie, being one-fifth of one-sixth share as one of the children of Mrs. J. M. Mackenzie, predeceased sister of the deceased, and paid to the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Administrators-General in India at the India Office, London, for payment of the respective one-sixth shares to Mrs. C. Deegan, Mrs. A. Harris, Mrs. J. Douglas, Mr. H. Fraser, and Miss M. Fraser, as sisters of the deceased, and the respective one-fifth of one-sixth shares to Mr. George Mackenzie, Mr. A. G.

						Mackenzie, Miss A. I. Mackenzie and Miss G. M. Mackenzie, nephews and nieces of the deceased, of the balance of this estate as per account closed on the 13th February 1906.
French, Major G. B.	22nd Feb. 1905	28th June 1906	.....	.....	1,063 6 8	Paid into the Bank of Bengal, in favour of the Official Agent, of Administrators-General in India, at the India Office, London, payable to Mrs. A. M. Hampton, being her half of one-seventh share of the balance of this estate as per account closed on the 22nd May 1906 as one of the children of Mrs. Ada Caroline, a predeceased sister of the deceased.
Gregory, J. A., share account of J. E. Humphries ...	3rd Dec. 1895	26th Mar. „	100	.....	19 11 11	Delivered and paid to J. E. Humphries, being the balance of this estate as per account closed on the 24th March 1906 payable to him as one of the legatees under the will of the deceased.
Do. share account of Emily Rosabel James	Ditto	14th June „	100	.....	19 12 0	Delivered and paid to Miss. C. R. James through her constituted attorney W. H. Humphries, being the balance of this account closed on the 24th March 1906 payable to her as one of the legatees under the will of the deceased.
Green, Thomas, share account of R. S. Green, one of the children of the deceased.	5th Aug. 1903	22nd May „	.....	.....	794 14 10	Paid to R. S. Green as one of the children and next of kin of the deceased, being the balance of this account closed on the 23rd March 1906 as per separate release executed by him.
Green, Mrs. M. V, share account of R. S. Green, one of the children of the deceased.	Ditto	Ditto „	.....	.....	336 1 7	Paid to R. S. Green as one of the childern and next of kin of the deceased, being the balance of this account closed on the 23rd March 1906.
Gawne, Mrs. Mary Ann Isabella Hamilton ...	9th July 1886	23rd April „	.....	.....	6,264 5 6	Paid into the Bank of Bengal in favor of the official Agent of the Administrators-General in India at the India Office, London, being the balance of the further assets of this estate as per account closed on the 17th April 1906, payable to Mrs E. M. Lungley and Mr. J. Lungley, the executrix and executor of G. Lungley, the executor of late Mrs. Gawne.
Harmston, John Thomas	26th Nov. 1870	22nd Mar. „	.....	.....	255 10 4	Paid into the Bank of Bengal in favor of the official Agent of the Administrators-General in India at the India Office, London, for payment to Mrs. Mary Allcom, Mrs. S. Waddington, A. Addition, Elezabeth Money, F. Walker, Mr. George Coulson, Mr. Thomas Money, Mr. M. E. Weston, Mr. William Money, Mr. J. E. Money, Mrs. S. A. Money, widow of Mr. E. H. Money, and T. I. Allatt hishand of Mrs. E. Allott, as next of kins of the deceased as per account closed on The 15th March 1906.
Hayton, J. L., legacy account of R. A Haytou one of the children of the late R. Hayton, son of the deceased	28th Oct. 1853	30th May „	5,400	.....	184 0 2	Delivered and paid to R. A. Hayton, being the balance of this estate as per account closed on the 21st May 1906, payable to him as one of the children and next of kin of the late Robert Hayton, son of the deceased as per release executed by him.

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			Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities not being Government securities.	Cash.	
			Rs.		Rs. A. P.	
Hayton, J. L., legacy account for Miss M. Hayton, one of the children of the late R. Hayton, son of the deceased	28th Oct. 1853.	19th Jan. 1906	.....	.....	103 15 3	Transferred from this estate to the estate Miss. Maud Hayton one of the children of the late R. Hayton, son of the deceased, being the balance of this account closed on the 18th January 1906.
Hayton, J. L., account of the late Mrs. M. A. Hayton, widow of the deceased.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	.....	.....	204 3 1	Transferred to the estate Mrs. Mary Anne Hayton, widow of the deceased being the balance of this account closed on the 17th January 1906.
Hayton, Mary Anne	Taken charge 23rd Nov. 1905.	Ditto ...	.....	.....	198 1 1	Transferred from this estate to the estates of J. L. Hayton, legacy account of R. A. Hayton, one of the children of the late R. Hayton, son of the deceased, and for Miss Maud Hayton, one of ditto, as per account closed on the 18th January 1906.
Hayton, Miss Maud	Ditto ...	19th and 26th Jan. and 30th April 1906.	.....	.....	100 18 4	Transferred from this estate to the estate J. L. Haytor legacy account of R. A. Hayton, one of the children of late R Hayton, son of the deceased, being his, share, and paid to Mrs. J. Hayton as mother and next of kin of the deceased, and to Mr. J. C. Glasson, as husband and one of the next of kin of the deceased, being their respective ¼th and ¼ shares of the balance of this estate, as per account closed on the 18th January 1906.
Higgins, Mrs A., share account of G. A. Higgins ...	18th Jan. 1871.	20th March 1906	200	.....	44 5 0	Paid to the Comptroller General through the Bank of Bengal, being the balance of this account payable to Government under section 62 of Act II of 1874 as unclaimed.

Higgins, Mrs. A., share account of J. J. Higgins	19th Jan. 1871	20th Mar. 1906	200	.....	44 3 6	Paid to the Comptroller-General, being the balance of this account payable to Government under section 62 of Act II of 1874, as unclaimed.
Hexter, Henry	11th Dec. 1905	20th Feb. „	.....	.....	4,913 4 0	Remitted by cheques to Miss A. A. Hexter, Mrs. F. E. Bingham, and Mrs. E. Bastine, being their respective one-third shares of the balance of this estate as per account closed on the 9th February 1906 payable to them as the daughters and legatees under the will of the deceased.
Hindhaugh, Driver. W.	10th Apl. 1893	3rd May „	.....	.....	515 11 3	Paid into the Bank of Bengal in favour of Official Agent of the Administrators-General in India, at the India Office, London, payable to her as widow of the deceased as per account closed on the 3rd April 1906.
Hodgson, Charles Mcsween	21st Dec. 1885	17th Apl. „	.....	.....	3,920 2 4	Transferred from this estate to the estate of Mrs. M. A. I. H. Gaw sister of the deceased, being the balance of the further assets of the estate, as account closed on the 12th April 1906.
Inglis, Miss M. A., share of account of A. T. Shuttleworth, one of the children of late Mrs. E. Shuttleworth.	16th July 1875	1st Mar. „	.....	.....	235 4 10	Paid to the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent of the Administrators-General in India at the India Office, London, for payment Allen. T. Shuttleworth, being the balance of this account closed on the 28th February 1906 payable to him as one of the children of late Mrs. E. Shuttleworth, one of the sisters of the deceased.
Kalooss, A., accounts of sundry legatees under the will of the deceased.	20th Dec. 1 61	30th Mar. „	10,400	.....	23 8 6	Delivered and paid to the Official Trustee of Bengal, being the corpus of this account closed on the 7th March 1906 as trustee of the properties belonging to the Armenian Church appointed under decree of Court, dated the 17th July 1890, in suit Apcar *versus* Malcolm, to be held in trust for the said church.
Kalooss, A., share account of the children of late Hannonojee Jacob.	20th Dec. 1861	28th Mar. „	... ..	.....	24 3 5	Paid to the Comptroller-General through Bank of Bengal, being the balance of this account payable to Government under section 62 of Act II of 1874, as unclaimed.
Kalooss, A., share account of Wardens of the Armenian Church of St. Nazareth in Calcutta.	20th „ „	30th „ „	10,400	.....	57 1 5	Delivered and paid to the Official Trustee of Bengal, being the corpus of this account closed on the 7th March 1906, as trustee of the properties belonging to the Armenian Church appointed under decree of court, dated the 7th July 1890, in suit Apcar *versus* Malcolm, to be held for the said Church.
Kay, J. R, share account of Alexander Kay ...	17th Mar. 1888	15th „ „	.....	.....	325 14 2	Paid into the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent to the Administrators-General in India, at the India Office, London, for payment to W. A. Kay as brother and one of the next of Kin of the deceased, being the balance of this account closed on the

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ESTATES.	Date of Administration.	Date of Payment.	Payments: Government Securities. Rs.	Payments: Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities not being Government securities.	Payments: Cash. Rs. A. P.	Parties to whom paid.
Learmouth, Mrs. R.	.....	30th March 1906	.....	.....	180 13 8	Transferred to the estate of Miss F. A. Wyatt, the universal legatee under the will of the deceased, being the balance of the further assets of this estate as per account closed on the 27th March 1906.
Lewis, E. J.	.....	17th Mar. and 17th April 1906.	.....	.....	680 5 9	Transferred to the estate of E. J. Lewis, share account of P. J. H. L'Estrange Lewis and H. O. Lewis, sons of the deceased being their respective one-third shares of the balance of this estate, for payment to them on attaining majority and remitted by money-order to Mrs. L. E. Fanaken Hubli, widow of the deceased being her one-third share of the balance of this estate as per account closed on the 28th February 1906.
Llewellyn, Dr. Charles (unclaimed account)	.....	24th Apri. „	.....	.....	38 15 8	Paid to the Comptroller-General through the Bank of Bengal, for credit of Government, being the balance of this estate, payable to Government under section 62 of Act II of 1874, as unclaimed.
Longden, General Sir H. E.	21st April 1890	29th April „	.....	.....	50 0 0	Paid into the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent of the Administrators General in India, at the India Office, London, payable to Revd. R. K. Longden, General C. S. Longden and M. I. S. Longden as administratorsof the deceased's estate in England, being the balance standing at credit of this estate retained for payment of Audit fee.
Lutz, C. J. R., account for the next of kin ..	29th March 1894	22nd March „	7,200	.....	121 11 6	Written back from this account to the estate account, the transfer to the account of the next-of-kin not having been a good distribution, being the balance of this account closed on the 16th March 1906.
Lutz, A. C.	1906	22nd „ „	.....	.....	1,710 6 4	Transferred from this estate to the estate of J. C. R. Lutz as father and sole legatee under the will of the deceased, being the balance of further assets of this account closed 20th March 1906.

Lane, James	.....	3rd April 1906	.....	.....	868 0 10	Remitted by cheques to Misses K. U. Lane, E. K. Lane, G. U. Lane and E. C. Lane, sisters of the deceased, being their respective u shares of the balance of this estate and to B. K. Lane, Mr. J. J. Lane and Mr. D. K. Lane, brothers of the deceased, being their respective, us seventh share of the balance of this estate as per account closed on the 14th March 1906.
Malchus, N. J., life interest. share account of Isaac N. I Malchus, the son of the deceaed. ...	.....	20th June „	.....	.....	470 8 10	Paid to M. V. Apcar being, the balance of this account closed on the 15th June 1906, as creditor of the estate of J. N. J. Malchus in terms of the certificate granted to him by the Administrator of Bengal under sec. 37 of Act. II. of 1874.
MacLeod, share account of C. Bryan and I. Hodgson, now Mrs. I. Gann, children of late C. Hodgson.	12th May 1865	10th April „	7,000	... ..	145 0 0	Written back from this account to estate A D. MacLeod as the original transfer from A. D. MacLeod to this account being wrong as per account closed on the 30th March 1906.
Magner, M. L....	.....	24th January „	... ..	....	477 14 8	Paid to S. Magner, Esq., through the Deutsch-Asintische Bank, Calcutta as the constituted attorney of Miss Caroline Magner, Mrs. R. Simmons and of Joseph Magner, Esq., being their respective one-fifth shares as well as his own one-fifth share of the balance of this estate payable to them as brothers and sisters and next of kin of the deceased as per account closed on the 24th November 1905.
Manuk, G., legacy to the Armenian School at Calcutta	3rd August 1831	9th March „	32,500	.....	89 9 11	Delivered and paid to the Official Trustee of Bengal, being the balance of this account closed on the 14th February 1906, to be held up on trust in terms of the will of deceased as per Deed of Transfer executed by him.
Manuk, G., legacy to the Convent Aminah Perjetsch at Ispahan.	3rd „ „	9th „ „	10,600	.....	80 0 8	Delivered and paid to the Official Trustee of Bengal, being the balance of this account closed on the 14th February 1906, to be held up on trust in terms of the will of the deceased as per Deed of Transfer executed by him.
Manuk. G., legacy to the convent for females at Ispahan	3rd „ „	9th „ „	4,800	.....	295 12 7	Delivered and paid to the Official trustee of Bengal, being the balance of this account closed on the 14th February 1906, to be held up on trust in terms of the will of deceased as per Deed of Transfer executed by him.
Manuk, G., legacy to the Convent Arseh Meatson at Arrarat.	3rd „ „	3rd „ „	35,000	.....	2 11 11	Delivered and paid to the Official Trustee of Bengal, being the balance of this account closed on the 14th February 1906, to be held up on trust interms of the iwll of deceased as per deed of Transfer executed by him.

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ESTATES.	Date of Administration.	Date of Payment.	Payments. Government Securities. Rs.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities not being Government securities.	Cash. Rs. A. P	Parties to whom paid.
McLeod, A. D.	.....	11th April 1903	.....	.....	7,179 13 10	Transferred from this estate to the estates of Mrs. Mary Ann Isabell Hamilton Gawne, and of Charles M. Hodgson, children of lat Mrs. C. Hodgson, predeceased sister of the deceased, being thei respective one-half shares of the balance of this account closed on th 10th April 1906.
Malins, Conductor G. J.	6th Jan. 1876	15th and 24th May 1906.	.....	.....	1,798 12 2	Paid to H. Malins, and to the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Officia Agent of the Administrators-General in India at India Office London, for payment to Edward Malins and Mrs. E. Morrison, th sons and daughter of the deceased, being their respective one-thir shares of the balance of this estate a per account closed on the 29t March 1906.
Manuk, G., legacy to the Convent at Jelusigam ...	3rd Aug. 1831	9th March 1906	15,800	.....	162 7 5	Delivered and paid to Official Trustee of Bengal, being the balance o this account closed on the 14th February 1906, to be held up o trust in terms of the will of the deceased as Deed of Transfer executo by him.
Martyn, Mrs. Mary	27th Feb. 1896	8th Jan. ,,	.....	.....	23,061 11 8	Paid to the Comptroller-General through the Bank of Bengal, being th one-sixth share of the balance of this estate payable to Governmen under section 62 of Act II of 1874; and to Mrs. F. N. C. Thatche through Messrs. Orr, Dignam & Co., as assignee of Sahagram, th brother and one of the next of kin of Matoo, Shibram and Du Dass, the nephews and next of kin of the deceased, being the one-thir share of the said Sahagram and the one-eight of each of the nephew of the balance of this estate as per account closed on the 20t October 1905; as per separate release executed by her.

May, Henry share account of Henry May ...	10th July 1886	11th Jan. 1906	.....	.....	58 9 8	Remitted by money order to Henry May, Dighoi Post Office, being th balance of this account closed on the 23rd November 1905, paid t him as one of the children of the deceased.
Medworth, Mrs. O. G., share account of Mrs. L. A. E. Williams, formerly Medly.	28th April 1896	10th ,, ,,	500	.....	35 10 11	Delivered and paid by money-order to Mr. A. E. Williams, the husban and administrator to the estate of late Mrs. L. A. E. Williams, siste and one of next of kin of the deceased, being the balance of this estat as per account closed on the 23rd November 1905.
Mitchall, Mrs. Isabella, share account of G. Mitchell ...	10th Dec. 1862	17th April ,,	5,600	.....	162 0 6	Paid to the Comptroller-General through the Bank of Bengal, being th balance of this account payable to Government under section 6 of Act II of 1874.
Mowat, W.	.....	5th ,, ,,	.....	.....	62 14 0	Paid into the Bank of Bengal in favour of Official Agent of th Administrators in India at India Office, London, for payment t J. Sutherland, Esq., as clerk of the Parish Council on behalf and a guardian of W. R. Mowat, the minor son of the deceased an universal legatee under his will; being the balance of this es as per account closed on the 2nd April 1906.
Murray, Daniel, alias Elias Kader Bux	.....	19th Jan. ,,	1,800	.....	140 14 9	Delivered and paid to the Comptroller-Gene estate payable to Government as an e the Indian Succession Act.
Muller, John	.....	3rd May ,,	.....	.....	618 13 11	Paid to the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent of th Administrators-General in India at the India Office, London, fo payment to Mrs. L. J. Hill, being her one-half share of the balanc of this estate as per account closed on the 23rd November 190 payable to her as one of the daughters of the deceased.
Palmer, J. M.	.....	19th June ,,	3,600	.....	118 6 9	Delivered and paid to the Comptroller-General, being the balance of this estate payable to Government as an escheat under section 28 of the Indian Succession Act, X of 1865.
Popham, Major-General G. M., legacy account of Steephen Popham.	4th Sept. 1838	1st Feb. ,,	6,100	.....	137 4 5	Delivered and paid to the Comptroller-General, being the balnce of this estate payable to Government as an escheat under section 62, of Act II of 1874 as unclaimed.
Purdon, Mrs. J.	.....	8th ,, ,,	.....	.....	-3,557 0 11	Paid to the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent of the Administrators-General in India at India Office, London, for payment to Mrs. C. Randell and Mrs. E. Fowle, being the balance of this estate as per account closed on the 12th January 1906 payable to them as nieces of the deceased and administratices to her estate as per release executed by them jointly.

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			Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities not being Government securities.	Cash.	
			Rs.		Rs. A. P.	
Rondo Joseph, account of Sundry legatees	18th Mar. 1846	17th April 1906	32,800	.....	282 11 5	Paid to the Comptroller-General, being the balance of this estate payable to Government under section 62 of Act II of 1874.
Rowe, D. J.	.....	4th May „	34,500	.....	3,015 1 8	Delivered and paid to Mrs. L. M. Tarbie as one of the legatees, being her one-fifth share and transferred from this estate to the estates of D. G. Rowe share account of the three children of Emile Jules Tarbie; and of E. J. Tarbie, stepson of the deceased, being their respective one-fifth shares of the balance of this estate as per account closed on the 23rd April 1906.
Reynolds, H.	.....	15th Mar. „	.....	.....	1,851 3 9	Paid into the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent of the Administrators-General in India at the India Office, London, for payment to Mrs. A. T. Reynolds, C. E. Reynolds, P. Reynolds and S. Reynolds, as mother, brothers and next of kin of the deceased as per account closed on 13th March 1906.
Shaw, C. H. A.	.....	1st „ „	.....	.....	57 8 2	Paid into the Bank of Bengal in favour of Official Agent of the Administrators-General in India at India Office, London, for payment to Mrs. C H. Alexander, being the balance of this estate as per account closed on the 27th February 1906 payable to her as the widow of the deceased, under the provision of the Intestates Act, 1880 (53 and 54 Vict c 29).
Tripp, Benjamine Copel, share account of S. S. Tripp, brother of the deceased.	14th May 1863	9th March „	400	.. ...	37 10 2	Delivered and paid to the Comptroller-General being the balance standing at credit of this account payable to Government under section 62 of Act II of 1874, as unclaimed.

Turner, W. B., share account of Martha Morgan ...	.....	10th Jan. 1906	10,000	.....	122 1 7	Delivered and paid to Martha Morgan by her constituted attorn R. B. Turner, paid to her as one of the residuary legatees under t will of the deceased.
Turner, W. B.	... ..	20th „ „	.....	.....	867 15 4	Paid to Martha Morgan, J. Fleming and J. Wilson by their consti tuted Attorney R. B. Turner, being their respective one-third shar of the balance of the further assets of this estate as account closed the 12th January 1906.
Wilcox, F. share account of A. Reviley, one of the children of Mrs. S. J. Reviley, one of the sisters of the deceased.	23rd Aug. 1897	15th Mar. „	.....	.....	244 10 3	Paid to the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent of the Adminis trators-General in India at the India Office, London, for payme to A. R. Reviley, Esq., being the balance of this account closed the 20th December 1905, payable to him as one of the children Mrs. S. J. Reviley, one of the sisters of the deceased.
Williams, St. F.	26th May 1856	22nd „ „	.. ...	.....	21 3 11	Paid into the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent of th Administrators-General in India at the India Office, London, fo payment to George Edward East, Miss Mary May East, and Charl Roberts Bowels, Esq., being the balance standing at credit of thi estate payable to them as the executors and executrix to the estat of late G. E. East, the surviving executor and Trustee of the will the deceased.
Weatherly, Dr. A. J.	.....	1st „ „	.....	.....	4,174 4 0	Paid into the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent of th Administrators-General in India at the India Office, London, fo payment to Mrs. Sarah E. Weatherley, being the balance of th estate as per account closed on the 21st February 1906 payable t her as universal legatee under the will of the deceased.
Wood, G. H., legacy share Account of G. H. Wood, son of the deceased.	31st Jan. 1884	18th April „	900	.....	80 1 2	Transferred to the estate of George Henry Wood.
Wood, George Henry	.....	28th „ „	800	.....	95 8 1	Delivered and paid to the Comptroller-General through the Bank o Bengal, being the balance of this estate payable to Government under section 62 of Act II of 1874 as unclaimed.
Wyatt, Alexander, gift for the children of the deceased	12th Jan. 1861	15th and 27th Feb. and 30th April 1906.	.....	.....	718 14 0	Paid into the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent of the Administrators-General in India at India Office, London, for payment to A. G. Wyatt and J. C. Wyatt, remitted by a draft to C. B. A. Fermernee C. B. A. Wyatt and transferred to the account of Mrs. Rose Learmouth (Miss Rose Wyatt), the children of the deceased, being their respective one-eighth shares of the balance of this account closed on the 10th February 1906.

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			Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities not being Government securities.	Cash.		
			Rs.		Rs.	A. P.	
Warter' Colonel H. DeGrey	26th July 1889	25th Jan. 1906	.....	.....	45	7 11	Paid into the Bank of Bengal in favour of the Official Agent of the Administrators-General in India at the India Office, London, for payment to Mrs, O'Callaghan, administrator of Mrs. DeGrey Warter, the universal legatee under the will of the deceased.
Wiese, F. W. F. Legacy of the servant	16th Nov. 1888	14th Mar. „	4,100	.....	12	11 4	Delivered and paid to the Comptroller-General being the balance of this account payable to Government under section 62 Act II of 1874 as unclaimed.
Wiese, F. W. F.	16th „ „	14th Mar. „	100	.....	18	3 8	Delivered and paid to the Comptroller General being the balance outstanding at credit of this estate payable to Government under section 62 of Act II of 1874 as unclaimed.
Wilcox Edwin, account for next of kin	.....	15th Feb. and 2nd, 8th, 16th, 19th and 20th Mar. 1906.	.....	.....	16,930	14 9	Paid the Official Agent of the Administrators-General in India at the India Office, London, for payment to Miss I. J. Wilcox, next of kin of the deceased his one-fifth share to Mrs. G. D. Graham, to J. G. Sant through Delhi and London Bank and to Major H. Wilton, remitted to Captain G. Walton, through the manager Punjab Banking Company, Simla, to Major L. B. Walton, Dera Ismail Khan, to Major E. W. Walton, Lucknow, children of Jessie Wilcox, one of the next of kin of the deceased, being their respective one seventh of one fifth shares; and transferred to the estate of Edwin Wilcox, share account of C. B. Walton, one of the legal respresentatives of Jessie Wilcox, nee Walton, one of the next of kin of the deceased, being his one seventh of one fifth share; to the share account of T. Wilcon, to the share account of Henry Wilcox and Mathew Wilcox in the estate of Edwin Wilcox, being their respective one fifth shares of the balance of the estate as per account closed on the 13th February 1906.

Wallace, Major General J. D.-C.	26th May 1881	9th Mar 1906	206	.....	40 12 10	Delivered and paid to the Comptroller-General through Bank of Bengal, being the balance standing at credit of this estate payable to Government under section 62, Act II of 1874, as unclaimed.
Assaram Burmono new acccount	20th May 1850	30th „ „	19,000	...	412 8 5	Delivered and paid to the Official Trustee being the balance of the estate closed on the 16th March 1906, under the order of court dated 5th December 1905, to be held in trust.
Cassey Nath Mullick	4th March 1879	17th April 1906	4,61,900	.....	1,266 13 6	Transferred from this estate to the estate Cassey Nath Mullick account of Residuary Estate for charity at Brindaban, being the balance of the residence of this estate as per account closed on the 9th April 1906; to be held in terms of the order of Court, dated 13th August 1903.
Ram Kally Mookerjee life-interest account of Sreemuty Wootmu Debi one of the daughters of the deceased.	1st April 1890	16th and 20th Febuary 1906.	.....	.....	1,913 13 11	Paid to Baidya Nath Mookerjee, and to Sunder Lall Misser assignee of Shostu Dass Mookerjee, the two sons of the deceased, being their equal shares of the funds held in this account for payment of interest to Srimutty Wootmu Coomary Dabee during her lifetime as per account closed on the 16th January 1906 as per separate releases executed by them.
Rungunmoney Dassee Sreemutty	8th May 1879	24th April 1906	1,02,500	.....	584 9 6	Transferred from this estate to the estate of Rungunmoney Dassee account of Residuary Estate, for payment out of the income thereof the expenses of worship of the deities and other charges, being balance of the residu of this estate as per account closed on 20th April 1906.
Sumbhoo Chander Banerjee account of Family Debsheva.	3rd Sept. 1859	12th May 1906	23,000	.....	872 8 11	Delivered and paid to Dhuraj Chander Chatterjee, Hurry Pada Chatterjee and Sreemutty Satyabala Dabee, being the balance of this account paid to them in terms of the decree of Court, dated 20th February 1906 in Suit No. 496 of 1905 D. C. Chatterjee etc versus Administrator-General; as per account closed on the 4th May 1906.
Sagore Dutt	29th Nov. 1886	28th May 1906	24,000	... ..	326 9 3	Transferred from this estate to the estate of Sagore Dutt account of Residuary estate, being the balance of this estate as per account closed on the 12th May 1906.

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HENRY T. HYDE,

Administrator-General of Bengal.

SCHEDULE B of all sums of Moneys, Bonds and other Securities received by the Administrator-General on account of Estates not being HINDUS or MUHAMMADANS remaining under his charge, together with Payments made thereout, and the Balances, prepared from 1st January to 30th June 1906, under Section 44 of Act II of 1874.

ESTATES.	Date of administration.	Balance on 1st January 1906.				Receipts up to 30th June 1906.			Total.			Payments from 1st January to 30th June 1906.			Balance on 30th June 1906.			
		Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.	Cash. To Debit.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.	Cash. To Debit.
		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
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Abraham, J. T. ...	27 Sept. 94	0	...	6 4 0	0 0 0	18100	...	557 6 4	18100	...	563 10 4	0	...	497 10 3	18100	...	66 0 1	0 0 0
———, life-interest account of three brothers and sister of the deceased...	Ditto ...	7400	...	71 12 9	0 0 0	0	...	126 12 0	7400	...	198 8 9	7400	...	198 8 9	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
———, account for grandson or grandsons of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	7400	...	79 5 0	0 0 0	0	...	126 12 0	7400	...	206 1 0	7400	...	206 1 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
———, legacy account of Mrs. M. C. David, widow, of Julpha ...	Ditto ...	600	...	16 3 10	0 0 0	0	...	10 8 0	600	...	26 11 10	600	...	26 11 10	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
———, legacies for religious and charitable purposes ...	Ditto ...	1900	...	19 3 10	0 0 0	0	...	33 4 0	1900	...	52 7 10	1900	...	52 7 10	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
———, legacy account of A. C. Ter Abraham *alias* A. C. Seth, of Punjab ...	Ditto ...	300	...	70 10 11	0 0 0	0	...	5 4 0	300	...	75 14 11	300	...	75 14 11	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
———, legacy account of Isaac Ter Abraham Ter Carapiet, of Punjab ...	Ditto ...	0	..	51 12 9	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	51 12 9	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	51 12 9	0 0 0
Adam, J. H. ...	...	1800	...	0 0 0	47 6 6	900	..	3,787 15 1	2700	...	3,740 8 7	2700	...	3,740 8 7	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Adams, Miss G. W.,—life-interest account of J. B. K. Bouches ...	.....	9300	.	89 15 0	0 0 0	0	...	169 4 8	9300	...	259 3 8	1300	...	16 2 3	8000	...	243 1 5	0 0 0
———, General Sir J. W....	28 April 80	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	400	...	470 11 10	400	...	470 11 10	0	...	397 6 6	400	...	73 5 4	0 0 0
———, G. T. P. D. ...	.....	1100	...	103 1 8	0 0 0	700	...	871 10 4	1800	...	974 12 0	0	...	819 7 0	1800	...	155 5 0	0 0 0
Adye, Lieutenant-Colonel G. ...	5 May 99	0	...	207 3 6	0 0 0	200	...	0 0 0	200	...	207 3 6	0	...	198 10 9	200	...	8 8 9	0 0 0

Alexander, Lieutenant B. W. J. ...	27 June 92	200	...	91	14	4	0	0	0	0	...	292	4	5	200	...	294	2	9	200	...	294	2	9	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Allen, Mrs. M. F. ...	.....	1800	...	63	7	3	0	0	0	0	...	33	4	3	1800	...	95	11	6	0	...	1	4	6	1800	...	95	7	0	0	0	0
——, Alfred ...	.....	20200	...	17	1	9	0	0	0	0	...	20274	10	8	20200	...	20291	12	5	20200	...	20291	12	5	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Allison, D. ...	19 Dec. 03	14400	...	19	7	11	0	0	0	0	..	14612	2	4	14400	...	14631	10	3	14400	...	14618	12	9	0	...	12	13	6	0	0	0
——, D. share account of Mrs. Jane Keag, sister of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	6		6	0	0	0	0	0	2400	...	2380	3	10	2400	...	2380	3	10	0	..	2379	5	3	2400	...	0	14	7	0	0	0
——, D. share account of Mrs. Eliza Ross, sister of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	2400	...	2380	3	10	2400	...	2380	3	10	0	...	2379	2	11	2400	...	1	0	11	0	0	0
——, D. share account of Mrs. M. Fydewan, one of the nieces of the deceased	Ditto ...	0	..	0	0	0	0	0	0	500	...	595	0	11	500	...	595	0	11	0	...	496	7	0	500	...	98	9	11	0	0	0
——, D. share account of Mr. A. Rainey nephew of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	500	...	595	0	11	500	...	595	0	11	0	...	496	7	0	500	...	98	9	11	0	0	0
——, D. share account of Mrs. E. Fitzwald, one of the neices of the deceased	Ditto ...	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	500	...	595	1	0	500	...	595	1	0	0	...	496	7	0	500	...	98	10	0	0	0	0
——, D. share account of Mrs. Jane Grunshield, one of the nieces of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	500	...	595	1	0	500	...	595	1	0	0	...	496	7	0	500	...	98	10	0	0	0	0
Anderson, Mrs. B.—share account of Mrs. K. Graham, now Mrs. Johnson, daughter of the deceased ...	25 Aug 80	5300	..	38	15	6	0	0	0	0	...	97	7	10	5300	...	136	7	4	0	...	92	5	7	5300	...	44	1	9	0	0	0
——, share account of Miss A. D. Anderson, now Mrs. Chichester daughter of the deceased	Ditto ...	5300	...	198	6	6	0	0	0	0	...	97	7	10	5300	...	295	14	4	0	...	178	3	9	5300	...	117	10	7	0	0	0
Andrew, D.,—share account of A. S. Andrew, daughter of the deceased ...	2 Dec. 62	800	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	14	11	8	800	...	14	11	8	0	...	14	0	0	800	...	0	11	8	0	0	0
Armstrong, Lieutenant-Colonel M. ...	19 Sep. 04	4300	...	63	15	3	0	0	0	100	...	79	2	8	4400	...	143	1	11	0	...	102	8	8	4400	...	40	9	3	0	0	0
Arrakiel, J. G. ..	29 June 58	0	...	0	4	6	0	0	0	0	...	24	7	1	0	...	24	11	7	0	...	24	11	7	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, account of D. Swarris for life-interest ...	Ditto ...	0	...	16	9	9	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	16	9	9	0	...	16	9	9	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, account of house No. 24-1, now No. 29, Chitpore Road ...	Ditto ...	0	...	2	4	6	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	2	4	6	0	...	2	4	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, account of house No 4, formerly No. 8, Sree Nath Babu s Lane ...	Ditto ..	0	...	5	8	10	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	5	8	10	0	...	5	8	10	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arrakil, Mrs. B. C.,—share account of house No. 7, Armenian Street ..	6 April 35	0	...	0	5	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	5	8	0	...	0	5	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Arrakil, share account of house No. 8, Armenian Street ...	6 April 35	0	...	2 9 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	2 9 0	0	..	2 9 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Arratoon, L. ...	15 May 99	0	...	8 12 2	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	8 12 2	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	8 12 2	0 0 0
Athanass, Mrs. E.,—account of legacy to widows and orphans ...	15 Dec. 48	2100	...	87 14 7	0 0 0	0	...	136 1 9	2100	..	224 0 4	100	...	201 14 6	2000	...	22 1 10	0 0 0
———, M.,—legacy account of the mother of the deceased ...	31 Jan. 49	31200	...	4 11 6	0 0 0	0	...	9938 1 10	31200	...	9942 13 4	24000	..	6815 15 3	7200	...	3126 14 1	0 0 0
Atkinson, Mrs. M. E.,—share account of A. E. J. Atkinson, son of the deceased ...	.....	700	...	86 0 7	0 0 0	0	...	12 14 2	700	...	98 14 9	0	...	25 3 0	700	...	73 11 9	0 0 0
Augustin, C. F.,—account of legacy for Masses ...	15 May 79	1000	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	18 6 6	1000	...	18 6 6	0	...	17 8 0	1000	...	0 14 6	0 0 0
Austin, E. C. ...	Taken charge 1896	300	...	91 4 7	0 0 0	0	...	5 8 4	300	...	96 12 11	0	...	0 3 5	300	...	96 9 6	0 0 0
Avdall, P. J. ...	8 April 99	0	...	5 7 6	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	5 7 6	0	...	5 7 6	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
B																		
Babajohn, Massey, *alias* Martyrus,—account of rents of house No. 109 and godowns Nos. 110 and 119, Old China Bazar Street ...	1 Nov. 14	0	...	1856 15 4	0 0 0	0	...	4680 0 0	0	...	6536 15 4	0	...	6476 15 4	0	...	60 0 0	0 0 0
———, account of legacy to the Institution at New Naukchewan ...	Ditto ...	11900	...	0 0 0	0 14 5	0	...	1584 11 9	11900	...	1583 13 1	11900	...	1580 3 0	0	...	3 10 4	0 0 0

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Batt, A. W. ...	5 June 04	600	...	128 9 2	0 0 0		0	...	615 5 7	600	...	743 14 9	600	...	739 7 3	0	...	4 7 6	0 0
Baxter, Mrs. E. *alias* Burnett ...	2 April 81	23000	...	174 2 0	0 0 0		0	...	439 3 8	23000	...	613 5 8	0	...	286 13 9	23000	...	326 7 11	0 0
——, R.,—life-interest account of Mrs. H. V. Baxter, widow of the deceased ...	22 April 82	0	...	5 9 11	0 0 0		0	...	0 0 0	0	...	5 9 11	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	5 9 11	0 0
——, Mrs. E. *alias* Burnett.—account of sale-proceeds of Howrah property ...	2 April 81	3100	...	25 7 5	0 0 0		0	...	57 1 2	3100	...	82 8 7	0	...	54 4 0	3100	...	28 4 7	0 0
Beadel, C. J.,—share account of the children of the deceased ...	9 Mar. 99	3400	...	120 2 5	0 0 0		0	...	62 9 8	3400	...	182 12 1	0	...	118 12 2	3400	...	63 15 11	0 0
Beauland, D. H., share account of Mrs. Helen Beauland, deceased, mother of the deceased ...	14 May 63	0	...	4 0 6	0 0 0		0	...	0 0 0	0	...	4 0 6	0	...	4 0 6	0	...	0 0 0	0 0
——, Mrs. M. ...	.....	200	...	26 13 2	0 0 0		0	...	3 8 0	200	...	30 5 2	0	...	0 2 11	200	...	30 2 3	0 0
Becher, W. ...	21 May 74	3300	...	14 14 3	0 0 0		0	...	61 0 4	3300	...	75 14 7	0	...	2 6 6	3300	...	73 8 1	0 0
Beck, H., account of life interest for Mrs. A. C. Beck, widow of the deceased ...	13 April 89 Taken charge	1400	...	9 8 9	0 0 0		0	...	25 12 6	1400	...	35 5 3	0	...	24 8 0	1400	...	10 13 3	0 0
Bentley, J.	1902.	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0		0	...	0 8 8	0	...	0 8 8	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 8 8	0 0
Berton, A. ...	.....	0	...	4 4 2	0 0 0		0	...	0 0 0	0	...	4 4 2	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	4 4 2	0 0

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Bryan, share account of S. McGowan, one of the children of Mrs. M. F. McGowan, predeceased daughter of the deceased ...	24 Aug. 99	1200	...	11 12 5	0 0 0	0	...	22 0 0	1200	...	33 12 5	0	...	1 6 0	1200	...	32 6 5	0 0
——, share account of V. McGowan, one of the children of Mrs. M. F. McGowan, predeceased daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	1000	...	104 11 4	0 0 0	0	...	18 6 8	1000	...	123 2 0	0	...	35 13 3	1000	...	87 4 9	0 0
——, share account of N. McGowan, one of the children of late N. G. McGowan predeceased daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	1 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1 0 0	0 0
——, share account of B. McGowan, one of the children of late Mrs. N. G. McGowan, predeceased daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	1200	...	11 11 11	0 0 0	0	...	1224 4 5	1200	...	1236 0 4	1200	...	24 6 0	0	...	1211 10 4	0 0
——, Mrs. M., share account of D. McGowan, one of the children of late Mrs. N. G. McGowan, predeceased daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	1200	...	11 11 10	0 0 0	0	...	22 0 0	1200	...	33 11 10	0	...	1 6 0	200	...	32 5 10	0 0

——, share account of P. or G. P. McGowan, one of the children of late Mrs. N. G. Mc Gowan, predeceased daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto	...	1200	...	11	11	7	0	0	0	0	...	22	0	0	1200	...	33	11	7	0	...	1	6	1	1200	...	32	5	6	0	0
——, share account of M. E. Morris, one of the children of Mrs. E. M. Morris, predeceased daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto	...	0	...	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	2	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	2	0	0	0	0
——, share account of J. R. Morris, one of the children of Mrs. E. M. Morris, predeceased daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto	...	1200	...	11	11	10	0	0	0	0	...	22	0	0	1200	...	33	11	10	0	...	1	6	0	1200	...	32	5	10	0	0
——, share account of H. A. Morris, one of the children of Mrs. E. M. Morris, predeceased daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto	...	1200	...	11	11	9	0	0	0	0	...	22	0	0	1200	...	33	11	9	0	...	1	6	1	1200	...	32	5	8	0	0
——, share account of F. Morris, one of the children of Mrs. E. M. Morris, predeceased daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto	...	1200	...	11	12	0	0	0	0	0	...	22	0	0	1200	...	33	12	0	0	...	1	6	0	1200	...	32	6	0	0	0
——, share account of K. M. Morris, one of the children of Mrs. E. M. Morris, predeceased daughter of the deceased	Ditto	...	1200	...	11	12	0	0	0	0	0	...	22	0	0	1200	...	33	12	0	0	...	1	6	0	1200	...	32	6	0	0	0
——, share account of E. Morris, one of the children of Mrs. E. M. Morris, predeceased daughter of the deceased	Ditto	...	1200	...	11	11	10	0	0	0	0	...	22	0	0	1200	...	33	11	10	0	...	1	6	0	1200	...	32	5	10	0	0
Burge, Mrs. A. ...	.....		0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	1166	14	0	0	...	1166	14	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	1166	14	0	0	0
Burnell, G. J.—life-interest account of M. E. Burnell, *alias* M. E. Cornish, *alias* M. E. Babonan ...	20 Feb. 98		0	...	12	1	3	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	12	1	3	0	...	12	1	3	0	...	0	0	0	0	0
Byrn, Mrs. C. A.—account of H. B. Byrn, one of the children and legatees under the will of deceased ...	17 Apr. 94		5600	...	152	5	10	0	0	0	100	...	103	1	8	5700	...	255	7	6	0	...	197	5	2	5700	...	58	2	4	0	0

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Butterwck, Miss T. A. ...	.....	800	...	37 12 7	0 0 0	0	...	213 11 0	800	...	251 7 7	0	...	0 7 9	800	...	250 15 10	0 0 0
Byrne, W. A.,—share account of H. B. Byrne, brother of the deceased ...	5 April 95	15300	...	38 11 2	0 0 0	0	...	295 10 4	15300	...	334 5 6	0	...	267 12 0	15300	...	66 9 6	0 0 0
C																		
Caird, T. D.,—account of the Executors ...	11 May 88	0	Shares 24	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	2400 0 0	0	24	2400 0 0	0	...	2400 0 0	0	24	0 0 0	0 0 0
Calder, D. A.,—share account of V. Cooper, one of the children of E. M. Cooper, predeceased sister of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0 14 6	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 14 6	0	...	0 14 6	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
——, share account of Violet Cooper, one of the children of Eva Mary Cooper, predeceased sister of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0 14 6	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 14 6	0	...	0 14 6	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
——, share account of G. E. Cooper, one of the children of E. M. Cooper, predeceased sister of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0 14 6	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 14 6	0	...	0 14 6	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
——, G. L. ...	.....	0	...	5 14 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	5 14 0	0	..	5 14 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Calderwood, D. L. K. ...	27 April 95	0	...	19 0 4	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	19 0 4	0	...	19 0 4	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0

Campbell, Major-General W. C.,—account of life-interest for Narlu Begum and Mirza Kureem Beg ...	7 July 66	10800	...	63	10	6	0	0	0	0	...	198	13	6	10800	...	262	8	0	0	...	240	0	0	10800	...	22	8	0	0	0
———, Driver J. A. ...	31 Aug. 94	1700	...	94	14	3	0	0	0	100	...	31	3	4	1800	...	126	1	7	0	...	101	10	8	1800	...	24	6	11	0	0
———, J. H. ...	.....	200	...	35	3	2	0	0	0	0	...	3	11	0	200	...	38	14	2	0	...	0	2	4	200	...	38	11	10	0	0
Carson, H.—, separate account of Gholam Hyder Khan and his widow ...	24 Nov. 92	4500	...	0	0	0	62	11	4	0	...	182	3	2	4500	...	119	7	10	100	...	94	6	8	4400	...	25	1	2	0	0
Cartner, T.,—legacy account of Mrs. E. Dyer, daughter of the deceased ...	19 Nov. 61	10700	...	260	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	197	0	0	10700	...	457	0	0	0	...	187	4	0	10700	...	269	12	0	0	0
———, legacy account of Mrs. F. Worcester, daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	10700	...	190	13	11	0	0	0	0	...	197	0	0	10700	...	387	13	11	0	...	187	3	11	10700	...	200	10	0	0	0
———, legacy account of Miss A. Cartner, now Mrs. Boyd, daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	10700	...	187	5	6	0	0	0	0	...	197	0	2	10700	...	384	5	8	0	...	187	4	0	10700	...	197	1	8	0	0
———, legacy account of Miss F. Cartner, daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	11700	...	221	1	6	0	0	0	0	...	215	6	8	11700	...	436	8	2	0	...	204	12	0	11700	...	231	12	2	0	0
———, legacy account of Miss R. Cartner, now Mrs. Wise, daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ..	10800	...	181	15	7	0	0	0	0	...	198	13	8	10800	...	380	13	3	0	...	189	0	0	10800	...	191	13	3	0	0
Carrapiet Ter, Mrs. A. J. J., share account of house No. 53, Ezra Street, in the will No. 60, Doomtullah Street ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	23	9	8	0	...	23	9	8	0	...	23	9	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0
Catchick, C. A.,—life-interest account of Mrs. H. Masson, daughter of Mrs. Marian Paul ...	18 Dec. 74	3200	...	105	7	1	0	0	0	0	...	58	14	8	3200	...	164	5	9	0	...	56	0	0	3200	...	108	5	9	0	0
Catchpool, Miss F. M. ...	9 Dec 98	200	...	62	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	3	10	10	200	...	65	10	11	0	...	0	2	3	200	...	65	8	8	0	0
Chalmers, Mrs. S. M. ...	15 April 02	0	...	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	6	3	0	0	...	6	3	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0
Chrestien, John ...	4 Feb. 84	0	...	0	14	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	14	8	0	...	0	14	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0
Christian, C. W. ...	.....	200	...	96	7	7	0	0	0	0	...	159	11	9	200	...	256	3	4	0	...	3	1	1	200	...	253	2	3	0	5
Christie, H.,—legacy account of Miss A. C. Christie, only daughter of the deceased ...	15 Mar. 36	0	...	3	9	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	3	9	0	0	...	3	9	0	0	...	0	0	6	0	0
Chuckerbutty, Dr. S. C. G.,—legacy account of Miss M. G. Chuckerbutty, daughter of the deceased ...	17 Dec 74	0	...	22	12	3	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	22	12	3	0	...	22	12	3	0	...	0	0	0	0	0

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C																		
Clark, Miss J. E., otherwise J. E. Stallard,—share account of Eva L. Reynold, one of the sisters and next-of-kin of the deceased	2 Jan. 94	0	...	3 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	3 0 0	0	...	3 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Clogstoun, R. P. ...	8 Mar. 02	0	...	2 11 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	2 11 8	0	...	2 11 8	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Clough, Mrs. J. A. ...	22 Dec. 98	1300	...	56 6 7	0 0 0	0	...	23 15 0	1300	...	80 5 7	0	...	0 14 11	1300	...	79 6 8	0 0 0
———, legacy account of Miss D. S. Clough, minor daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	11100	...	13 11 1	0 0 0	200	...	204 5 10	11300	...	218 0 11	0	...	209 7 7	11300	...	8 9 4	0 0 0
———, legacy account of Miss M. K. Falconer, granddaughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	200	...	55 11 1	0 0 0	0	...	3 10 10	200	...	59 5 11	0	...	0 3 1	200	...	59 2 10	0 0 0
Cohen, Mrs. R. ..	.....	600	...	85 7 5	0 0 0	0	...	10 15 4	600	...	96 6 9	0	...	0 7 0	600	...	95 15 9	0 0 0
———, S. S. D.,—life-interest account of S. S. Cohen, daughter of the deceased ...	1 Feb. 72	1100	...	301 8 10	0 0 0	0	...	530 4 0	1100	...	831 12 10	0	...	199 9 2	1100	...	632 3 8	0 0 0
———, Mrs. Sarah Mulka ...	24 Nov. 03	500	...	8 12 9	0 0 0	0	...	9 10 6	500	...	18 7 3	0	...	1 5 8	500	...	17 1 7	0 0 0
———, share account of Mrs. S. J. J. Judah Ezekiel, mother of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	400	...	70 4 4	0 0 0	0	...	7 0 0	400	...	77 4 4	0	...	0 8 10	400	...	76 11 6	0 0 0
———, share account of R. M. Ezekiel, sister of the deceased ...	.....	92900	...	38 13 6	0 0 0	1500	...	1617 0 0	94400	...	1655 13 6	0	...	1571 4 0	94400	...	84 9 6	0 0 0
———, account of house No. 67, Ezra Street ...	24 Nov. 03	0	...	0 0 0	63 3 9	0	...	63 3 9	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
———, J. S. A. ...	.....	27000	...	53 14 11	0 0 0	0	...	27424 9 2	27000	...	27478 8 1	27000	...	27478 8 1	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0

——, Mrs. S. J. S. A. ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	978	14	10	0	...	978	14	10	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	978	14	10	0	0	0
——, A. J. A. ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	..	5225	6	0	0	...	5225	6	0	0	...	5225	6	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Collier, H. F.,—share account of E. Collier, half-brother of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	0	8	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	8	8	0	...	0	8	8	0	...	0	8	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Collins, Mrs. R.,—life-interest account of T. Collins ...	10 Jan. 79	9400	...	90	2	9	0	0	0	0	...	173	1	0	9400	..	263	3	9	0	...	164	7	6	9400	...	98	12	3	0	0	0
——, Driver Thomas ...	25 April 00	0	...	11	13	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	.	11	13	8	0	...	11	13	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dyear, W. A. H. ...	.....	0	...	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	4	4	0	...	0	4	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dunley, H.,—share account of Bertie and Fanny Dunley, children of the deceased ...	5 July 93	0	...	3	1	10	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	3	1	10	0	..	3	1	10	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dunolly, James ...	26 Nov. 93	60	...	4	15	1	0	0	0	0	...	1	15	4	60	...	15	14	5	0	...	0	10	9	60	...	15	3	8	0	0	0
Duper, Major, H. A. ...	3 Feb. 06	15000	...	757	11	4	0	0	0	40	...	262	9	10	15400	...	1020	5	2	0	...	1119	2	1	15400	...	0	0	0	89	12	11
Dyn, Revd. H. F. ...	11 June 04	1000	...	0	0	0	115	0	0	80	...	1816	9	9	180	...	1701	9	9	180	...	1462	15	1	0	...	238	19	8	0	0	0
Dyelius, C., Junior,—legacy account of P. J. Dyckersteen, grandson of the deceased ...	17 July 63	200	...	63	10	5	0	0	0	0	...	3	11	0	200	...	66	5	5	0	...	0	3	2	200	...	66	2	3	0	0	0
Dyrtenay, Miss L. B. ..	.....	0	...	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	50	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	50	0	0	0	0	0
Dysentry, Lieutenant Colonel ——,—life-interest account of Mrs. L. C. Santasilia, daughter of the deceased ...	20 Dec 79	0	...	11	12	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	11	12	0	0	...	11	12	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dyrie, T. H. ...	27 May 99	500	...	38	10	7	0	0	0	0	...	9	12	0	500	...	48	6	7	0	..	0	5	9	500	...	48	0	10	0	0	0
Dy——, F. S. ...	17 May 04	300	...	259	0	6	0	0	0	0	...	2106	2	1	300	...	2365	2	7	300	...	1145	0	2	0	...	1220	2	5	0	0	0
Dyman, Mrs. S. M.,—legacy account of H. L. Frankum ...	11 Nov. 91	1300	..	87	3	8	0	0	0	100	...	23	13	6	1400	...	111	0	2	0	...	101	11	6	1400	...	9	4	9	0	0	0
——, legacy account of V. C. Dix ...	Ditto ...	1300	...	87	2	8	0	0	0	0	...	23	13	6	1300	...	111	0	2	1300	...	111	0	2	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, separate legacy account of the nine children of Chester Dix ...	Ditto ..	400	.	109	6	2	0	0	0	100	...	7	5	10	500	...	116	12	0	0	..	100	13	3	500	...	15	14	9	0	0	0
——, legacy account of E. F. Walton ...	11 Nov. 91	0	...	0	13	2	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	13	2	0	...	0	13	2	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, separate legacy account of the six children of G. C. Frankum ...	Ditto ...	300	...	69	3	8	0	0	0	0	...	5	9	10	300	...	74	15	6	0	..	0	4	8	300	..	74	8	10	0	0	0
Faddock James ...	21 Sept. 94	0	...	0	5	10	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	5	10	0	...	0	5	10	0	.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fahley, R. G.,—account of House No. 10 Chitpore Road ..	25 April 56	0	...	57	4	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	57	4	4	0	...	57	4	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fainenburgh, D. E. ..	23 May 02	1000	...	6298	13	2	0	0	0	143100	...	138462	1	8	153100	...	144760	14	10	0	...	145562	3	11	153100	...	0	0	0	801	5	1
Fairlie, ——, Law Publishing Press account ...	Ditto ...	0	...	2177	0	11	0	0	0	0	...	15274	9	1	0	...	17451	10	0	0	...	12793	14	9	0	...	4657	11	3	0	0	0
Faister, E. C. ...	28 April 04	0	...	2629	10	11	0	0	0	0	...	3928	1	8	0	...	6557	12	4	0	...	5759	1	0	0	...	798	11	4	0	0	0

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				To Credit.	To Debit.												To Credit.	To Debit.
		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
C																		
Cresis John ...	... ...	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	..	16 3 8	0	...	16 3 8	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	16 3 8	0 0 0
Crookshank, Col A. C. W. ...	6 July 89	0	...	0 3 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 3 0	0	...	0 3 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Crosbie, Lieut, F. G. B. ...	.....	0	..	0 0 0	0 0 0	4500	...	47.0 14 11	4500	...	4700 14 11	0	...	4572 8 11	4500	...	128 6 0	0 0 0
Crow, J. A. ...	Taken charge 18 Mar. 88	0	...	0 10 4	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 10 4	0	...	0 10 4	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Crump, Joseph ...	27 May 71	18600		0 0 0	183 11 4	0	...	359 6 4	18600	...	195 11 0	0	...	360 7 4	18600	...	0 0 0	164 12 4
———, Mrs M. E.,—legacy account of H. D. B. Sherman ...	.....	0	...	0 3 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 3 0	0	...	0 3 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Cunningham. Miss A.,—account of next-of-kin ...	12 Mar. 91	0	...	0 13 2	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 13 2	0	...	0 13 2	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Curnow, J. M. ...	27 Feb. 03	1400	...	43 15 7	0 0 0	0	...	25 11 0	1400	..	69 10 7	0	...	1 0 5	1400	...	68 10 2	0 0 0
Curton, Mrs. C. E. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 2 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 2 0
D																		
D'Almeida, Manuel Domingues ...	7 May 97	0	...	4 3 0	0 0 0	0	..	0 0 0	0	...	4 3 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	4 3 0	0 0 0
———, Miss Maria Domingues ...	Ditto ...	0	...	4 3 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	4 3 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	4 3 0	0 0 0
DaCosta, J. S. ...	7 Jan. 39	200	...	0 0 2	0 0 0	0	...	202 11 7	200	...	2.2 11 9	200	...	101 8 7	0	...	101 3 2	0 0 0
———, on account of property in Bowbazar ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	37000	...	252 14 3	37000	...	252 14 3	0	...	0 0 0	37000	...	252 14 3	0 0 0
———, share account of Miss S. L. F. DaCosta ...	30 Nov. 55	100	...	41 12 3	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	100	...	41 12 3	100	..	41 12 3	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
———, account of life-interest of Miss S. L. F. DaCosta ...	Ditto ...	4900	...	14 11 8	0 0 0	0	...	3977 11 7	4900	...	3992 7 3	4900	...	484 0 2	0	...	3508 7 1	0 0 0
———, G. N. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	67 6 5	0	...	67 6 5	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	67 6 5	0 0 0
———, account of life-interest of Mrs. S. V. DaCosta, now Mrs. Laforgue ...	30 Nov. 55	37300	...	0 0 0	4.5 4 11	0	...	946 2 5	37300	...	470 14 4	37300	...	470 14 4	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0

——, Mrs. C.	...	.....		0	...	110	14	5	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	110	14	5	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	110	14	5	0	0	0
DeAbrew, J., new account	...	.....		1100	...	96	6	8	0	0	0	100	...	23	0	0	1200	...	118	6	8	0	...	100	12	2	1200	...	17	10	6	0	0	0
DeCruz, Charles,—life interest account of J. Ellison, Junior	...	9 Apr.	88	18300	...	88	19	6	0	0	0	150	...	352	14	4	18100	...	441	8	1	0	...	118	1	0	18400	...	323	7	10	0	0	0
——, Mrs. E. H.	...	.....		3000	...	69	5	7	0	0	0	100	...	56	0	1	3100	...	124	6	5	0	...	104	5	1	3100	...	20	1	4	0	0	0
——, Mrs. Anna F.	...	.....		100	...	381	2	4	0	0	0	1800	...	3730	5	5	1900	...	4111	7	9	1900	...	2182	8	5	0	...	1928	15	4	0	0	0
DeSanto, Frank	...	30 Apr.	04	0	...	25	3	9	0	0	0	0	...	38	13	0	0	...	64	0	9	0	...	45	10	2	0	...	18	6	7	0	0	0
DeSilva, J. C.	...	8 Jan.	79	0	...	28	13	10	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	28	13	10	0	...	28	13	1	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, C.,—legacy account of C. E. Ballantine	...	16 Dec.	97	200	...	84	5	10	0	0	0	0	...	3	11	0	200	...	88	0	10	0	...	0	3	1	200	...	87	13	9	0	0	0
——, Domingo	...	15 July	48	0	...	12	15	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	12	15	3	0	...	12	5	3	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, Manuel	...	10 Nov.	57	700	...	11	10	7	0	0	0	0	...	13	11	4	700	...	24	5	11	0	...	0	14	1	700	...	23	7	0	0	0	0
——, Mary.—share account of Thomas Paul DeSilva	...	2 Dec	56	700	...	43	14	8	0	0	0	0	..	12	11	4	700	...	56	0	0	0	...	0	10	11	700	...	55	15	1	0	0	0
DeSousa, Sir Walter Eugin		5 Sept	79	2 57500	...	619	0	9	0	0	0	34500	..	36513	12	0	2092430	...	37132	12	9	0	...	38743	0	8	2 92400	..	0	0	0	1610	3	11
——, annuity account of Mrs. M. A. Fowler	...	Ditto	...	2310	...	30	8	3	0	0	0	0	...	415	13	0	23100	...	476	5	3	0	...	260	12	4	23100	...	115	8	11	0	0	0
——, "D" account	...	Ditto	...	4500	...	29	4	8	0	0	0	100	...	84	5	2	4600	...	113	9	7	0	...	102	4	6	4600	...	11	5	1	0	0	0
——, "E" account	..	Ditto	...	6500	...	13	2	9	0	0	0	100	...	120	9	8	6600	...	133	12	5	0	...	103	5	5	6600	...	31	7	0	0	0	0
——, "I" account	...	Ditto	...	8400	...	35	4	2	0	0	0	100	...	148	12	2	8200	...	184	0	4	0	...	103	14	8	8200	...	80	1	5	0	0	0
——, "S" account	...	Ditto	...	11400	...	25	14	5	0	0	0	200	...	209	5	6	11500	...	256	3	11	0	..	204	7	6	11500	...	30	12	5	0	0	0
Dalton, Mrs. E. C.	...	.....		500	...	13	13	1	0	0	0	0	...	503	5	11	500	...	517	3	0	500	...	517	3	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Daly, Mrs. Bridget	...	.....		0	...	6	1	10	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	6	1	10	0	...	4	1	3	0	...	2	0	7	0	0	0
——, share account of Mrs. C. J. Donovan	...	31 May	75	2600	...	56	8	4	0	0	0	0	...	49	13	4	2600	...	106	5	8	0	...	2	12	0	2600	...	103	9	8	0	0	0
Dance, C.	...	.....		400	..	29	4	9	0	0	0	0	...	7	4	4	400	..	36	9	1	0		0	4	7	400	...	36	4	6	0	0	0
Darwin, Dr. R. T.	...	23 Jan.	96	1200	..	51	0	9	0	0	0	0	...	201	1	0	1200	...	252	1	9	1200	...	252	1	9	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
David, M.	...	5 Mar.	94	26500	...	60	13	7	0	0	0	500	...	778	13	8	27000	...	839	11	3	0	...	720	11	2	27000	...	119	0	1	0	0	
Davies, C. E.,—share account of W. Hollway, one of the two surviving children of Mrs. H. Hollway, predeceased sister of the deceased	...	11 Mar.	92	700	...	69	3	8	0	0	0	0	...	719	8	0	700	...	779	11	8	700	...	779	11	3	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, Captain C. H.	...	.....		2400	...	31	10	1	0	0	0	0	..	2439	6	7	2400	...	2470	0	8	2400	...	1	12	4	0	...	2468	4	4	0	0	0
Dear, Hershell	...	14 Nov.	87	278300	29*	2381	10	2	0	0	0	12500	...	12424	13	4	290800	29*	14819	7	8	0	...	14749	6	1	29089	29	76	1	5	0	0	0
Dela Harpe, Madame S. V. or L. F.	...	.....		0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	1600	..	633	3	8	1600	...	633	3	8	0	...	527	14	4	1600	...	105	5	4	0	0	0
Delamain, Captain J. W.	...	..		0	...	0	1	6	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	1	6	0	...	0	1	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
DeLatrieta, D. C.	..	10 Feb.	88	0	...	24	6	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	24	6	0	0	...	24	6	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dennis, Lieutenant A. L.	...	23 Feb.	77	0	...	0	14	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	14	8	0	...	0	14	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Denton, Mrs. M. H.,—life-interest account of Bibee Peanah	...	23 May	48	9400	...	44	7	3	0	0	0	200	...	174	2	1	9600	...	218	10	1	0	...	213	9	11	9600	...	5	0	2	0	0	0
Deverell, H. G.	...	27 Nov.	84	0	...	7	4	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	7	4	8	0	...	7	4	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dias, J. F.	...	.....		8800	...	629	8	2	0	0	0	0	...	8743	2	6	8800	...	9372	10	8	8800	...	9372	10	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dickie, James	...	20 Aug.	87	100	...	70	3	6	0	0	0	0	...	99	15	7	100	...	170	3	6	100	...	170	3	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0

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		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
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Dickinson, F. B., share account of Miss E. M. F. Dickinson, daughter of H. E. Dickinson, a predeceased brother of the deceased ...	3 June 04	4500	—	15 15 1	0 0 0	0	...	78 12 0	4500	...	94 11 1	0	...	4 13 1	4500	...	89 14 0	0 0 0
———, O. H. ...	21 Mar. 04	4700	...	1 5 14 0	0 0 0	0	...	4762 7 3	4700	...	4868 5 3	4700	..	4868 5 3	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Dolby, Mrs. M. A. ...	9 Jan. 05	0	...	3 0 0	0 0 0	0	..	0 0 0	0	...	3 0 0	0	..	0 0 0	0	...	3 0 0	0 0 0
———, legacy account of Miss L. M Dolby, one of the grandchildren of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	7200	...	57 11 5	0 0 0	0	...	126 0 0	7200	...	183 11 5	0	...	6 5 7	7200	...	177 5 10	0 0 0
———, legacy account of J. R. Dolby, one of the grandchildren of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	7200	...	57 11 5	0 0 0	0	...	126 0 0	7200	...	183 11 5	0	..	6 5 7	7200	...	177 5 10	0 0 0
Doucett, Mrs. Louisa Georgiana ...	10 Jan. 96	5900	...	0 0 0	41 5 1	0	...	5867 0 1	5900	...	5825 11 8	5900	...	5819 8 2	0	...	6 3 6	0 0 0
———, G. M. ...	8 Feb. 05	1000	...	64 11 4	0 0 0	2300	...	5431 12 3	3600	...	5502 7 7	0	...	5048 9 8	3300	...	453 13 11	0 0 0
———, account of Miss A. Doucett ...	Ditto ...	14100	...	258 9 8	0 0 0	0	...	285 8 0	14100	...	544 1 8	0	...	285 8 0	14100	...	258 9 8	0 0 0
Dougherty, P. O. ...	8 July 97	400	...	85 1 7	0 0 0	0	...	405 10 1	400	...	490 11 8	400	...	490 5 10	0	...	0 5 10	0 0 0
Dowsing, Mrs. Sophia ...	10 July 05	1200	...	1 11 7	0 0 0	0	...	202 9 5	1200	...	204 4 12	200	...	9 12 8	1000	...	194 8 2	0 0 0
Dunbar, T. G. ...	.....	0	...	3 10 4	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 9	0	...	3 10 4	0	...	3 10 4	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Duncan, D.,—share account of Mr. F. D. McLaren, son of the predeceased sister, M. Duncan or McLaren ...	28 April 96	100	...	77 3 7	0 0 0	0	...	1 13 6	100	...	79 1 1	0	...	0 1 7	100	...	78 15 6	0 0 0
Dunne, R. ...	19 Sept. 78	4400	...	53 7 8	0 0 0	100	...	80 10 4	4500	...	134 2 0	0	...	102 11 3	4500	...	31 6 9	0 0 0
———, M. P.,—account of zamindary at Shamshabad	18 Feb. 89	9000	...	0 0 0	56 8 8	0	...	32865 10 6	9000	...	32805 1 10	9000	...	20925 0 0	0	...	11880 1 10	0 0 0
———, Mrs. Susan ...	28 Nov. 91	0	...	50 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	50 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	50 0 0	0 0 0

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		Rs.		Rs. A. P.			Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
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Fergusson, F. E. M. ...	2 June 99	0	...	11 8 8	0 0 0		0	...	0 0 0	0	...	11 8 8	0	...	11 8 8	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
———, legacy account for the grave and funeral expenses, and repairs of the family grave ...	Ditto ...	1400	...	68 10 7	0 0 0		0	...	25 8 0	1400	...	94 2 7	0	...	1 6 0	1400	...	92 12 7	0 0 0
Ferrao, Mrs. R. A. ...	15 April 32	500	...	234 10 4	0 0 0		200	...	8 12 0	700	...	243 6 4	0	...	224 0 9	700	...	19 5 7	0 0 0
Field, G. W.,—life-interest account of the three survivors of the children of the deceased ...	5 Dec. 81	10600	...	228 13 7	0 0 0		0	...	195 2 8	10600	...	424 0 3	0	...	126 6 4	10600	...	297 9 11	0 0 0
FitzGerald, A. G., share account of the three children of A. FitzGerald, the brother of the deceased ...	.....	200	...	10 7 0	0 0 0		0	...	3 8 0	200	...	13 15 0	0	...	0 3 1	200	...	13 11 11	0 0 0
FitzPatrick, Miss Anne,—life-interest account of Miss F. J. Pearson ...	3 May 86	15000	...	2 0 3	0 0 0		0	...	289 13 4	15000	...	291 13 7	0	...	262 8 0	15000	...	29 5 7	0 0 0
Forster, A. R.,—share account of Miss G. M. Forster, a minor daughter of the deceased ...	7 Feb. 99	1200	...	16 16 1	0 0 0		0	...	21 14 6	1200	...	38 8 7	0	...	1 9 4	1200	...	36 15 3	0 0 0
Francis, A. L.,—share account of F. G. R. Miranda or Currira, one of the nieces of the deceased ...	18 Nov. 78	3200	...	34 8 7	0 0 0		0	...	58 8 10	3200	...	93 1 5	0	...	3 1 8	3200	...	89 15 9	0 0 0
Fraser, Peter ...	... ..	300	...	146 8 1	0 0 0		0	...	299 10 11	300	...	446 3 0	0	...	446 3 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
French, Major G. B. ...	.....	12500	...	0 0 0	95 5 6		0	...	17780 10 8	12500	...	17685 5 2	12500	...	2360 5 7	0	...	15324 15 7	0 0 0
Frost, J. A. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0		0	...	61 8 5	0	...	61 8 5	0	...	4 7 7	0	...	57 0 10	0 0 0
Fulton, Mrs. Lydia,—account for the repairs of the monument ...	9 Nov. 42	9300	...	98 7 7	0 0 0		200	...	170 10 10	9500	...	269 2 5	0	...	211 12 11	9500	...	57 5 6	0 0 0

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Gabriel, G. E. ...	12 Feb. 76	0	...	16	0	5	0	0	0	0	..	0	0	0	0	...	16	0	5	0	...	16	0	5	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, Mrs. R. S. ...	6 April 93	0	...	1	13	2	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	1	13	2	0	...	1	13	2	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, share account of M. R. Gabriel ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0	14	6	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	14	6	0	...	0	14	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gaisford, Dr. M., life-interest account of Major G. Gaisford ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	1	6	0	...	0	1	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	1	6	0	0	0
Gardner, J. F., account for brothers and sisters ..	.....	0	...	135	12	7	0	0	0	100	...	1	12	0	100	...	137	8	7	0	...	100	3	10	100	...	37	4	9	0	0	0
Garrett, Robert Birch, share account of Mrs. H. E. Garrett ...	24 Aug. 57	37700	...	132	11	8	0	0	0	0	...	673	8	0	37700	...	806	3	8	0	...	659	12	1	37700	...	146	7	7	0	0	0
Gasper, M. P. ...	20 Jan. 91	47500	100*	206	6	4	0	0	0	0	...	848	13	6	47500	100*	1055	3	10	0	...	948	5	7	47500	100*	106	14	3	0	0	0
Gelhard, L. ...	24 Aug. 85	3400	...	69	11	0	0	0	0	100	...	60	4	10	3400	...	129	15	10	0	...	102	13	5	3400	...	27	2	5	0	0	0
Geneste, Charles ...	... ..	0	...	0	14	8	0	0	0	0	..	0	0	0	0	...	0	14	8	0	...	0	14	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
George, J. S. H. ...	.....	0	...	6	1	10	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	6	1	10	0	...	6	1	10	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gibb, Colonel J. S. ...	17 Nov. 77	0	...	11	0	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	11	0	8	0	...	11	0	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gibson, Colonel Robert ...	30 June 05	0	...	854	14	6	0	0	0	800	..	16	11	2	800	..	881	9	8	0	...	807	1	0	800	...	74	8	8	0	0	0
Gilbert, E. L. ..	20 Aug. 01 Taken charge	35500	...	3182	7	2	0	0	0	0	...	643	3	2	35500	...	3825	10	4	0	...	2784	4	6	35500	...	1041	5	10	0	0	0
Gillham, George H.	14 April 90	0	...	17	15	11	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	17	15	11	0	...	17	15	11	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gillman, John,—life-interest account of Mrs. Anna Wherry ...	17 Nov. 92	59800	5*	130	10	0	0	0	0	0	...	1046	8	0	59800	5*	1177	2	0	0	...	1046	8	0	59800	5*	130	10	0	0	0	0
Gilroy, J. N. ...	4 Mar. 95	1800	...	85	11	10	0	0	0	100	...	33	2	4	1900	...	118	14	2	0	...	100	10	4	1900	...	18	3	10	0	0	0
Girling, R. .	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	1200	...	2142	5	1	1200	...	2142	5	1	500	...	2033	10	2	700	...	108	10	11	0	0	0
Goebbels, Charles Swanameer	12 May 96	0	...	3	10	4	0	0	0	0	.	0	0	0	0	..	3	10	4	0	...	3	10	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Goode, Mrs. H.,—legacy account of A. Maitland ...	.....	4200	...	156	8	6	0	0	0	0	..	76	8	0	4200	...	232	0	6	0	...	146	11	4	4200	...	85	8	2	0	0	0
Gordon, Captain W. D. ..	21 Mar. 98	0	...	0	13	2	0	0	0	0	.	0	0	0	0	...	0	13	2	0	...	0	13	2	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, John,—share account of W. Spencer, C. W. Webster, B. Mary, B. M. Helen, and E. F. Gordon, children of the deceased, and predeceased brother, William Gordon ...	28 Jan. 75	0	...	27	10	6	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	27	10	6	0	..	0	0	0	0	...	27	10	6	0	0	0
Gordon, Major L. ...	12 Aug. 96	0	...	2	8	6	0	0	0	0	..	0	0	0	0	...	2	8	6	0	...	2	8	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gorrie, William ..	.....	0	...	2	11	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	2	11	8	0	...	2	11	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Goss, T. S.,—share account of C. S. Diamond, grandson of the deceased	17 Feb. 04	15000	...	157	3	10	0	0	0	0	...	276	2	8	15000	...	433	6	6	0	...	359	0	4	15000	...	74	6	2	0	0	0

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		Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.			Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.	Cash. To Debit.
		Rs.		Rs. A. P.			Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
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oss, Mrs. Delia,—share account of C. S. Diamond, grandson of the deceased ...	.....	11100	..	42 2 9	0 0 0		200	...	204 5 10	11300	...	246 8 7	0	...	209 8 11	11300	...	36 15 8	0 0 0
ould, Charles ...	13 May 91	0	...	103 0 1	0 0 0		0	...	0 0 0	0	...	103 0 1	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	103 0 1	0 0 0
outiere, A. F. ...	.....	0	...	1 7 4	0 0 0		0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1 7 4	0	...	1 7 4	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
raham, Lieut.-Col. C. ...	.. ...	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0		0	...	13 3 6	0	...	13 3 6	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	13 3 6	0 0 0
rant, Colonel R. J. G. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0		0	...	54 5 11	0	...	54 5 11	0	...	54 5 11	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
ravely, Dr. R. T. ...	.....	4000	1*	35 2 11	0 0 0		0	...	3707 6 0	4000	1*	3742 8 11	2500	...	2626 8 11	1500	1*	1116 0 0	0 0 0
regg, Ive Alexander ...	2 April 89	0	...	13 8 3	0 0 0		0	...	0 0 0	0	...	13 8 3	0	...	13 8 3	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
regory, James Alexander ...	.....	0	...	0 5 10	0 0 0		0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 5 10	0	...	0 5 10	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
———, legacy account of W. G. Humphries ...	3 Dec. 95	0	...	332 9 1	0 0 0		300	...	0 0 0	300	...	332 9 1	0	...	301 6 4	300	...	31 2 9	0 0 0
———, legacy account of P. E. Humphries ...	Ditto ...	16200	...	15 1 8	0 0 0		0	...	318 0 4	16200	...	333 2 0	0	...	17 2 3	16200	...	315 15 9	0 0 0
———, legacy account of Miss L. M. Lane ...	Ditto ...	1500	...	0 0 0	6 9 2		0	...	27 9 10	1500	...	21 0 8	0	...	26 4 0	1500	...	0 0 0	5 8 4
———, legacy account of the three children of Mrs. J. E. Humphries (niece of the deceased), account of Tangra properties ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0 0 0	33 3 1		0	...	850 5 10	0	...	817 2 9	0	...	766 9 8	0	...	50 9 1	0 0 0
———, share account of J. E. Humphries ...	Ditto ...	100	...	19 1 6	0 0 0		0	...	1 13 6	100	...	20 15 0	100	...	20 13 6	0	...	0 1 6	0 0 0
———, share account of E. R. James ...	.....	100	...	19 1 7	0 0 0		0	...	1 13 6	100	...	20 15 1	100	...	20 13 7	0	...	0 1 6	0 0 0
Gowne, Mrs. M. A. I. Hamilton ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0		0	...	6977 12 10	0	...	6977 12 10	0	...	6977 12 10	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Green, Mrs. Anna Maria ...	24 Feb. 77	0	...	12 4 8	0 0 0		0	...	0 0 0	0	...	12 4 8	0	...	12 4 8	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0

——, Thomas ...	.....	0	...	0	7	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	7	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	7	4	0	0	0
——, share account of R. S. Green, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	800	...	8	10	7	0	0	0	0	...	813	10	5	800	...	822	5	0	800	...	822	5	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, share account of Miss M. M. E. Green, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	800	...	8	10	7	0	0	0	0	...	14	0	0	800	...	22	10	7	0	...	0	15	8	800	...	21	10	11	0	0	0
——, Mrs. M. V.,—share account of R. S. Green, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	300	...	34	0	3	0	0	0	0	...	304	14	10	300	...	338	15	1	300	...	338	15	1	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, share account of Miss M. M. E. Green, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	300	...	34	0	3	0	0	0	0	...	5	4	0	300	...	39	4	3	0	...	0	4	8	300	...	38	15	7	0	0	0
Greenberg, Mrs. Hannah ...	26 June 90	0	...	9	0	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	9	0	4	0	...	9	0	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greenway, Captain Sidney George Cumberland,—share account of L. M. and M. C. Greenway ...	.....	0	...	6	10	6	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	6	10	6	0	...	6	10	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, Mrs. Ann Eliza (new account) ...	.....	0	...	3	13	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	3	13	0	0	...	3	13	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greenwood, Miss C. F. ...	.....	500	...	27	2	7	0	0	0	0	...	9	3	4	500	...	36	5	11	0	...	0	5	9	500	...	36	0	2	0	0	0
——, Francis Edward, share account of A. A. A. Greenway, son of the deceased ...	1 Nov. 59	300	...	91	5	4	0	0	0	0	...	5	8	4	300	...	96	13	8	0	...	0	4	8	300	...	96	9	0	0	0	0
Growse, E. F. ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	5425	8	2	0	...	5425	8	2	0	...	81	6	1	0	...	5344	2	1	0	0	0
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Hague, G. P.,—share account of T. L. Hague, brother of the deceased ...	15 Sept. 00	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	1	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	1	0
Hall, F. C. ...	.....	0	...	10	10	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	10	10	1	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	10	10	1	0	0	0
Hamilton, Hon'ble Mrs. M. A.,—legacy account of Mrs. M. H. Cleave and children ...	8 Dec. 58	7100	...	140	12	0	0	0	0	0	...	130	11	6	7100	...	271	7	6	0	...	124	4	0	7100	...	147	3	6	0	0	0
——, legacy account of Roman Catholic Church of Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	2000	...	100	8	10	0	0	0	0	...	35	0	0	2000	...	135	8	10	0	...	35	0	0	2000	...	100	8	10	0	0	0
Hanson, G.,—share account of Miss J. L. Hanson ...	10 May 89	8500	...	16	13	11	0	0	0	0	...	156	7	10	8500	...	173	5	9		...	148	12	0	8500	...	24	9	9	0	0	0
Hardy, Captain J ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	302	13	3	0	...	302	13	3	0	...	8	15	0	0	...	293	14	3	0	0	0

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H																		
Harmston, John Thomas ...	26 Nov. 70	200	...	58 2 6	0 0 0	0	...	202 12 11	200	...	260 15 5	200	...	260 12 7	0	...	0 2 10	0 0 0
Harris, A. P.,—share account of M. E. R. Harris, son of the deceased ...	30 April 85	0	...	1 3 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1 3 0	0	...	1 3 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
——, share account of O. H. Nyss ...	Ditto ...	0	...	1 1 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1 1 8	0	...	1 1 8	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
——, share account of A. N. Nyss ...	Ditto ...	700	...	68 0 9	0 0 0	0	...	12 12 10	700	...	80 13 7	0	...	0 11 0	700	...	80 2 7	0 0 0
——, share account of M. M. Nyss ...	Ditto ...	700	...	68 0 7	0 0 0	0	...	12 12 10	700	...	80 13 5	0	...	0 11 0	700	...	80 2 5	0 0 0
——, share account of C. D. Nyss ...	Ditto ...	700	...	68 9 9	0 0 0	0	...	12 12 10	700	...	81 6 7	0	...	0 11 0	700	...	80 11 7	0 0 0
Halt, C. C. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	3500	...	4236 8 3	3500	...	4236 8 3	0	...	4142 5 8	3500	...	94 2 7	0 0 0
Hayton, R.,—life-interest account of Mrs. J. Hayton, widow of the deceased ...	30 April 88	39900	...	229 11 4	0 0 0	0	...	712 12 10	39900	...	942 8 2	0	...	687 2 2	39900	...	255 6 0	0 0 0
——, J. L.,—legacy account of R. A. Hayton, one of the children of the late R. Hayton, son of the deceased ...	28 Oct. 53	5400	...	83 0 7	0 0 0	200	...	422 8 4	5600	...	505 8 11	5300	...	500 10 3	0	...	4 14 8	0 0 0
——, legacy account of Miss M. Hayton, one of the children of the late R. Hayton, son of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	4 14 8	0 0 0	0	...	99 0 7	0	...	103 15 3	0	...	103 15 3	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
——, account of the late Mrs. Mary Anne Hayton, widow of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	100	...	105 9 8	0 0 0	0	...	99 11 8	100	...	205 5 4	100	...	205 3 10	0	...	0 1 6	0 0 0

Hayton, Miss Maud ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	103	15	3	0	...	103	15	3	0	...	103	15	3	0	...	0	0	0
——, Mrs. Mary Anne ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	204	3	1	0	...	204	3	1	0	...	204	3	1	0	...	0	0	0
Hedger, Mrs. C. ...	9 Aug. 05	57100	...	7696	2	10	0	0	0	9000	...	1677	14	6	66100	...	9374	1	4	500	...	9139	5	2	65600	...	234	12	2
Helen, J. ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	1000	...	1749	9	10	1 00	...	1749	9	10	0	...	1003	3	2	1000	...	746	6	8
Heilsch, Mrs. Esther ...	28 April 96	5400	...	193	0	10	0	0	0	200	...	99	1	0	5600	...	292	1	10	0	...	321	7	11	5600	...	0	0	0
Hein, Driver P. ...	24 Nov. 93	800	...	70	6	3	0	0	0	0	...	28	0	9	800	...	98	7	0	0	...	0	9	2	800	...	97	13	10
Hesselmeyer, Revd C. H. ...	6 Mar. 72	34000	...	448	15	2	0	0	0	0	...	607	6	0	34 0	...	1055	5	2	0	...	594	15	11	34000	...	461	5	3
Hewson, Mrs. M. E. ...	23 Dec. 98	5600	...	26	7	3	0	0	0	100	...	102	13	6	57 0	...	129	4	9	0	...	103	9	1	5700	...	25	11	8
Hexter, Henry ...	11 Dec. 05	5000	...	136	15	1	0	0	0	0	...	5013	13	10	5000	...	5150	12	11	5000	...	5150	12	11	0	...	0	0	0
Heysham, H.,—legacy account of I. A. Heysham, daughter of the deceased ...	22 May 85	7000	...	32	0	6	0	0	0	0	...	128	14	2	7000	...	160	14	8	0	...	122	8	0	7000	...	38	6	8
——, W. ...	12 April 01	100	...	95	5	5	0	0	0	0	...	1	12	0	100	...	97	1	5	0	...	0	1	2	100	...	97	0	3
——, account of the house No. 39, Elgin Road ...	Ditto ...	0	...	132	6	6	0	0	0	0	..	900	0	0	0	...	1032	6	6	0	...	796	13	4	0	...	235	9	2
——, legacy account of Miss Muriel Emid Heysham, one of the granddaughters of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	600	...	67	11	11	0	0	0	0	...	11	0	8	600	...	78	12	7	0	...	0	9	4	600	...	78	3	3
Heywood, J. W. ...	.....	0	...	6	6	2	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	6	6	2	0	...	6	6	2	0	...	0	0	0
Higgins, Mrs. A.,—share account of G. A. Higgins ...	19 Jan. 71	200	...	41	0	2	0	0	0	0	...	3	11	0	2 0	...	44	11	2	200	...	44	8	2	0	...	0	3	0
——, share account of John James Higgins ...	Ditto ...	200	...	40	14	8	0	0	0	0	...	3	11	0	200	...	44	9	8	200	...	44	6	8	0	...	0	3	0
——, Miss Letitia Higgins ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	6	11	6	0	...	6	11	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	6	11	6
Hill, T. S.,—account of allowance for five children of the deceased ...	14 April 99	9400	...	249	1	6	0	0	0	0	...	173	1	0	9400	...	422	2	6	0	...	160	11	6	9400	...	261	7	0
——, Thomas Sinnock ...	Ditto ...	0	...	3	0	8	0	0	0	0	..	0	0	0	0	...	3	0	8	0	...	3	0	8	0	...	0	0	0
Hills, A. ...	.....	900	...	88	11	4	0	0	0	100	...	15	12	1	1000	..	104	7	4	0	...	100	3	5	1000	...	4	3	11
Hind, Mrs. Margaret ...	.....	0	...	34	6	5	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	34	6	5	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	34	6	5
Hindhaugh, Driver W. ...	10 April 93	500	...	16	3	6	0	0	0	0	...	509	4	1	500	...	525	7	7	500	...	524	14	9	0	...	0	8	10
Hirons, Mrs. S.,—share account of Mrs. Mary Moore ...	19 April 92	0	...	31	9	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	31	9	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	31	9	0
Hockaday, Mrs. C. M. A. ...	.....	0	...	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	1	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	1	0	0
Hodgkinson, W.,—share account of A. Hodgkinson, son of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	0	8	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	8	8	0	...	0	8	8	0	...	0	0	0
Hodgson, Charles McSween ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	4002	2	4	0	...	4002	2	4	0	...	4002	2	4	0	...	0	0	0
Hollingbery, Miss H. M. ...	5 Mar. 94	0	...	0	14	6	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	14	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	14	6
Homfray, Francis Sutherland ...	29 Aug. 89	0	...	1	1	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	1	1	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	1	1	4

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Hood, Major-General Charles ...	30 April 84	0	...	10 7 10	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	10 7 10	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	10 7 10	0 0
Hookey, Mrs. Elizabeth ...	2 Nov. 95	200	...	32 14 7	0 0 0	0	...	3 8 0	200	...	36 6 7	0	...	0 2 4	200	...	36 4 3	0 0
Hottinger, Apothecary F.,—account of sundry legatees ...	30 June 60	0	...	25 2 5	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	25 2 5	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	25 2 5	0 0
Houghton, Mrs. A. H.,—life-interest account of Mr. J. M. S. Houghton, son of the deceased ...	29 May 96	45900	36*	563 4 4	0 0 0	0	...	1566 15 8	45900	36*	2130 4 0	0	..	1550 4 0	45900	36*	580 0 0	0 0 0
Howard, C. O. S. ...	17 Sept. 99	0	...	20 6 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	20 6 8	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	20 6 8	0 0 0
Hudson, C. ...	.....	0	...	77 10 10	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	77 10 10	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	77 10 10	0 0 0
Hughes, Lieutenant V. ...	14 July 98	0	...	1 7 5	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1 7 5	0	..	0 0 0	0	...	1 7 5	0 0 0
Hume, Colonel W. W. ...	22 July 95	100	...	8 12 0	0 0 0	0	...	1 12 0	100	...	10 8 0	0	...	0 1 2	100	...	10 6 10	0 0 0
Hunt, Sergeant-Major James,—legacy account of Mr. Louisa Warren, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	4 May 58	600	...	20 5 4	0 0 0	0	...	108 8 8	600	...	128 14 0	100	...	95 9 10	500	...	33 4 2	0 0 0
Hunter, C. M.,—legacy account of Miss A. M. Hunter ...	5 Jan. 59	6600	...	0 0 0	13 9 0	0	...	121 8 2	6600	...	107 15 2	0	...	115 8 0	6600	...	0 0 0	7 8 10
———, Lieutenant John,—legacy account of widow and six children ...	9 Sept. 65	3500	...	127 12 8	0 0 0	100	...	66 0 2	3600	...	193 12 10	0	...	104 4 1	3600	...	89 8 9	0 0 0
Hurt, F. J. ...	22 Mar. 90	0	...	31 9 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	31 9 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	31 9 0	0 0 0
Haley W. A. ...	.....	0	...	147 0 8	0 0 0	100	...	0 0 0	100	...	147 0 8	0	...	99 14 1	100	...	47 2 7	0 0 0

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Inglis, John,—life-interest account for widow and children ...	1 Dec. 68	110000	...	232	6	11	0	0	0	800	...	42726	8	4	110800	...	42958	15	3	890	...	2834	15	7	110000	...	40123	15	8	0	0	0
——, Miss Mary Anne,—life-interest account of Mrs. Sarah Bennett, one of the sisters of the deceased ...	16 July 75	0	...	4	8	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	4	8	8	0	...	4	8	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, share account of A. T. Shuttleworth, one of the children of the late Mrs. E. Shuttleworth	Ditto ...	200	...	34	3	2	0	0	0	0	...	202	8	1	200	...	236	11	3	200	...	236	8	5	0	...	0	2	10	0	0	0
——, share account of H. Shuttleworth, one of the children of the late E. Shuttleworth ...	Ditto ...	200	...	34	4	10	0	0	0	0	...	3	11	0	200	...	37	15	10	0	...	0	4	9	200	...	37	11	1	0	0	0
Isitt, W. ...	.....	400	...	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	...	7	0	0	400	...	10	3	1	0	...	0	4	7	400	...	9	14	6	0	0	0
J																															
Jahans, W. P. ...	.....	0	...	291	8	5	0	0	0	400	...	123	12	3	400	...	415	4	8	0	...	400	8	4	400	...	14	12	4	0	0	0
Jamieson, Mrs. M. N.,—legacy account of M. Park or Little Polly ...	5 Feb. 96	200	...	80	7	4	0	0	0	0	...	3	11	0	200	...	84	2	4	0	...	6	15	9	200	...	77	2	7	0	0	0
Jemmett, Edward, Junior, Act II of 1874 ...	16 Sept. 98	0	...	3	7	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	..	3	7	4	0	...	3	7	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, share account of G. E. Jemmett, one of the children of the deceased...	Ditto ..	500	...	46	13	3	0	0	0	0	...	9	1	10	500	...	55	15	1	0	...	0	7	10	500	...	55	7	3	0	0	0
Jenkyns, William ...	.....	0	...	656	8	10	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	656	8	10	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	656	8	10	0	0	0
Johannes, Francis, Senior ...	20 July 65	0	...	39	1	7	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	39	1	7	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	39	1	7	0	0	0
——, legacy account of Miss M. A Cranenburg, god-daughter of the deceased ...	28 July 85	0	...	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	3	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	3	0	0	0	0
——, account of house No. 20, Chandney Choke 2nd Lane ...	Ditto ...	25 0	...	8	3	4	0	0	0	0	...	46	0	6	2500	...	54	3	10	0	...	16	10	4	2500	...	37	9	6	0	0	0
——, account of house No. 20-1, now 20, Chandney Choke 2nd Lane ...	Ditto ...	0	...	75	8	5	0	0	0	0	...	140	0	0	0	...	215	8	5	0	...	97	11	9	0	...	117	12	8	0	0	0
——, residuary account	Ditto ..	11700	...	128	4	6	0	0	0	0	...	215	6	6	11700	...	343	11	0	0	...	204	12	0	11700	...	138	15	0	0	0	0
Johnson, O. D.	21 July 92	0	25*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	25*	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	25*	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jones, William Henry ...	29 Nov. 80	0	...	22	15	6	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	22	15	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	22	15	6	0	0	0
——, A. R. ...	4 Mar. 84	58200	...	509	5	2	0	0	0	0	...	3418	2	0	58200	...	3927	7	2	0	...	2624	13	5	58200	...	1302	9	9	0	0	0

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K																		
Kalooas, —A.,—account of sundry legatees under the will of the deceased ...	20 Dec. 61	10400	...	73 8 6	0 0 0	0	...	175 0 0	10400	...	248 8 6	10400	...	198 8 6	0	...	50 0 0	0 0 0
———, share account of the children of the late Hannonojee Jacob ...	Ditto ...	0	...	24 3 5	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	24 3 5	0	...	24 3 5	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
———, share account of the Wardens of the Armenian Church of St. Nazareth in Calcutta ...	Ditto ...	10400	...	0 0 0	23 5 6	0	...	119 0 0	10400	...	95 10 6	10400	...	60 10 6	0	...	35 0 0	0 0 0
Kay, J. R.,—share account of Alexander Kay ...	17 Mar. 88	300	...	23 13 9	0 0 0	0	...	303 10 0	300	...	327 7 9	300	...	327 3 5	0	...	0 4 4	0 0 0
Kemp, Frances B. ...	19 April 92	0	...	6 4 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	6 4 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	6 4 0	0 0 0
Kennedy, W. J.,—account of I. E. Swaries, the residuary legatee ...	.....	700	...	43 12 3	0 0 0	0	...	12 14 2	700	...	56 10 5	0	...	0 11 0	700	...	55 15 5	0 0 0
Kernander, S. C. G. ...	.. ...	0	...	7 4 6	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	7 4 6	0	...	7 4 6	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Khaimovitch, Fanny *alias* F. Steinberg ...	.....	1500	...	2 1 4	0 0 0	0	...	27 9 10	1500	...	29 11 2	0	...	1 1 6	1500	...	28 9 8	0 0 0
Khettermoney Dutt, Mrs. ...	27 April 99	0	...	6 10 1	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	6 10 1	0	...	0 6 6	0	...	6 3 7	0 0 0
———, legacy account of Shib Chunder Banerjee ...	.....	1300	...	36 2 3	0 0 0	0	...	23 13 6	1300	...	59 15 9	0	...	1 4 5	1300	...	58 11 4	0 0 0
———, legacy account of Taroon Chunder Dutt ...	.....	1200	...	86 3 6	0 0 0	100	...	23 13 6	1300	...	110 1 0	0	...	100 13 9	1300	...	9 3 3	0 0 0
Kinloch, Mrs. Flora ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	795 15 0	0	...	795 15 0	0	...	56 2 0	0	...	739 13 0	0 0 0

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Lidiard, R.,—account of life-interest for L. M. Lidiard ...	5 Feb. 62	0	...	27 10 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	27 10 0	0	...	27 10 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0
Limrick, Mrs M.—share account of the representative of M. Mackenzie ...	10 Aug. 41	100	...	81 13 2	0 0 0	0	...	1 13 6	100	...	83 10 8	0	...	0 2 2	100	...	83 8 6	0 0
———, share account of the representative of K. Mackenzie ..	Ditto ..	100	..	81 13 2	0 0 0	0	...	1 13 6	100	...	83 10 8	0	...	0 2 2	100	...	83 8 6	0 0
———, Revd. P.,—share account of the representative of M. Mackenzie ...	.....	3500	...	18 8 6	0 0 0	0	...	64 2 8	3500	...	82 11 2	0	...	4 13 4	3500	...	77 13 10	0 0
———, Revd. P.,—share account of the representative of K. Mackenzie ...	.....	3500	...	25 15 4	0 0 0	0	...	64 2 6	3500	...	90 1 10	0	...	4 13 2	3500	...	85 4 8	0 0
Lincesnary, J. *alias* J. Sweeny ...	.....	0	...	2 6 2	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	2 6 2	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	2 6 2	0 0
Litchfield, Honorary Lieut. J. W. ...	.. ...	0	...	0 7 4	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 7 4	0	...	0 7 4	0	...	0 0 0	0 0
Llwellyn, Dr. Charles (new account) ...	... .	0	...	40 3 3	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	40 3 3	0	...	40 3 3	0	...	0 0 0	0 0
Logman, Mrs. M.,—legacy account of the charities under the will of the deceased ...	2 Mar. 68	7900	...	223 1 8	0 0 0	0	...	138 4 0	7900	...	361 5 8	0	...	317 7 9	7900	...	43 13 11	0 0
Longden, General, Sir H. E.	21 April 90	0	...	50 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	..	50 0 0	0	...	50 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0
Loof, H. W. ...	17 Nov. 94	200	...	21 9 10	0 0 0	0	...	3 10 10	200	...	25 4 8	0	...	0 2 3	200	...	25 2 5	0 0

Lovick, J. W. ...	6 April 99	900	...	443	9	2	0	0	0	0	...	953	3	2	900	...	1396	12	4	900	...	1341	10	1	0	...	55	2	3	0	0	0
Lowman, Miss E.,—share account of the son of the late Daniel Planter, half-brother of the deceased ...	14 Aug. 83	200	...	66	9	8	0	0	0	0	...	3	11	0	200	...	70	4	8	0	...	0	3	1	200	...	70	1	7	0	0	0
Lowson, Robert ...	25 Nov. 82	0	...	20	5	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	20	5	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	20	5	4	0	0	0
———, share account of R. J. Brown ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	4	4	0	...	0	4	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
———, share account of A. Watson, T. J. Wills and P. Watson ...	Ditto ...	100	...	28	0	3	0	0	0	0	...	1	12	0	100	...	29	12	3	0	...	0	4	9	100	...	29	7	6	0	0	0
Lutz, J. C. R. ...	29 Mar. 94	1200	..	6	4	4	0	0	0	9000	...	1974	8	11	10200	...	1980	13	3	0	...	1794	7	7	10200	...	186	5	8	0	0	0
——, R. C. ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	1914	1	10	0	...	1914	1	10	0	...	1914	1	10	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, account for the next-of-kin ...	29 Mar. 94	7200	...	23	8	7	0	0	0	0	...	110	3	6	7200	...	133	12	1	7200	...	127	10	5	0	...	6	1	8	0	0	0
Lyall, J. M. ...	24 Mar. 81	0	...	7	4	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	7	4	8	0	...	7	4	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lyon, H. ...	.....	0	...	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	2	0	0	0	...	2	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
——, share account of John Lyon, brother of the deceased ...	.....	2200	...	22	3	8	0	0	0	0	...	42	6	8	2200	...	64	10	4	0	...	2	5	9	2200	...	62	4	7	0	0	0
Lyons, Apothecary A. ...	1 Feb. 90	0	1*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	1*	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	1*	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lysnar, J. R. ...	4 Feb. 89	0	...	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	5	0	0	0	...	5	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lucas, Joseph Stephen ...	.....	800	...	84	11	6	0	0	0	0	...	14	0	0	800	...	98	11	6	0	...	1	6	6	800	...	97	5	0	0	0	0
——, Abrahim ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	2000	0	0	0	...	2000	0	0	0	...	1588	2	6	0	...	411	13	6	0	0	0
Love, James ...	.....	0	...	996	10	11	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	996	10	11	0	...	996	10	11	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
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McBreedy, E. H.,—account of the two children of the deceased ...	.....	300	...	68	6	10	0	0	0	0	...	306	4	4	300	...	374	11	2	300	...	180	5	7	0	...	194	5	7	0	0	0
McDonald, D. H. ...	.....	6000	...	87	3	6	0	0	0	100	...	110	4	6	6100	...	197	8	0	0	...	103	15	0	6100	...	93	9	0	0	0	0
Mackenzie, K. T. ...	.....	0	...	88	7	8	0	0	0	100	...	14	9	11	100	...	103	1	7	0	...	99	8	11	100	...	3	8	8	0	0	0
McGinn, William ...	.....	0	...	4	10	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	4	10	4	0	...	4	10	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
McGinn, William,—share account of C. B. McGinn, one of the children of the deceased ...	14 April 97	2000	...	4	10	6	0	0	0	0	...	38	15	4	2000	...	43	9	10	0	...	2	2	6	2000	...	41	7	4	0	0	0
———, share account of E. A. McGinn, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	2000	...	4	10	8	0	0	0	0	...	38	15	4	2000	...	43	10	0	0	...	2	2	6	2000	...	41	7	6	0	0	0
McGowan, R. R. ...	.....	0	...	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	1	0	0	0	...	1	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
———, share account of S. McGowan, one of the brothers and next-of-kin of the deceased ...	.....	100	...	56	6	1	0	0	0	0	...	2	5	6	100	...	58	11	7	0	...	0	1	7	100	...	58	10	0	0	0	0

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McGowan, R. R.,—share account of V. McGowan, one of the sisters and next-of-kin of the deceased ...	.....	100	...	56 6 1	0 0 0	0		2 5 6	100	...	58 11 7	0	...	0 1 7	100	...	58 10 0	0 0 0
McKenny, Mrs. E. ...	.....	2300	...	16 4 1	0 0 0	0	..	42 1 3	2300	...	58 5 3	0	...	1 14 4	2300	...	56 6 11	0 0 0
Malchus, N. J.,—account of sundry payments ...	.....	0	...	444 0 10	0 0 0	200	...	0 0 0	200	...	444 0 10	0	...	266 4 7	200	...	177 12 3	0 0 0
———, life-interest account of I. Nicolas Isac Malchus, the son of the deceased ...	.....	400	...	63 11 2	0 0 0	0	...	408 4 0	400	...	471 15 2	400	...	471 15 2	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
———, N. J.,—account of legacy for education of poor boys of St. Paul's School at Calcutta, now at Darjeeling ...	1 April 81	60200	...	38 1 4	0 0 0	1000	...	1766 0 2	61200	...	1804 1 6	700	...	1744 10 7	60500	...	59 6 11	0 0 0
Macalpine, R. M.,—share account of Master R. M. Macalpine ...	24 June 81	0	...	27 2 11	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	27 2 11	0	...	27 2 11	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Macdonald, 2nd Lieut. R. H. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	100 2 3	0	...	100 2 3	0	...	19 10 3	0	...	80 8 0	0 0 0
McLeod, A. D. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	7000	...	7181 15 2	7000	...	7181 15 2	7000	...	7181 15 2	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
McLeod, Lieutenant, E. O.	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	4000	...	4827 7 4	4000	...	4827 7 4	0	...	4103 0 4	4000	...	724 7 0	0 0 0
MacLeod, A. D.,—share account of C. Bryan and J. Hodgson, now Mrs. I. Gaun, children of the late C. Hodgson ...	12 May 65	7000	...	63 9 8	0 0 0	0	...	153 3 10	7000	...	216 13 6	7000	...	210 10 4	0	...	6 3 2	0 0 0

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Martyn, Mrs. Mary ...	27 Feb. 90	0	...	23428 0 3	0 0 0	0	...	28 1 8	0	...	23456 2 4	0	...	23435 8 8	0	...	20 9 8	0 0 0
May, Henry,—share account of William May ...	10 July 86	200	...	28 14 0	0 0 0	0	...	3 11 0	200	...	32 9 0	0	...	0 3 1	200	...	32 5 11	0 0 0
——, share account of Henry May ...	Ditto ...	0	...	60 9 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	60 9 8	0	...	60 9 8	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Medworth, Mrs. O. G.,—share account of Mrs. L. A. E. Williams, formerly Medly ...	28 April 96	500	...	36 5 11	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	500	...	36 5 11	500	...	36 5 11	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Mees, Charles,—share account of Cecil Mees ...	.....	0	...	4 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	4 0 0	0	...	4 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Melville, William,—on account of Asiatic Annuity Company ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	22 2 2	0	...	22 2 2	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	22 2 0	0 0 0
Middleton, J. R. ...	1 June 65	30900	...	63 6 7	0 0 0	500	...	552 6 8	31400	...	615 13 3	0	...	518 2 5	31400	...	97 10 10	0 0 0
——, annuity account of Miss Middleton ...	Ditto ...	100	...	21 13 7	0 0 0	0	...	1 12 0	100	...	23 9 7	0	...	0 4 9	100	...	23 4 10	0 0 0
Miles, F. H. ...	.....	0	...	0 14 7	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 14 7	0	...	0 14 7	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
——, share account of John Walter Miles, brother of the deceased ...	.....	500	..	79 9 7	0 0 0	0	..	10 1 11	500	...	89 11 6	0	...	0 7 10	500	...	89 3 8	0 0 0
Millard, Captain W. S.,—life-interest account of Miss J. Millard, sister of the deceased ...	12 Oct. 71	17900	...	104 7 9	0 0 0	0	...	344 3 8	17900	...	448 11 5	0	...	393 8 5	17900	...	55 3 0	0 0 0
Miller, Mrs. E. A.,—share account of A. B. Miller ...	31 Aug. 93	0	...	0 1 6	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 1 6	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 1 6	0 0 0

Milne, Williams—share account of Charlie Milne	20 Jan. 88	0	...	5	13	6	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	5	13	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	0
———, Lieutenant A. H. R.	1 Dec. 93	100	...	54	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	1	12	9	100	...	55	12	1	0	...	0	1	2	100	...	55	10	11	0	0
Mitchell, Mrs. J.,—share account of G. Mitchell ...	10 Dec. 62	5600	...	94	2	2	0	0	0	0	...	128	12	3	5600	...	222	14	5	5600	...	217	14	3	0	...	5	0	2	0	0
Mitchoo, M. E. ...	12 April 80	9700	...	0	0	0	11	9	5	0	...	192	10	0	9700	...	181	0	7	0	...	169	11	10	9700	...	11	4	9	0	0
Mookerjee, Brigade-Surgeon Lieutenant-Colonel P. N.,—account of the nearest relatives of the deceased ...	9 May 99	0	...	6	8	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	6	8	8	0	...	1	5	10	0	...	5	2	10	0	0
———, annuity account of Mah Thon ...	Ditto ...	12800	...	39	14	11	0	0	0	0	...	201	3	6	12800	...	241	2	5	0	...	190	12	2	12800	...	50	6	3	0	0
Morris, Thomas,—share account of T. Wilcox Morris, son of the deceased ...	.....	1000	...	50	10	11	0	0	0	0	...	18	6	6	1000	...	69	1	5	0	...	49	5	6	1000	...	19	11	11	0	0
———, share account of the widow and children of J. Morris ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	1	6	0	...	0	1	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	1	6	0	0
Morse or Moss, C. P. ...	.....	0	..	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	13	10	8	0	...	13	10	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	13	10	8	0	0
Morton, Dr. J.,—account of life-interest for Mathein ...	1 Aug. 70	0	...	16	15	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	16	15	8	0	...	16	15	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0
Moses, David,—share account of the two widows and four children of the deceased ...	27 Feb. 73	0	...	50	2	2	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	50	2	2	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	50	2	2	0	0
Mowat, W. ...	.....	0	...	69	10	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	69	10	0	0	...	69	10	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0
Muller, John ...	.....	0	...	1631	7	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	1631	7	1	0	...	908	9	2	0	...	622	13	11	0	0
———, H. E.,—share account of C. H. E. Muller, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	2900	...	48	5	0	0	0	0	0	...	53	6	4	2900	...	101	11	4	0	...	2	13	6	2900	...	98	13	10	0	0
———, share account of M. P. Muller, one of the children of the deceased ..	.....	2900	...	48	5	0	0	0	0	0	...	53	6	4	2900	...	101	11	4	0	...	2	13	6	2 00	...	98	13	10	0	0
Murray, Daniel *alias* Elias Kader Bux ...	.....	1800	...	206	11	11	0	0	0	0	...	1	10	2	1800	...	208	6	1	1800	...	206	11	11	0	...	1	10	2	0	0
Myers, Mrs. E. A. S. ...	.....	0	...	10	0	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	10	0	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	10	0	4	0	0
———, Robert ...	1 July 92	0	...	73	8	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	73	8	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	73	8	4	0	0
———, share account of A. G. D. Devereux ...	Ditto ...	0	..	0	7	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	7	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	7	4	0	0
———, share account of I. F. Emily Bennett ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0	7	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	..	0	7	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	7	4	0	0
———, share account of Eva Bertha Esther Currer, now Lodrick ...	Ditto ...	0	...	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	1	6	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	1	6	0	0	0
———, share account of E. M. A. Myers, now Kennedy ...	Ditto ...	0	..	0	7	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	7	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	7	4	0	0
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Myers,—share account of I. F. Myers, wife of H. E. B. Myers, one of the children of the deceased ...	1 July 92	0	...	0 8 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 8 8	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 8 8	0 0
———, Mrs. E. A. S.,—share account of Miss E. M. A. Myers ...	15 July 92	0	...	2 10 4	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	2 10 4	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	2 10 4	0 0
———, H. E. B. ...	25 July 96	0	...	5 1 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	5 1 8	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	5 1 8	0 0
Muscroft, Captain James ...	.....	3800	50*	673 9 11	0 0 0	0	...	5591 7 2	3800	50*	6265 1 1	3800	...	5569 12 6	0	50*	695 4 7	0 0
N																		
Nagle, James,—share account of M. Nagle, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	500	...	52 11 3	0 0 0	0	...	494 4 4	500	...	546 15 7	500	...	23 2 11	0	...	523 12 8	0
Nauzais, Theodore ...	11 Sept. 75	8900	...	94 11 6	0 0 0	0	...	163 10 10	8900	...	258 6 4	0	...	149 9 11	8900	...	108 12 5	0
Neal, Mrs. Margaret,—share account of Mrs. E. Imason, daughter of Mrs. A. Stiles, predeceased sister of the deceased ...	8 June 82	0	...	0 2 10	0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 2 10	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 2 10	0
Nelson, H. ...	9 July 94	0	...	144 12 5	0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	144 12 5	0	...	109 10 5	0	...	35 2 0	0
Norton, Lieutenant-Colonel G. F. A. ...	.....	7200	...	0 0 0	61 4 2	0	...	132 6 0	7200	...	71 1 10	0	...	38 2 10	7200	...	32 15 0	0
Nichterline, F. J. ...	.....	0	...	1 11 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1 11 8	0	...	1 11 8	0	...	0 0 0	0

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P																		
Pickering, W. P.,—share account of H. A. Pickering, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	200	...	64 15 8	0 0 0	0	...	3 8 0	200	...	68 7 8	0	...	0 3 1	200	..	68 4 7	0 0 0
———, share account of Miss F. L. Pickering, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	200	...	64 15 6	0 0 0	0	...	3 8 0	200	...	68 7 6	0	...	0 3 1	200	...	68 4 5	0 0 0
Percival, Mrs. G. P.,—share account of Thomas W. H. Graham, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	3500	...	49 11 9	0 0 0	100	...	558 2 2	3600	...	607 13 11	500	...	450 13 7	3100	...	157 0 4	0 0 0
———, share account of A. B. E. Graham, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	3500	...	43 11 9	0 0 0	300	...	558 2 2	3800	...	606 13 11	500	...	550 7 9	3300	...	56 6 2	0 0 0
———, share account of Miss Grace J. L. Graham, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	3500	...	22 1 2	0 0 0	0	...	558 2 2	3500	...	580 3 4	500	...	305 14 1	3000	...	274 5 3	0 0 0
Pinkney, Mrs. E. G.,—share account for the next-of-kin of the deceased ...	.....	1000	...	29 9 10	0 0 0	0	...	18 3 8	1000	...	47 13 6	0	...	0 15 8	1000	...	46 13 10	0 0 0
Pinto, Francis,—legacy account of the Roman Catholic Vicar Apostolic of Western Bengal in Calcutta ...	29 June 81	4300	...	46 3 1	0 0 0	0	...	75 4 0	4300	...	121 7 1	0	...	75 4 0	4300	...	46 3 1	0 0 0
Pittar, Charles F. ...	26 Jan. 94	300	...	87 2 4	0 0 0	0	...	5 4 0	300	...	92 6 4	0	...	0 3 5	300	...	92 2 11	0 0 0

Popham, Major-General George Munro, legacy account of S. Popham ...	4 Sept. 38	6100	...	188	11	0	0	0	0	0	...	22	11	0	6100	...	211	6	0	6100	...	206	3	0	0	...	5	3	0	0	0	0
Popham, Major-General George, Munro ...	Ditto ...	0	...	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	6	0	...	0	0	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Poulson, John,—life-interest account of Mrs. P. A. Poulson, widow and legatee under the will of the deceased, account for the next-of-kin of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	1	13	2	0	...	1	13	2	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	1	13	2	0	0	0
Price, W. H. ...	.....	12100	...	44	2	0	0	0	0	200	...	222	3	8	12300	...	266	5	8	0	...	205	12	6	12300	...	60	9	2	0	0	0
Priest, H. H. ...	23 Aug. 97	0	...	6	14	10	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	6	14	10	0	...	6	14	10	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Purdon, Mrs. J. ...	.....	0	...	3556	15	3	0	0	0	0	...	61	0	0	0	...	3617	15	3	0	...	3617	15	3	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Rabouteau, P. J. (*alias* Rabouts) ...	11 Aug. 93	1600	...	0	0	0	18	6	7	0	...	228	9	2	1600	...	210	2	7	200	...	158	7	7	1400	...	51	11	0	0	0	0
Rainey, J. R. ...	.....	24600	...	0	0	0	60	4	6	200	...	474	3	10	24800	...	413	15	4	0	...	347	10	0	24800	...	66	5	4	0	0	0
———, H. J. ...	.....	87700	...	165	7	7	0	0	0	1600	...	1539	6	4	89300	...	1704	13	11	0	...	1649	12	3	89300	...	55	1	8	0	0	0
———, J. R. and H. J.,—zamindary account ...	.....	9300	...	426	9	9	0	0	0	6400	...	7171	3	8	15700	...	7597	13	5	0	...	7016	3	6	15700	...	581	9	11	0	0	0
Randolph, Mrs. C.,—legacy account of the four children of late Mrs. C. R. Yackjee, daughter of the deceased ...	18 July 95	11600	...	64	12	1	0	0	0	200	...	203	0	0	11800	...	267	12	1	0	...	210	7	5	11800	...	57	4	8	0	0	0
Reade, Colonel G. E.,—annuity account for the annuitant Lilavati *alias* Ramrakhi Patur, deceased ...	.....	600	...	92	1	7	0	0	0	100	...	10	8	0	700	...	102	9	7	0	...	101	0	4	700	...	1	9	3	0	0	0
Reading, B. ...	28 April 98	5300	...	55	9	10	0	0	0	100	...	92	12	0	5400	...	148	5	10	0	...	117	12	6	5400	...	30	9	4	0	0	0
Rebeiro, George Thomas ...	10 July 97	0	...	6	15	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	6	15	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	....	6	15	4	0	0	0
Reid, Captain Hugh Atkins (new account) ...	27 July 50	400	...	64	13	2	0	0	0	0	...	7	0	0	400	...	71	13	2	0	...	0	2	11	400	...	71	10	3	0	0	0
———, legacy account of Conrade C. H. A. Reid (new account) ...	Ditto ...	0	...	2	14	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	2	14	8	0	...	2	14	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
———, Mrs. Rose Maria ...	20 Mar. 96	8900	...	7	14	2	0	0	0	100	...	155	12	0	9000	...	163	10	2	0	...	106	1	8	9000	...	57	5	6	0	0	0
———, Miss Margaret Hamilton ...	.....	0	...	2	11	10	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	2	11	10	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	2	11	10	0	0	0
Reilly, Apothecary John,—share account of the four children of the deceased	29 Aug. 70	800	...	79	4	10	0	0	0	0	...	14	0	0	800	...	93	4	10	0	...	0	12	6	800	...	92	8	4	0	0	0
Rennie, Charles George Hill	17 Sept. 95	0	...	38	8	7	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	38	8	7	0	...	38	8	7	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reynolds, P. G. ...	.....	900	...	84	10	8	0	0	0	0	...	15	12	0	900	...	100	6	8	0	...	0	10	5	900	...	99	12	3	0	0	0

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Reynold, Eva L. ...	.....	0	..	0 0 0		0 0 0	0	...	3 0 0	0	...	3 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	3 0 0	0 0 0
Richards, A. L. ...	.....	0	...	5 10 4		0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	5 10 4	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	5 10 4	0 0 0
Richards, J. A. S. ...	.....	200	...	614 8 2		0 0 0	200	...	3 8 0	400	...	618 10 2	0	...	500 14 7	400	...	117 1 7	0 0 0
Rickets, A. T. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0		0 0 0	10000	...	13337 5 10	10000	...	13337 5 10	0	...	11036 15 4	10000	...	2300 6 6	0 0 0
Ridley, M. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0		0 0 0	0	255*	724 3 3	0	255*	724 3 3	0	...	414 4 10	0	255*	309 14 5	0 0 0
Ridgeway, Lieutenant R. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0		0 0 0	0	...	239 12 7	0	...	239 12 7	0	...	20 3 10	0	...	219 8 9	0 0 0
Riley, Lieutenant-General S. D.,—legacy account of Miss I. M. Cameron ...	5 July 67	9100	...	29 5 10		0 0 0	0	...	159 4 0	9100	...	188 9 10	0	...	159 4 0	9100	...	29 5 10	0 0 0
———, legacy account of E. T. A. Madge ...	Ditto ...	0	...	14 2 8		0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	..	14 2 8	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	14 2 8	0 0 0
Roberts, W. ...	.....	0	...	0 10 2		0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 10 2	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 10 2	0 0 0
Reynolds, H. ...	.....	5900	5*	478 6 2		0 0 0	650	...	8423 14 0	6500	5*	8902 4 2	6500	5*	8902 4 2	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Rochfort, John Steel ...	24 Feb. 82	1000	...	25 2 11		0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	1000	...	25 2 11	0	...	5 0 0	1000	...	20 2 11	0 0 0
———, legacy account of V. M. R. Rochfort, daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	1600	...	88 7 8		0 0 0	0	...	28 0 0	1600	...	116 7 7	0	...	28 0 0	1600	...	88 7 7	0 0 0
———, legacy account of A. McLeod Rochfort, daughter of the deceased	Ditto ...	1600	...	88 7 1		0 0 0	0	...	28 0 0	1600	...	116 7 8	0	...	28 0 0	1600	...	88 7 8	0 0 0
Rodgers, R.,—account of legacy to St. Patrick's Church at Moulmein ...	16 May 66	1100	...	34 5 10		0 0 0	0	...	19 4 0	1100	...	53 9 10	0	...	0 9 3	1100	...	53 0 7	0 0 0
Rogers, C. A. P. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0		1 0 0	0	...	1 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
———, G. ...	.....	0	...	16 3 7		0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	16 3 7	0	...	16 3 7	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0

Ronald, E. ...	*	200	...	62	0	11	0	0	0	0	...	3	8	0	200	...	65	8	1	0	...	0	2	3	200	...	65	6	8	0	0	6
———, W.,—share account of Miss A. J. Ronald, one of nieces of the deceased	.....	700	...	14	15	10	0	0	0	0	..	12	4	0	700	...	27	3	10	0	...	12	4	0	700	...	14	15	10	0	0	0
Rondo, Joseph,—account of sundry legatees ...	18 Mar. 46	32800	...	4	13	6	0	0	0	0	...	422	1	4	32800	...	426	14	9	32800	...	426	14	9	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ross, Assistant Surgeon Frank Charles ...	13 Dec. 98	2500	...	9	10	11	0	0	0	0	...	43	12	0	2500	...	53	6	11	0	...	2	0	9	2500	...	51	6	2	0	0	
Rowe, D. J., share account of three children of Emile Julesparbic ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	22600	...	1671	8	3	22600	...	1671	8	3	0	...	1586	3	4	22600	...	85	4	11	0	0	
———, life-interest account of Mrs. C. Rowe, widow of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	400	...	495	8	8	400	...	495	8	8	0	...	397	5	0	400	...	98	3	2	0	0	
Rowe, D. J. ...	.....	43600	...	285	14	11	0	0	0	0	...	9879	14	8	43600	...	10165	13	7	43600	...	10165	13	7	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	
Robertson, E. ...	.....	53500	...	0	7	11	0	0	0	52400	...	56096	2	5	105900	...	56096	10	4	3500	...	54455	4	1	102400	...	1641	6	3	0	0	
Rushton, J. B. ...	.....	400	...	146	13	5	0	0	0	900	...	981	0	3	1300	...	1127	13	8	0	...	985	12	4	1300	...	142	0	4	0	0	
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St. Barbe, H. Louis,—legacy account of Miss Winifred St. Barbe Haslam, niece of the deceased ...	12 Sept. 88	0	...	17	14	7	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	17	14	7	0	...	17	14	7	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	
Sandel, Dr. A. L. ...	.....	0	...	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	13	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	13	0	0	0	
Sarkies, Johannes Carrapiet	1 June 78	0	...	69	1	9	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	69	1	9	0	...	18	12	7	0	...	50	5	2	0	0	
Saunders, George ...	8 Mar. 75	0	...	47	5	3	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	47	5	3	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	47	5	3	0	0	
Schapharia, Miss Fannie,—share account for the next-of-kin of the deceased	2 April 95	3400	...	88	7	8	0	0	0	100	...	62	3	10	3500	...	150	11	6	0	...	102	6	0	3500	...	48	5	6	0	0	
Schorn, E. S.,—share account of R. L. Bridgnell ...	19 May 87	6500	...	0	0	0	356	15	11	0	...	621	5	6	6500	...	264	5	7	500	...	248	6	0	6000	...	15	15	7	0	0	
———, share account of C. S. R. Bridgnell ...	Ditto ...	6500	...	47	13	5	0	0	0	0	...	320	5	6	6500	...	368	2	11	200	...	295	4	0	6300	...	42*	14	11	0	0	
———, share account of L. P. Bridgnell ...	Ditto ...	6500	...	0	0	0	580	5	4	0	...	1123	0	2	6500	...	542	10	10	1000	...	355	12	0	5500	...	186	14	10	0	0	
———, John Conrade,—legacy account of the Christian poor of St. James' Church ...	17 Aug. 75	9700	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	169	12	0	9700	...	169	12	0	0	...	169	12	0	9700	...	0	0	0	0	0	
———, share account of the children of Mrs. H. M. Bridgnell, daughter of the late Mr. E. S. Schorn ...	Ditto ...	0	...	5	1	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	5	1	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	5	1	8	0	0	
———, E. S., legacy account of four grand children of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	25	14	2	0	...	25	14	2	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	25	14	2	0	0	

* Sundry shares.

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		Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.		Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	
				To Credit.	To Debit.												To Credit.	To Debit.
		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
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Schorn, J. C., share account of R. L. Bridgnell ...	17 Aug. 75	1400	...	109 2 7	0 0 0	100	...	25 12 6	1500	...	134 15 1	0	...	100 6 6	1500	...	34 8 7	0 0 0
——, share account of C. S. R. Bridgnell ...	Ditto ...	1400	...	61 10 2	0 0 0	0	...	25 12 6	1400	...	87 6 8	0	...	1 5 11	1400	...	86 0 9	0 0 0
——, share account of L. P. Bridgnell ...	Ditto ...	1400	...	61 10 2	0 0 0	0	...	25 12 10	1400	...	87 7 0	0	...	1 5 11	1400	...	86 1 1	0 0 0
Scott, Mrs. A. C. ...	5 Jan. 98	2900	...	86 1 0	0 0 0	100	...	52 15 0	3000	...	139 0 0	0	...	103 5 0	3000	...	35 11 0	0 0 0
——, Mrs. Agnes ...	16 Mar. 92	500	...	19 12 7	0 0 0	0	...	9 1 10	500	...	28 14 5	0	...	0 5 10	500	...	28 8 7	0 0 0
——, share account of A. Scott, son of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	100	...	77 10 11	0 0 0	0	...	1 13 6	100	...	79 8 5	0	...	0 1 7	100	...	79 6 10	0 0 0
——, Miss A. C. ...	.....	1500	...	103 11 3	0 0 0	100	...	26 4 0	1600	...	129 15 3	0	...	99 11 7	1600	...	30 3 8	0 0 0
——, G. L. Tiernan,—share account of J. E., J. G., and A. C. Scott, brothers and sister of the deceased ...	14 Aug. 67	0	...	1 5 10	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1 5 10	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1 5 10	0 0 0
——, Lieutenant J. E.,—share account of A. Scott, son of the deceased ...	12 Dec. 85	500	...	87 9 5	0 0 0	0	...	9 3 4	500	...	96 12 9	0	...	0 7 10	500	...	96 4 11	0 0 0
——, J. E. ...	.....	1500	...	116 2 5	0 0 0	100	...	28 0 0	1600	...	144 2 5	0	...	101 5 4	1600	...	42 13 1	0 0 0
Sergeant, J. W. ...	Taken charge 28 June 98	1200	...	4 4 10	0 0 0	0	...	21 10 2	1200	...	25 15 0	0	...	1 1 8	1200	...	24 13 4	0 0 0
Seth, Catchick Gregory ...	28 June 84	0	...	17 4 7	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	17 4 7	0	...	17 4 7	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Sexton, Lieutenant M. F. A.	1 April 95	0	...	15 0 6	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	15 0 6	0	...	15 0 6	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
——, Mrs. E. J ,—share account of F. B. Sexton, one of the sons of the deceased	.....	3000	...	15 11 10	0 0 0	0	...	155 0 11	3000	...	170 12 9	100	...	118 14 0	2900	...	51 14 9	0 0 0

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		Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.	Cash. To Debit.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.	Cash. To D
		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.
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Swaries, share account of I. E. Swaries, daughter of the deceased ...	.....	12000	...	0 0 0	339 10 0	0	...	718 10 0	12000	...	979 0 0	500	...	289 0 9	11500	...	89 15 3	0
———, Mrs. R. E. ...	.....	0	...	65 14 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	65 14 8	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	65 14 8	0
———, share account of I. E. Swaries, daughter of the deceased ...	.....	600	...	44 7 2	0 0 0	0	...	10 15 4	600	...	55 6 6	0	...	0 12 8	600	...	54 9 10	0
———, Mrs. R. E., personalty account of I. E. Swaries, daughter of the deceased ...	.....	100	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	100	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	100	...	0 0 0	0
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Tarbie, E. J. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	6900	...	799 6 10	6900	...	799 6 10	0	...	816 15 3	6900	...	0 0 0	17
Taylor, John ...	20 Dec. 88	0	Shares. 50*	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	Shares. 50*	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	50*	0 0 0	0
———, Revd. J. H. ...	16 June 92	0	...	1 13 2	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1 13 2	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1 13 2	0
Temple, Mrs. E. J.,—share account of the late Mr. H. Labrair Temple, son of the deceased ...	.....	100	...	18 3 1	0 0 0	0	...	1 13 6	100	...	20 0 7	0	...	0 1 7	100	...	19 15 0	0
Templeton, Miss M. ...	3 Mar. 79	0	...	28 15 2	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	28 15 2	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	28 15 2	0
Thaddeus, John,—account of F. G. Thaddeus, minor son and universal legatee under the will of the deceased ...	4 Sept. 83	0	...	5 5 4	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	5 4 4	0	...	5 4 4	0	...	0 0 0	0
Thelwall, B. A. ..	.....	0	...	1 7 4	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1 7 4	0	...	1 7 4	0	...	0 0 0	0
Thomas, David,—share account of the next-of-kin of late J. Thomas ...	18 Nov. 57	0	...	0 7 4	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 7 4	0	...	0 7 4	0	...	0 0 0	0

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		Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.	Cash. To Debit.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash. To Credit.	Cash. To D
		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.
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Smith, Alfred,—life-interest account of G. A. Smith, son of the deceased ...	30 Nov. 92	182500	...	80 13 5	0 0 0	0	...	3193 12 0	182500	...	3274 9 5	0	...	3193 12 0	182500	...	80 13 5	0
——, P. J. ...	...	0	...	0 14 6	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 14 6	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 14 6	0
——, Miss Harriet J. H. ...	30 Nov. 92	0	...	7 12 9	0 0 0	0	...	0 5 10	0	...	8 2 7	0	...	7 12 9	0	...	0 5 10	0
——, Mrs. L. M. ...	6 Jan. 96	2400	...	4 9 5	0 0 0	0	...	44 1 6	2400	...	48 10 11	0	...	8 6 5	2400	...	40 4 6	0
——, Miss Mary Melville ...	9 May 83	0	...	8 15 4	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	8 15 4	0	...	8 15 4	0	...	0 0 0	0
——, legacy account of A. R. Smith ...	Ditto ...	0	...	3 11 10	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	3 11 10	0	...	3 11 10	0	...	0 0 0	0
——, legacy account of L. M. Smith ...	Ditto ...	0	...	4 7 8	0 0 0	0	...	3 4 6	0	...	7 12 2	0	...	7 12 2	0	...	0 0 0	0
——, Major James Herbert ...	.....	7600	...	53 4 5	0 0 0	0	...	7741 1 6	7600	...	7794 5 11	7600	...	7794 5 11	0	...	0 0 0	0
——, W. A. P., life interest, account of Miss C. J. Smith, sister of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	16 9 4	0	...	16 9 4	0	...	16 9 4	0	...	0 0 0	0
Smyth, Sub-Conductor Patrick,—legacy account for the heirs of late M. Smyth, father of the deceased (new account) ...	8 Nov. 50	0	...	0 5 10	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 5 10	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 5 10	0
Spears, Thomas,—legacy account of A. Spears ...	11 Nov. 68	26800	...	43 5 1	0 0 0	0	...	517 13 8	26800	...	561 2 9	0	...	450 12 6	26800	...	110 6 3	0
——, legacy account of C. Spears ...	Ditto ...	0	...	2 15 6	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	2 15 6	0	...	2 15 6	0	...	0 0 0	0
——, legacy account of M. Spears ...	Ditto ...	26800	...	0 0 0	57 3 4	0	...	517 13 8	26800	...	460 10 4	0	...	590 0 3	26800	...	0 0 0	129
——, share account of W. R. Nicholas, one of the children of Mrs. C. Nicholas, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	5 7 11	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	5 7 11	0	...	5 7 11	0	...	0 0 0	0

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Thomas, David, share account of two daughters of Henry Thomas ...	18 Nov. 57	0	...	0	7	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	7	4	0	...	0	0	0
———, John,—(new account) ...	.....	1800	...	46	4	10	0	0	0	0	...	32	15	2	1800	...	81	4	0	0	...	0	13	5	1800	...	80	6	7
———, W., share account of William Richard Thomas, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	7600	...	93	3	0	0	0	0	200	...	139	13	2	7800	...	233	0	2	0	...	216	2	4	7600	...	16	13	10
———, W.,—share account of R. W. Thomas, one of the children of the deceased ...	.....	8000	...	89	6	9	0	0	0	200	...	147	1	0	8200	...	236	7	9	0	...	216	7	11	8200	...	19	15	10
Thompson, Robert Leggate	25 Aug. 80	0	...	0	8	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	8	8	0		0	8	8	0	...	0	0	0
———, H. D. ...	8 Jan. 92	0	...	25	6	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	25	6	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	25	6	8
Thornhill, Mrs. Florence (Lily) ...	.....	0	...	59	10	10	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	59	10	10	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	59	10	10
Thornhill, Captain C. B. ...	.....	1000	...	968	15	0	0	0	0	900	...	17	8	0	1900	...	986	7	0	0	...	951	2	1	1900	...	35	5	0
Tooth, T. A., Lieutenant, Riding Master ...	17 Nov. 92	0	...	2	9	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	2	9	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	2	9	8
Tough, Mrs. Maria (or Hobcroft),—share account of Samuel Hobcroft, husband of the deceased ...	3 Mar. 84	0	...	0	7	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	7	4	0	...	0	7	4	0	...	0	0	0
Townsend, C. H. ...	.....	0	...	1229	9	9	0	0	0	0	...	0	8	1	0	...	1230	2	7	0	...	1230	2	7	0	...	0	0	0
Tregear, Pete. ...	.....	4080	...	0	0	0	692	7	3	3200	...	4039	12	4	7200	...	3347	5	1	4000	...	3188	11	0	3200	...	158	10	1
Tripp, Benjamine Copel,—share account of Samuel S. Tripp, brother of the deceased ...	14 May 63	400	...	31	0	5	0	0	0	0	...	7	5	10	400	...	38	6	3	400	...	38	0	5	0	...	0	5	10
Tuite, Mrs. Ann,—legacy account of A. A. Montgomery, grand-daughter of the deceased ...	16 May 88	0	...	16	14	10	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	16	14	10	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	16	14	10
Tulloh, R. H. ...	11 Feb. 82	0	...	1	1	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	1	1	4	0	...	1	1	4	0	...	0	0	0
Turner, R. B. ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	122700	2101	88164	8	6	122700	2101	188164	8	6	12200	1604	186955	14	2	110500	497	1208	10	4
———, W. B. ...	.....	0	...	2754	1	5	0	0	0	0	...	2137	11	1	0	...	4891	12	6	0	...	3997	0	5	0	...	894	12	1
———, annuity account of Mrs. B. M. Turner ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	763	0	4	0	...	763	0	4	0	...	763	0	4	0	...	0	0	0
———, legacy account of Miss Jessie Turner ...	.....	1400	...	56	6	10	0	0	0	0	...	24	8	0	1400	.	80	14	10	0	...	10	14	5	1400	...	70	3	5
———, share account of Martha Morgan ...	.....	10000	...	127	1	7	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	10000	..	127	1	7	10000	...	127	1	7	0	...	0	0	0
Tuther, Mrs. Mary ...	.....	0	Shares. 10†	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	..	0	0	0	0	Shares. 10†	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	10†	0	0	0
Turnbull, Veterinary Captain H. P. ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	1	6	8	0	...	1	6	8	0	...	1	6	8	0	...	0	0	0
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Udal, Lieutenant E. R. ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	4700	...	5021	1	4	4700	...	5021	1	4	0	...	4996	14	3	4700	...	24	3	1

* Sullvan Tea Company.
† Simla Bank.

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		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	
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Van Dort, Mrs. Caroline Angelicia,—share account of Dr. W. G. Van Dort, 2nd husband of the deceased ...	.....	700	...	106 15 11	0 0 0	100	...	12 14 2	800	...	119 14 1	0	...	101 2 0	800	...	18 12 1	
———, share account of the children of the deceased ...	.....	810	...	47 5 3	0 0 0	0	...	14 10 3	810	...	61 15 5	0	...	0 12 8	800	...	61 2 9	
Verboon, Richard ...	13 Sept. 71	29500	...	75 6 3	0 0 0	0	...	887 0 2	29500	...	922 6 5	0	...	874 3 9	29500	...	88 2 8	
Veitch, J. B. ...	20 June 94	0	...	44 3 2	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	44 3 2	0	...	44 3 2	0	...	0 0 0	
Venables, Mrs. A. M. ...	.....	0	...	4 1 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	..	4 1 8	0	...	4 1 8	0	...	0 0 0	
Vernon, John Richardson ...	1 Mar. 79	0	...	21 9 1	0 0 0	0	..	0 0 0	0	...	21 9 1	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	21 9 1	
VonLintzgy, Dr. C. F.,—legacy account of Mrs. F. E. Grey ...	13 Jan. 77	104500	...	165 14 2	0 0 0	0	...	1828 12 0	10450	...	1994 10 2	0	...	1828 12 0	104500	...	165 14 2	
———, legacy account of Mrs. Emily Forbes ...	Ditto ...	17000	...	630 0 3	0 0 0	0	...	6748 6 8	17000	...	9378 6 11	800	...	4254 5 1	16200	...	5124 1 10	
———, legacy account of Gerald Felix Durup DeDombal, one of the grandsons of the deceased	Ditto ...	300	...	75 10 0	0 0 0	0	...	5 8 4	300	..	81 2 4	0	...	0 4 8	300	...	80 13 8	
———, legacy account of C. D. DeDombal, one of the grandsons of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	300	...	67 10 2	0 0 0	0	...	5 8 6	300	...	73 2 8	0	...	0 4 9	300	...	72 13 11	
———, Dr. C. F. ...	Ditto ...	0	...	20 10 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	20 10 8	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	20 10 8	
Vyall, Miss A., share account of Arthur Vyall ...	.....	800	...	54 0 10	0 0 0	0	...	14 0 0	800	...	68 0 10	0	...	1 3 4	800	...	66 13 6	
Vonsnlier, Mrs. M. J.,—share account of Lieut. Paul Vonsglinitzski, only son and sole heir of the deceased ...	.....	0	38*	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	..	1140 0 0	0	38*	1140 0 0	0	...	1140 0 0	0	38*	0 0 0	

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		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A
W																		
Wilcox, F. ...	22 Aug. 97	0	...	6 10 4	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	6 10 4	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	6 10 4	0
———, share account of late Mrs. M. Graham, one of the sisters of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	900	...	83 15 10	0 0 0	0	...	16 9 2	900	...	100 9 0	0	...	0 14 2	900	...	99 10 10	0
———, Edwin ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	17 12 4	0	...	17 12 4	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	17 12 4	0
———, account for the next-of-kin ...	.....	16800	...	124 5 2	0 0 0	0	...	16842 10 2	16800	...	16966 15 4	16800	...	16966 15 4	0	...	0 0 0	0
———, F., share account of A. Reviley, one of the children of Mrs. S. J. Reviley, one of the sisters of the deceased ...	23 Aug. 97	0	..	244 12 6	0 0 0	0	...	0 2 10	0	...	244 15 4	0	.	244 12 6	0	...	0 2 10	0
———, share account of W. N. Reviley, one of the children of Mrs. S. J. Reviley, one of the sisters of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	200	...	48 10 11	0 0 0	0	...	3 10 10	200	...	52 5 9	0	.	0 3 1	200	...	52 2 8	0
———, Edwin, share account of C. B. Walton, one of the legal representatives of J. Wilcox *nie* Walton ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	500	...	565 3 10	500	...	565 3 10	0	...	496 6 11	50	...	68 12 11	0
———, share account of T. Wilcox ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	3800	...	3956 10 11	3800	...	3956 10 11	0	...	3793 0 9	3800	...	163 10 2	0
———, share account of M. Wilcox ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	3800	...	3956 10 11	3800	...	3956 10 11	0	...	3793 0 9	3800	...	163 10 2	0
———, share account of H. Wilcox ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	3800	...	3956 10 11	3800	...	3956 10 11	0	...	3793 0 9	3800	...	163 10 2	0
Williams, J. A.,—account of house No. 6 Giree Babu's Lane ...	9 April 88	600	...	44 13 11	0 0 0	0	...	4 4 2 2	1000	...	459 0 1	0	..	247 1 3	1000	...	211 14 10	0
———, F. St. Clair ...	26 May 56	200	...	0 0 0	175 6 2	0	...	200 1 11	200	...	24 11 9	200	...	24 8 11	0	...	0 2 10	0
———, Mrs. A. K. ...	.....	0	...	252 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	54 15 0	0	...	306 15 0	0	...	306 15 0	0	...	0 0 0	0

———, Mrs. A. K.,—share account of R. G. Porthouse, a son by the deceased's first marriage ...	.....		0	...	7	6	9	0	0	0	0	...	7	9	0	0	...	14	15	9	0	...	7	6	9	0	...	7	9	0	0	0
———, share account of C. V. Williams, a son by the deceased's second marriage ...	.....		9200	...	68	4	7	0	0	0	200	...	168	9	0	9400	...	236	13	7	0	...	212	14	10	9400	...	23	14	9	0	0
———, F. G. ...	.....		1500	...	724	12	7	0	0	0	0	...	683	0	9	1500	...	1407	13	4	0	...	1031	13	10	1500	...	375	15	6	0	0
———, T. S., account of the next-of-kin of the deceased ...	.....		0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	11	6	4	0	...	11	6	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	11	6	4	0	0
Williamson, R. A.,—share account of A. J. N. Williamson, son of the deceased ...	16 Aug. 89		0	...	6	9	7	0	0	0	0	...	6	0	10	0	...	12	10	5	0	...	6	9	7	0	...	6	0	10	0	0
Wilkinson, Captain R. L. C.	.....		0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	1000	...	1116	1	5	1000	...	1116	1	5	0	...	1028	14	10	1000	...	87	2	7	0	0
Willson, William Galbraith, —life-interest account of Mrs. S. D. Johnston, sister of the deceased ...	.....		10200	12*	181	9	10	0	0	0	0	...	538	8	0	10200	12*	720	1	10	0	...	538	8	0	10200	12*	181	9	10	0	0
Wilson, H. Hagman,—share account of Eliza H. Wilson ...	20 Nov. 60		0	22*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	660	0	0	0	22*	660	0	0	0	...	660	0	0	0	22*	0	0	0	0	0
———, Frederick,—life-interest account of C. Wilson, subject to annuities of Sungram and Raimutta ...	24 Sept. 89		400	...	99	8	1	0	0	0	100	...	7	5	10	500	...	106	13	11	0*	...	100	13	3	500	...	6	0	8	0	0
———, account of annuity of Raimutta, niece of Sungram, the widow of the deceased ...	Ditto	...	28600	...	351	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	526	3	2	28600	...	877	4	2	0	...	612	6	7	28600	...	264	13	7	0	0
———, life-interest account of C. Wilson	Ditto	...	228200	...	2183	6	6	0	0	0	0	...	3993	8	0	228200	...	6176	14	6	0	...	4018	8	1	228200	...	2158	6	5	0	0
———, Mrs. Jane,—share account of Mrs. Smith, daughter of the deceased	16 Mar. 59		3300	...	47	2	11	0	0	0	100	...	60	9	2	3400	...	107	12	1	0	...	103	14	1	3400	...	3	14	0	0	0
Wilsone, Charles Michael ...	6 Jan. 70		0	...	7	12	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	7	12	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	7	12	4	0	0
Wood, G. H.,—legacy account of G. H. Wood, son of the deceased ...	31 Jan. 84		900	...	66	3	2	0	0	6	0	...	15	12	0	900	...	80	15	[illegible]	900	...	80	15	2	0	...	0	0	0	0	0
———, George Henry ...	.....		0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	900	...	180	0	1	900	...	180	0	1	900	...	180	0	1	0	...	0	0	0	0	0
Wortly, R. A.,—legacy account of C. Collingwood, grandson of the deceased	25 April 91		46100	...	304	0	5	0	0	0	0	...	1061	1	6	46100	...	1365	1	11	0	...	1046	6	8	46100	...	318	11	3	0	0
Wright, Dr. George Vint	14 Dec. 70		0	...	8	0	3	0	0	0	0	...	0	5	10	0	...	8	6	1	0	...	8	0	3	0	...	0	5	10	0	0
———, David,—share account of Mrs. S. Light or Wright, widow of the deceased ...	.....		400	..	92	3	2	0	0	0	0	...	7	5	10	400	...	99	9	0	0	...	117	6	3	400	...	0	0	0	17	13

* Bank of Bengal shares.

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		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
W																		
Wrixon, R. B. ...	21 April 59	0	...	44 7 6	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	44 7 6	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	44 7 6	0 0 0
Wyatt, Alexander,—gift for the children of the deceased ...	12 Jan. 61	900	...	1 1 1	0 0 0	0	...	901 15 2	900	...	903 0 3	900	...	721 15 1	0	...	181 1 2	0 0 0
———, Miss F. A. ...	.....	0	60*	6 6 0	0 0 0	3000	...	3120 12 8	3000	60*	3127 2 8	0	30*	3063 15 2	3000	30*	73 3 6	0 0 0
———, share account of A. Dumain, afterwards Dernow, Mrs. Matheway, the only child of M. Wyatt, a deceased sister of the deceased ...	.....	1400	...	62 7 7	0 0 0	0	...	25 12 4	1400	...	88 3 11	0	...	1 5 11	1400	...	86 14 0	0 0 0
Wynne, H. LePoer,—share account of A. E. LePoer Wynne daughter of the deceased ...	28 Aug. 74	0	...	13 12 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	13 12 0	0	...	13 12 0	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
Wynch, C. W. ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	2500	...	3042 1 2	2500	...	3042 1 2	0	...	2751 3 4	2500	...	290 13 10	0 0 0
Y																		
Yates, H. B. ...	.....	8400	200†	5817 10 3	0 0 0	0	...	22827 12 8	8400	200†	28645 6 11	7400	200†	28648 12 0	1000	...	0 0 0	3 5 1
——— ———, share account of Kenneth Yates, nephew of deceased ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	200	80*	260 11 9	200	80*	260 11 9	0	...	203 11 1	200	80*	57 0 8	0 0 0
———, share account of C. Yates, minor nephew of the deceased ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	21500	...	14195 13 2	21500	...	14195 13 2	0	...	14097 12 5	21500	...	98 0 9	0 0 0
Young, Mrs. M. A.,—share account of R. D. Dinning, one of the children of the deceased ...	31 Mar. 92	0	...	0 3 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 3 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 3 0	0 0 0

* Cawnpur Cotton Mills shares. | † South Cachar Tea Company, Limited, shares.

HENRY T. HYDE.
Administrator-General of Bengal.

SCHEDULE C of all sums of Moneys, Bonds and other Securities received by the Administrator-General on account of HINDU or MUHAMMADAN Estates remaining under his charge, together with the Payments made thereout, and the Balances prepared up to 30th June 1905, under Section 44 of Act II of 1874.

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		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
A																		
Assaram Burmune,—new account ...	20 May 50	19900	...	93 15 2	0 0 0	0	...	958 3 11	19900	...	1052 3 1	19900	...	1033 5 3	0	...	18 13 10	0 0 0
B																		
Badam Coomaree Dassi, Sreemutty ...	5 Sept. 88	12700	...	44 3 5	0 0 0	200	...	233 7 0	12900	...	277 10 5	0	...	210 5 7	12900	...	67 4 10	0 0 0
———, legacy account of G. L. S. ...	Ditto ...	0	..	2 3 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	2 3 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	2 3 0	0 0 0
———, legacy account of the nine sons of the late Babu G. L. S. ...	Ditto ..	0	...	2 1 6	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	2 1 6	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	2 1 6	0 0 0
———, legacy account of Sreemutty Sowdamini Dassi ...	Ditto ...	0	...	14 3 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	14 3 8	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	14 3 8	0 0 0
———, legacy account of G. C. Roy ...	Ditto ..	0	...	6 14 10	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	6 14 10	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	6 14 10	0 0 0
———, legacy account of Soda servant ...	Ditto ...	0	...	8 11 2	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	8 11 2	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	8 11 2	0 0 0
———, legacy account of Kripasindhu Babajee, Bamee, maid-servant, and Heralall, nephew of the maid-servant Romonee ...	Ditto ...	100	...	16 10 6	0 0 0	0	...	1 13 6	100	...	18 8 0	0	...	0 1 7	100	...	18 6 5	0 0 0
———, legacy account of Sreemutty Sarat Coomaree Dassee ...	Ditto ...	4600	..	77 3 6	0 0 0	100	.	82 7 10	4600	...	159 11 4	0	...	105 5 6	4600	...	54 5 10	0 0 0
———, legacy account of Gopee Nath Roy ...	Ditto ...	400	...	73 10 4	0 0 0	0	...	7 5 10	400	...	81 0 2	0	...	0 6 2	400	...	80 10 0	0 0 0

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		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
B																		
Bhagabat Chandra Maity ...	.....	10400	...	53 8 0	0 0 0	0	...	191 7 8	10400	...	244 15 8	0	...	128 6 6	10400	...	116 9 2	0 0 0
Bibee Fyzum ...	12 June 80	15100	...	29 12 6	0 0 0	300	...	279 0 6	15400	...	308 13 0	0	...	316 4 7	15400	...	0 0 0	7 7 7
Bolye Chand Dutt, residuary account ...	.....	35100	...	0 0 0	689 2 10	0	...	4866 7 8	35100	...	4177 4 10	0	...	4695 10 3	35100	...	0 0 0	518 5 5
———————, account of the Dutt Charitable Dispensary at Madhupur ...	.....	500	...	281 11 6	0 0 0	5000	...	2522 11 0	5500	...	2804 6 6	0	...	2325 11 2	5500	...	478 11 4	0 0 0
C																		
Cally Dass Kurmokar ...	30 Aug. 05	34900	...	160 15 2	0 0 0	600	...	631 8 0	35500	...	792 7 2	0	...	1067 14 7	35500	...	0 0 0	275 7 5
Cassey Nath Mullick ...	4 Mar. 79	629700	...	0 0 0	391 12 5	188400	...	184827 2 6	818100	...	184435 6 1	818100	...	184435 6 1	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
———————, account of worship and seminaries ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	118700	...	1120 0 0	118700	...	1120 0 0	0	...	840 0 0	118700	...	280 0 0	0 0 0
———————, account of purchase of utensils and other articles ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	10600	...	0 0 0	10600	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	10600	...	0 0 0	0 0 0
———————, account of repairs of seminaries, taxes and other contingent charges ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	42400	...	400 0 0	42400	...	400 0 0	0	...	349 12 0	42400	...	50 4 0	0 0 0
———————, account for preservation of the bones of the deceased and widow ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 9	3900	...	36 0 0	3900	...	36 0 0	0	...	32 0 0	3900	...	4 0 0	0 0 0
———————, account for repairs of tombs and house at Brindaban ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	3600	...	1000 0 0	3600	...	1000 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	3600	...	1000 0 0	0 0 0
———————, account of arrears due in respect of the expenses of worship and seminaries ...	.....	0	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	3416 0 0	0	...	3416 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	3416 0 0	0 0 0

——————, account of residuary estate for charity at Brindabun...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	464900	...	3565	4	6	464900	...	3565	4	6	0	...	3430	10	3	46 900	...	134	10	8	0	0	0
D																																	
Debendra Nath Sen ...	25 Jan. 05	0	...	230	14	3	0	0	0	40200	...	0	0	0	40200	...	230	14	3	0	...	22	5	4	40200	...	208	8	11	0	0	0
Degamber Dass ...	22 Dec. 58	42700	...	286	8	7	0	0	0	0	...	1830	12	5	42700	...	2117	5	0	0	...	2093	6	0	42700	...	23	15	0	0	0	0
——————, separate account of house No. 2-5, Chowringhee Road ...	.....	0	...	1190	8	1	0	0	0	0	...	1966	8	8	0	...	3.56	11	9	0	...	2751	2	11	0	...	405	8	10	0	0	0
Dwarka Nath Dutt ...	29 June 83	0	...	15	0	9	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	15	0	9	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	15	0	9	0	0	0
F																																	
Fonindra Bhusan Chatterjee	3 Nov. 84	0	...	24	8	2	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	24	8	2	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	24	8	2	0	0	0
Furrook Nessa Begum ...	23 Jan. 77	0	...	33	11	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	..	33	11	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	33	11	0	0	0	0
G																																	
Goburdhone Gossain ...	.....	25600	...	0	0	0	61	3	9	0	...	627	4	0	25600	...	566	0	3	0	...	369	10	11	25600	...	196	5	4	0	0	0
Golap Kaur ...	8 Aug. 83	500	...	41	10	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	500	...	41	10	4	0	...	0	0	0	500	...	41	10	4	0	0	0
Gopal Hari Mullick,—residuary account ...	.....	4400	...	51	13	4	0	0	0	0	...	76	6	2	4400	...	128	3	6	0		46	14	7	4400	...	81	4	11	0	0	0
——————, legacy account of Sreemutty Binapani Dassee, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	.....	4000	...	81	1	7	0	0	0	0	...	73	6	0	4000	...	154	7	7	0	...	3	14	9	4000	...	150	8	10	0	0	0
——————, legacy account of Sreemutty Mrinalini Dassee, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	.....	4000	...	81	1	7	0	0	0	0	...	73	6	0	4000	...	154	7	7	0	..	3	14	9	4000	...	150	8	10	0	0	0
——————, account of marriage expenses of the three daughters of the deceased ...	... ..	12500	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	230	2	2	12500	...	230	2	2	0	...	218	12	0	12500	...	11	6	2	0	0	0
Giree Bala Dassee ...	.....	14.00	...	983	5	4	0	0	0	1700	...	1171	12	8	15700	...	2155	2	0	0	...	2034	13	4	157 0	...	120	4	8	0	0	0
Girish Chandra Dutt ...	.....	0	...	3	10	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	3	10	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	3	10	4	0	0	0
Gunnumutty *alias* Harriet Paul ...	6 May 87	13000	...	67	12	0	0	0	0	300	...	238	10	0	13300	...	306	6	0	0	...	307	2	11	13300	...	0	0	0	0	12	11
——————, account for the worship of Buddha at Wiiitara, Ceylon ...	Ditto ...	9000	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	157	8	5	9000	...	157	8	5	0	...	157	8	0	9000	...	0	0	5	0	0	0

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G																		
Gunnumutty *alias* Harriet Paul, account for the worship of the family idol ...	6th May 87	5000	...	84 14 0	0 0 0	0	...	87 8 0	5000	..	172 6 0	0	...	2 10 0	5000	...	169 12 0	0 0 0
———, account for feeding Boitates ...	Ditto ...	2000	...	33 5 2	0 0 0	0	...	35 0 0	2000	...	68 15 2	0	...	1 0 10	2000	...	67 14 4	0 0 0
———, annuity account for Rossone ...	Ditto ...	1800	...	0 0 0	10 11 3	0	...	33 2 4	1800	...	22 7 1	0	...	31 12 2	1800	...	0 0 0	9 5 1
———, annuity account for Juman Shaw and Luckhey Narain ...	Ditto ...	1800	...	0 0 0	5 11 6	0	...	33 2 2	1800	...	27 6 8	0	...	1 12 2	1800	...	25 10 6	0 0 0
H																		
Haradhone Ghosh ...	... ...	17700	...	68 8 5	0 0 0	3900	...	5714 2 9	21600	...	5782 11 2	0	...	5023 13 11	21600	...	758 13 3	0 0 0
Hury Dass Dutt ...	.....	321400	...	557 2 4	0 0 0	10900	...	12199 9 2	332300	...	12756 11 6	0	...	12696 10 11	332300	...	60 0 7	0 0 0
I																		
Illahi Khannum, mother of the child of Dr. A. Murray ...	29 April 67	2400	...	13 7 1	0 0 0	0	...	44 0 2	2400	...	56 7 3	0	...	1 15 8	2400	...	54 7 7	0 0 0
Indra Chanda Singha Coomar ...	30 June 94	0	...	49915 10 1	0 0 0	7500	...	436791 13 2	7500	...	486707 7 3	7500	...	447024 3 1	0	...	39683 4 2	0 0 0

——————, legacy account of Srijut Mukoondo Chottoorvedi ...	.....	0	...	3	14	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	3	14	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	3	14	8	0	0	0
——————, legacy of Sreemutty Bedhoy Dassi ...	.....	300	...	91	12	0	0	0	0	0	...	5	8	4	300	...	100	4	4	0	...	0	4	8	300	...	99	15	8	0	0	0
J																																	
Jadoo Nath Mitter ...	22 Feb. 76	100	...	69	6	4	0	0	0	0	...	1	13	6	100	...	71	3	10	0	...	0	1	2	100	...	71	2	8	0	0	0
——————, life interest account of Sreemutty Kaminee Dassee and her children ...	Ditto ...	800	...	73	1	2	0	0	0	0	...	14	11	8	800	...	87	12	10	0	...	27	15	1	800	...	59	13	9	0	0	0
Juggomoney Dassee, Sreemutty,—account for the six annuitants ...	6 Sept. 88	19600	...	162	14	11	0	0	0	0	...	378	0	0	19600	...	540	14	11	0	...	308	7	0	19600	...	232	7	11	0	0	0
——————, account of Debbuttar property ...	Ditto ...	44400	...	55	10	7	0	0	0	0	...	777	0	0	44400	...	832	10	7	0	...	777	0	0	44400	...	55	10	7	0	0	0
——————, account of sundry legatees ...	Ditto ...	200	...	61	12	9	0	0	0	0	...	3	8	0	200	...	65	4	9	0	...	0	3	1	200	...	65	1	8	0	0	0
K																																	
Kaniz Fatima ...	27 June 94	200	...	0	11	3	0	0	0	0	...	4	12	4	200	...	5	7	7	0	...	0	9	7	200	...	4	14	0	0	0	0
Kanny Lal Seal ...	24 Nov. 86	0	...	37	7	11	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	37	7	11	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	37	7	11	0	0	0
Kedar Nursingh Rana Bahadur, General ...	2 Sept. 92	36000	...	76	10	0	0	0	0	0	...	643	2	0	36000	...	719	12	0	0	...	636	10	7	36000	...	83	1	5	0	0	0
Khetter Mohun Dass ..	14 Feb. 83	0	...	3	12	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	3	12	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	3	12	0	0	0	0
Koylash Chandra Saha ...	18 Dec. 82	0	...	9	9	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	9	9	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	9	9	4	0	0	0
Kristo Beharinee Dassee, Sreemutty ...	15 July 78	0	...	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	12	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	12	0	0	0	0	0
Kuloomuli Bhatia ...	.....	0	...	2	5	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	2	5	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	2	5	8	0	0	0
L																																	
Lall Chand Mitter ...	15 Dec. 74	0	...	31	15	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	31	15	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	31	15	0	0	0	0
——————, account for allowance of Juggodumbha Dassee, Kristo Kolyanee Dassee, Kusum Coomaree Dassee, Shama Soondery Dassee, Surbomongola Dassee, and Upendranee Dassee ...	Ditto ...	0	...	8	6	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	8	6	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	8	6	4	0	0	0
——————, account of allowance of the three surviving widows ...	Ditto ...	13200	...	78	10	9	0	0	0	0	...	242	15	0	13200	...	321	9	9	0	...	156	14	10	13200	...	164	10	11	0	0	0

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Lall Chand Mitter, account for the allowance for the worship of the family idol	15th Dec. 74	3700	...	113 9 1	0 0 0	0	...	64 12 0	3700	...	178 5 1	0	...	61 15 1	3700	...	116 6 0	0 0 0
M																		
Mamoojee Dawjee ...	.....	1300	...	11 13 8	0 0 0	0	...	23 12 0	1300	...	35 9 8	0	...	1 2 11	1300	...	34 6 9	0 0 0
Mirza Ahmed Begg ...	15 Sept. 84	18500	225*	1482 11 11	0 0 0	0	...	8147 6 4	18500	225*	9630 2 3	3500	...	1045 11 5	15000	225*	0 0 0	416 9 2
———, share account of Kaniz Kulsuma, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	9 4 5	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	9 4 5	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	9 4 5	0 0 0
———, share account of Kaniz Salima, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	4 3 0	0 0 0	0	..	0 0 0	0	...	4 3 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	4 3 0	0 0 0
———, share account of Kaniz Maryan Khatoon, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	9 4 5	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	9 4 5	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	9 4 5	0 0 0
Mirza Manwar Ally Begg ...	28 Feb. 85	4500	...	116 6 11	0 0 0	0	...	82 6 2	4500	...	198 13 1	0	...	3 4 4	4500	...	195 8 9	0 0 0
Monomotho Nath Dey,—legacy account of Kalla Malee Sasti and Bissonath Khansamah ...	25 Feb. 84	100	...	66 15 4	0 0 0	0	...	1 12 0	100	...	68 11 4	0	...	0 1 7	100	...	68 9 9	0 0 0
Monohur Chander Roy ...	2 July 88	0	...	13 14 4	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	13 14 4	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	13 14 4	0 0 0
———, annuity account of Sreemutty Kustooramunjoory Dassee, widow of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	63600	...	610 14 6	0 0 0	0	...	1075 8 0	63600	...	1686 6 6	0	...	973 4 5	63600	...	713 2 1	0 0 0

nuity account of Sreemutty Kumud Coomaree Dassee, daughter of the deceased ...	Ditto	...	6400	...	91	9	4	0	0	0	0	...	101	0	0	6400	...	192	9	4	0	...	191	6	1	6400	...	1	3	3	0	0	0
——————, annuity account of Sreemutty Feroza Soondery Dassee, daughter of the deceased	Ditto	...	8300	...	86	11	6	0	0	0	0	...	135	11	4	8300	...	172	6	10	0	...	13	3	8	8300	...	152	3	2	0	0	0
——————, annuity account of Sreemutty Provabatee Dassee, daughter of Sreemutty Mohinee Dassee ...	Ditto	...	0	...	13	4	6	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	13	4	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	13	4	6	0	0	0
Mulka (Mukhadara Ozmal Nawab Padshah Mahul Shaheba) known as Khas-mahal ...	22 Jan. 95		19400	...	108	2	5	0	0	0	1000	...	9691	5	7	20400	...	9799	8	0	9400	...	9454	12	4	11000	...	344	11	8	0	0	0
Musruttara Begum ...	22 July 87		0	...	11	9	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	11	9	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	11	9	0	0	0	0
Mynooddeen, Sahebzadah Mahomed ...	25 Jan. 88		0	...	7	7	6	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	7	7	6	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	7	7	6	0	0	0
N																																	
Nando Lall Mullick ...	14 Aug. 93		6000	...	1095	3	7	0	0	0	1000	...	19783	10	4	7000	...	20878	13	11	4000	...	20264	5	1	3000	...	614	8	0	0	0	0
Nawab Zuffer Jung Bahadur ...	.....		0	...	95	14	9	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	95	14	9	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	95	14	9	0	0	0
Nilcomul Roy ...	17 Mar. 90		9000	...	27	5	10	0	0	0	0	...	165	11	2	9000	...	193	1	0	0	...	146	10	6	9000	...	46	6	6	0	0	0
Nittyanund Mullick ...	18 Mar. 92		54900	...	100	11	0	0	0	0	1000	...	959	13	0	55900	...	1060	8	0	0	...	1028	5	0	55900	...	32	3	0	0	0	0
Nobo Coomar Sett ...	20 Sept. 83		16400	...	136	14	2	0	0	0	0	...	1265	15	10	16400	...	1402	14	0	0	...	1108	14	0	16400	...	294	0	0	0	0	0
O																																	
Obhoy Churn Sen,—life-interest account of Sreemutty Kaminee Money Dassee one of the daughters of the deceased ...	6 Nov. 72		700	...	54	15	6	0	0	0	0	...	12	14	2	700	...	67	13	8	0	...	0	11	1	700	...	67	2	7	0	0	0
Otool Chunder Ghosh ...	13 June 00		12300	...	2689	0	5	0	0	0	0	...	213	1	10	12300	...	2902	2	3	0	...	635	7	1	12300	...	2266	11	2	0	0	0
P																																	
Padam Chand Sett ...	8 July 01		138400	...	0	0	0	87	14	0	0	...	4053	8	2	138400	...	3965	10	2	1000	...	3990	0	9	137400	...	0	0	0	24	6	7
Peetamber Dass ...	1 Mar. 87		3500	...	4	6	6	0	0	0	0	...	384	6	0	3500	...	388	12	6	0	...	263	9	1	3500	...	125	3	5	0	0	0
Poolin Behary Dutt ...	9 May 04		15600	...	328	3	2	0	0	0	0	...	280	14	4	15600	...	609	1	6	0	...	242	2	2	15600	...	366	15	4	0	0	0

* Sundry shares.

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Prince Mahomad Hazaberabe Mirza Mahomed Faradoo Kuddar ...	10 Jan. 87	0	...	1 1 4	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1 1 4	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	1 1 4	0 0 0
Prosanna Coomar Mitter,—life-interest account for Sreemutty Kadambinee Dassee, widow of the deceased ...	28 July 98	20000	...	148 10 9	0 0 0	0	...	386 7 2	20000	...	535 1 11	0	...	368 3 6	20000	...	166 14 5	0 0 0
Punnamonee Dassee, Sreemutty ...	8 May 89	0	...	19 14 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	19 14 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	19 14 0	0 0 0
——————, legacy account for the annual Dolejatra, &c., of Sree Sree Shyama Sunderjee at Khurda ...	Ditto ...	1700	...	104 11 3	0 0 0	0	...	31 4 10	1700	...	136 0 1	0	...	57 13 3	1700	...	78 2 10	0 0 0
——————, account of the legacy for the Shava of the family idol Sree Sree Gopeejum Bullubjee ...	Ditto ...	1200	...	49 9 0	0 0 0	0	...	21 0 0	1200	...	70 9 0	0	...	41 5 11	1200	...	29 3 1	0 0 0
R																		
Radha Benode Ghosh ...	22 Jan. 86	15600	...	100 0 9	0 0 0	0	...	301 6 8	15600	...	401 7 5	0	...	307 6 4	15600	...	94 1 1	0 0 0
Radha Madhub Banerjee—account of rents of Barasset property ...	7 Feb. 73	0	...	792 6 0	0 0 0	0	...	1350 0 0	0	...	2142 6 0	0	...	1393 14 0	0	...	748 8 0	0 0 0
Radha Kissen and Sree Kissen ...	7 Sept. 86	100	...	15 2 2	0 0 0	0	...	1 12 0	100	...	16 14 2	0	...	0 1 2	100	...	16 13 0	0 0 0
——————, annuity account of Mussammut Sukumary Bibee ...	Ditto ...	91000	...	32 13 1	0 0 0	0	...	1592 8 0	91000	...	1625 5 1	0	...	839 3 11	91000	...	786 1 2	0 0 0

Raj Kissen Mitter ...	22 Dec. 83	4800	...	43	14	5	0	0	0	0	...	84	0	0	4800	...	127	14	5	0	...	64	4	2	4800	...	63	10	3	0	0	0
Rajrajessury Dassee ...	Taken charge.																															
Rajubally, Maulvi ...	28 July 57	100	...	3	11	4	0	0	0	0	...	1	12	0	100	...	5	7	4	0	...	0	1	2	100	...	5	6	2	0	0	0
Ramkally Mukerjee, life-interests account of Sreemutty Shoshee Bala Dabee, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	12 April 83	0	...	12	10	3	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	12	10	3	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	12	10	3	0	0	0
———, life-interest account of Sreemutty Wootum Coomaree Dabee, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	1 April 90	2000	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	35	0	0	2000	...	35	0	0	0	...	35	0	0	2000	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
———, life-interest account of Sreemutty Kaminee Dabee, sister of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	2000	...	0	0	0	20	9	0	0	...	1984	3	11	2000	...	1963	10	11	2000	...	1963	10	11	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
———, life-interest account of Sreemutty Nimoo Monee Dabee, one of the daughters of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	500	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	8	12	0	500	...	8	12	0	0	...	0	7	10	500	...	8	4	2	0	0	0
———, share account of Susty Dass Mookerjee, one of the sons and residuary legatees under the will of the deceased ...	Ditto ...	0	...	24	15	5	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	24	15	5	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	24	15	5	0	0	0
Rungunmoney Dassee, Sreemutty ...	Ditto ...	0	...	9	9	2	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	9	9	2	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	9	9	2	0	0	0
———, account of residuary estate ...	8 May 79	118500	...	349	6	3	0	0	0	0	...	2408	1	9	118500	...	2757	8	0	118500	...	2757	8	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
———, account of the funds for building the temple in terms of order dated 6th May 1904 ...	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	103500	...	1255	15	6	103500	...	1255	15	6	0	...	1210	0	3	103500	...	45	15	3	0	0	0
	.....	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	15000	...	0	0	0	15000	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	15000	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Sagore Dutt ...	29 Nov. 86	23900	...	87	0	9	0	0	0	200	...	537	8	4	24100	...	624	9	1	24100	...	624	9	1	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0
———, account of residuary estates ...	Ditto ...	370000	..	1749	14	6	0	0	0	73900	...	77042	0	10	443900	...	78791	15	4	0	...	78542	12	8	443900	...	249	2	8	0	0	0
———, account of Debshava and charities ...	Ditto ...	90000	...	324	8	1	0	0	0	0	...	1575	0	0	90000	...	1899	8	1	0	...	1406	12	0	90000	...	492	12	1	0	0	0
———, life-interest for Sreemutty Khettermoney Dassee ...	Ditto ...	5500	...	0	0	0	16	14	10	0	...	101	4	2	5500	...	84	5	4	0	...	5	6	3	5500	...	78	15	1	0	0	0
———, account of life-interest for Atta bearer ...	Ditto ...	3000	...	68	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	55	3	8	3000	...	123	3	9	0	...	50	15	0	3000	...	72	4	9	0	0	0

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Sugore Dutt, account of life-interest for Mrs. A. Quantin ...	Ditto ...	0	...	37 7 2	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	37 7 2	0	...	37 7 2	0	...	0 0 0	0 0
———, account of maintenance for three infant sons and one infant daughter of Dwarka Nath Dutt ...	29th Nov. 86	0	...	7 7 6	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	7 7 6	0	...	7 7 6	0	...	0 0 0	0 0
———, account of rebuilding of Thacoorbarry at Chinsurah ...	Ditto ...	12000	...	21 12 9	0 0 0	0	...	210 14 8	12000	...	235 11 5	0	...	7 0 1	12000	...	228 11 4	0 0
———, legacy account of Jotendranath Dutt ...	Ditto ...	0	...	2 4 8	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	2 4 8	0	...	2 4 8	0	...	0 0 0	0 0
———, legacy account of Surendranath Dutt ...	Ditto ...	0	...	2 4 6	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	2 4 6	0	...	2 4 6	0	...	0 0 0	0 0
———, legacy account of Upendranath Dutt ...	Ditto ...	0	...	3 10 4	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	3 10 4	0	...	3 10 4	0	...	0 0 0	0 0
Sakina Begum ...	17 May 94	600	...	194 6 11	0 0 0	200	...	13 3 8	800	...	207 10 7	0	...	200 11 10	800	...	6 14 9	0 0
Sham Sunder Khettry ...	29 May 99	0	...	0 0 0	182 10 7	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	36 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	218 10
Shoshee Chandra Dutt, Rai Bahadur,—legacy account of Suresh Chunder Dutt...	26 Jan. 86	20000	...	59 15 9	0 0 0	0	...	386 7 4	20000	...	446 7 1	0	...	349 9 10	20000	...	96 13 3	0 0
———————, legacy account of Suresh Chunder Dutt ...	Ditto ...	19400	...	330 10 2	0 0 0	600	...	373 0 8	20000	...	703 10 10	0	...	604 13 1	20000	...	98 13 9	0 0
Shoosharmony Dassee, Sreemutty ...	.....	0	...	3 2 11	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	3 2 11	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	3 2 11	0 0
Singhee Churn Dutt, life-interest account of Sreemutty Golapmoney Dassee ...	16 Jan. 86	0	...	10 11 10	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	10 11 10	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	10 11 10	0 0
Soorjee Kumar Mukerji ...	7 June 84	0	...	0 0 2	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 2	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 2	0 0

Sreekissen Ghosh,—account of limited life estate of Sreemutty Bimala Dasee	.....	0	...	0	14	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	14	4	0	...	0	14	4	0
Sumbhoo Chunder Banerjee	3 Sept. 59	100	...	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	...	1	12	0	100	...	4	5	0	0	...	0	1	2	100	...	4	3	10	0
———, account of family Debshava	Ditto	25000	...	212	3	0	0	0	0	0	...	2411	10	1	25000	...	2623	13	1	2500	...	2623	13	1	0	...	0	0	0	0
———, account of Haripado Chatterjee	Ditto	0	...	17	14	8	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	17	14	8	0	...	0	0	0	0	..	17	14	8	0
Suneelal Agurwalla,—life-interest account of widow Toolsi Bibee	23 Feb. 79	0	...	24	6	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0		24	6	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	24	6	0	0
———, life-interest account of Luchee Bibee	Ditto	0	...	47	12	10	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	47	12	10	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	47	12	10	0
———, legacy account of Thacoor Poresh Nath	Ditto	2000	...	106	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	35	0	0	2000	...	141	0	0	0	...	1	3	8	2000	...	139	12	4	0
———, account of maintenance of the family	Ditto	0	...	29	14	4	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	29	14	4	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	29	14	4	0
Surnomonee Dassee, Sreemutty	1 Decr. 04	108500	...	703	13	7	0	0	0	3300	...	6361	0	0	111800	...	7064	13	7	0	...	6548	8	9	111800	...	516	4	10	0
———, account "A"	.....	109900	...	0	0	0	1549	3	0	600	...	5417	5	0	110500	...	3868	2	0	1100	...	3792	9	5	109400	...	75	8	7	0
Surut Chandra Roy Chowdhury	.....	109100	...	0	0	0	281	9	3	51000	...	15649	11	7	160100	...	15368	2	4	12100	...	6488	11	2	148000	...	3879	7	2	0
Syed Ali, also called Julees-Ood-Dowlah Bahadur	23 June 79	20600	...	54	0	7	0	0	0	0	...	360	8	0	20600	...	414	8	7	0	...	360	9	2	20600	...	53	15	5	0
T																														
Troylucco Nath Biswas	7 June 05	804700	82*	0	0	0	10001	3	5	0	...	13278	8	10	804700	82*	3277	5	5	777700	82*	3277	5	5	27000	...	0	0	0	0
———, account of Dakhineswar Debutter property	.....	14500	...	53	4	8	0	0	0	0	...	253	12	0	14500	...	307	0	8	0	...	6	9	9	14500	...	300	6	11	0
———, account of Barrackpur Debutter property	.....	171000	...	1691	7	0	0	0	0	0	...	980	0	0	171000	...	267	7	0	0	...	26	8	4	171000	...	2644	14	8	0
———, account of Benares Debutter property	.....	51100	...	0	0	0	22	9	7	0	...	136	8	0	51100	...	113	14	5	0	...	3	8	10	51100	...	110	5	7	0
———, account of spiritual guide	.....	0	...	102	7	3	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	102	7	3	0	...	0	0	0	0	...	102	7	3	0
———, account of Provas Chunder and Satish Ch. Bhattacherjee	.....	500	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	500	...	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	500	...	0	0	0	0
———, account of Nailo Kristo Nath Chatterjee	.....	2000	...	262	15	6	0	0	0	0	...	30	0	0	2000	...	292	15	6	0	...	0	12	6	2000	...	292	3	0	0

* Sundry shares.

ESTATES.	Date of administration.	Balance on 1st January 1906.				Receipts up to 30th June 1906.			Total.			Payments from 1st January to 30th June 1906.			Balance on 30th June 1906.			
		Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.		Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	Government Securities.	Bank or other stock, as well as bonds or other securities, not being Government securities.	Cash.	
				To Credit.	To Debit.												To Credit.	To
		Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	
T																		
Troylucco Nath Biswas,—account of Kali Pado Dass ...	.....	1800	...	74 10 3	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	1800	...	74 10 3	0	...	0 0 0	1800	...	74 10 3	
———, account of Promoda Soondery Dassee	.....	4500	...	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	4500	...	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	4500	...	0 0 0	
W																		
Woojulmoney Dassee, Sreemutty,—legacy account of Brojendra and Shyamendra Mullick, sons of Kumar Gireendra and Surendra Mullick ...	2 May 94	200	...	58 5 2	0 0 0	0	...	3 8 0	200	...	61 13 2	0	...	0 3 1	200	...	61 10 1	
———, account of residuary estate ...	Ditto ...	13000	...	90 12 10	0 0 0	0	...	227 8 0	13000	...	318 4 10	0	...	227 8 0	13000	...	90 12 10	
———, legacy account of Nittye Kissore Goswami and Ram Kristo Thacoor...	Ditto ...	0	...	60 0 0	0 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	60 0 0	0	...	0 0 0	0	...	60 0 0	

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

SCHEDULE D—Of Balances in the hands of the Administrator-General on the 30th June 1906, set apart to meet the admitted claims of Creditors against the Estates therein mentioned.

ESTATES.	Balance on the 30th June 1906. Rs. A. P.
A.	
Abbey, Bazar Sergeant H.	73 4 10
Abbott, W. H.	87 8 8
Abercrombie, Captain John	191 11 6
Adams, Miss G. W.	13 8 3
Adye, Lieutenant-Colonel G.	28 2 6
Aikman, Lieutenant C. R.	106 1 2
Akerman, Lieutenant H.	79 1 9
Alcock, Captain R. P.	864 8 6
Alexander, Lieutenant D. C.	797 1 3
———, Ensign G. W.	51 2 6
———, Ensign W. F.	2 10 5
———, Lieutenant George	37 13 0
———, C. A.	7 0 0
———, H. W.	7 0 0
———, C. W. W.	0 1 5
———, Lieutenant B. W. J.	312 0 5
Allan, R. T.	73 14 0
——, R. W.	96 5 2
Allfrey, Lieutenant E.	37 7 11
Allnutt, G. K.	17 6 0
Alston, Lieutenant R. E.	30 2 0
Amies, Riding Master W. E. H.	5 2 6
Anderson, Alexander	181 9 6
———, Major J.	13 2 0
———, Lieutenant J. W. S.	282 7 9
———, Lieutenant R. W.	36 10 0
———, Thomas	70 8 10
———, Sergeant Joseph	16 15 0
———, Lieutenant E. A.	39 7 6
———, J.	18 0 0
———, H. G.	103 9 6
Anderton, Lieutenant H. C.	35 3 4
Andlan, Captain the Baron F. V.	30 6 0
Andrew, D.	17 0 0
Andrews, T.	1 8 0
Angelo, H. A.	16 8 0
Angelo, Lieutenant F. C. C.	105 0 6
Anthony, D.	88 6 3
Apperly, Captain H., of Horse Artillery	295 13 0
Archer, H.	18 7 4
Armstrong, Captain F.	57 4 0
Ashburner, Lieutenant B.	26 8 0
Atkin, Lieutenant J. B. W.	0 10 11
Atkins, Conductor T.	5 0 0
Atkinson, C. W.	104 8 3
———, G. H.	4 0 0
Auld, James	26 13 1
Austen, Captain G. P.	59 8 7
B.	
Baber, H.	42 15 6
Babington, J. H.	29 8 0
Babonou, E. A.	226 2 6
Bacon, Overseer Sergeant T.	19 9 8
Badam Coomarie Dassie	119 2 9
Bagshaw, Lieutenant F. J. S.	10 8 0
Bailey, J.	77 1 0
Baillie, Captain G.	59 0 0
Baird, Ensign G. W.	43 6 8
Baker, Brevet-Captain F.	27 10 3
——, Lieutenant R. A.	111 4 4
——, James	15 6 6
Balderston, Captain A.	71 15 11
———, Major G. V.	43 1 6
Baldry, Private J.	35 8 0
Balk, Captain R.	8 13 3
Balkwill, R. F.	134 4 9
Ball, J. T.	115 12 1
Ballard, W. J.	9 9 10
B.	
Band, A. C.	17
Banks, Major J. S.	68
Barber, Dr. J.	120
———, Henry	13
Barclay, Lieutenant F. M.	1
Barker, Captain W. B.	30
Barlow, Captain G. R. P.	108
———, Captain M. H. P.	1
Barnard, A. C.	2
Barr, H. J.	101
Barrow, F.	107
Barry, Captain H.	60
Bartlett, Assistant Apothecary J. J.	2
Barwell, Lieutenant E. W.	387
Bason, Mrs. C.	15
Bathurst, John	60
Batt, A. W.	N
Batten, Lieutenant-Colonel A. C.	8
Battye, Lieutenant Q.	22
——, Lieutenant R. M.	47
Bayldon, Major R.	168
Bayley, Lieutenant J. M.	75
Baylis, Captain H. J.	221
Beake, E. L.	22
Bean, Captain C. J.	918
Beatson, Captain W. S.	129
———, J. W.	1
Bebee Hosseinee	4
———, Sarah Russell	5
Becher, Lieutenant R. A.	16
Beck, Henry	33
Beddy, J. F.	133
Bell, M.	32
——, C.	59
——, R. A.	71
——, Lieutenant C.	78

D.

ESTATES.	Balance on the 30th June 1906.	ESTATES.	Balance on the 30th June 1906.	ESTATES.	Balance on the 30th June 1906.
B.	Rs. A. P.	B.	Rs. A. P.	B.	Rs.
Bell, J. D.	22 8 0	Blochmann, H.	1 8 0	Brodie, Lieutenant F. W.	103
——, G. J.	5 0 0	Blockman, H. O.	74 1 4	Brookes, Lieutenant-Colonel C. H.	1
Bent, Lieutenant-Colonel H.	138 13 0	Bloomfield, Lieutenant C. R.	50 0 11	Broome, Major-General A.	14
Bennertz, T. H.	3 15 3	Blowers, Captain G. F.	36 4 0	Brown, Lieutenant John	57
Bennett, Captain J. S.	16 0 0	Boate, Dr. H. C.	24 12 0	——, Lieutenant J. H.	13
Bentley, Mrs. F.	55 0 0	Boileau, Lieutenant F. D.	44 13 11	——, W. J.	15
Benton, W.	80 0 0	——, Major H. C.	374 3 8	——, Dr. A.	302
Benthal, Captain C. E.	140 7 3	——, S.	237 2 8	——, Dr. R.	510
Berkeley, L.	0 13 11	Bolshaw, F. G.	7 0 0	——, Mrs. C.	1,335
——, Hospital Steward J. D.	4 3 6	Bolton, Lieutenant-Colonel W. M. S. ...	0 10 3	——, Sergeant-Major F. B.	96
Beresford, Captain M. W. Dela P.	10 0 0	——, Surgeon-Major R. H.	14 14 3	——, J. (late of Cawnpore)	31
——, Captain M.	28 5 6	Bonzon, L. D.	12 2 6	Browne, Colonel B.	150
Berril, F. A.	36 2 1	Bonnaud, W.	184 0 0	——, J. F.	66
Best, Lieutenant A. D.	35 9 3	Bordieu, Mrs. H.	40 15 0	——, Lieutenant G. D.	7
——, Major H. W.	65 3 0	Boseck, John E. P.	32 0 0	——, Lieutenant C. H.	3,740
Biggs, Veterinary-Surgeon G.	189 0 0	Boulnois, Lieutenant A.	45 15 6	Brownlow, Colonel F. C. J.	3,219
——, Major-General Yeatman	146 15 0	Bourchier, Lieutenant P.	2 13 0	Bruce, Lieutenant-Colonel L.	458
Bignell, Captain W. E. P.	19 8 10	Bourke, J. B.	49 1 8	Bruere, Major C. F.	345
Billings, H. W.	2 10 6	Bourne, Lieutenant J. H.	357 2 9	——, Lieutenant J. R. J.	165
Birch, Lieutenant-Colonel F. W.	222 9 0	Bovell, W. C.	0 2 9	Brunton, W. C.	23
——, Major H. H.	141 11 9	Bowie, Lieutenant A. B.	11 13 5	Bruggen, Mrs. E. F.	11
Birly, Lieutenant H. M.	338 9 0	Bowring, Captain G. G.	29 0 11	Bryce, Lieutenant J. H.	40
Bishop, Lieutenant St. G. M.	39 6 10	Box, Captain T.	296 0 0	Buller, Lieutenant J. E.	58
——, W. H.	6 7 9	Boyce, W. C.	46 0 0	Bullock, E.	12
Bizzett, Dr. W. W.	3 0 0	Boyd, Lieutenant F. B.	217 4 8	Bunbury, Captain H. F.	346
Black, Captain William	32 3 6	——, E. A.	6 14 5	Burge, Lieutenant F.	35
——, Dr. X. J.	214 12 0	——, P.	4 6 3	Burgess, Lieutenant F. J.	100
Blackburne, Lieutenant T. G.	125 4 0	Boyle, Reverend W.	418 1 3	——, Sergeant H.	92
Blackwell, C. S.	20 7 1	Boys, Captain W. J. E.	30 15 5	——, W. T.	25
Blackwood, Lieutenant-Colonel A.	39 5 0	Braide, Ensign W.	9 8 0	——, T. C.	3
Blair, Lieutenant-Colonel C. D.	139 11 6	Brierley, R.	17 3 5	Burke, J.	19
——, G. D.	32 0 0	——, Sergeant John	7 0 0	Burlton, Lieutenant P. H. C.	50
Blake, Lieutenant G. C.	131 8 7	Bright, G. W.	1,640 0 0	——, Captain F. M. H.	438
——, W.	10 0 0	Broadbent, Major C. D.	60 7 1	Burn, D.	4
Bland, Reverend R. J.	13 0 8	Broadhead, J. T.	196 7 3	Burness, Surgeon-Major F.	10
				Burnett, Captain C. J. F.	1,036
				Burney, Major-General G.	278

Burnside, J. F.	459	9	8
Burt, Captain J.	2	2	4
Burton, Captain and Brevet-Major C. E.	58	6	0
———, W. W.	5	0	0
Buriand, T.	87	4	10
Bush, G. H.	145	10	1
Bushby, G. A.	39	4	11
———, Captain G.	13	12	1
Bussell, Captain G. W. H.	28	7	9
Butcher, G. H. B.	46	14	5
Butler, Captain C. J.	147	4	10
———, P. M.	17	7	0
Butterworth, J.	15	15	6
Buyers, Reverend W.	504	2	0
———, Captain the Hon'ble E. B. P.	84	12	0
Byrne, F. J.	10	14	7

C.

Caldecot, Captain C.	18	10	11
Caley, Major-General H. F.	22	15	9
Calwell, Captain F. N.	11	7	6
Campbell, Major A.	170	7	3
———, Major R. C. W.	11	5	5
———, N. H. A.	4	12	8
———, A. E.	7	9	11
———, J. A. B.	45	13	2
———, J. F.	366	7	0
———, J. H. D. B.	13	12	0
———, Colonel J. M.	82	1	5
———, S. A.	53	12	10
———, A. S.	1,554	9	5
Cannon, Captain F. W.	83	8	10
Cape, Lieutenant J.	62	12	6
Carleton, Pensioned Sergeant T.	42	10	6
Carpenter, Lieutenant T. W.	251	7	9
———, C. W.	108	7	1
Carroll, Lieutenant C. M.	243	3	6
———, Apothecary G. E.	32	7	8
Carshore, Reverend J. J.	1,207	6	0
Carter, Lieutenant H.	31	6	6
———, T. E.	5,755	4	1
Carthew, Captain J. F.	448	8	0
———, Captain C. A.	279	9	9
Carty, J.	2,054	0	8
Carry, Lieutenant S.	11	13	7
Casperz, Mrs. L. L.	125	12	8
Cather, G. F. H.	12	3	6
Cave, Mrs. W.	48	8	0
Caulfield, Captain H. M.	428	11	9
———, Major J. P.	225	15	2
———, Mrs. E. A.	465	12	9
Cauntor, Lieutenant J. E.	18	15	0
Chadwick, Captain J. M.	6	12	6
Chalmers, Lieutenant W. A.	90	9	5
Chamberlain, Lieutenant-Colonel C. F. F.	112	4	4
Chase, Captain D. A.	313	6	5
Chattelier, Sub-Assistant Surgeon J.	36	9	6
Chavasse, Dr. W. B.	29	11	3
Cheyne, Surgeon G. M.	198	14	0
Chisholm, J. S.	121	14	6
———, Lieutenant L. H.	22	0	0
———, Lieutenant J. H. G. S.	33	6	2
Christian, G. J.	37	10	7
Christie, Brevet-Major E.	694	13	11
———, R.	85	6	2
Clark, C. C.	2	5	2
———, E. N.	7	0	0
———, H. S.	48	0	0
———, S. H	48	0	0
———, Private W.	16	7	6
Clarke, Mrs. J.	11	4	0
———, P.	2	0	0
———, H. R.	103	9	6
———, Veterinary-Surgeon A. E.	32	15	4
Clavering, C. C. A.	50	0	0
Claxton, W.	51	10	9
Clayton, W. C. Brown, Lieutenant	27	8	6
Cleghorn, J.	16	2	9
Clements, A.	36	9	10
Clifford, W.	89	0	8
Clough, J. W.	92	10	0
———, J. A.	15	3	2
Coast, Captain M. W. L.	387	5	10
Cock, H.	199	10	8
Cockburn, C. J.	1	6	2
———, James	46	10	7
Cocker, Apothecary E. R.	0	11	5
Cockerell, H. E.	25	8	0
Cole, C.	14	0	0
Collett, G. S.	88	2	10
Colyear, Lieutenant-Colonel T. D.	131	2	8
Comming, William	140	3	5
Comyn, Captain P. J.	170	15	5
Comton, Captain D.	128	12	9
Connell, O.	66	11	0
Connolly, Lieutenant C.	49	8	0
———, Brevet-Captain E. B.	1,808	8	0
Conti, G. A.	25	0	0
Conway, J.	7	8	0
Cooke, Captain E. S.	31	7	
Cookesley, Captain J. F.	130	14	
Coombs, H. W.	209	14	
Cooper, Lieutenant-Colonel J. C.	2,006	3	
Cooper, T. T.	17	4	
Copeland, Lieutenant J. E.	70	4	
Corfield, Captain H. R.	46	1	
Corser, F.	18	4	
Cosby, Lieutenant S. G. C.	5	6	
Coupland, W.	75	5	
Cowie, A. M., 2nd Lieutenant	3	10	
———, F. S.	1	13	
Cowley, Major C. W.	217	8	
———, Captain P.	85	9	
Cowsell, T.	452	14	
Cox, Captain G. H.	16	14	
———, Charles	62	11	
Coyde, T.	222	1	
Craddock, Dr. W.	514	10	
Crahley, R. G.	1	7	
Craig, A.	129	8	
Craigie, Lieutenant A. W.	51	13	
———, Lieutenant-Colonel F. J.	2	0	
———, Dr. G.	146	7	
Crawford, W. E.	74	7	
Creigh, P.	190	13	
Creighton, Lieutenant R.	31	10	
Crichton, C.	110	15	
Crofton, Captain E. W. H.	11	14	
Croham, Captain F. W.	43	0	
Crolly, Lieutenant P. R.	62	12	
Crompton, Lieutenant C. A.	9	9	
Crosbie, Lieutenant C.	0	13	
———, Assistant Surgeon P. M.	1	1	
Crow, J. A.	85	9	
Cruickshank, G. B.	6	15	
Cruse, F. J.	107	5	
Cullinan, J. E.	68	3	
Cumberlege, Major J.	417	6	
Cunliffe, C. W.	219	0	
———, Lieutenant F. J.	519	10	
Cunningham, Captain J. D.	1,598	9	
Curnow, J. W.	73	2	
Currie, Captain J. A.	62	4	
———, Assistant Surgeon J. A.	99	14	

D.

DaCosta, Captain L. G.	51	14	
DeBrandy, Monsieur C.	3,053	6	
DeCourcey, Mrs. M.	17	10	
DeCruz, Jerome	68	0	

D.

ESTATES.	Balance on the 30th June 1906. Rs.	A.	P.
D.			
DeCruze, Dr. F. F.	109	2	3
De Gama, J. X.	0	9	1
DeMello, Mrs. A. M.	2	0	0
D'Momet, Lieutenant T.	89	7	10
DeRosario, P.	1	12	0
D'Russett, C. W.	89	8	0
Dalston, Major G.	220	10	11
Daniel, M. E.	321	4	4
Daniell, Captain J. H.	170	0	10
———, Lieutenant C. A.	120	4	11
Danvers, Ensign R. W.	45	8	8
Darby, Assistant Surgeon E.	111	0	0
Darling, Lieutenant P.	193	11	9
Darrah, M. Z.	623	0	2
Davidson, Ensign J. T.	33	2	5
———, T. R.	14	9	11
———, George	26	8	0
———, Lieutenant-Colonel T. R. ...	27	8	0
Davis, Captain C. F.	48	0	0
Dawkins, Captain C. D.	276	6	7
Dawson, Veterinary-Surgeon C. J.	35	14	1
Day, Ensign H. W.	5	13	11
DeCosta, Mrs. M. A.	1	12	0
Deane, W.	121	0	0
Deensford, Captain W. G.	12	15	6
Delamain, Captain J. W.	182	6	7
Delany, Mrs. M.	76	1	0
Dennies, Lieutenant A. L.	50	0	0
Denny, R. H.	170	0	0
Depratz, F.	330	2	3
DeSouza, Mrs. B.	6	0	0
Dias, J. F	17	13	0
Dick, J.	429	13	7
Dickens, P. D.	35	4	0
Dillon, Sergeant J.	9	0	0
Don, Captain W. G.	417	3	3
D.			
Doorga Churn Dhur	90	9	6
Doorgapersad Mookerjee	7	6	11
Dorin, Captain H. A.	44	9	4
———, Lieutenant J. A.	26	8	0
Doucett, Mrs. L. G.	15	12	0
———, G. M.	12	0	0
Douglas, Major A. B.	76	2	2
Down, Ensign R. W.	173	4	2
Downer, G. H.	21	4	6
Dowson, Captain R., of 5th Native Infantry ...	130	1	2
Drew, Thomas	3	0	0
Drews, Assistant Overseer E. V.	21	5	3
Driver, Sergeant G.	6	0	0
Dublin, C.	11	15	0
Duff, W. C.	10	10	0
Dundas, Major G. A.	16	12	6
Drummond, Captain W. L. P.	37	2	5
Dukes, Dr. F. F.	2	8	6
Dunbar, Mrs. C. A.	64	3	2
Duncan, Captain J. J. L.	32	13	0
———, Mrs. M. A.	9	1	0
———, R. R.	25	11	0
Duthoit, Assistant Surgeon T. J.	40	0	0
Dutton, B. C.	27	12	3
Dyson, C. L.	5	0	0
E.			
Eales, Captain E. D. O.	13	0	0
Eames, Staff Assistant Surgeon W. L. ...	321	8	7
Earle, Hospital Steward C.	9	1	0
Eaton, J.	29	13	0
———, Lieutenant G. W.	2	0	6
Eaves, H.	37	5	6
E.			
Eborall, W. H.	229	12	8
Eccles, Lieutenant J. W.	25	7	10
Eckford, Major John	2	7	0
Eden, Lieutenant F. G.	506	8	6
Edmonds, G. T.	300	0	0
Edwards, Lieutenant H. J.	209	14	0
Egerton, W. H.	6	2	0
Ekins, Lieutenant G. E., of 9th E. B. Fusiliers...	18	0	0
Elliot, Lieutenant G.	42	4	6
———, Lieutenant G. D.	16	0	0
———, Lieutenant E. H. H.	81	5	5
———, H. A.	62	6	0
Ellis, J. C.	438	5	6
——, Lieutenant-Colonel A.	7	8	0
Erskine, Lieutenant J. F.	6	8	0
———, J. M.	1,306	9	6
Evans, Captain H. J.	108	6	7
Evatt, Lieutenant-Colonel M. F.	30	1	8
F.			
Fagan, Captain J.	20	12	6
———, Captain R. C. H. B.	895	13	6
———, J. N.	105	0	7
Fairhurst, Reverend P.	100	0	0
Fairweather, G. A.	16	0	0
Faithful, Major-General H.	1,063	11	6
Fallon, Miss M. D.	8	0	6
Farley, G. F.	6	4	0
Farquhar, A.	58	0	0
Farquharson, Lieutenant F. E.	136	2	0
Farrelly, Assistant Apothecary B.	7	5	0
Farrington, Captain J. J.	472	10	1
Fawcett, M.	9	3	5
Fell, R.	52	3	6

Fell, J. W. A.	96	0	0
Fergusson, J. T.	215	12	0
———, S.	5	1	9
———, F. E. M.	8	2	0
Ferrier, W.	121	6	6
Ferris, Captain J. H.	238	5	6
———, Lieutenant-Colonel R. J. D.	33	6	4
Field, W. H.	98	8	0
Fielding, A.	72	8	0
Finch, A.	252	13	2
———, F.	100	0	0
Fennis, Lieutenant-Colonel John	136	11	7
Finlayson, A.	97	9	2
Fink, H. R.	153	10	3
Finney, Major W. F.	58	8	0
Fisher, Ensign H. G., of 60th Native Infantry	8	15	10
———, Captain J.	2,050	10	9
———, Brevet and Lieutenant-Colonel S.	210	14	0
———, Captain W. P.	220	5	1
———, Lieutenant-Colonel H. S. V.	224	6	0
———, J. H.	19	0	10
FitsGerald, J.	83	5	4
———, Lieutenant J. H.	15	0	0
———, T.	69	0	0
———, Lieutenant R. G.	13	0	0
———, Lieutenant T. O.	49	0	0
Fletcher, H. D.	3	0	0
Fogarty, Surgeon G. T. C.	18	13	11
Fonindro Bhusun Chatterjee	36	14	8
Forbes, Assistant Surgeon C.	166	13	4
———, F. C.	1	12	0
———, Lieutenant O. E. S.	6	14	8
———, Lieutenant H. H.	76	5	5
Ford, C. W.	138	10	6
——, W.	4	1	9
Forder, W. B.	62	6	3
Fortescue, Major F. R. N.	633	8	4
Fowler, Surgeon-Captain R	76	14	0
Fox, W. H.	152	15	9
Francis, Conductor Richard	19	7	9
Frances, C. E.	3	12	0
Frankland, Lieutenant T.	4	14	3
Fraser, J. J.	223	0	0
———, Captain E. W.	26	6	11
———, Lieutenant S. C.	0	13	0
———, Major the Hon'ble W. M.	81	3	0
French, J. G.	17	3	3
Forster, Major C. H.	30	1	8
Frushard, Lieutenant-Colonel J.	331	12	3
Fullerton, Assistant Surgeon J.	30	0	0
Fulton, Lieutenant S. M.	36	15	6
Furnell, Lieutenant W. H.	305	0	0

G.

Gabriel, Mrs. R. S.	42	12	6
Gair, Lieutenant D.	45	12	2
Galbraith, E.	38	1	4
Galland, B. H.	108	0	0
Gallichan, J.	10	0	0
Galloway, Dr. W. W.	2	0	0
Galstaun, M. J.	24	0	5
Gammell, Lieutenant-Colonel A.	1	0	10
Garbett, Lieutenant-Colonel H.	172	3	3
Gardner, Lieutenant H. F.	187	13	5
———, Captain T. S.	55	13	5
Garnault, Captain H. W.	4	4	0
Garstin, Brevet-Major W. T.	12	1	0
———, H. E.	10	4	0
Gavins, T.	6	7	9
Gee, Assistant Surgeon A. J.	84	14	6
Gelherd, L.	239	7	7
Gennys, Lieutenant R. H.	310	11	8
George, I. M. F.	0	6	0
———, Mrs. E. Pratt	74	13	6
Gepp, Lieutenant T. S.	13	0	6
Gerrard, Miss M. A.	111	12	2
———, W. R.	98	1	3
Gibbings, Captain A.	51	8	0
Gibbon, Captain W. M.	55	10	3
Gilbanks, J. C.	26	5	9
Gilbert, Major E. K. O.	287	6	9
Giles, C.	27	12	6
Gilbertson, F. W. G.	8	0	9
Gillet, Captain A.	917	15	6
Gilmore, H.	29	0	1
Gilmour, D.	41	7	0
Gladstone, Lieutenant C. A.	1,233	12	10
Glennie, Dr. W. R.	170	5	9
Goad, Lieutenant C. R.	8	15	10
Godard, W.	7	4	0
Godfrey, Mrs. E.	12	0	0
Goldie, Brevet-Major B. W.	1,074	2	10
Goldsmith, Veterinary-Surgeon E. W.	113	7	6
Goldsworthy, Lieutenant F. T.	315	8	11
Goldsworthy, Lieutenant T.	550	1	3
Gomes, Mrs. M.	27	9	0
Goode, Mrs. H.	385	13	9
Gopal Hary Mullick	27	10	0
Gordon, A.	8	2	0
———, Ensign A.	75	9	3
———, E.	132	2	0
———, Lieutenant H. T.	17	6	0
———, John	4	2	3
———, Major L.	53	10	1
———, Captain R. K.	192	8	4
———, Dr. W. G.	8	2	2
Gorton, James	58	12	4
Goss, Dr. W. F.	0	10	0
Gother, Lieutenant W.	55	13	3
Gough, Veterinary-Surgeon W. R.	12	7	3
———, Lieutenant-Colonel T.	1,602	6	9
Gouldsbury, J. M. E.	156	14	7
Gould, Charles	79	10	0
Goutiere, A. T.	755	6	5
Graham, Lieutenant J.	6	8	0
———, R. B.	96	1	7
———, Captain W.	228	8	9
———, W. L.	146	15	10
Granger, H.	109	3	0
Grant, Lieutenant A. P.	25	0	0
———, Lieutenant R. J.	399	0	0
Gravely, Dr. R. T.	17	12	0
Graves, Captain W. P.	160	3	7
Gray, Major J. C. C.	470	9	7
——, Surgeon H. A. C.	23	1	6
Greaves, W.	162	3	10
Green, Lieutenant G. W.	37	6	3
———, Lieutenant G. V.	1	2	6
Greenbarg, Mrs. Hannah	3	4	0
Greenhill, N. A. C.	4	0	0
Greer, Captain James Samuel	0	10	3
Gregg, Lieutenant H. J.	10	0	0
Greig, Dr. A.	17	11	10
Grey, Lieutenant C. W.	51	4	3
Griffin, Captain F. G. G.	3	10	6
Griffith, Dr. S. M.	22	15	9
———, Lieutenant-Colonel J. C.	1	10	0
Grinter, C. E.	207	6	3
Grissell, Major C.	111	12	0
Grœme, Captain P. St. George	783	9	6
Grome, Cattle Sergeant C. F.	205	0	2
Grose, H.	17	3	7
Gubbins, Lieutenant M. N.	51	13	3

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	Rs.. A P.
G.	
Gubboy, D. M.	800 0 1
Guise, Captain H. J.	20 0 0
Gunning, Lieutenant R.	35 15 1
———, Conductor D.	22 4 5
Gustavinski, Lieutenant L. T. K.	128 10 9
Guyon, F. L. J.	622 13 10
H.	
Hailes, Captain H. W.	54 10 3
Hair, W. F.	1,000 0 0
Hale, Captain E. W.	77 6 0
Halfhide, R. S.	40 0 0
Halford, Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. ...	38 15 1
Halkett, Lieutenant R. D. C.	200 0 0
———, Lieutenant C. J. L.	2 0 0
Hall, W. J.	10 8 0
——, S.	142 0 9
——, R. W.	99 10 6
Halloram, Sergeant M.	7 10 11
Halpin, Dr. J. N.	47 8 0
———, H.	42 6 1
Halsey, F.	0 1 4
Hamilton, Lieutenant F. W. A.	495 5 8
———, J.	346 13 6
———, Hon'ble Mrs. M. A.	2 0 0
———, W. H.	5 3 6
———, Lieutenant R. A.	84 12 7
———, J. K.	156 14 7
———, Captain G. F.	450 7 9
———, Lieutenant W. R. P.	120 0 0
Hampton, J. P.	571 4 9
Handscombe, Brigadier-General J. H. ...	50 0 0
Handyside, Lieutenant C.	231 8 3
Hanley, Robert	137 5 0

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	Rs. A. P.
H.	
Harcourt, Lieutenant H.	105 5 10
Hardinge, Captain G. N.	79 10 0
Hardy, T.	150 0 5
———, Lieutenant T. F.	14 0 3
———, W.	194 3 0
Harkness, Mrs. C. V.	24 4 3
Harlow, William	150 14 1
Harper, Sergeant T. H.	115 7 0
Harrington, Lieutenant-Colonel F. D. ...	6 3 1
———, Lieutenant H. A.	24 8 9
Harris, A. P.	4 8 0
———, Major B.	2 11 11
Harrison, Lieutenant W. L. S.	76 2 1
———, Captain A.	58 0 0
Hart, R. O.	183 3 8
——, John	5 0 0
Harbey, R.	84 5 0
Hastings, Captain the Hon'ble E. P. R. H. ...	215 5 0
Hatch, Lieutenant R. C.	409 12 4
Hathorn, H. C. V.	6 4 0
Hawes, Captain B.	0 11 0
———, Lieutenant G. H.	21 10 11
Hawker, Lieutenant W. C.	5 7 8
Hawkins, Captain F. D.	65 6 0
———, Major H. L.	18 9 11
———, J. H.	45 11 3
Hay, Captain J.	37 5 8
——, J. D.	11 0 0
——, Lieutenant R.	2,121 10 8
——, Sergeant A. L.	21 11 5
Hayes, A. A.	110 3 5
Haynes, Captain H. S. F.	59 13 6
Hayton, J. L.	14 12 6
Heaford, T. E.	40 8 0
Heald, T.	16 12 10
Heather, Mrs. E.	16 0 0
Heffernan, R.	35 0 0

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	Rs. A. P.
H.	
Heinze, P. L.	3 0 0
Hely, Veterinary-Surgeon F. A.	167 14 10
Henderson, Lieutenant D. H.	167 1 9
———, E.	3 8 0
Henegan, Lieutenant-Colonel R. G. F. ...	27 7 11
Henry, Dr. W.	44 12 7
Hernandez, L.	2,417 10 9
Hervey, Sub-Lieutenant A. H. G. J. ...	40 2 5
Hewet, H. A.	30 8 3
Heysham, H.	5 15 9
———, W.	16 0 0
Hickey, Captain C. E.	283 13 10
———, Captain W. A. G.	865 9 6
Hickie, M.	541 10 0
Hicks, Captain G. W. S.	259 11 11
Hildebrand, Lieutenant E. H.	110 13 2
Hildyard, R. C. T.	387 13 6
Hill, Conductor W.	11 9 10
——, Thomas S.	22 8 6
——, Lieutenant-Colonel R. B.	13 13 7
Hilliard, Lieutenant T. H.	22 7 9
Hindhaugh, W.	30 7 [illegible]
Hindmarsh, Captain J.	47 4 [illegible]
Hockayday, Mrs. C. M. A.	21 4 [illegible]
Hodgetts, T. H.	42 2 [illegible]
Hodgson, Captain B. P.	11 0 [illegible]
———, J.	64 6 [illegible]
Holcombe, Lieutenant W. A.	10 8 [illegible]
Holford, Lieutenant H.	23 9 [illegible]
Holl, A.	11 8 [illegible]
Holm, H.	20 5 [illegible]
Holman, T. T.	3 15 [illegible]
Holmes, Major J. G.	67 10 [illegible]
———, J. O.	9 12 [illegible]

Hone, A.				5	12	10	Jackson, S.				11	4	11	Kenny, T. J.				1,66
Hood, Captain F. H.				41	10	0	———, Dr. N.				6	4	0	Kennedy, J. G.				8
Hook, Lieutenant F. A.				6	6	0	———, W. H.				243	6	0	———, Lieutenant E. S.				2
Hore, W. E. K.				169	11	6	James, Edward				91	8	7	Keough, J. H.				9
Horn, J.				69	0	0	———, Dr. W. H.				538	2	0	Kitchen, Captain S. D. B.				1
Horst, J. V.				618	9	6	Jellicoe, Major A. H., of 5th Native Infantry				53	0	7	Kiernander, J. C. G.				1
Hotham, Lieutenant G. F.				61	3	2	Jenkin, John				2	11	9	King, C.				
Hotson, Lieutenant R. M.				124	4	3	Jenkins, Lieutenant R. E. A.				47	10	6	——, T.				
Hourigan, Gunner D.				67	11	8	———, Assistant Surgeon C. G. S.				5	12	11	——, Colonel H.				1
Houston, Lieutenant A. C.				2	10	6	Jerdon, A. L. W.				302	1	8	Kingshott, Henry				
Howard, Lieutenant-Colonel E. W. E.				5	4	8	Jervois, Lieutenant J. P.				36	0	5	Kirk, Mrs. C. L.				39
———, Christopher				10	7	6	Jeune, Lieutenant F. A.				95	11	6	Kirner, J.				4
Howe, T. S. C.				120	2	5	John, Conductor D. W.				8	15	4	Klotz, H.				1
——, W. A.				68	6	11	Johnson, Captain E.				65	12	0	Knight, W. B.				
Howell, Captain W. R. H. J.				0	14	0	———, Sergeant W.				9	8	0	Knowles, Assistant Surgeon B.				
Hubbard, Captain C.				10	8	0	———. O. D.				579	7	1	Knox, Lieutenant R. T.				1,04
Hughes, E.				24	4	3	———, Captain R. D.				33	0	0	——, Assistant Surgeon J.				
———, Captain E. J.				499	15	10	Johnston, G.				85	10	8	Knyvett, Captain F. A. C.				1
———, C.				11	0	0	———, Lieutenant G. B.				42	1	0					
Hughesdon, J.				44	2	6	Johnstone, Surgeon C. M.				14	0	9					
Hull, Major L. N.				967	4	4	Jones, Key-Sergeant J.				6	14	0					
Humfrays, Captain A.				296	4	4	——, J. M.				51	0	0					
Humphrys, Lieutenant M. A.				16	5	0	——, A.				71	8	0					
Hunt, G.				99	2	11	——, Lieutenant F. P.				477	3	0					
——, T. W.				311	7	6	——, G. M.				937	8	4	L.				
Hunter, C. M.				61	4	9	——, R. C.				7	8	0					
———, Lieutenant J.				264	1	10	——, Lieutenant-Colonel G. G. J. S.				3	1	4					
———, J. S.				33	15	4	Jordan, M. A.				8	6	0					
———, Lieutenant T. H.				152	3	7	Jorden, Captain C.				42	12	2	L'Estrange, Lieutenant H. V.				7
Hutcheson, C.				0	9	7	Juggomoney Dassee, Sreemutty				8	7	0	Lackersteen, C. R.				81
Hutchings, Lieutenant G.				8	15	9								———, E. T.				30
Hutchinson, Lieutenant B. M.				86	12	0								———, G. F.				2,53
———, J. C.				16	13	0								Lamb, Dr. M. B.				5
							K.							Lambert, Lieutenant J.				1,06
I.														———, Lieutenant P. C.				3
														Lamouroux, D. F.				39
														Lane, C.				
							Kai Khoosroo Hormesjee				7	0	7	——, G. D. M, Moore				
Imlach, A.				14	8	0	Keating, A. S.				1,203	12	9	Lamour, R. T.				20
Indra Chunder Singh, Coomar				253	9	9	Keaveny, M.				169	4	5	Latter, Captain T.				6
Ingleby, Lieutenant R. M.				512	6	5	Keelan, Thomas				3	5	0	Latty, Surgeon-Captain A. J.				21
Inglis, J. M.				12	2	0	Keighley, Captain C. H.				127	14	7	Laughton, Colonel J.				1,37
Ingram, C. G.				72	10	6	Keiller, Major D. C.				24	4	9	———, E. M.				2
Ireland, Captain W. F.				21	4	0	Kellner, H.				8	0	7	Law, W.				3
Irwin, Lieutenant T. S.				78	12	0	———, C. G.				145	3	4	——, W. C.				11
							Kelly, W.				14	0	3	Lawler, O. B. S.				
J.							——, Lieutenant-Colonel John				487	4	1	Lawrell, Captain H. J.				5
							——, J. H.				19	9	3	Lawson, C.				67
Jackson, Mrs. C.				24	0	0	——, G. L. A.				369	9	8	Leadbeater, Major W. E. B.				81
———, Lieutenant S. H.				40	3	0	Kemble, J. H.				83	14	0	Leeson, Brevet-Major J.				85
							Kemp, H. C.				8	0	0	Lefebur, V.				16

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L.		M.		M.	
Legett, W. R.	15 2 0	McAlevy, Staff Assistant Surgeon R. P.	9 9 8	Macarthur, J.	1,961 5 0
Lemon, Veterinary-Surgeon J. H.	20 12 0	McBarnett, Captain G. G.	1,515 0 0	Macdonald, D. F.	24 8 0
Leslie, Lieutenant Sir N. R.	12 13 11	McCallon, A.	50 8 9	———, Major H.	3 4 0
Lester, Lieutenant H. S.	70 14 1	McCausland, Lieutenant J. K.	14 12 2	Macdonell, Colonel A. A.	116 6 7
Leven, R. M.	36 5 3	McDonald, Captain A. R.	2,063 3 0	Macfarlane, W.	56 15 3
Lever, G. M.	260 2 11	———. Dr. J. B.	106 7 0	Machell, T.	21 12 0
Lewarne, Captain N. A.	392 10 0	———, S. P.	175 0 0	Macintire, Dr. J.	78 2 3
Lewin, G. F. J.	83 0 0	McDonnell, Lieutenant F. J.	597 10 11	MacIver, Assistant Surgeon J. R.	26 0 0
Lewis, Lieutenant E. D. F.	250 0 0	McDowell, Lieutenant C. T. M.	309 8 4	Mackay, Colonel N. McInnes	2 0 0
——, T. F.	18 8 3	McGiveron, J. D.	109 2 3	———, Kernith	8 12 0
——, J. H. T.	1 12 3	McGrath, Surgeon J.	5 12 10	Mackenzie, Henry	40 14 0
Lewsey, W. R.	2 11 1	McGregor, Brevet-Captain A. N. M.	178 9 1	Mackeson, Lieutenant-Colonel F.	12 0 0
———, James C.	1 9 6	———, Lieutenant E. O. H.	276 0 0	Mackie, J.	32 3 7
Liddy, M. H.	75 8 0	———, Lieutenant F. A. R. M.	5 5 4	Maclean, Captain W. G.	138 13 6
Lillingston, Lieutenant W. S.	83 6 8	McIntosh, D.	90 0 0	MacMahon, Lieutenant F. L.	62 12 4
Lindesay, Lieutenant T. E.	2 3 0	McKechine, Ensign W. B.	13 7 0	Macnair, Lieutenant C. H. R.	89 3 8
Lindsay, C.	18 5 9	McKenley, Captain H. C.	791 3 9	Macnaughton, Lieutenant E. F.	6 8 0
———, Captain A.	237 14 10	McKenzie, G. H.	158 4 1	Maconachie, H. D. M.	240 4 1
Lindstedt, E.	72 1 11	—— ——, Lieutenant N. K. J.	151 4 0	Macpherson, Captain G. E.	14 10 9
Linton, C. D.	16 0 0	McLean, Assistant Surgeon A.	94 11 0	Macsween, Lieutenant H. D.	115 8 0
Loch, Captain J.	13 1 3	———, Captain A. M. L.	938 1 8	Maddock, R.	22 13 0
——, Captain R. G.	2 0 0	McLaughlin, G.	649 7 3	Magnay, Lieutenant C.	167 9 6
Lochner, F. H.	1 2 4	McLeod, Dr. B. W.	370 5 0	Magner, M. L.	1 0 0
Lomer, Captain O.	82 5 8	———, Captain D. J.	188 4 9	Magrath, C. F.	18 12 0
Loose, B. E.	71 12 2	McLenan, James	50 1 9	Mahon, M.	38 14 6
Loveday, Captain B. M.	192 5 11	McMaster, Brigadier-General A. C.	254 4 0	Maidman, Captain G. E. J.	98 5 9
Lovick, J. W.	965 14 5	McMullen, Lieutenant T. S.	347 3 1	Mainwaring, Cornet C.	14 0 3
Lowe, G. F.	106 15 8	———, Major C. N.	155 7 6	———, Captain J. J.	160 8 9
Lucas, H. A.	46 0 9	McMurray, J. W.	14 8 0	———, Captain N. W.	25 3 1
Ludwig, P.	10 4 11	McNally, Lieutenant J.	38 14 6	Maitland, Overseer C.	82 3 3
Luken, Lieutenant J. H. H.	125 0 6	McNaughton, D.	30 4 11	———, Captain W. G.	3 6 0
Lundy, Brigade-Surgeon E. L.	18 0 0	McPherson, Ensign A. G.	12 1 9	Maling, Lieutenant-Colonel C. S.	206 9 3
Lyall, R.	113 12 9	MacHutchin, Lieutenant G. M.	107 6 0	Mallock, Lieutenant R. J.	245 4 6
Lynch, Dr. W. E.	603 6 2	Macansh, Mrs. F. C. S.	168 0 5	Malet, Captain C. F.	34 0 3
				Mandelli, Louis	18 13 2
				Manson, Captain G. W.	539 3 4

Manson, W. B.	15	2	6
Manuk, J. M.	1,723	6	4
———, Z. M.	68	12	6
Manderson, Major W.	18	15	0
Mapleton, Lieutenant F. M. M.	57	4	0
Mareus, J. P.	31	14	9
———, J. P., Junior	120	4	0
Marion, Joseph	9	1	4
Marley, Captain C. H.	464	5	9
Marsh, C.	25	8	4
———, F.	487	13	9
Marshall, Ensign H. W.	145	0	0
———, C. A.	116	8	0
———, Apothecary W.	5	12	11
Martin, Cornet L.	40	12	11
Martindell, G. H.	39	1	0
Masson, Dr. J. M.	80	0	0
Mathews, Apothecary J.	654	3	4
———, M.	6	3	0
———, Reverend J. C.	62	15	6
Mathison, A.	47	13	0
Maurice, Lieutenant R. B.	248	10	7
Maxwell, Brevet-Colonel W. G.	84	5	0
———, Captain J. M.	164	6	9
May, Assistant Surgeon W. G.	351	5	9
Meachan, Major W. M.	18	4	11
Meara, E. J.	10	12	0
Mee, Ensign J. E.	144	3	9
Meek, J. S.	3	0	0
Meer Mahomed Ally Khan (His Highness)	47	15	8
Meighan, Conductor John	138	7	0
Meiklejohn, H. C.	96	11	11
Mellish, Captain D. G. A. F. H.	381	10	11
Mellor, W. B.	86	5	7
Melvin, Captain A.	3	5	9
Melvill, P.	7	2	0
Mendes, F. P.	236	5	0
Mercer, Lieutenant E. S.	102	8	0
Merewether, Brevet-Captain A	50	0	0
Metcalfe, Captain H.	6	9	11
Mitchell, Lieutenant M. T. B.	1	0	0
Michael, J. H.	131	13	6
Middleton, R. B.	98	12	8
———, John	4	12	1
Miles, Assistant Surgeon R. D.	2	5	4
———, F. H.	6	1	0
Mill, Captain and Brevet-Major J.	2	8	3
Millard, Captain W. S.	214	1	3
Miller, Lieutenant A. S.	9	3	6
Millett, Lieutenant C. G.	20	8	0
Mitchell, Sergeant H.	177	12	11
Moline, Staff Surgeon J. P.	31	4	0
Monemotho Nath Dey	252	5	5
Money, Captain J.	81	2	8
———, Lieutenant-Colonel E. E.	13	8	0
Monohur Chunder Roy	38	6	9
Monro, H.	22	9	11
Monrowde, A. H. H.	613	9	1
Montgomery, Lieutenant-Colonel G. J.	105	0	0
Moodie, A.	3	0	0
Moore, E. P.	16	13	0
———, Mrs. C. M. O.	2	8	0
———, Ensign H. N.	302	6	0
———, T. W.	41	14	6
Moorehead, Hospital Apprentice H. J.	30	11	5
Morgan, Assistant Surgeon R. B.	7	11	11
Morland, Captain G. W.	20	8	0
Morphy, Major M.	26	8	0
Morris, Brevet-Captain A. B.	90	15	9
———, Lieutenant W. L. G., of 56th N. I.	8	14	0
———, Reverend D. B.	9	12	0
———, T.	24	0	0
Morrison, Ensign C. M.	308	8	0
———, G.	39	4	9
Morewood, Reverend J. B.	414	14	1
Mosenthal, Lieutenant A.	7	12	0
Mosley, Brevet-Captain W. B.	102	4	6
Messe, Lieutenant-Colonel P. A.	19	8	0
Mudge, H. F.	8	15	1
Muller, H. F.	96	0	0
Munro, D. E.	23	4	0
———, Major R.	22	15	0
———, Quartermaster D.	8	0	4
———, A. M.	48	12	0
Murphy, Ensign J.	58	14	9
Murray, Lieutenant J. M.	69	8	0
———, Lieutenant A. W.	5	5	0
———, Sergeant J.	8	0	11
Mutt, O. H.	731	6	11
Myers, Mrs. E. A. S.	2	8	0
———, H. E. B.	2	5	8

N.

Napier, Mrs. J. C.	8	0	0
Napleton, Lieutenant-Colonel T. E. A.	389	15	8
Narain Chund Set	186	5	1
Nash, Major S.	1,668	3	11
Naylor, C. T. M.	19	2	0
Neighbour, E.	52	7	10
Nelson, Captain J. S.	250	12	4
———, Captain and Local Major G. G.	66	14	11
Nesbitt, H. K.	99	0	0
Neuville, J. T.	67	11	10
Nevin, H.	118	2	5
Newham, F.	195	4	0
Nicholls, G.	33	13	0
———, Private T.	65	9	7
Nicholetts, Captain and Brevet-Major W. H.	1,780	9	10
Nicholson, Lieutenant-Colonel J.	102	1	8
———, Reverend A. D.	33	9	0
Noad, Dr. H. J.	11	13	0
Norman, Reverend R. A. H.	15	15	9
North, Sub-Conductor S. W.	5	4	8
Norton, George	1,417	3	11
———, John	291	9	0
Nowill, J. H.	13	3	7
Nugent, Assistant Surgeon W. J. G.	15	4	9

O.

Oakes, Mrs. M. A.	16	9	6
———, Lieutenant P. H.	2	0	0
Oakley, Lieutenant L. T.	35	14	6
O'Brien, J. L.	102	10	7
O'Connell, Major M. J.	21	0	0
O'Dowda, Lieutenant R. C.	55	8	0
O'Farrell, W.	23	6	0
O'Neill, E. J.	35	5	11
Odell, Captain W.	50	0	0
Offerman, Assistant Apothecary J.	2	6	3
Oliver, A.	10	15	3
———, Captain E. D.	33	0	0

D.

ESTATES.	Balance on the 30th June 1906.
	Rs. A. P.
O.	
Oman, C. E. E.	173 0 6
Orman, Major C. E.	5 2 3
O'Toole, Thomy	74 0 3
Oswald, Lieutenant A. J. T. E. D.	147 3 6
Oultram, T.	75 3 2
Ouseley, R. O.	231 4 7
———, Lieutenant-Colonel J. R.	240 8 7
Ovenger, H. A.	10 9 1
Ovens, Ensign E. L.	127 2 10
Ovenstone, Captain D.	56 14 5
Owen, C. B.	584 0 0
———, C. T.	14 6 7
———, Major L.	36 13 10
———, Captain E. O.	44 10 2
Ozilia, P.	10 0 0
Ozzard, Captain, H. D.	6 1 10
P.	
Page, Lieutenant E. D.	177 2 0
Paget, 2nd Lieutenant H. P. E.	5 0 0
Palmer, G.	49 2 5
———, Sergeant E. W.	33 13 7
———, Lieutenant E.	50 15 5
———. H. G.	39 0 0
Park, G. F. W. J.	7 9 6
Parker, H.	0 7 0
Parfitt, F. H.	102 14 0
Parkinson, Lieutenant A. S.	3 9 6
Parlby, Captain B. S. B.	30 6 9
Parritt, W.	115 13 9

ESTATES.	Balance on the 30th June 1906.
	Rs. A. P.
P.	
Parry, Lieutenant-Colonel S.	2 0 2
Parsons, Henry	6 6 0
———, R.	62 7 4
Partridge, Lieutenant J. C.	735 8 9
Paterson, Major F. S.	391 11 2
———, V. B.	7 8 0
Paton, Dr. A.	6 0 0
Pattenson, T. F.	168 0 0
Patterson, J. J.	58 10 0
———, W. C.	21 0 0
Paul, Lieutenant W.	6 7 0
Payne, E. W.	278 14 4
———, J. S.	32 0 0
Payter, J. W.	16 0 0
Pearse, J. M.	20 0 0
Peel, Lieutenant J., of 37th N. I.	28 0 0
Peet, Lieutenant-Colonel H. J.	0 9 4
Pegler, W. T.	51 14 1
Pemberton, Dr. J. M.	24 12 5
Pennel, S. P.	4 12 9
Perkins, Lieutenant H. G.	28 8 0
Perry, Ensign C. H.	79 4 6
———, Lieutenant E. W.	41 12 0
Peskett, Surgeon-Major W.	41 1 8
Peters, Mrs. A. M.	68 4 0
Petrie, Lieutenant M.	106 15 1
Pettet, Captain F.	64 5 0
Pfeiffer, E.	6 0 0
Phaire, Lieutenant-Colonel W.	127 10 6
Phillipps, Ensign E. A. L.	149 12 11
Phillips, Dr. J.	48 8 0
———, Captain J. G.	716 7 0
———, M. G.	25 6 1
Pierson, Captain W. S.	218 0 9
Pilkington, J. W.	14 8 0
Pinto, F.	1 8 0

ESTATES.	Balance on the 30th June 1906.
	Rs. A. P.
P.	
Pitt, Lieutenant R. H.	97 15 6
———, Lieutenant S.	20 4 9
Playfair, Lieutenant H. A.	56 10 6
Plowden, A. U. C.	2,159 1 8
———, Lieutenant-Colonel A. W. C. ...	38 6 1
———, Lieutenant-Colonel T. J. C. ...	28 6 0
Plum, Captain E. C. (Mariner)	40 3 6
Plunkett, Captain J.	31 8 0
Polden, Dr. R. J.	148 10 8
Ponsonby, Lieutenant-Colonel A. E. V. ...	221 14 3
Poole, D. J.	20 6 3
———, G. H. M.	351 1 11
———, C. A.	45 0 0
Pope, Sergeant J.	22 0 0
Potter, W. J.	913 8 11
Powell, Lieutenant T. E.	19 8 0
———, W. R.	93 8 0
Powys, Lieutenant J.	9 14 0
Pratt, J. N.	131 3 1
Price, R. R.	613 5 4
Priestley, Major A. G.	186 8 5
Pringle, Ensign G. S.	15 6 0
Pritchard, Lieutenant N. G.	44 3 11
Proctor, Lieutenant A.	121 3 6
Pronje, J. L.	14 6 7
Prosser, J.	31 0 0
Prudhoe, J.	103 11 10
Pryse, Reverend W.	65 0 0
Q.	
Quarry, William	30 8 0
Quin, Lieutenant-Colonel T.	97 3 6

Quinn, Lieutenant-Colonel H. E.	13	4	2
Quinlan, Dr. P.	1	8	6

R.

Raikes, G. D.	46	0	0
———, Major F. S. W.	6	0	10
Raleigh, Lieutenant W. F. K.	58	4	1
Ramsay, Lieutenant D.	19	8	0
Randolph, H.	88	1	8
Rattray, R. H.	76	5	0
Rawlins, Lieutenant-Colonel J.	110	12	9
———, Captain A. J. C.	15	0	0
Reddie, J.	511	7	0
Reid, Lieutenant D. T.	222	2	9
———, Captain C. A.	20	11	1
———, W. M.	29	13	9
Reilly, Honorary Lieutenant F. T.	16	12	4
Remmington, Lieutenant J. C.	36	15	0
———, Lieutenant-Colonel F. F. ...	143	13	2
Rennie, A. H.	319	10	9
Renny, Colonel R.	9	3	3
Repton, Ensign H. T.	27	1	6
———, Captain W. W.	94	11	9
Revley, Lieutenant M. H.	2	8	0
Rewcastle, J. R.	8	6	0
Reynolds, Captain C. S.	18	3	9
———, Captain H. C.	191	11	11
Rhodes, Lieutenant W. McT.	69	11	0
Rich, Brigadier-General R.	68	10	0
Richardson, R.	109	7	0
Richmond, Mrs. M.	125	0	0
———, Lieutenant G. M.	38	12	3
———, Apothecary J.	18	12	3
Ricks, Band-Master F.	40	0	0
Ridge, E.	9	11	0
Ringwood, C. H.	565	7	8
Ripley, Lieutenant F. T.	16	4	0
Ritchie, Ensign T. J.	2	4	3
Rix, Sergeant R.	4	11	0
Robb, Gordon	3	0	10
Roberts, C. E.	28	6	3
———, J. B.	7	15	0
———, William	5	4	11
Robertson, Lieutenant G., of 37th N. I. ...	72	10	10
Robinson, J.	48	0	0
Rodgers, J.	15	0	0
Rogers, Captain T. E.	10	0	0
———, Lieutenant G.	20	0	6
———, Major B.	20	0	0
Rolland, Dr. P.	205	15	0
Rooke, H. W.	61	2	3
Roper, H.	19	8	0
Roquet, V.	31	11	2
Rose, James	352	6	9
Ross, Lieutenant-Colonel D.	9	12	0
———, Captain D.	96	3	6
———, A. B. (personalty account)	495	3	9
———, Captain C. R.	12	3	9
Rossetto, D.	1,358	14	8
Russell, A. M.	65	7	0
———, Captain J. C. M.	21	1	11
———, J.	26	12	0
Ruth, W.	10	0	0
Rutledge, Major F.	16	9	9
Ryan, Major C. A.	13	5	11
Ryves, Captain W. C. L.	327	0	7
———, Brigadier-General W. H.	415	9	0

S.

Sache, J. F.	31	15	3
Sage, C. J. V.	38	9	7
Sagore Dutt	611	3	7
Sale, Lieutenant H. P.	380	4	0
Salkeld, Lieutenant P.	418	0	0
Salmon, Captain M. M.	250	0	9
———, W. T.	275	8	0
Salter, C. H.	7	12	0
Samson, Captain C. L.	23	5	3
Sanders, Lieutenant-Colonel T.	165	12	4
Sandford, E. M.	92	7	5
Sandham, Captain G. H.	118	9	6
Sanford, Major C. A.	49	13	7
Sarkies, P. J.	956	14	0
Saunders, Captain R. P.	3	13	1
Savigny, A.	86	13	6
Scanlan, P. H.	103	14	11
Scorgie, George	33	3	4
Scott, Ensign M. A.	829	4	0
———, J.	65	0	5
———, C. W.	182	5	4
———, Captain T. F. O.	3	0	0
Scott, J.	0	10	
———, Mrs. A.	6	5	
Searles, G.	5	8	
Seaton, Lieutenant H.	7	0	
———, Major H. C.	1	13	
Secar, J.	10	8	
Serres, C. H.	14	4	
Seth, C. G.	21	6	
Sewell, Captain A. H. C.	27	10	
———, Lieutenant H. T.	94	7	
Sharkey, Conductor P.	0	6	
Sharpe, Lieutenant E.	180	6	
———, Captain J. E.	15	15	
Shaw, Lieutenant A.	32	6	
———, W.	21	10	
Shebbeare, Major R. H.	479	5	
Shepherd, C. M.	30	6	
Sherard, Lieutenant C. E. ...	23	14	
Sheriff, Lieutenant D. F.	119	13	
———, D. S.	35	3	
Sherman, George James	49	14	
Sherrington, T.	160	0	
Short, Lieutenant-Colonel W. D. A. R. ...	13	6	
———, J.	73	1	
Showers, Captain H. F.	3	0	
Siddons, Captain W. Y.	1,199	6	
———, Major G. R.	26	9	
Sim, Lieutenant H. G.	37	1	
Simons, A. M.	50	8	
Simpson, G. E.	205	15	
———, Lieutenant J. R.	161	12	
Sinaes, W. DeMonte	20	6	
Sinclair, Lieutenant H.	43	6	
Skinner, Alexander	2,497	6	
Slade, K.	19	15	
Slater, Mrs. H. L.	27	10	
Sleigh, Assistant Apothecary A.	16	1	
Small, A.	35	13	
Smalley, F. J. R.	253	5	
Smallwood, P. T.	198	10	
Smalpage, Lieutenant F. J.	616	7	
Smart, Mrs. C. A.	20	0	
———, Captain J. R.	5	10	
———, Captain B. H.	53	1	
———, J.	10	0	
———, Lieutenant B. C.	74	14	
———, C. B.	25	8	
———, H. J.	111	9	
———, Captain J. H.	48	10	

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ESTATES.	Balance on the 30th June 1906. Rs.	A.	P.
S.			
Smart, Captain R. M.	92	3	0
——, Captain S.	2	0	0
——, Ensign W. J.	461	7	5
Smith, P. K.	31	0	0
——, G. M. G.	327	4	7
——, Captain J. W.	8	0	0
——, Captain B. N.	480	6	6
——, Quartermaster J.	564	13	10
——, D. D. D. S.	6	0	0
——, W. H. ...	390	14	0
——, Acting Sergeant-Major G. W. ...	20	0	9
——, Major J. H.	1,816	0	1
——, Robert	53	6	1
Smyth, C. C.	555	10	8
Snell, A. C.	8	15	0
Solly, Lieutenant W. H.	13	3	10
Somerville, Captain M. R.	8	14	0
Sparke, Major J. G.	64	9	6
Spencer, Brevet-Major R.	415	13	11
——, H. H.	96	8	6
Spens, Lieutenant T. J. H.	94	12	6
Sperling, Captain T. V. H.	13	0	0
Spillance, M. J.	42	13	10
Spilsbury, Dr. G. G.	9	12	0
Sprot, Lieutenant G. H.	237	12	2
Stainforth, Lieutenant R.	52	14	6
——, Lieutenant P. T.	13	0	0
Staples, Captain J.	160	4	5
Stedman, G. G.	8	10	0
Stephens, J.	80	15	4
Sterling, R. S.	8	4	6
——, Captain W. C.	172	14	0
Stevens, Captain C. M.	77	6	5
Stevenson, Colonel J. F. J.	22	0	0
Stewart, Captain W. F.	38	1	8
——, Surgeon-Major H.	153	10	0
Stewart, Surgeon J. L.	29	9	0
——, Douglas	261	4	0
Still, C.	6	0	0
St. George, R. J.	0	1	0
——, Lieutenant Sir R. D.	132	3	6
St. John, Lieutenant the Hon'ble S. M.	432	4	7
——, Captain M. K.	62	7	9
St. Quintin, Lieutenant C. R.	2	6	0
Stodart, J. G.	36	8	0
Stokes, Dr. J. M.	51	11	4
——, Lieutenant S. W.	187	10	5
Stout, C. B.	13	1	3
Stowell, C. S.	20	1	3
Stratford, Captain R.	122	0	7
Straton, Captain Edward	18	12	0
Streatfeild, Lieutenant H. P.	165	11	3
Strickland, Lieutenant T. H. F.	13	8	0
Stroyan, Stuart	6	14	0
Stuart, Dr. A. M.	171	7	9
——, W. S.	92	0	0
Sturt, R. R.	1,883	12	0
Sullivan, Lieutenant J. E. H.	89	2	2
——, M. M.	17	5	11
Sutherland, Captain and Brevet-Major A. G. C.	57	7	1
——, W.	134	12	5
Sutton, Lieutenant G. F. D.	1	8	0
——, W. P.	2	12	0
Sweetland, W. H. M.	5	8	10
Swetenham, Major G.	26	8	3
——, J. R.	419	1	6
Swinden, W. W.	10	10	6
Swiney, Captain H. B.	110	8	11
Swinton, Captain S. C. A.	87	8	0
Sydenham, J.	506	13	2
Symons, Assistant Surgeon J. S. C. ...	58	5	1
——, K. E.	28	2	10
T.			
Tabernacle, H. W.	81	8	
Tabor, Captain S. J.	488	12	
Tait, Sergeant W.	5	15	
Tallan, Lieutenant W.	175	7	
Tandy, Lieutenant F. L.	7	2	
Tapely, Lieutenant R.	117	7	
Tarrakissen Bannerjee	29	1	
Tatham, R.	28	7	
Tatlock, Assistant Surgeon W.	11	14	
Taylor, Captain J. H. G.	10	4	
——, Mrs. M. M., *alias* Dhermainville ...	28	9	
——, Lieutenant R. T.	726	13	
——, W.	7	8	
——, Dr. H. M.	58	10	
——, Lieutenant T. R.	0	10	
——, J.	140	9	
——, James	11	0	
——, L.	13	7	
——, John	178	2	
——, Major W. W.	47	9	
Tedford, Mrs. H.	37	0	
Templeton, J.	5	8	
——, D.	35	7	
Terry, J. W.	29	13	
Thackwell, Lieutenant O. D.	153	3	
——, Captain F. J. R.	4	0	
Thaine, W.	42	13	
Theobald, Lieutenant G.	49	8	
Thomas, J.	5	0	
——, Lieutenant W. H.	3	0	
——, J. S.	15	3	
——, Lieutenant-Colonel J. N.	314	14	
——, H. L.	17	3	
——, Lieutenant-Colonel E.	69	4	
Tomkins, Captain W. C.	7	8	

Thompson, Captain E.	718	0	0
———, Captain F. J.	207	11	11
———, Ensign W.	275	14	2
———, J. H.	5	12	2
———, W.	27	9	4
Thomson, H. D.	9	13	0
———, Sir J., K.C.B.	14	0	0
———, Lieutenant-Colonel G.	181	9	10
———, Captain M. A. F.	230	9	0
———, Captain J.	148	1	3
———, G. N. A.	4[illegible]3	3	1
———, R. L.	22	8	0
———, H.	34	9	5
Thornhill, Captain A.	11	14	2
———, J. B.	4	0	0
Thornton, H. A.	32	1	0
Thorp, Lieutenant G. F.	176	2	8
Tidcombe, Lieutenant T.	26	13	0
Tierney, Assistant Surgeon J. F.	8	11	0
Till, G.	2	8	0
Tissendie, J.	1,172	2	6
Tomkyns, Surgeon-Major A. P.	9	1	0
Tonge, Mrs. M.	138	6	6
———, Lieutenant C. R.	11	2	0
Tooth, Lieutenant Riding-Master T. A.	7	0	0
Toulmin, E.	10	0	0
———, Lieutenant T. H.	4	1	0
Toussaint, E. B.	30	15	6
Townsend, C. W.	3	4	9
Tracy, C. L.	71	10	6
Tranter, Sub-Assistant Surgeon G.	672	3	0
Trevanion, Lieutenant J. F.	3	12	9
Trist, Captain R. F. W.	4	6	0
Tritton, Major W. M.	281	0	6
———, Lieutenant E. S.	7	12	9
Trood, C.	639	9	10
Troup, Major W. A.	63	8	0
Trower, Captain C. F.	3,306	14	11
Tulloh, Captain R. H.	12	0	2
Turnbull, J. L. (dividend account)	3,149	7	0
———, W. C.	60	4	6
———, Veterinary-Captain H. P.	20	14	3
Turner, Mrs. A.	28	0	0
———, Lieutenant F. M.	236	9	8
———, Lieutenant and Brevet-Captain G. F. W.	136	7	10
———, Captain J.	81	2	6
———, T. H.	5	9	6
———, W.	57	9	1
———, Lieutenant W.	0	0	1
Tuther, Mrs. Mary	69	15	8
Twentyman, H. P.	26	14	0
Twyeross, Lieutenant W. S	190	10	4
Tydd, A. G.	12	0	0
Tytler, Lieutenant R. C. S. C.	465	8	0

U.

Unkles, R. N.	9	4	0
Urquhart, A. S.	34	2	2
———, Major C. F.	11	4	0

V.

Valentine, Major E.	22	8	0
Vanhomrigh, Captain H. D.	122	15	10
Vassal, Lieutenant R. L. S.	2	13	8
Vaughan, Captain the Hon'ble	9	0	0
Veal, Dr. W.	205	4	0
Veitch, J. B.	6	0	0
Vincent, Major G. F. F.	160	1	6
Vivian, Lieutenant R.	70	4	0
———, Captain J. H.	521	5	6
Volkers, G. H.	5	15	0
VonLintzgy, Dr. W. J.	7	8	6
VonSomeron, G. A.	8	9	1

W.

Waddy, Captain W. P.	7	6	5
Walker, Captain S. C.	9	10	0
———, Honorary Lieutenant W. E.	46	11	1
Wall, Major R. H.	22	15	6
Wallace, Lieutenant F.	86	8	5
———, Sergeant William	24	2	5
Wallis, Reverend A. W.	34	13	6
Walpole, Captain H.	17	4	2
Walsh, C.	4	0	0
———, Assistant Surgeon D. J.	1	4	0
———, Riding Master D.	108	3	4
Walters, Thomas	88	0	0
Ward, T. C. B.	306	13	5
———, S.	82	8	0
———, Captain E. A.	19	13	9
Warde, Lieutenant-Colonel S. G.	31	6	6
Warne, Captain G. F.	28	1	3
Warne, Captain and Brevet-Major W. K.	16	6	
———, T.	7	4	
Warrand, R. H. M.	33	11	
Warren, Lieutenant C. H. L.	208	1	
———, Lieutenant D. C.	19	11	
———, Reverend C.	43	15	
———, J. H.	30	6	
Warter, Colonel H. deG.	74	11	
Waterfield, Major J.	44	0	
Waterworth, C. A.	29	4	
Watkins, Dr. J.	247	8	
———, H.	39	3	
Watson, Lieutenant-Colonel W. C.	16	0	
———, Lieutenant P. A.	219	14	
Waudby, Lieutenant W. R.	2	0	
Wealins, J.	6	5	
Weare, Lieutenant H. O.	440	7	
Webb, G.	13	1	
———, J.	0	5	
Wemyss, Sir John	221	10	
West, J.	8	0	
———, Mrs. E. M.	8	2	
Weston, Bazar-Sergeant J.	32	3	
Westropp, G. D.	364	3	
———, A. H.	43	1	
Wetherall, Captain F. Y.	64	6	
Whelan, Lieutenant E.	94	13	
Whish, Lieutenant E. S.	7	15	
Whitaker, Dr. J. H.	105	14	
White, C. P.	47	4	
———, Captain E. J.	73	1	
———, Captain J. G.	63	6	
———, Captain W. C.	3	2	
———, Assistant Surgeon J. H.	0	0	
———, P. W.	50	1	
———, Surgeon-Major J.	22	9	
———, Quartermaster C.	11	4	
———, James	105	13	
Whiteside, Captain F. J. S.	72	7	
Whyte, 2nd Lieutenant M. F.	79	4	
Wight, R. S.	174	6	
Wilkinson, C. J.	124	13	
Wilde, 2nd Lieutenant H. N.	9	3	
Williams, Lieutenant-Colonel S.	279	3	
———, George	45	2	
———, Lieutenant L.	300	13	
———, H.	7	4	
———, J. W.	258	1	
———, Mrs. F. M.	99	0	
———, E.	44	0	
Williamson, F. G.	145	3	

D.

ESTATES.	Balance on the 30th June 1906. Rs. A. P.
W.	
Williamson, Major F. A.	75 7 0
Williamson, Brigadier Geo.	806 10 11
———, Lieutenant H. S.	44 12 0
Willis, G.	14 12 6
Willoughby, Lieutenant G. D.	18 2 0
Willson, T. H.	76 0 0
Wilmans, P. B.	2,976 5 0
Wilsey, Conductor E.	13 5 4
Wilson, Mrs. J.	4,819 3 0
———, Private J.	52 7 11
———, Assistant Surgeon J.	3 15 4
———, J.	10 11 3
———, T. N.	285 13 0
———, Captain J. E. D.	308 2 6
———, Captain D. M.	48 14 0
———, Surgeon C. C. W.	443 12 7
———, H.	98 13 8
———, Captain A.	46 1 6
———, Charles Michael	17 12 0
W.	
Wimberley, Lieutenant E. B.	376 11 0
Wimiett, Lieutenant A. W.	17 6 2
Wishart, W.	26 6 3
Woollen, Lieutenant J. G.	380 6 1
Wood, G. W.	30 0 0
———, H. C. C.	713 14 0
———, W. Clayton	47 2 9
———, W. Caractacus	55 15 6
———, Oswald	8 2 10
Woodcock, Lieutenant H. T.	80 11 9
———, Lieutenant-Colonel E. H. ...	405 11 11
Woodford, Dr. C. T. O.	182 3 6
Woodhouse, Captain C. R.	1,546 2 8
Wortley, R. A.	18 13 0
Wray, Assistant Surgeon C. W.	119 9 11
Wrench, Captain A.	62 1 3
Wright, Major A. B.	7 5 11
Wylly, Captain F. A.	1,512 11 7
W.	Rs. A.
Wyndham, Colonel P.	227 4
Y.	
Yates, T	15 8
———, Surgeon W. H.	117 8
Yeatman, C. E.	3 3
Yerbury, J. B.	60 0
York, Sergeant R.	40 0
Young, Lieutenant J. M.	5 12
———, Mrs. M. A.	25 0
Younge, Mrs. C.	14 4
Younghusband, Lieutenant G. D. A.	13 9
Z.	
Zorab, M. M.	431 8
Mrs. Khetter Money Dutt	0 6

HENRY T. HYDE,
E. E.
Administrator-General of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 30th June 1906.*

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REMOVAL OF THE PRESIDENCY COLLEGE.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT—EDUCATION.

Dated Calcutta, the 13th November 1906.

RESOLUTION No. 2624.

READ—

Circular No. 9T.—G., dated the 17th May 1905, and the replies thereto.

IN April 1905, in the course of the debate in Council on the budget for the year 1905-1906, the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu referred to the fears which had been entertained in some quarters that, in view of the new College which it was proposed to establish at Ranchi, the interests of the Presidency College might be neglected, and that the latter institution might ultimately cease to exist. He referred to the assurance which had been given by Sir Andrew Fraser that there was no intention on the part of the Government to do away with the Presidency College, and he appealed to the Government to strengthen the College and widen its sphere of usefulness. In the course of his remarks, he drew a picture of a resuscitated Presidency College, the realisation of which

would involve the removal of the Presidency College from its present site in the heart of Calcutta to a site somewhere in the suburbs where ample space would be available. In summing up the debate Sir Andrew Fraser touched upon this subject. He recognised that in the case of the Presidency College very considerable improvement was required in regard to the important matters of accommodation for the students and bringing them more into contact with their Professors, and he promised to consider, in consultation with his official advisers and others interested in higher education, what steps should be taken to secure such improvement.

2. Accordingly, in May 1905, a circular letter was addressed to a number of prominent persons, official and non-official, inviting them to favour the Government with an expression of their opinion on the proposal for the removal of the Presidency College to a better site in the suburbs of Calcutta. The replies received to this letter disclosed a considerable variety of opinion. Officers of the Educational Department were generally in favour of the removal of the College, while of the other gentlemen consulted, some were for, and others against, removal. Those who prefer the present site attach importance to the traditions with which it is associated and to its accessibility in the case of those students who live in Calcutta with their parents and guardians, and who are perhaps unable to afford the expense of living at a hostel. They represent that if the College be removed to a place outside Calcutta, the expense of conveyance to and from the College might prove burdensome in some cases. On the other hand, those who would prefer a new site in the suburbs point to the necessity of room for expansion and to the other advantages which might be secured in the shape of closer contact between the teachers and taught, more commodious buildings, extensive play-grounds in close proximity, a better moral atmosphere, and more healthy surroundings.

3. Estimates have been prepared of the cost of improving the College *in situ* and of transferring it to a new site. The cost of each of the two schemes which have been sketched for this purpose is nearly the same and approximates to twenty lakhs of rupees. But it will be understood that the estimates claim to be no more than rough estimates of comparative cost. In respect to the cost of removal, the value of the land now occupied and the buildings upon it, have been taken into account.

4. Before any scheme of improvement can be laid before the Government of India, it is desirable that the question of the future location of the College should be subjected to a more extended examination. The Lieutenant-Governor is unwilling to take any further steps in the matter until he is more fully informed as to the trend of public opinion on this question, and as to the reasons for any difference there may be between the views prevalent in the metropolis and those which find acceptance in the districts. The present Resolution therefore has been recorded in order to give a wider publicity to the discussion and to ascertain, so far as possible, the state of public feeling on the subject both in Calcutta and in the *mufassal*. The Resolution will be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and copies will be forwarded to public bodies and Associations, who will be invited to favour the Lieutenant Governor with their opinions. His Honour will also be glad to consider communications addressed to the Government by persons interested in the future of the Presidency College.

ORDERED, that the Resolution and the papers referred to in the preamble be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and that copies be forwarded to public bodies and Associations with a request that they will be so good as to favour the Lieutenant-Governor with an expression of their opinion on the question whether the Presidency College should be transferred from its present site to a site in the suburbs of Calcutta.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

T. W. RICHARDSON,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Circular No. 9T.—G., dated Darjeeling, the 17th May 1905.

From—H. W. C. CARNDUFF, Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S., Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department,

To—(1) Sir Guru Das Banerjee, Kt.; (2) the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Bose; (3) the Hon'ble Justice Sarada Charan Mitra; (4) the Hon'ble Justice Ashutosh Mukherji; (5) the Hon'ble Mr. K. G. Gupta, I.C.S.; (6) the Commissioner of the Presidency Division; (7) Babu Nalin Behari Sarkar; (8) Maulvi Seraj-ul Islam, Khan Bahadur; (9) Dr. P. K. Ray; (10) Dr. E. D. Ross; (11) G. W. Kuehler, Esq.; (12) M. Prothero, Esq.; (13) J. Cunningham, Esq.; (14) V. H. Jackson, Esq.; (15) the Revd A. B. Wann, Prinicipal, General Assembly's Institution; (16) the Revd. A. Tomory (Duff College); (17) Dr. J. C. Bose; (18) Rai Chuni Lal Bose, Bahadur; (19) Rai Sita Nath Roy, Bahadur; (20) Mr. Surendra Nath Banerji (Prinicipal, Ripon College).

I AM directed to forward herewith copies of the papers noted on the margin, and am to say that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor will be much indebted to you if you will favour him with an expression of your opinion on the proposal for the removal of the Presidency College to a better site in the suburbs of Calcutta.

(1) Extract from the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Bose's speech in Council.
(2) His Honour the President's reply to the above.
(3) The Director of Public Instruction's note dated 19th April 1905.
(4) Dr. P. K. Ray's letter dated 16th April 1905.

Extract from the Speech of the HON'BLE BABU BHUPENDRA NATH BOSE *on the occasion of the Budget Discussion for 1905-1906.*

"Sir, I tread on delicate ground when I refer to the expenditure of Rs. 1,00,000 on the Ranchi Model College. I am aware of the difference of opinion which attaches to this scheme. Fears have been entertained in some quarters that the growth of the Ranchi Institution may choke the life of the Presidency College, which has been endeared to us by its long and varied associations. It carries us back to the days of the old Hindu College, to times when the Western scholar had to establish his claims against the ancient forms of the East; it has given us Educationists whose names are remembered with affection and pleasure; it has given us men whom we have learnt to look upon with pride. It serves as an exemplar to educational institutions all over the Province, and it is the centre of our hopes and aspirations. Any action which threatens to undermine its foundations are viewed with dismay. We have Your Honour's assurance that it is not intended to let the Presidency College die. Your Honour will pardon those of my countrymen who fear that Your Honour's successors may disregard your assurance, and that a day may come when the Presidency College may cease to be.

"They point out, not without reason, that solemn pledges contained in Parliamentary Statutes and Royal Proclamations have not always been fulfilled: that assurances made to the ear have been broken to the hope; and that a succeeding Government may feel no compunction in upsetting the decision of its predecessor. I for my part do not share these fears. Whatever may be the fortunes of the Ranchi College,—whatever the intentions of any future Rulers of Bengal,—it is not possible to conceive that the seat of the foremost University in British India,—the seat of the Supreme and Provincial Governments,—the seat of the highest Courts and the principal public offices,—the centre of all educational activity,—should be without an exemplary educational institution in the country.

"To the people in the mufassal, Calcutta with its congested population, its outbreaks of epidemic diseases, its dangerous attractions and its general expensiveness, it is no easy matter to send boys to be educated in the Presidency College. To parents in Calcutta when a boy is sickening in the close and pestilential atmosphere of the town, it is difficult to find where to send him to without a break in his studies. The Ranchi College will not supplant the Presidency College, just as Darjeeling, nay, even Simla, has not supplanted Calcutta, but it will supply a long-felt want. In its hostels grouped together will live the Hindu and the Mussulman, the patrician and the plebian; and in the warm days of youth they will contract friendships which will bind them as citizens and will be no mean factors in the evolution of India.

"Sir, whatever may be said of the Ranchi College Scheme, I think public opinion will unanimously support me in my prayer to strengthen the Presidency College and widen its sphere of usefulness. It has to maintain its position against powerful Missionary Colleges and active private institutions. No expense will be grudged by the country in giving the Presidency College the most efficient staff. As an old student of the College, I remember with pleasure and pride the days when we sat at the feet of men like Sutcliffe and Woodrow, Croft and Tawney, Elliott and Pedler . . . . . Their sympathy with the students is still remembered with affection, their influence still permeates our life. Nor is this all. If the Presidency College is to fulfil its destiny, it must be converted into a residential College with large and healthy hostels and extensive recreation grounds, where the teacher and the taught may meet untrammelled by the formalities of the class room. Your Honour's sympathy with the cause of higher education is well known. Surely, Calcutta and all Bengal may expect what Your Honour has given to Dacca, and a resuscitated Presidency College with its unrivalled laboratories and library, surrounded by neat and nice-looking quarters for the students and the Professors, overlooking a broad playground, skirting it may be the river or the canal, will be an institution which will worthily commemorate Your Honour's rule."

Extract from Lieutenant-Governor's Speech in the Budget Debate.

"As to the suggestions made regarding the Presidency College, I shall see that they receive early and careful consideration from the Educational authorities. That very considerable improvement is required in regard to the important matters of accommodation for the students and bringing them more into contact with their Professors, I have no doubt whatever; and I shall be very glad to consider, in consultation with my official advisers and with others interested in higher education, the steps which should be taken to secure such improvement."

His Honour's note dated the 13th April was received by me on the afternoon of Saturday, 15th April, and as I am leaving for England on Thursday, 20th, there is little time for me to give a very complete reply to the questions raised, or to discuss all the problems which are connected with the case.

I have asked the Department of Public Works to kindly supply the maps and figures required in His Honour's note, paragraph 2 (*a*) and paragraph 3, and hope to get them in time to forward with this note.

The remarks in the speech of the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Bose in the recent Budget Debate in the Bengal Council on the subject of a remodelled Presidency College, together with His Honour's remarks in reply, raise a question on which to a large extent the future of high education in Bengal will depend, and which must be dealt with in a large and liberal spirit.

The question must be looked upon not as one dealing only with the Presidency College itself or even with Bengal alone. The Presidency College had been for many years far ahead of all other Colleges in India as regards the staff maintained and its appliances for a high standard of teaching. It had always been looked on as not only a model College in Bengal, but a model College in India. It also always has been what may be called a day or non-residential College. On account of its situation, in one of the most densely populated parts of Calcutta, with very little room for expansion, this feature of the Presidency College has been almost unavoidable. But there is no doubt that this has had an unfortunate effect on the character and type of high education which has hitherto been current in Bengal.

During recent years however great efforts have been made, and with considerable success, in other Provinces, to raise the standard of high education with its corresponding teaching.

In the Presidency College in Madras, for instance, the staff is now excellent; the College buildings are very fine. The College has a very fine Biological Laboratory, by far the best in India, together with good Physical Science Laboratories, distinctly better than those in the Presidency College, Calcutta, and a fairly good Chemical Laboratory, which is however not so good as that in Calcutta.

In the United Provinces, at the Muir College, which is a very fine new building, the laboratories for Physical Science and Chemistry are now better than those of Calcutta, and the teaching staff both in Madras and Allahabad is fairly strong.

The Punjab Government College at Lahore is a fine building. The teaching appliances in it are being improved rapidly, though still behind Calcutta, Madras, and Allahabad. In Bombay the Elphinstone College has a good building, but the less said about the teaching appliances for Science the better. Rapid progress is however the order of the day in India, and with new Regulations under the Indian Universities Act of 1904, a raising of the standard still further will be required.

It will be well perhaps to place on record just a few points with reference to the history of the Presidency College, Calcutta, in its present form.

The existing building (less the extension for the Chemical Laboratory) was erected about 1873, and was opened by Sir George Campbell (then Lieutenant-Governor) either in 1873 or early in 1874. It was a collection of empty halls and rooms of various sizes, the rooms being in no way designed for any special purposes in teaching. No such arrangements as separate Laboratories and Lecture rooms for teaching various subjects in Science such as Physics and Chemistry had been thought of.

At that time also the number of students in the College classes was about a half of what it is now. The figures of the students in the Presidency College in 1873 appear to be about 385. There are now about 764* students attending the College.

My appointment as Professor of Chemistry in the Presidency College dates from May 1873. I was at first given two or three rooms in a house on the opposite side of College Street as a Chemical Laboratory. Later on I was allowed to use the disused Hare School which I had fitted up. The Professor of Physical Science was accommodated in two or three large rooms in the basement of the new Presidency College, which had in no way been designed for Science work. Later on, other rooms on the first floor of the College were taken for lecture rooms in Physical Science. As the Chemical Department grew, I was allowed to design an addition to one of the wings of the College building as a Chemical Laboratory. This was erected (I think) fifteen years ago, and was a vast improvement. When the Chemical section went into its new building, the Physical Science section took in the old Hare School building for certain necessary extensions, so that the Physics Department is now accommodated in no fewer than three parts of the College, all separate from one another.

In addition Geological classes had to be started in a tentative form in the Presidency College some years ago, and a couple of ordinary rooms had to be given up for that purpose.

Still more recently Biological classes have been started, and this Department has also been given a couple of rooms quite unsuited for the work.

Both the Geological and Biological rooms have had of course to be fitted up as best could be done.

Then in addition to the B.A. Science classes in the College it has been necessary to open and provide for classes for the B.Sc. Degree. Astronomical classes and observatories have also had to be provided.

During recent years, too, a considerable number of research students have been deputed to work in the College.

Most recently of all, Commercial classes have been added on to the curriculum of the Presidency College, which will, when the recognised scheme comes into existence, make large additional demands on the accommodation available.

Now the complaint has been coming for the last few years that owing to the large increase in the number of students attending the College, and to the great number of different subjects which have to be taught in any system of modern education, that the College is far too small and too cramped for its requirements.

In addition to complaints concerning the unsuitableness of many of the adaptations as detailed above, each Professor says he requires more space for the teaching of his own science.

It is also beginning to be felt that the College staff, though relatively to other Colleges a very large and a very strong one, is still not equal to the work which should be required to be carried on in the model College of India.

There are also complaints about the discipline of the students out of College hours. It is true we have a large Hostel (the Eden Hostel) for the College, but this is not enough. It holds say 200 students, but it is situated in a bad quarter of the town, and undoubtedly the conditions of residence of the students both in and out of the Hostel (and in messes) might be very greatly improved.

I made some enquiries into the requirements of the Presidency College some three or four years ago, but could do nothing, as there were no financial resources available for extensive additions. One of the objects, however, that I have steadily kept in view has been the urgent necessity of keeping up the prestige of the Presidency College, and before my retirement to try to arrange for it to occupy fully the position which should be assigned to it. Certain plans for the extension of laboratories and teaching appliances have been submitted during the last three or four years by individual Professors, but I postponed them, first till the discussion about the Ranchi College scheme had taken definite shape, and then till I could get a comprehensive and well digested scheme.

Some months ago, I asked the Principal of the Presidency College to consult his Professors, and specially the Science Professors; and to submit a complete scheme of what was required to place the College on a really satisfactory basis.

Again too at my official inspection of the Presidency College about six weeks ago, I made some inspection remarks on the subject of the Presidency College being kept up to the mark, and the necessity for it to fulfil the place assigned to it of being a model College for Bengal at all events, if not for the whole of India.

During my inspection also I discussed the question of possible extension with the Officiating Principal, Dr. P. K. Ray, and with some of the Professors. The result of this is that

* Figures for 1904.

a certain scheme has been submitted to me by the Principal, which I append to this letter in original, with the plans referred to in the Principal's letter.

In the discussions which have taken place it is clear that the view is strongly held that it is necessary that the Presidency College should be improved or perhaps remodelled, and that this is so is perhaps not to be wondered at, for what was good enough and large enough 32 years ago is certainly not to be expected to fulfil the wants of education in Bengal at the present time.

We have also to remember that the Calcutta University may under its new Regulations require not only improvements in buildings and teaching appliances, but may also require Colleges to be more of a residential type than formerly.

There appear to be several possible directions in which action may be taken to improve the Presidency College :—

A.—Land might be taken up in the neighbourhood to allow—

(1) for the necessary extension and development of the College, and for building two or three new and self-contained Science Laboratories ;

(2) to build a house for the Principal ;

(3) to build houses for some or all of the Professors, both European and Indian ;

(4) to increase the hostel accommodation and to bring the hostels under more strict supervision ;

(5) to provide play grounds.

The cost of *A* would probably be prohibitive.

B—.The plan might be limited to (1) of *A* only, and other things left as they are. The cost of this would be much smaller.

C.—*B* might be done, and the hostel arrangements might be made at some place outside Calcutta, the students coming to and from the College by tram. If *C* were carried out it would be well to construct a house for the Principal and some of the staff near the hostel or hostels for the purpose of supervision.

If *C* were carried out also, the Eden Hostel might be made over to the Medical College authorities, for I have learned in correspondence with the Principal, Medical College, and the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal, that such a hostel is rather urgently required for that College.

There are of course a good many arguments in favour of this course, but the plan is open to the objection that not only the staff would, as at present, reside far from the College, but that the students would be also removed from close proximity to their place of work.

D.—Another scheme would be to build any necessary extensions of Science Laboratories at some distance from the existing Presidency College, and for the students to come backwards and forwards from one set of lectures to another. This has been suggested, but I could not possibly recommend the scheme in the form in which it has been put forward.

If it had been proposed to have purely an Arts College in one place, and purely a Science College in another, it might possibly have been discussed.

E.—The best possible course would be to remove the Presidency College and its hostels, etc., bodily to some open place in the outskirts of Calcutta, and to start a new and improved College there, making it as far as possible of a residential type, and with its own recreation grounds attached. This is the scheme put forward by Dr. P. K. Ray in the letter which I forward.

Possibly if *E* were considered, the existing Presidency College buildings might be of use to the Calcutta University for (1) ordinary examination purposes ; (2) laboratories for research, and for the practical examinations in science ; (3) a Calcutta University Library, and (4) an institution in connexion with the Calcutta University, like the existing Calcutta University Institute, but on a much larger scale.

Again also, if *E* were carried out, the Eden Hostel would be found of the greatest possible use to the Medical College, as enabling them to secure a convenient residence for their students close to the Hospital.

These questions will however have to be approached with great care and caution, for it will not do to allow the Indian public to think there is any intention to harm the College or to remove it from Calcutta.

If E were adopted there is much to be said in favour of such a site as is proposed by Dr. P. K. Ray. Another exceptional site might be Kidderpore House, if it is ever given up by its present occupants, for it is now Government property. There are also excellent sites in such places as Ballygunge, Tollygunge, and on Diamond Harbour Road, etc., all of which will shortly be brought within easy reach of the tramway.

As suggested by His Honour the best plan would be to have the case considered by a small committee As names for such a committee, I would suggest Sir Guru Das Banerjea, Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Bose, Justice Sarada Charan Mittra, Justice Ashutosh Mukherjea, Mr. K. G. Gupta, the Commissioner of the Presidency Division, Babu Nalin Bihari Sarkar, Maulvi Siraj-ul-Islam, Dr. P. K. Ray, Dr. E. D. Ross, Mr. Kuehler,

Mr. Prothero, Mr. Cunningham, and Director of Public Instruction, with Mr. V. H. Jackson as Secretary.

If His Honour would preside at the Conference, it would be most popular, and add largely to its weight and influence.

I enclose Dr. P. K. Ray's letter and enclosures in original.

These and those notes will, I suppose, be printed. If so, I should be greatly obliged by six or eight spare copies being sent to me. The return of the original enclosures to Dr. Ray's letter is requested.

The 19th April 1905. A. PEDLER.

No. 450, dated Calcutta, the 16th April 1905.

From—P. K. RAY, Esq., D. Sc., Offg. Principal, Presidency College, Calcutta,

To—The Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

I HAVE the honour to forward, in original, the suggestions I have received about the requirements of this College from the members of the Instructive Staff in response to my memorandum forwarding copy of your remarks on the occasion of your last visit and inviting them to make suggestions.

2. It will be seen that these suggestions refer to three main subjects :—

(1) The removal of the College to a better site where it may be converted into a Residential College as required by the University Act;

(2) The extension of the present Physical and Chemical Laboratories and the building of new laboratories for Biology and Geology, etc., etc., and

(3) The general organization of the College and the enlargement of the teaching staff. I will take these subjects in order.

I.—Removal of the College to a better site.

3. On the occasion of your last visit I spoke to you of the possibilities of extension of the College on the present site and showed you the lands to the west of it. I annex a plan of the site showing the plots that may be acquired and the *pucka* buildings, etc., that stand on them. You suggested that for the purposes of the College, that is for the extension of the Physical and Chemical Laboratories and the construction of new laboratories in Biology and Geology and for a separate hall for a common room, for a gymnasium and for the residences of the Principal and two Professors of the College, the plot marked by the red line A, B, C, D, E, as shown on the plan, and containing about 15 bighas and 3 cottahs, would be sufficient. This would leave no space for the residences of other Professors or for the extension of hostel accommodation for students or for the Superintendent or Assistant Superintendent of the Hostel. For this purpose I suggested that the plot marked by the red line, E, D, F, G, as shown on the plan and containing 3 bighas should also be acquired. This plot is close to our Hostel, on the opposite side of the road to the north, and is a very bad *bustee* at present. The total cost of acquiring both the plots would be about six lakhs. Even if both the plots were acquired, the College would not be residential. There is no possibility of ever having a residential College on the present site. The College has at present no play grounds. It is impossible to have them on the present site. It must be admitted that adequate play and recreation grounds are absolutely necessary for a College in order that the students may be kept occupied in the afternoon and thus acquire a love for health and strength along with their love of study and knowledge,—in order, in short, that the evil effects of excessive mental exercise may be counteracted by corresponding physical exercise. It is therefore desirable to pause and reflect whether the College should be extended on its present site or removed to a better site in the suburbs, where in the near future there might be constructed a residential College with extensive play and recreation grounds as required by the University Act.

4. This question was considered by the Instructive Staff at one of their recent meetings, and the following resolution was adopted by them :—

"That this meeting recognising that the present situation of the College is incompatible with the terms of the University Act with respect to a residential College desires to urge on Government the necessity of removing the Hostel and College to a better site in the suburbs of Calcutta."

5. I beg to submit my suggestions for giving effect to this resolution.

A site may be easily acquired of about three hundred bighas in the northern suburbs at a distance of only three miles from the College. It is bounded on the south by a public road which runs to the east and is known as Dum-Dum Road, and which runs to the west to the river and is known as the Gun Foundry Road. To the north we may go as far as we care, and the same remark applies to the east. On the western side the site is bounded

by the broad Cossipore Road. A plan of the site is annexed hereto which will show its situation and surroundings. The site consists mainly of old garden lands, and there are very few *pucka* buildings on it. As the river is not far, as the northern part of Calcutta where reside the gentry whose sons attend lectures at the Presidency College is only two miles or less, as the grounds are high and extensive and capable of great extension, where it is not improbable the private Colleges might migrate in future, moreover as it is proposed to extend the tram line close to it and take the line by its southern and western boundaries, the site selected seems to be admirably suited for the location of the "Premier College" of Bengal.

6. The cost of acquiring this extensive site would not, I believe, be more than that of acquiring the 18 bighas on the present site of the College.

7. At a rough estimate the site and buildings would cost about 25 lakhs. Of this amount 10 to 12 lakhs might be obtained by selling off the present site and buildings of the College either to the University or to private buyers. The remaining 15 lakhs might be advanced by Government in two or three years. The estimated cost is shown below :—

	Lakhs.
Cost of site	6
College Buildings	6
Physical Laboratory	2
Chemical Laboratory	2
Biological Laboratory	1
Geological Laboratory	1
Astronomical Observatory	1
Hall for common room, etc.	1
Gymnasium and out-offices	1
Clearing, levelling, draining, laying out grounds, etc.	1
Residences of Professors	3
Total ...	25

As regards hostels for students on the new site, I believe the proceeds from the sale of the present buildings and site of the Eden Hindu Hostel would be sufficient to construct new buildings on improved plans. The present site and buildings might be sold either to private parties or reserved by Government for the students of the Medical College for whom I understand hostel accommodation is needed, and their estimated value might be credited to the new Presidency College.

II.—Extension of the Physical and Chemical Laboratories and the building of new Laboratories in Biology and Geology, etc., etc.

8. On this subject I would refer to the original letters and notes of the Professors appended to this letter (see notes by Mr. Küchler, Mr. Cunningham, Mr. Mahalanabis, Mr. Hayden and Dr. Cullis). They suggest that each laboratory should be located in a separate building, as in Germany.

In Germany and America and also in England, a Psychological Laboratory has become almost as common as a Physical or Chemical Laboratory. It would be desirable therefore to make provision for it in the proposed new College.

9. A separate hall which may be used as a common room by students and Professors and which may be converted into a large Lecture Room or a Theatre whenever required is a matter of necessity for social intercourse between students and Professors outside college classes.

10. A large gymnasium in the German fashion is absolutely necessary. It should be equipped with all the latest implements of physical exercise as well as provided with the old instruments, such as were once prevalent in India.

11. The grounds should be well laid out for walks as well as for games and sports.

12. On the occasion of your last visit you have been pleased to remark :—

"The College has a very high reputation to maintain. There are over 140 scholarship-holders of various degrees working and reading in the College, so that it contains the cream of those under education in Bengal, and all concerned must realise this and work at the highest possible pressure. It is well to remember that the standard set in all matters in the Presidency College will react generally on collegiate education in Bengal. Great responsibility therefore rests not only on the Principal but also on every professor and teacher in the College, and work of each should be such as will set a proper standard in his own special subject."

13. In order to realise the ideal indicated in the above lines and to raise the College to the level of one in Europe or America it would be necessary to enlarge the teaching staff and to organize the College in such a way as would call forth the greatest individual and collective effort and promote the highest corporate and individual life.

14. On the third subject, namely the general organization of the College and the enlargement of the teaching staff, a separate communication will be submitted in continuation of this.

Dated Narikeldanga, Calcutta, the 23rd May 1905.

From—Sir Guru Dass Banerjee, K.T.,

To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department.

I received yesterday your letter (Education Circular No. 9T.—G.), dated the 17th May 1905, in which you have done me the honour of asking my opinion on the proposal for the removal of the Presidency College to a better site in the suburbs of Calcutta.

2. In reply I beg to submit the following observations for the consideration of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor.

3. On going through the copies of papers you have been good enough to send me, I find that the improvements in the Presidency College which have been considered necessary or desirable, are—

(*i*) the conversion of the institution into a residential College, by having suitable hostel accommodation and play-grounds for students, and houses for the Principal and Professors, close to the College building;

(*ii*) the extension of the physical and chemical laboratories, the erection of new laboratories for Biology, Geology and other sciences, and the building of more lecture-rooms; and

(*iii*) the strengthening of the teaching staff.

And it is mainly for the purpose of effecting improvement (*i*) that the removal of the College to a suitable site in the suburbs of Calcutta has been recommended as necessary.

4. While yielding to none in my desire to see the Presidency College, which is the premier College in Bengal and which should be the model College for India, fitted with every possible improvement, and while speaking with all deference for the views of the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Bose and Mr. Pedler and Dr. P. K. Roy, which I believe are shared by most European educationists and by many of my own countrymen, I feel bound to say that the conversion of the Presidency College into a residential College is not desirable in the existing state of things, and is not necessary for increasing its efficiency. My reasons for taking this view may be shortly stated thus:—

In the first place, improvements (*ii*) and (*iii*) are of much higher importance than improvement (*i*), and ought to be effected fully before the latter can claim our attention; but the funds available will not leave much for the former purpose if they are applied in the first instance to the latter.

In the second place, the advantages of a residential College are not so clear and unquestionable as they are generally supposed to be, specially when the number of students is so large as it is in the case under consideration. For personal influence of the Principal and the Professors will reach only a few, and the supervision for the most part will be mechanical and a matter of routine; and discipline under such supervision must be far less salutary in its effects than home-training or the necessary self-discipline of those who have to shift for themselves, subject to such supervision as a system of inspection for students' messes might secure.

In the third place, in a country like this with its diversity of races and creeds, and with the teaching staff in its higher ranks belonging to a different nationality, it will be no easy matter for the supervising authorities to have sympathetic appreciation of the situation of students, and to show due regard for their habits and sentiments.

In the fourth place, it is not necessary that a College should be of the residential type in order that it may exercise adequate control over the conduct of students, and its Professors may cultivate friendly relations with their pupils. Such control may be sufficiently secured if the Colleges co-operate with the University in the

supervision of students' messes and hostels; and the lecture-room and the laboratory may afford ample field for the cultivation of such friendly relations.

5. If then the first improvement suggested, namely, the conversion of the Presidency College into one of a residential type, be left out of consideration as undesirable in the present state of things and unnecessary for increasing its efficiency, the other two improvements referred to above in paragraph 3 which are essential and should occupy our attention in the first instance, may, as implied in paragrraph B on page 3 of Mr. Pedler's note, dated the 19th April 1905, be effected without removing the College to a different place, whereas, if the first-mentioned improvement is insisted upon and with it a change of site, the second improvement will no doubt proceed hand in hand, but the third, the most important of all, will have to be postponed, at least for a time, for want of funds.

6. While thus, on the one hand, no change of site is necessary for effecting improvements (*ii*) and (*iii*) (noticed in paragraph 3) which are essential for increasing the efficiency of the College, on the other hand, removal of the College either to the northern suburbs or to Ballygunge is open to objection on various grounds.

The Presidency College is now situated almost centrically with reference to the houses of those residents of Calcutta and its suburbs, who either actually send or are likely to send their sons to that College for education; and the removal of the College, as suggested, will result in considerable inconvenience to large numbers of them. For if the College be removed to the northern suburbs, residents of Bhowanipore and Ballygunge will be put to great inconvenience, while removal to Ballygunge will produce similar inconvenience to the inhabitants of Shambazar and Bagbazar.

Then, again, neither the site recommended in the northern suburbs nor that suggested in Ballygunge is as healthy as the present site of the College, the suburbs and Ballygunge being well known to be malarious places.

Moreover, the removal of the Presidency College, as suggested, will materially affect the supervision of the Hindu and Hare Schools, the two important Government high schools in Calcutta, which are now under the control of the Principal of the Presidency College, and which cannot conveniently be removed along with that College and converted into boarding schools.

7. For the foregoing reasons, in my humble opinion, the removal of the Presidency College from its present site is neither desirable nor necessary; and for its real improvement all available funds should, in the first instance, be applied to the strengthening of the teaching staff and the extension of the laboratories.

8. In conclusion, I should add that my insisting upon the strengthening of the teaching staff must not be taken to imply any disparagement of the merits of the present staff. What I really mean is this, that with a view to increase the efficiency of teaching, the numerical strength of the staff should be increased, so that it may be adequate to take charge of the large number of students who seek instruction, and of the great variety of subjects in which instruction is sought; and the salaries of Professors should be raised so as to offer sufficient inducement to competent men in India and Europe to enter the educational service and continue in their posts as teachers.

Dated Calcutta, the 25th May 1905.

From—The Revd. Alex. Tomory,

To—The Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal, General Department.

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter (confidential), dated Darjeeling, the 17th May, marked Education Circular No. 9T.- G, and to forward the following opinion on the scheme contained in the papers accompanying your letter.

1. The inadequacy of the present Presidency College site for the purpose of a model College on enlightened principles is admitted. Extensions must be made at once if the primacy of the College is to be maintained, and these extensions must provide accommodation for residences for European and Indian professors, laboratories, and extra class-rooms.

2. Two possibilities present themselves:—(*a*) Local extensions, (*b*) Removal—

(*a*) Local extensions could be procured by tearing down the antiquated buildings on the north side of College Square (Sanskrit College, Sanskrit Library, Hindu School, University Institute) and erecting a modern four-storeyed building there. The first two floors could be used for class-rooms and laboratories, the third and fourth for residential quarters (provided with lifts and water-tanks on roofs for flushing, etc.). This would provide a magnificent frontage. Then the tank (College Square) should be filled up and made into a play-ground, reserving half for the Presidency College and half for the general public. The old buildings on the north side of College Square are picturesque, but far from economical in their use of space—open quadrangles and colonades in the centre of a city are pleasant, but decidedly wasteful when extensions are needed.

The residences would be for the European staff. Indian gentlemen are not usually comfortable in European houses, which seem too open and draughty. The tank should be filled up in any case. Tanks are a solecism in Calcutta, and are possibly also a source of danger to the public health as breeding-places of mosquitoes. No doubt the ripple on the surface of the College Square tank on a moonlight night is charming and productive of poetic thoughts, but in this utilitarian age that charm will be less thought of than the possible danger, and the certain inutility of the tank as at present restricted. Filled up, it would make a magnificent square in the centre of the city and such an open space would provide health for thousands. Instead of the ripple of the water there would be trees, shrubs, flowers along the borders, and athletic games in the square itself.

Accordingly if local extension is thought desirable the above scheme would provide it adequately, though not as ideally as removal to a *southern* suburb.

Before proceeding to consider (*b*) it would be well to provide for the dispossessed Sanskrit College, Library, and Hindu School. These might be very well removed to the outskirts of the town, say to the eastwards on or near Upper Circular Road, and would allow of a return to simple ancient Sanskrit *tol* conditions. The Hindu School (at present like any other entrance school) should specialize as a preparatory school for the Sanskrit College. Or it might be necessary to buy up the eastern side of College Square under the Land Acquisition Act and erect buildings there that would glorify the centre of Calcutta, where Hausmannising is very much needed.

(*b*) But if on general principles local extension is less desirable than migration elsewhere, the question arises, where? For the very large expenditure estimated as likely to be required, one would have to consider not only size of proposed site, but general suitability, and probable remunerativeness.

On a new site it would be possible to erect a College, with residences for professors and students on the best possible lines.

3. Dr. P. K. Roy suggests a site at Cossipore. He gives an elaborate scheme; and it will have to be carefully examined by experts before such a huge outlay is incurred.

4. Personally knowing the district as I do from frequent cycle rides in the vicinity, I am very strongly opposed to the selection of Cossipore as the site for the new Presidency College—

(*a*) The district is malarious: the district round Dum-Dum is notoriously so: the eastern part of the district is under water for several months every year. From the road to Dum-Dum Cantonments one sees water as far as the eye can reach in the rains, the period of most strenuous application in Calcutta Colleges, when malaria would prevail among students and others.

It is possible that the malarious nature of the area might be improved by removing jungle; but it would be foolish to plant down at an estimated

cost of 25 lakhs a magnificent College on a malarious site when other sites in more salubrious localities are available. I am not a Health Officer, but it seems to me that when Baranagore is malarious (west of site) and Dum-Dum district is malarious (east of site) the probability is that the Cossipore suggested site will also be found malarious.

(*b*) The suggested site is at the wrong end of Calcutta for the European professors and their wives. They would practically have to form a community by themselves, and the social life of Calcutta would suffer from the removal of the educational people from ordinary Calcutta "functions" at the south end of the city where "society" would become more than ever financial and commercial.

(*c*) The suggested site is three miles from the present Presidency College and the use of tram-cars is emphasized. If a car journey has to be made in any case, would there be any great discrepancy between a journey of three miles northwards to Cossipore and five miles southwards to Alipore, counting from the Presidency College in both cases?

5. I would venture to suggest that a site be estimated for in the area between Alipore and Tollygunge where there is plenty of good land, no malaria scourge, and contemplated tram-car facilities.

All the institutions of Calcutta—the Imperial Library, the Museum, the European shops, the Town Hall, and the Victoria Memorial—are at the south side of Calcutta, and are much nearer Alipore than Cossipore, to say nothing of the salubrious drive across the Maidan in the one case, and the crawling progress through pestiferous streets in the other. For the residents at the College, students and professors, these are points to be considered.

I may say that I have no idea what such a site might cost in the district named, but the other items would be much the same in both cases.

6. I would lay stress on the social surroundings in both places. At Alipore a distinctively European element predominates, leading to excellent conservancy, orderly arrangements, and Western amenities. It would be an excellent training for hostel students there to be surrounded by all the influences of European life in college terms, not only in respect of professors but of a general public that would learn to respect the scions of the best Calcutta houses and would impress them with the high character of the general European citizen. Mutual understanding between the two races would result at Alipore. At Cossipore there would be isolation from Europeans, except from the score of European mill employés along the river in the vicinity who would not be likely to fraternise with our students.

On the whole then, on hygienic, on topographical, and on social grounds I would prefer Alipore to Cossipore as a site for the proposed new Presidency College. As between the three possibilities—local extensions as indicated on page 1, Cossipore, and Alipore—I unhesitatingly prefer Alipore. Of the other two I am almost sure I should prefer the first, viz., a local extension as suggested on page 1. Cossipore would, in my opinion, be a very risky experiment, and a further removal from the advantages of the European end of this great city than at present exists.

I beg to apologise for the length of these remarks.

Dated Darjeeling, the 26th May 1905.

From—M. E. DuS. PROTHERO, Esq., M.A. (Oxon.), Professor, Presidency College,
To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department.

WITH reference to your Circular No. 9T.—G., dated 17th May, asking for my opinion on the proposal to remove the Presidency College to a better site in the suburbs of Calcutta, I have the honour to state as follows.

1. If a site of the size mentioned by Dr. Roy is available in the position stated, I should be strongly in favour of his proposal. It will secure the great advantage of converting the College to a closer approximation to the residential type and of bringing the students and the instructive staff more closely together in their leisure time without running contrary to the public sentiment, which is so strongly opposed to the removal of the College from Calcutta. I

have only comparatively recently joined a College, having been previously employed for a long time in the inspecting branch, but my own experience of the advantage of a closer intercourse between the teachers and the taught may be thought relevant to the question at issue. During the six months I officiated as Principal of the College, I acquired an influence with the students, which I should not previously have considered possible, by taking an interest in their games, dramatic representations, debating clubs, etc. I never thought the student class capable of much affection or gratitude before, but I have certainly had cause to change my opinion.

2. Another reason which leads me to support the proposal is, that, as it is in contemplation to build houses for the Principal and Professors, in the case of such as are marked men it would certainly be unpleasant for European ladies to reside anywhere near the Presidency College.

This objection would not apply to the proposed site in the northern suburbs.

3. If the College is removed as proposed, it will be possible to secure in a great measure freedom from the undesirable surroundings, objectionable both from the point of view of morality and health, which are well known to anyone who has had anything to do with the management of the Eden Hostel.

4. I would remark that Dr. Roy's scheme takes no notice of the other Government educational institutions in Calcutta more or less intimately connected with the Presidency College, such as the Hindu and Hare Schools and the Calcutta Madrasa. The case for their removal is as strong as that for removing the Presidency College, and inasmuch as the students of the Madrasa reading for the F.A. and B A. examinations attend lectures at the Presidency College, if the Madrasa is not to be moved, additional outlay will have to be faced for increasing the staff of the Madrasa to enable it to teach up to the B.A. standard.

5. Whilst cordially approving the scheme, I feel bound to express my belief that it will be difficult to enforce residence on a very large proportion of our students. So many of them are the children of parents, who are badly off, that the increased cheapness of living with their parents or relations, rather than in the hostel, which it is proposed to establish, will be a matter of great importance to them. With this liberty, I do not see how the Government can interfere, and therefore for a large number of students, the College must remain a day or non-residential institution. Many of our students live at such a long distance from the College that their time outside lecture hours is fully taken up with going and coming every day. Such students will not derive much advantage from the residential system, or the games and play-grounds, which it is in contemplation to establish. It is only the minority, who will be much influenced by the change, and for them its benefit will be incalculable.

6. A point of some importance relating to the proposed transfer of the Eden Hostel to the Medical College is that the consent of the private benefactors, such as the Raja of Maisadal, by whose contributions the hostel was in a large part constructed, or their heirs, will have to be secured. A similar difficulty will have to be considered with reference to the Elliott Muhammadan Hostel, if, as I have ventured to suggest, it is considered that the removal of the Presidency College entails the removal of the Calcutta Madrasa.

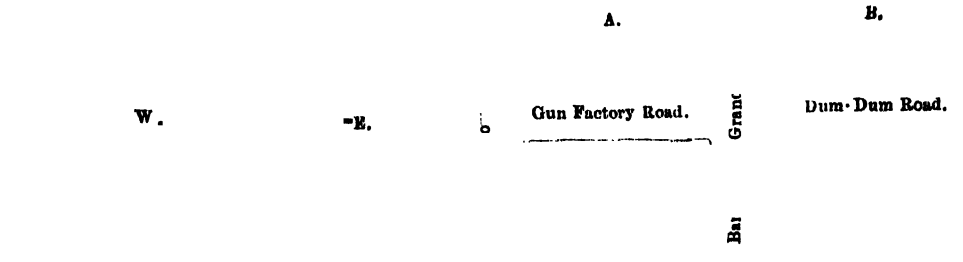
Dated Calcutta, the 27th May 1905.

From - The Revd. Alex. Tomory,

To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department.

In continuation of my letter of 25th instant, I have the honour to say that I have this evening cycled round the site suggested in the letter of

Dr. P. K. Roy for the new Presidency College, represented by blocks A and B on plan below:—



I do not know what the advantage is in having the buildings on both sides of the Barrackpore Trunk Road. But I want to warn you that the ground level in blocks A and B is below the road level and the ground is covered with water all the rains. I visited the Cossipore Horticultural Gardens incidentally. It is part of block A above, and the Manager informed me that it was malarious, and flooded in the rains. The ground level is under road level. A good deal of the land in question is garden land, not in our sense, but densely overgrown. There are a number of tanks, each garden having at least one for irrigation purposes. These would have to be filled up as part of the scheme.

Block A is very objectionable on other grounds. It is faced to the south by the Tramway Horses Infirmary and the new terminus of the goods traffic of the Chitpore-Cossipore section of the Eastern Bengal State Railway. The noise of shunting would be very disagreeable either for students or residents.

The west boundary is the Cossipore road, with open drains on both sides, and a regular low-down native bazar, peopled apparently by mill-hands and their families and other followers.

I cannot imagine how any responsible person would fix on this block as an an ideal site for a splendid College. In charity therefore I am bound to assume that block A is meant as a play-ground or maidan for students, and in that case the question arises whether the expense of raising the whole level and filling up the tanks would not be prohibitive, considering the object. Block B has not the disadvanges of block A, but it is far from a good site for the Model College. There is too much of the mill-hand and similar element about. That might be cleared from the immediate neighbourhood of block B, but even then the approach would be unpleasant.

I felt that I ought to send you these additional notes, based on to-day's observation.

No. 21Con., dated Calcutta, the 1st June 1905.

From—The Hon'ble Mr. F. W. Duke, Offg. Commr., Presidency Division,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department.

Replying to your Education Circular No. 9T.—G., of 17th May 1905, on the proposal for the removal of the Presidency College to a better site in the suburbs of Calcutta, I have the honour to say that in my opinion the alternative lies between the proposals A (1) and E of Mr. Pedler's note. The former which provides for the necessary extension and development of the College, and for building two or three new and self-contained science laboratories, that is to say, for improving the College as a purely teaching institution, could be effected by the acquisition of land close to the present site at a high but relatively moderate cost. Any of the other proposals would either be prohibitive as involving extensive acquisition in the heart of Calcutta, or partial and ineffective as taking the College very litte beyond A (1) and making no real provision for residence, recreation or supervision.

2. It seems to me, however, that the proposal A (1) would not provide adequately for modern requirements. I presume that Government has definitely decided that a model College must be something more than an agglomeration of class-rooms, and that much more is due to its students than

the mere provision of lectures. But the cost involved even in scheme A (1) would probably be so great as to deter Government from making any further extensive changes in the College for another generation.

3. The proposal E is therefore the only one which renders the development of the College possible as a residential or potentially residential College with adequate recreation grounds.

4. I have a superficial acquaintance with Ballygunge and Tollygunge, and also with Cossipore and the land along the Barrackpore Trunk Road. I believe that the region indicated by Dr. Roy is the best, namely, the tract on the Barrackpore Road, north of the Cossipore Gun Foundry Road. In this I am supported by Mr. Bernard who has, I believe, consulted his District Engineer. All the outer suburbs are esteemed unhealthy; but, so far as I can learn, the Cossipore region is less so than the more outlying tracts of Ballygunge and Tollygunge. The country is better cleared and has, I think, a better fall towards the northern end of the Salt Lakes. At the point indicated by Dr. Roy there are some extensive garden in a neglected condition of which the price could not be excessive. The site is also more suitable for local students, it is within walking distance, say 1½ miles, of the northern end of Calcutta, and within, I should judge, the smallest tram fare (once lines are laid on the Barrackpore Road, as I believe, they will be) of the Harrision Road. Dr. Roy informs me that of the students whose houses are in Calcutta, about 223 live north of the Harrison Road against 186 south of it. Any site we could find in Tollygunge or Ballygunge would be too far for those at the northern end, even by tram. At least it would involve great loss of time and expense.

5. I am bound to observe, however, that any change of site is likely to occasion an extreme outcry. Assuming residence not to be made compulsory, in the first instance, and it seems to me that to make it compulsory would occasion as great an outcry as arose amongst the native community when they assumed that the College would be removed to Ranchi, or suppressed in favour of the Ranchi College, then short of that the site which I approve as the best and nearest to the town will still necessitate a regular expenditure on tram fares by the great majority of the students. This expenditure will not be less than Rs. 3, and for those further off may amount to Rs. 6 monthly. This alone is quite sufficient to occasion loud and violent opposition. I need not do more than advert to the perversity with which practically every Government proposal is misrepresented in Bengal. When the natural conservatism and suspicion of the class with whom we have to deal is fortified by a substantial ground of complaint, it can be understood how intense the opposition is likely to be. It has been distinctly shown that the upper and upper middle classes regard the Presidency College as an institution in which they have a vested interest, and its want of conformity to modern ideas on the one hand, or any improvements which we can hope to effect in it on the other, will weigh very little with them as against any change which makes it more expensive or less available.

6. I would therefore suggest that if the step of moving it to a suburban site is considered to be essential to its improvement, that step should be taken with extreme caution, and native opinion should be prepared for it not by obtruding any ready prepared scheme but by gradually exposing the impossibility of progress under existing conditions. If opinion can be brought round to the necessity of reform, the fact that a change of site is an essential condition to reform may be recognised. I make these observations because the benefits of the College are almost exclusively enjoyed by one particular class, and it hardly seems worth while to force a benefit upon that class at the expense of all the abuse and political odium which will be excited, unless it believes that the demand proceeds from itself.

Dated Calcutta, the 8th June 1905.

From—G. W. KÜCHLER, Esq., Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India,
To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department.

IN reply to Circular No. 9T.—G., dated 17th May, in which His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor asks for an expression of my opinion on the proposal

for the removal of the Presidency College to a better site in the suburbs, I have the honour to submit the enclosed note on the question.

Note on the proposed removal of the Presidency College to a better site in the suburbs.

FROM hardly any point of view can the present site of the Presidency College be considered satisfactory. Regarded merely as a day college, where work is done between stated hours, the only argument in favour of its situation is that it is central. But such an argument is nowadays considered of little account unless the central situation is accompanied by other advantages of a more essential nature. It is after all a very trifling hardship if young men of college age have to travel either on foot or by some other mode of locomotion a considerable distance to the place of their studies. To my mind it is indeed a distinct advantage, as with many young students this compulsory locomotion forms their only bodily exercise, and even if it take the mild form of transportation by carriage or tram, it still has a certain value. Especially is this true of the Bengali student, whose natural disinclination for bodily exertion assuredly needs no artificial encouragement. The only advantages in fact afforded by a central situation as such are those which arise from libraries, reading and common rooms and laboratories to which access is permitted outside the usual college hours. These advantages have, however, up to the present not been associated with the Presidency College, and even if they had been, they would have been more than counterbalanced by the drawbacks which the situation of the college presents in other respects.

The chief characteristics which in my opinion should be aimed at in selecting a site for a high grade day college are hygienic surroundings, freedom from noise and dust, and sufficient space, not only for present requirements in the matter of buildings, but also for future expansion. Educational work should be done in quiet places and in pure air, and it is especially desirable for scientific work that there should be no noise, no vibration, and no dust.

Judged by these requirements, the present site of the Presidency College considered merely as a day college stands condemned. Its hygienic surroundings are of the poorest, the air is full of dust, and the noise and vibration caused by the traffic in the streets are intolerable. Further, the needs of the scientific departments have far outgrown the space accommodation at present at their disposal, and no relief is possible except by the acquisition of the expensive though unsavoury land surrounding the college. As Mr. Pedler has pointed out, no addition beyond the construction of a well-planned chemical laboratory has been made to the college for the last thirty years, so that a large amount of arrears in the direction of new buildings has now to be made good.

The need for new buildings is most pressing on the science side. This is the natural outcome of the recent awakening of India in common with other countries to the benefits of a real scientific education. It should, moreover, be noted that a special impetus will in Bengal be given to the demand for increased facilities for acquiring scientific knowledge by the regulations founded on the new University Act which are about to come into force. These facilities must necessarily include the provision of new laboratories of a modern type in the various branches of science which the University proposes to include in its curriculum. Now, whatever be the future relations of the University to its affiliated colleges as regards post-graduate studies, I think it would be a great mistake if the leading Government college in Bengal were to give up direct and active participation in the highest kind of educational work. It is, I imagine, no breach of confidence to state here that one of the Committees at present engaged in drawing up University regulations has framed a scheme for determining the relations of the University to the recognised colleges in the matter of post-graduate courses of study. This scheme, which as far I can judge is perfectly practicable, aims at concentrating and economising the energies of the various colleges with regard to higher work following the examinations for the ordinary degrees of B.A. and B.Sc. But, while the University will by this agency actually become a teaching body, it is not intended that the contributing colleges should lose their identity thereby, but merely that they should be drawn into closer union with the University and form a recognised abode for true University studies. It is in this way in fact, *i.e.*, by the provision of men and material, that such of the colleges as are in a position to do so will contribute to the support of the University. Should this scheme be adopted, it will throw on the colleges and naturally in the first place on the Presidency College the chief onus of providing the facilities necessary for carrying on real University work. But with it or without it a certain amount of independence of action should I think be always left to the Presidency College, so that it may form a model for the University and, if necessary, act as a check on any future retrograde tendencies on the part of that institution.

I have digressed at some length on this question of the relations between the University and the colleges, as on it depends largely the necessity for the provision of increased facilities at the present moment for advanced work in the Presidency College and therefore to some extent the question of the removal of that institution to another site.

It is indeed the necessity for the immediate extension of the present complex of college buildings which gives a real practical interest to the question under consideration, as the

unsatisfactory conditions of the present site might hardly by themselves constitute a sufficiently powerful reason for the radical remedy afforded by a complete removal of the college. If, however, it is admitted that the construction of new laboratories for the Presidency College is urgently called for (and I would strongly press this view on Government), and if the construction of these laboratories on an extension of the present site involves a very heavy expenditure, it certainly seems desirable, provided a reasonable sum can be realised by the sale of the present property, to remove the college to a better site instead of perpetuating the disadvantages of the present one. Such a step would involve little or no pecuniary loss, and besides the very considerable benefits already alluded to which could be secured by a change of situation, there would be the additional one that not only the new science institutes but also the portions of the college devoted to literary and philosophic work would be designed from the outset with a view to their ultimate purpose and not merely consist, as Mr. Pedler has pointed out to be the case in the existing Presidency College, of an aggregate of rooms adapted as best they can be to the particular educational work for which they are required.

So far I have confined myself to the arguments in favour of moving the Presidency College as a non-residential institution. If, however, it is intended, in accordance with the requirements of the new University Act, to give a more or less residential character to the college, the arguments for removal acquire overwhelming force. It may I think be taken for granted that while great improvements can no doubt be introduced in the matter of hostel supervision and while much can be done to increase amenities of student life in the present hostel by the provision of reading and other common rooms, by the institution of clubs, literary and athletic, and by the consequent encouragement of social intercourse amongst the students themselves, in a word by giving a collegiate instead of a mere lodging-house character to the hostel, any attempt to establish a residential college on the present site is out of the question. The expense alone would be prohibitive, but quite apart from this, the mere provision of professors' houses in more or less proximity to the hostels would constitute a very small step towards the realisation of the conditions of a residential college in the full sense of the term. Moreover, it is doubtful whether one of the chief objects of such an institution, *i.e.*, the promotion of friendly intercourse between professors and students, would be materially furthered by the mere propinquity of residence of these two classes in such a neighbourhood as College Street. It is true that the minimum requirements of the University Act amount to nothing more than the provision of residences for the Principal and perhaps one or two professors as near as possible to the college or the hostel, but it is hardly likely that the Government would be content to work down to this minimum, and even if it did so the expenditure entailed in the provision of adequate residences and in the improvement of the hostel would still be very heavy and out of all proportion to the very meagre results which would follow.

The real objection, however, to the perpetuation of the present hostel and to any scheme for the addition of further residential quarters either for students or professors lies in the utter unsuitability of the site. All that I have said above with regard to the hygienic surroundings of a non-residential college applies with double force when the residential element comes in, and in the case of the students a still more important point is that the moral surroundings should be as pure as possible. The less however said about the moral and hygienic conditions of the neighbourhood of the Presidency College the better. It is true that there are many other Arts Colleges in the same neighbourhood and, further, that the Medical College is not only close to the Presidency College but that the authorities of that institution propose acquiring a hostel in the quarter which I have just stigmatised as objectionable. With regard to the latter there are special reasons why the Medical Hospital and consequently the college attached to it should be in the centre of the town, and there are also special reasons why the students attending the college, who moreover are on an average considerably older than the Arts students, should live close to it. As for the private Arts Colleges, they are for the most part day colleges, to which not even all the reasons for removal (such as for instance the demand for additional space) which hold in the case of the non-residential part of the Presidency College, are applicable. Moreover, should the authorities responsible for these institutions propose to erect hostels in connection with it, it is not possible that they might follow an initiative set by Government and choose more desirable sites for this purpose in the suburbs of Calcutta.

I have purposely kept the questions of the removal of the non-residential and residential parts of the Presidency College separate, as if any obstacle, which however I do not anticipate, should arise in the way of removing the College as a whole, the removal of the hostels alone would, as I have pointed out in the previous note, be still quite feasible. So numerous, moreover, and powerful are the arguements in favour of this part of the scheme that it seems a case where an opportunity for its execution should be created and not merely awaited by Government. Fortunately, however, the opportunity is here again forthcoming, for, as has been already pointed out, the provisions of the University Act make it necessary to face the question of very considerable expenditure in connection with the improvement of the hostel and the erection of houses for at least the Principal and one or two professors.

There is one aspect of the project which I have not touched on, and that is, the attitude which the leading Indian residents of Calcutta would assume towards the scheme. The question of expediency must largely be determined by this attitude, and it is therefore a matter for congratulation that the speech by the Hon'ble Bhupendra Nath Bose in the Legislative Council seems to indicate that not only would there be no opposition to the

removal of the College, but that such a removal would actually be welcomed by the great body of Indian opinion. I have likewise in the above remark made no reference to the proposal to erect the new science laboratories, which will presently be required, in a less congested area than College Street, leaving the present buildings to the Arts Section of the College as, though I still think that in the absence of anything better such a scheme would be both desirable and practicable, it has not nearly so much to recommend it as the other alternatives put forward and need not therefore be taken into present consideration.

Finally, the opportunity of removal afforded by the present juncture of affairs is improved still further by the possibility which seems to offer of finding a purchaser not only for the existing Presidency College but also for the Eden Hostel. It is after all not sufficient to assess the buildings and land of the College and Eden Hostel at a certain value and then to set the amount against the cost of the acquisition of new land and the erection of new buildings. Property such as the Presidency College and the Eden Hostel hardly finds a ready market, and unless a purchaser were found, ready to acquire the property at its nominal value, the financial difficulties in connection with the project would still be considerable. If, however, the Medical College authorities are willing to take over the Eden Hostel and if the University should find the existing college buildings suitable for the purposes of the extension which it is at present contemplating, one serious obstacle in the way of the realization of the scheme will have been removed.

To sum up, the points in connection with the question of the removal of the College which I have endeavoured to establish are the following:—

(1) The situation of the Presidency College regarded merely as a non-residential institution is highly prejudicial to the work carried on there.

(2) The situation of the Eden Hostel is open to still more serious objection, and if nothing else be done the hostel at least should be removed to an open healthy site in the suburbs, and houses for the Principal and some of the Professors built in connection with it.

(3) Should the Presidency College and the Eden Hostel be retained in their present site, a very heavy expenditure will have to be faced in connection with the acquisition of land, the erection of new laboratories and Professors' residences and the institution of other improvements, and with it all the result will be unsatisfactory.

(4) Indian opinion is apparently in favour of the removal of the College.

(5) It seems therefore desirable to combine the funds necessary to carry out the improvements mentioned in (3) with the money which could be realized from the sale of the existing land and buildings and devote the total amount to the erection of a model residential college in the suburbs of Calcutta.

The above is the case for the removal of the College as it seems to me to stand at present. With regard to the selection of a new site should the removal be decided on, it is perhaps premature to say anything, as it would probably be left to a special Committee to make recommendations on this question. I would merely remark here that apart from the question of healthiness which will probably be the most important determining factor in the selection of the site, there are certain considerations which seem strongly to favour the choice of a southern suburb. The north side of Calcutta is practically isolated from the chief scientific institutions of the city, and it certainly seems a matter of considerable importance that the new Presidency College should be within easy access of the Indian Museum, the Zoological and Horticultural Gardens, and the Imperial Library. It seems further desirable for different though no less cogent reasons that the new College should not be far distant from the Maidan, the great open space of Calcutta, to which there is nothing equivalent in the north end of the town.

Lastly, I am tempted to say a word with regard to Dr. Ray's estimate of the probable cost of the scheme. This estimate seems to me unduly high, and it would certainly be a pity if a project eminently desirable in itself were wrecked simply owing to an impression that the cost would be prohibitive. There are many obvious directions in which the estimate could, if necessary, be reduced. For instance, in the case of the minor laboratories it is sufficient that the buildings should satisfy the requirements of the present and of the immediate future, but that they should be so designed at the outset as to admit of extensions at a later period when these become necessary. If this were done, the biological and geological laboratories could certainly be cut down to half a lakh each, while thirty thousand rupees would be ample for the astronomical.

Again as to the Professors' houses, it is neither necessary nor desirable to house all the Professors nor even a majority of them, and a corresponding reduction might be made under this head. The common room and gymnasium seem also too highly estimated for.

As for the land, 300 bighas appears excessive, but it is difficult to estimate the cost of this item beforehand. Certainly if the land of Kidderpore House, which is one of the suggestions made by Mr. Pedler, could be acquired, it would form an ideal site, as the grounds would require few alterations to adapt them to their new requirements and the cost of acquisition would, I believe, under Government regulations be nil. In any case, the estimated cost of the scheme might readily be reduced to 20 lakhs. Against this may be set the cost of improvements and additions to the existing buildings of the Presidency College in case of non-removal, which can hardly be put down at less than

10 lakhs, as well as the amount to be obtained from the sale of the Presidency College, say from 6 to 10 lakhs. Under these circumstances I venture to think that the removal is financially justified.

The 7th June 1905. G. W. KÜCHLER.

Dated Calcutta, the 12th June 1905.

From—BABU SITA NATH ROY,
To—The HON'BLE H. W. C. CARNDUFF, C.I.E., Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, General Department.

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Educational Circular No. 9T.—G, dated the 17th May, and enclosures, inviting an expression of my opinion on the proposed removal of the Presidency College to a better site in the suburbs of Calcutta. In reply I beg to submit the following observations.

When the idea of starting a residential college at Ranchi on the lines of the well-known institutions at Cambridge and Oxford was first mooted by His Honour, some of my educated countrymen were startled and surprised, for they then apprehended that the new institution partly from its novelty and partly from its numerous superior attractions, and especially on account of its several new features and advantages, would gradually draw away a large number of students from the Presidency College and thus make it die of inanition. In the proposal for a new college, which, it was supposed, would in time beat down the Presidency College in all respects, some of my countrymen saw a design to smother the old one and thereby do away with high education altogether.

Instead of being grateful to Government, instead of thanking it for its earnestness and benevolence in promoting and developing high education and in introduc ing a new feature in it and thereby imparting a powerful impetus to high education, my countrymen did not hesitate to ascribe motives for attempting to supply what was so urgently needed. But this much may be said in defence of my countrymen that they had no motive in being wilfully perverse: they were simply carried away by the panic of "high education in danger." Moreover, it is well known that the Presidency College has hallowed associations of its own, which have rendered it an object of affection and reverence to all.

It is the premier educational institution in this country, the best of its kind, and in one sense the oldest Government College, and almost all the best and respected men amongst us in different professions and walks of life and almost all the distinguished and highest Indian Judicial and Executive officers and most of the well-known *savants* having been the products of this College, and it being still looked upon as the pivot of the hopes and aspirations of our youthfuls, anything that goes or is apprehended would go to detract from the usefulness of the Presidency College, or lessen its importance in the eyes of the public or render it less attractive is sure to be looked upon with feelings of distrust and suspicion, if not with positive disfavour.

It is to the above feelings that the opposition to the Ranchi College scheme was due, and there would have been little or no opposition—at lest it would not have been so acute—if with the proposal for a residential college at Ranchi the present scheme for renovating the Presidency College on such a broad and satisfactory basis and converting it into a residential one had been simultaneously put forth. But at the same time it must be admitted that, so far as English education in this country is concerned, the idea of a residential college is a thing of yesterday, is a new growth, and as such before the Ranchi scheme was broached by His Honour and before the present Dacca College scheme was matured, the idea of bodily transferring the Presidency College from its present central and advantageous site would have been considered as outrageous and looked upon with positive disfavour. But now with the Ranchi and Dacca schemes before us, people are rather wondering why nothing has yet been done to convert the Presidency into a residential college and otherwise to remodel and renovate it, and thereby enlarge its sphere of usefulness.

Formerly it would have surely been considered as an act of sacrilege even to think of removing the Presidency College from its present site, and I myself

would have seriously questioned the propriety of any such proposal. But whatever doubts I might have had on the subject, they have entirely been dissipated by the perusal of the very able and thoughtful notes of the Hon'ble Mr. Pedler (my former *guru*) and of my esteemed friend and countryman, Dr. P. K. Roy.

On account of its situation in one of the most congested quarters of the city, surrounded on all sides by large and costly buildings, with no room for expansion except at a prohibitive cost and by dislocating a very large population, whose ancestors settled there with the foundation of the city itself, it is not possible to secure the very large quantity of land so necessary for the extension and development of the College and its various other purposes.

As pointed out by Dr. Roy, about 300 bighas of land would be required to carry out the above objects and to place the college on a sound footing and make it worthy of its position as the premier College in the Province, if not in India. But I beg to submit that it would be a sheer waste of money to make such an extensive acquisition in the heart of the city itself, and that large acquisition cannot be made without encroaching on the Harrison Road itself and on the sites now occupied by some of the oldest residents of the city.

Another fatal objection to the enlargement of the College on its present site is that plague, which has secured a permanent footing in the Northern Division of the city, where the College is, breaks out periodically with great virulence in February and March, that is, when the University examinations are held, and this has not only a great disturbing effect on the studies of the students, but has the further serious effect, by creating a panic amongst the students, who mostly live in the congested quarters of the city, of scaring away a large number of them from such examinations.

Moreover, it is extremely desirable that students and their professors should live in an atmosphere of adsolute purity. It does not seem appropriate to make a lavish expenditure of money for providing residential quarters for 7 to 800 students and their professors on a site which is so temptingly close to all the vile allurements of the city.

For the above reasons, with the necessity of converting the Presidency College into a residential one domonstrated beyond doubt, I have no hesitation in heartily supporting the recommendations of the Hon'ble Bhupendra Nath Basu, the Hon'ble Mr. Pedler, and Dr. P. K. Roy that the Presidency College should be bodily removed to a suitable site in the suburbs.

While it is admitted that the proposed site should be in the open country on high and dry land free from the influence of malaria and should be near the river, it must not be very far away from the Northern Division of the town, for the majority of the students of the Presidency College are recruited from the Northern side, and it is here where the higher and middle and educated classes and the merchants and traders, whose sons and relatives attend lectures at the Presidency College, live.

The site selected by Dr. P. K. Roy, which is bounded on the southern side by the Gun Foundry Road and on the west by the broad Cossipore Road, seems to be admirably suited for the location of the premier College in India.

Besides its other advantages, its close proximity to the river Hooghly and the enormous piles of buildings occupied by the Gun Foundry and Shell Factory, and having a large open space on the south, the location of the College on the above site, while ridding Cossipore of its numerous filthy and congested *bustees* and thus adding to the sanitation and beauty of Cossipore, will have the most desirable effect of automatically relieving a good deal of the congestion of the Northern part of Calcutta.

For various reasons I cannot approve of removing the College to Ballygunge or Tollygunge or to any site east of the Barrackpore Trunk Road, as they are all more or less tainted with malaria and far away from the Northern Calcutta.

For some years past the Presidency College has not been able to retain its old reputation of being the premier College in India. If it is intended to fulfil the place assigned to it of being the premier educational institution in India, of serving as an exampler to others, of serving as a model, of what a high-class educational institution should be, of moulding the character of high education in India, it won't do merely to raise a magnificent building for the

College, to erect attractive residences for the professors and equally attractive hostels for the students and to provide an extensive and beautiful play-ground for the boys, but something more solid is necessary to be done which may increase its efficiency and usefulness, and thus make it the coveted resort of all genuine seekers after knowledge. I therefore heartily support the suggestions of the Hon'ble Mr. Pedler and Dr. P. K. Roy, that the teaching staff should be strengthened and recruited by the very best of professors in the several departments available here and in England, and that the College should be fitted up with first class laboratories and all the necessary applicances for teaching Physics, Chemistry, Biology, and Geology, and, lastly, it should have a first-class library worthy of the premier College in India.

If His Honour would be gracious enough to give us a renovated Presidency College on the lines indicated above, fit it up with all the necessary laboratories and costly appliances and man it with the best of teaching staff and convert it into a residential institution and otherwise place it on a solid and satisfactory basis, His Honour's name, associated as it will always be as having been the author or founder of three residential colleges in Bengal, will for ever remain enshrined in the grateful hearts of a grateful nation, and will be handed from generation to generation as having been the best promoter and patron of high education in India.

Lastly, a word or two about the proposed site for the College and the hostels. In my humble opinion, a site nearer the river is more desirable, as it will enable the several hundreds of students and their professors, whose health must be the first consideration with the authorities, to inhale the pure air of the Hooghly. I therefore beg to recommend that the residential quarters for students and their professors should be built on that extensive ground (to the west of Cossipore Road) now occupied by the numerous *bustees* and the Jheel Press, while the College and the play-ground may, if necessary, be placed on the site to the east of Cossipore Road.

Dated Colombo, the 17th June 1905.

From—J. A. CUNNINGHAM, Esq., Professor of Chemistry, Presidency College, Calcutta,

To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal General Department.

I RECEIVED your circular letter (Education Circular No. 9T.—G.), dated the 17th May 1905, a few hours before leaving Calcutta on a previously arranged expedition to investigate the electrical state of the atmosphere in the south west monsoon as it passes over Ceylon. My hands were, at the time, very fully occupied in getting my apparatus into ship-shape order; and during, and since, a voyage which was delayed by two days owing to the breakdown of the main circulating pump of the S.S. *Sumatra*, I have been busily engaged taking observations over a field which was already too wide for the time at my disposal. I trust therefore that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor will accept my apologies for the delay in forwarding, as well as for the other defects of the Note on the removal of Presidency College which I now enclose.

NOTE ON THE REMOVAL AND RECONSTRUCTION OF PRESIDENCY COLLEGE.

Introductory.—Some suspicions that Government did not mean well by higher education in India have from time to time been expressed, especially *à propos* the recent legislation affecting the Indian Universities. It could not indeed be regarded as wonderful if the subject, from its very foundations, had been seriously discussed by those in authority. We are at the present time in India, and I believe most acutely in Bengal, exposed to all the proverbial dangers of a little learning. It must be remembered that India is not altogether exceptional in this matter, though the evil is perhaps more pronounced here than elsewhere. But in France and Russia the same sort of disturbance is being felt, and perhaps we have really much to be thankful for that the disappointed B.A. does not betake himself to anarchy and nihilism in Bengal. In Russia the prime motive of this disturbance is, probably

legitimately, political rather than educational. In France, however, it is almost certainly attributable to a very faulty system of public instruction. There is indeed a quite remarkable similarity between the exaggerated multiplication of examinations, the teaching out of text-books, the learning by the help of memory alone, and the total absence of the scientific *method*, in France and in Bengal. Germany, America, and Japan may on the other hand be cited as countries which are entirely happy in their education and well satisfied with the return for a very heavy expenditure on education, of the right sort, in the main. I take it that if the question has been fundamentally reconsidered in India, it has been authoritively decided in favour of education—more education, deeper education, and, in short, real education.

Similarly I shall assume that it has been conceded by the Government of Bengal that Presidency College does fill what, without it, would be a serious gap in a complete scheme of education; that its usefulness must be extended and its influence deepened.

In response to the Principal's invitation to the professors of Presidency College, I have already submitted a brief note dwelling on what I conceive to be two of the most urgently needed reforms in the general organisation of the teaching staff (and which I thought might possibly not be pressed forward by the other professors); and I also submitted a preliminary list of the special requirements of the chemical department with which I was more intimately and particularly concerned. In that note, written after the speech of the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Bose and His Honour's reply on the occasion of the Budget Discussion for 1905-1906, I practically took it for granted that, as soon as the matter was looked into at all, the case for the removal of the college would be found overwhelmingly strong. I gather from the enclosures circulated with Circular No. 9T.—G. that my note has been forwarded by Dr. P. K. Ray and has been submitted to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor. I therefore take it that what is wanted now is a rather more general and a fuller expression of opinion on all the questions involved, in the removal and hence necessarily the reconstruction, of Presidency College. I shall, therefore, in what follows freely express my own private opinion on all the points which occur to me as of particular importance, and especially such as I think may not be so fully dealt with by the other persons connected with education in Bengal who are likely to have been similarly consulted, confidently believing that such a free expression of opinion is in accordance with His Honour's wishes. Some of my views may not be in entire agreement with what has come to be more or less generally accepted in Bengal, and I therefore conceive it to be necessary to support them with what arguments I can muster; and as this course may lead me on to a considerable length I shall not re-emphasise as fully as might be, what I have already written in my previous note. I would ask this to be taken in conjunction with that.

Presidency College.—I do not think that it is at all an exaggeration to say (with Mr. Pedler) that the rate of progress towards the highest education in Bengal depends very largely on the promised reorganisation of Presidency College.[1] The education given must be on sound lines even if those should necessitate a separation from a possibly again demoralized University, though we all hope that will not be necessary.[2]

Mr. Pedler's note gives what may, I suppose, be regarded as the historic reasons for the fact of which all concerned are only too painfully aware, viz., the hopeless unsuitability of the present site and buildings of Presidency College to the purpose for which it presumably exists. Its bare, unfitted, and untidy rooms can only help to encourage that slovenliness which seems to come peculiarly easy to the Bengali and perhaps to many other students, if not constantly corrected and discouraged. Our present very limited means of counteracting the physical evils of the Indian climate seem to entail the necessity of keeping large doors wide open, on at least two sides of every room which we wish to have well ventilated, during a great part of the working year. Many of the lecture rooms in Presidency College, thus of necessity kept open, are so situated that they are constantly being passed and repassed by students and teachers in the ordinary course of their necessary moving from one part of the college to another. Indeed the college is so near to two streets that in nearly half its rooms it is often difficult for a professor to make himself heard, even after he has had to close windows in direct violation of sanitary laws and against the protest of his own olfactory senses. On some occasions the whole neighbouring bazar echoes to a marriage feast quite above and beyond the more ordinary noises of the streets. These are only some of the more general and obvious defects of Presidency College as it is at present and in respect even of the kind of work that it has up till now attempted. A complete catalogue of its nuisance and shortcomings would probably be only tedious.

They are, as it seems to me, in themselves sufficient to justify the removal of the college to a new site, where a fresh start can be made on lines and plans that are approved

[1] The future of higher education will also be much affected by the organisation of the Education Service It is my firm conviction that men are more important than bricks and mortar, and that the most important man in Presidency College is its Principal. He must be a leader in educational matters, and his duties on the social side are by no means insignificant. At the same time he cannot, *ex-officio*, control the whole University without apparent injustice to other Colleges, though if he is the right sort of man, he must profoundly influence it. But if the University is to be kept continuously on the straight path of honesty and efficiency it would require a "Principal" (like Professor Rücker in London University) or a Vice-Chancellor who gave the greater part of his time to its affairs and was therefore practically *ex-officio* Director of Public Instruction. This would naturally arise with the development of the post of Assistant Director of Public Instruction as head of the primary and secondary education in the province. This is practically the present arrangement, but its value would be greatly enhanced by a recognised permanency.

[2] The College should, for instance, refuse to recognise two different science courses (for B A. and B.Sc., respectively) such as have been in the old University. I understand, however, that the Committees of the new Senate have recognised that science teaching must be to the same extent scientific whether its recipient aspires to be called B.A. or B.Sc. (*cf.* Mr. Pedler's note, middle of page 2).

by those most likely to know. Even to meet these general defects every detail of the new design must be very carefully scrutinised. It will obviously not suffice to take a design intended for Europe and plant it in its Western simplicity in India. Nor will it on the other hand, do to take an Indian design intended for an office or a barrack and call it a college. I am doubtful if the proper lines have yet been struck combining the requirements of a college with those of the Indian climate. This is more particularly true of science laboratories where the educational requirements are of a very special character. It is one of the minor points in favour of the suggestion to house several of the natural sciences separately. A suitable arrangement of such institutes (if I may adopt the German word) in the same compound would make it possible greatly to diminish the interference which each department suffers from the perfectly legitimate, but often most disturbing movement of students to and from the other departments of the college. It would also allow of a certain amount of invaluable experimenting as to details of construction by the individual professor concerned each with the designing of his own institute. I am one of those unfortunate heretics who cannot believe in one individual or group of individuals, arriving at once at the final and the absolutely "best" solution of any problem that arises in actual life. Each professor - if he is worthy of the name—will have his own ideas as to the most suitable plan; and even though a professor, he may be pardoned for some of the weaknesses to which flesh is heir, and in particular for taking an innocent pride in carrying out his own individual ideas to a conclusion on a consistent plan. For it does not by any means follow that because there is an element of real value in each individual scheme that that element will be alone, or at all, preserved by a departmental hash of it and half-a-dozen other, perhaps quite inconsistent, schemes, though each separately capable of being carried to a successful, and perhaps very valuable, conclusion by its own inventor. What I have tried to indicate here in particular relation to buildings I have already hinted at in a less material and tangible sense in my note of 3rd April 1905. Such suggestions, if they are not utterly resented as "revolutionary" (and I personally feel sure that no Western education will be incorporated into Indian life without a revolution from past methods of routine and hum-drum), are apparently open to the objection that it would never do in India to work on lines which depended for their success on the life of, or even on the continued occupation of the same post by one officer. I cannot indeed restrain the hope that some arrangement will shortly be made to obviate the present insecurity of tenure of professorial chairs in Government colleges in Bengal. I am confident that the general outlines of the arrangements which I indicated in my official note as those by which this could be achieved are entirely practicable. If the Government colleges were given a full four months' vacation, I believe no professor who was really interested in his work (which implies that he is allowed enough liberty to develop such an interest) would ever wish to go on furlough, and then only for long periods which would enable him to work up some special development of his subject, or of educational problems; and also allow of a *locum tenens* being brought from England if none of his own subordinates were capable[3] of carrying on the work of his institute. The other disturbing influence, viz., that due to breakdown of health, as I have also pointed out, is likely to be greatly diminished by the said four months' vacation during the most unhealthy part of the year; and the accident of death is liable to happen anywhere and has happened several times within my own experience of science schools being built up by comparatively young men[4]. Such a misfortune is sometimes irreparable, but not necessarily so, if another good man can be got to fill the vacant chair. My point is that a school which is to exert a deep influence on its disciples must have a consistent plan—a "Lehrgeist"—a spirit of its own. A new man coming into charge of such a school, if he does not entirely agree with the plan of his predecessor, will at least be enabled to recognise that there was an intelligible plan, and he will be able to exercise and prove his own ability by grafting his new ideas on to those belonging to the past history of the institute so as to continue its development for good. But what I want to insist on, with all the emphasis at my command, is that the first essential of real education, of the real life of a school, is the *man* who controls it and that he must not be smothered by, or lost in, the official.

The preceding remarks apply generally to all the instructive work of the college. I now proceed to specialise somewhat the requirements of each of the departments.

Arts.—On what may be conveniently grouped together as the Arts side the demands of philosophy, literature, languages, history, political economy and mathematics are generally more humble and on a less expensive scale than those of the natural sciences; but even they would seem entitled to clean and suitably furnished lecture rooms and to their share of a very much expanded library. Such renovation and expansion can be very much better carried out on a new site than by any attempt at patching the present uncomfortable building, though of course the discrepancy between the present accommodation

[3] His incapacity must, of course, not be forejudged by any colour prejudice, or service rule depending on the particular portion of the globe in which he happend to have obtaind his appointment.

[4] An example of this was the premature death of Clerk Maxwell at the Cavendish Laboratory where the work was carried on by Lord Rayleigh until the right man was found in Professor J. J. Thomson. It is J. J. Thomson, allowed complete freedom of control, and not any extravagant fitting of the Cavendish Laboratory which makes the Cambridge school of chemical physics perhaps the only science school in England which is really envied, and with reason, by German scientists—who are in general allowed so much more freedom in the development of their own institutes, and which attracts students capable of really first-class work from all over the world.

nd that required for the efficient carrying out of that side of college work is not t all of the same order of magnitude as what we shall find in the science laboratories.

Astronomy.—In connection with mathematics the claims of astronomy have already een very fully recognised, and the most expensive parts of its outfit can be readily emoved without loss or damage to a new site and with the not insignificant gain of a learer atmosphere to look through.

Physics.—It is when we pass on to physics that we find the greatest deficiency and isorganization owing to its apartments being scattered in a quite chaotic disorder over the ollege. Its laboratories are also, in themselves, individually almost as unsuitable to their resent purpose as it is easily possibly to conceive. They are hopelessly cramped and overrowded, not only by the large number of students which have to be admitted, but also by he number of often antagonistic functions that they are required to provide for. It would vertax the most inventive genius to make a really satisfactory physical institute on the resent site short of pulling down half the present building, and even then the traffic in the treet would be a constant source of disturbance to instruments with delicate suspensions, nd the very close proximity of the electric trams would always preclude the use of a large nd important class of electrical and magnetic apparatus. I feel there is no possibility of noring, nor use in attempting to disguise, the fact that a new and properly equipped hysical institute including a large lecture theatre will be a very expensive item in the new llege. When I say "properly equipped" I think I should make it clear that I am very lly aware of the extravagant evil of filling every corner of a new laboratory at once with l sorts of costly apparatus (as may sometimes be seen in Germany). There is, as a matter fact, already some excellent apparatus in the physical laboratory. But it is just in some the staple requirements of physical science that the Presidency College is so deplorably anting at present (*e.g.*, a well-equipped workshop and a large battery of storage cells). uch things are unfortunately costly, but they are also absolutely necessary.

Chemistry.—I am sorry not to be able fully to share in Mr. Pedler's apparent enthusiasm for our present chemical laboratory in the Presidency College. It is indeed very substantially fitted (in some respects), and perhaps if one had not to try to squeeze at least double the proper complement of students into its inelastic benches, one might have less grounds for grumbling. Our too small chemical lecture rooms are also very inadequate and by no means comfortably equipped. All our rooms suffer from the same congestion of conflicting purposes that I have noted in connection with the physical department. The chemical wing has, however, the advantage of being a wing with all its component members adjacent; but on the other hand it is certainly the worst wing in the college for disturbance from the streets that run close round two sides of it.

In most German Universities there are now four separate institutes for the different branches of modern chemistry. Probably two is as much as we could at present expect in Calcutta—one specially for physical and inorganic chemistry and the other for organic chemistry. With the approaching development of chemical industries in India, applied chemistry would gradually grow out of organic chemistry, and therefore it might be the most convenient and natural division to juxtapose inorganic with physical chemistry.

Biology.—One hesitates to plunge into the advocacy of the claims of biology for fear of unwittingly assisting a possible injustice to vested interests, but yet in anything approaching to a complete review of what work should be provided for in a new Presidency College one cannot possibly neglect the very great importance of biology. We must keep constantly in mind that our ultimate object is the awakening of India to the progressive spirit and scientific knowledge of the West. For such a stirring up to be more than surface deep we must look forward to the future extending of it to the masses of the people through their schools. As I shall presently more fully explain, I look upon science as distinctly the most certain and the most powerful instrument of the hoped for awakening. The cost of such a programme will always be one of its most serious drawbacks in the eyes of a properly economical Government keeping a careful hand on the strings of the public purse. Hence it is not without interest to note that elementary biology, and especially botany: can be far more cheaply taught in primary and secondarp schools than chemistry and physics. This will be seen to be especially fortunate when it is further pointed out that biology—or let us say botany for definiteness' sake—has an even greater educational value for children and beginners than the other sciences. Even the stupidest teacher can scarcely avoid printing out the true connection between observation and deduction, between experiment and theory, when he starts on the teaching of biology. Botany further combines all the advantages of a simple nature study, developing a love for and a sympathy with the surrounding world, to say nothing of its technical value to an agricultural people. The new University syllabus is, I understand, going to recognise the importance of botany in the schools by admitting it as a subject in the Entrance Examination. The same remarks apply to physiology on whose teaching in schools the medical profession is insisting at home, and a spread of the knowledge of the laws of health is certainly not less desirable in Bengal than in England.

So there ought if there is to be any material progress, very soon to be a considerable demand for teachers of biology. It is obviously to the advantage of the commonwealth that such teachers should be educated at Presidency College under the best professors available. It is here that biology has a second great advantage. Chemistry and physics can be pursued at any place with facility and advantages which vary inversely as the distance of that place from Cambridge or Berlin, and hence the often recurring difficulty

of the Secretary of State for India in finding suitable professors of these subjects who are willing to come out to India. But the *flora* of England and the *fauna* of Germany are known down to within almost measurable distance of the "ad infinitum" of the "other fleas" that "bite 'em," whereas in these fields India presents an unlimited prairie of practically virgin soil to work in. There are many students[5] of biology—real, enthusiastic workers—who would be delighted at an opportunity of coming out to India, to be able to spend their vacations gathering grasses, or grass-hoppers, among the Himalayas, and these are just the men required to teach young Indian to work up their country's natural resources, and to spread the gospel of work and science to succeeding generations.

Geology.—The claims of geology are, I trust, in no danger of neglect. A knowledge of it is fundamental in all modern teaching of geography which can be made a most invaluable means of training the powers of observation in schools. A gradual dissemination of geological training will also assist the coming development of the mining industry in India.

Psychology.—The suggestion in Dr. Ray's note that a psychological laboratory should be attached to Presidency College raises a question of the most fascinating interest, and really of the most elemental importance. There is, however, some danger of its being brushed aside as not quite "practical" politics.[6] There can be no doubt that there is indeed a rich harvest awaiting the founding of a school of psychology in India. The only question is whether it is a matter of urgency in connection with Presidency College. It should, indeed, logically have come prior to the starting of European education in India at all. There was and is however, something quite charming in our simple British faith in our own good "intentions," even though our policies have been conceived in the most childlike innocence of the science and art of education, and no one shall deny with impunity that we have accomplished much by the mere honesty of our purpose. But it will very soon come to be recognised that mere innocent honesty of purpose can no longer be pleaded as sufficient "extenuating circumstance," and the mordern world will demand that those entrusted with authority and power shall have used every available effort to find out what were really the most promising means of attaining the desired ends. Education is now more or less of a science as well as an "art" and the scientific educationist must be forgiven if he would like to know something fairly definite about his material before he starts to educate it. Hence there is a magnificent field for a special school of psychology in India, and that school would most naturally and properly be attached to a scientific training school for teachers. Such a school is urgently required, even from the most narrowly "practical" point of view, in India, and I think it would not be unnatural for such a school to find its location in Bengal. (I understand there is already an education degree at the Punjab University.) To establish any claim to being really scientific such a school would require a number of chairs of the kindred and allied sciences, and I can well appreciate the reluctance of the Government of Bengal to launch on another big scheme when it has already the Presidency College and the Model College at Ranchi (to say nothing of Dacca and the Engineering College) on its hands. But I think it is not too much to expect that we may be allowed to look forward to such an institution in the not far distant future. It would ultimately and essentially be a self-contained college independent from, though of course correlated with, Presidency College. But as a preparation for that consummation I should like most earnestly to commend to Government the suggestion of founding a psychological laboratory in connection with Presidency College. And I should like again to insist that the most essential part of such a school is its professor, and that therefore the Government of Bengal would be well advised to found a chair of psychology, which would attract some keen worker from Europe—such as there are plenty, for instance, at Cambridge, and doubtless at other British Universities too. It is not as much (or perhaps at

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[5] I think I may take it as universally admitted that the best teachers are themselves students, and in fact then must, and well, continue to be so, just so long as they keep abreast of their subjects. In Germany, and now in England too, professors are judged solely by their capacity for carrying on original research; and this mode on selection is found to serve admirably. One would have thought, *a priori*, that it were possible to let a man learn all that is to be learnt about a subject, and then to train him how to impart that knowledge, put him in a professory chair, and as soon as started, he would be able to pour forth a perfect flow of wisdom. As a simple matter of experience, the freshest and most inspiring teachers are those who have a living love for their subject, and testify to it by a continuance of the devotion of their student days.

There is another aspect of the question which is really the most important. The claim of science as a subject of education rests entirely upon the value of the *scientific method* which is simply the method of research. Everyone is familiar with the way in which each Arts subject in turn claims to be called a science as soon as its devotees begin to discover that true progress can only be made by a substitution of the investigation of actual facts and first-hand authorities for the arm-chair flights of the literary imagination that used to satisfy even so-called historians. There are, however, still many difficulties in the way of the scientific teaching of arts subjects in India, and perhaps one should be satisfied if it is possible to introduce even a little scientific teaching of science subjects. Up to the present, I am afraid, the trifling attempt that has been made to spread a knowledge of science has been in the old pedagogic way. (Perhaps some of the very slow progress of science in India must be attributed to these utterly faulty methods.) The essential thing is that the next generation of teachers must be trained to observe and investigate nature and [illegible]

[illegible] so anyone is now as a catalogue, or useful knowledge. But as a m[illegible] inculcating an adaptable habit of mind which is is ready for all the emergencies of modern progressi

I want also to advance on behalf of science the claim that it is the most truly international of a education. I shall have to enlarge later on the difficulties of imparting a foreign social culture. There two ways of teaching Sanskrit and many Indians are prepared to defend their old traditional method. The national varieties of Art and Music are nearly as numerous as the nations. But there is only one physics and one chemistry, and we may boldly teach them without any qualms about hurting national susceptibilities.

[6] I have put the word practical in inverted commas by way, simply, of a mild protest. The "practical" Britisher's sneer at German pedantry fifty years ago threatens to recoil in a very practical form on his own head in the shape of successful commercial competition in spite of Germany's serious natural handicaps.

all, except as a recompense for exile) a matter of salary, as of the other conditions attached to the appointment that will constitute its attractiveness to the right sort of man. The important thing is that he should be appointed "Professor of Psychology at Presidency College, Calcutta," and not merely as an official "Jack-of-all-trades." I think it would probably be the wisest policy to appoint the man first and let him be responsible for the designing of his own laboratory and museum. Such a laboratory might begin on a quite small and inexpensive scale, but designed with a special view to future extension as the expansion of the school required it. Professor Küchler has, I think, already mentioned this point as having to be kept carefully in mind with regard to all the plans for the new college. The soundness of the suggestion is obvious, and it is a further argument in favour of building separate institutes, which may be small at first but easily capable of well-adapted additions as these become necessary.

Commercial Classes.—The commercial classes are at present a considerable source of disturbance to the more proper work of Presidency College. When the Commercial course has been thoroughly remodelled and made more business-like, and especially when the fees have been reduced as has been promised, the commercial classes are confidently expected to assume very large proportions. They threaten, in fact, by the mere weight of their numbers literally to squeeze the other students out of the already insufficient space. That is another argument in favour of removing Presidency College, and the new college should I think be relieved of this burden of commercial classes. They cannot be said to have any claims to recognition in a University College. The education they give is little more than a thorough drilling in elementary school-work. These students, paying Rs 3 a month, are evidently aiming at clerical work and have no use for University education. Their presence would also very naturally be resented by students paying Rs. 12, and aiming at something more ambitious in after-life. If the Calcutta University consents to buying the present buildings of Presidency College, a cheaper class of College might be erected in some central part of the town for the special requirements of a Commercial College. If not, the present building would probably very soon be filled with the new classes.

Development of character.—So far I have dealt almost exclusively with the more purely instructive part of college work, that part which has to do with the training of the intellect. There still remains the more purely moral part of education, that which is directed particularly to developing the character of our students. It is only repeating a truism to say that it is not so much what a man *knows* as what he *is* that constitutes the difference between one man and another. It is character far more than knowledge that makes a man a desirable, and in that sense a useful, citizen, and which makes one nation succeed where another fails.

Character is clearly a factor far too important to be neglected. It has been the uniform policy of the British Government to do nothing which could at all be interpreted as a direct interference with the religious beliefs of its Indian subjects. But there can be no doubt that one of the results of our Western education must in many cases be the shaking of those primitive religious beliefs which have been the pillars of society in Hindustan. It is therefore clearly the duty of Government to do what it can to supply the place of those religious guides to conduct, without of course infringing its declared policy of religious neutrality. I am one of those who believe in the possibility of sound education even on the purely instructive side doing a great deal in this direction. There can be no finer test of moral fibre than the carrying through of a piece of honest intellectual work—the worrying through to solution of a tangled problem in some branch of historical research, or of the scientific investigation of nature. It certainly requires and inculcates orderliness, self-reliance, patience, perseverance and a love of truth. It is just as obvious that the mere mechanical memorising of text-books is only a shallow mimicry of education, whose very motto is dishonesty, commencing with partly unconscious self-deception and ending in a scarcely disguised attempt to cheat the examiner. So that no one who has ever thought seriously about education would be surprised to hear that the University system up till now prevailing in Calcutta had not done anything to encourage sound morals. A strange examiner coming in to interfere with work at frequent intervals can scarcely escape being looked upon as a legitimate enemy—as in fact he is. I do not believe that it was possible for ninety-nine Bengali students out of a hundred to get through such an appalling series of examinations as those to which he had to submit himself without resorting to dishonest means—intellectually dishonest first, and then dishonest in every sense. And if we, the instructors—the prophets come from the West—sanctioned such a system, we must obviously sanction the necessary means, and hence dishonesty itself, by a simple train of logic in the student's mind. There is, however, much hope of, as there is much room for, improvement in this direction at the present juncture of University affairs.

There is then also the other side of educational influence, that which appeals more simply and directly to the sociable instincts of our student community. We can already exercise an influence by the force of our example in matters of work. Still more it is hoped may be exercised in a more intimate intercourse between the teachers and the taught in the relations of daily life apart from and outside the intercourse of the class room and laboratory. In recognition of this the Universities Act has indeed laid it down that all affiliated colleges must make some provision for the residence of a portion of the teaching staff in or near the college. This I think is the most imperative reason for moving Presidency College to a more airy place in the suburbs. It would be quite preposterous to ask the Principal and professors to live near the present site in the middle of the Burra Bazar. And this, even

from the more purely instructive point of view, is a very serious drawback to good work. Every science professor is very largely dependent on his laboratory for the carrying on of original work. It is there that he may set an active example of work to all his students and especially inspire his best students who have obtained recognition from Government by the award of research scholarships. But the climate of Calcutta is such that during a large part of the year it is almost a physical impossibility to do any delicate manipulation except in the cool of the morning and evening. Hence it is specially useful to science teachers to live near their laboratories. This need scarcely have been laboured, as it is very fully recognised that it is greatly to the advantage of the whole life of a college to allow its members to constitute a society living together; and I take it that professors' houses will form an integral part of the new college.[7]

One does not like to appear to throw even a little cold water where so much enthusiasm has been stirred up by the prospect of all that may be accomplished by a more intimate social intercourse between professors and students in the playground and the hostel. The subject has been constantly under discussion in the professors' room at Presidency College since I joined its staff. I think most of those who have had experience in Europe do not share the fear that a professor may lose dignity in the cricket field. But the fear is characteristic and its expression by Indian professors is a trifling reminder of how far points of view and standards of conduct may vary. This variation does become of real importance when we pass into the hostel. I think no one, who has listened to our professorial discussions with at all an open mind, can fail to have been struck by the very wide differences that exist between Indian and European[8] views of the relative and actual importance of different moral rules, and far more of the, perhaps at bottom inessential, but none the less dearly cherished, conventionalities of polite behaviour and good manners. I have not heard any Indian agreeing with Meredith Townsend's dictum that the more the two races are kept at a respectful distance in social intercourse the better for the happiness of both and for the future of the British Empire in India. I may claim to have made very considerable efforts to get on to really intimate terms with some of my Indian colleagues and students (as well as with some old college friends at Cambridge), and have succeeded in maintaining a perfectly frank friendship in a few cases. But even in my short experience, I have been struck by how often slight temporary misunderstandings have arisen on what seemed to me utterly trivial grounds, and I have been assured that I have often given pain when I was evidently least aware of it. In fact I believe the problem is a very much more difficult one than is generally realised. At the same time I feel sure that it would be very wrong to put any restraint on the enthusiasm of those, who believe in doing good in this way. And I think we might all contribute something very real towards the solution of the problem and nothing but ultimate good to the students concerned, provided always that each man is allowed to work along the lines in which he believes, only subject to the mildest direction from a Principal of really elastic imagination.

Conclusion.—I must, for very shame at their already excessive wanderings, bring my remarks to an end, without having at all touched upon many of the interesting topics raised by the speeches and notes which have been circulated. I am confident that a sound decision on these matters will be arrived at by common consent.

In conclusion I need only repeat my emphatic opinion that the proposed reconstruction of Presidency College will afford a splendid opportunity of substantial and permanent

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[7] This fact must also be kept in mind in choosing the new site. I do not think that many of the present professors of Presidency College can be accused of an excessive observance of his so-called "social duties" in Calcutta. At the same time there is no very obvious reason why any particular professor, either present or future, should be debarred from mixing to a certain extent in society outside that of the College. And, I venture to think, that in this respect the case of the European professors does deserve special consideration. They are strangers in a strange land, and must be forgiven if they want occasionally to visit others of their own kith and kin. This, I think, is a perfectly valid argument against planting Presidency College far away to north of Calcutta. I have no intimate knowledge of the particular site suggested, but I gather that it would cost a great deal to prepare the ground.

I regard the south side as practically inevitable, and the suggestion of Kidderpore House is an excellent one in every way, if it can be obtained. It is certainly a healthy position and the tram will bring day students from the heart of Calcutta to within a few yards of its gates and yet not render a whole class of magnetic observations quite impossible. The cost of preparing the ground would probably be far less than that of any of the other sites mentioned. It is well situated with regard to such eminently educational institutions as the Zoological Gardens, the Horticultural Gardens, the Meteorological Observatory, the Indian Museum, the Art Gallery, the Asiatic Society, and even the Botanical Gardens at Sibpur are within twenty minutes by boat. Tolly's Nullah might be made use of for rowing and the Maidan has endless possibilities of exercise and fresh air for students.

[8] I have adopted the broad distinction as sufficient for the purposes of the present note. No one will deny that a Bengali boy or any other Indian is less like an English schoolboy than is a French schoolboy. There has recently been a strong movement in France to encourage more power of initiative and independence of character among the rising generation, by an introduction of the English public school system. "La réforme," writes Gustave La Bon, "théoriquement excellente, serait tout à fait irréalisable. Adaptée aux besoins d'um peuple qui possède certaines qualités héréditaires, comment pourrait-elle convenir à un peuple possédant des qualités tout à fait différentes? L'essai d'ailleurs ne durerait pas trois mois. Un parent français à qui on enverrait du lycée son fils tout seul, sans personne pour lui prendre son ticket à la gare ou le faire monter en omnibus, lui dire de mettre son pardessus quand il fait froid, le surveiller d'un oeil vigilant pour l'empêcher de tomber sous les roues des trains en marche, d'être écrasé dans less rues par less voitures, ou d'avoir un oeil poché quand it joue librement a la balle avec ses camarades, ces parents-là n'existent pas en France." Anyone who has been a British boy accustomed to travel alone since he was of twelve years old rubs his eyes. But there it is; and certainly the difficulties of producing such a revolution of character in Bengal are not less than, though evidently very much of the same kind as, in France. Yet, I admit, it does not follow conclusively that we are foredoomed to utter failure in Bengal; but we can assuredly only succeed by a really great and earnest effort, after having throughly convinced ourselves that the object of our endeavour is a right one—in fact the best object possible; and we must be prepared at any time for an outcry in the native press that we are undermining the whole social fabric, as will probably be true. The Bengali student is at present very docile and learns (according to his capacity) whatever we teach him, but there are already signs of the awakening of a national spirit which may at any time burst forth and vehemently resent any interference with their deeply-rooted peculiarities, or "prejudices"—if we are pleased so to call them.

improvement. I agree with Mr. Pedler and Dr. Ray as to the best of the suggested schemes viz., the reconstruction of a complete new college on the best available site. No other alternative is, I think, adequate to the occasion.

I must also repeat that the reorganisation of the teaching staff is of even greater and more vital importance. Our faith in the ultimate victory of education is only an offshoot of the far deeper, inborn faith in freedom, our firm belief that good will ultimately prove itself stronger than evil, and triumph the sooner the more liberty we can allow it. Such a faith cannot flourish in slavery: it cannot be propagated by departmental decree, but only by the free apostles of a real conviction.

J. A. CUNNINGHAM.

The 17th June 1905.

No. A., dated Calcutta, the 17th June 1905.

From—The HON'BLE MR. F. W. DUKE, I.C.S., Offg. Commissioner of the Presidency Division,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department.

IN continuation of my confidential letter of 30th ultimo, on the proposed change of site of the Presidency College, I beg to enclose a plan showing four possible sites. I think that marked A, which is the one I described before, is the best.

Dated Calcutta, the 22nd June 1905.

From—RAI CHUNI LAL BOSE BAHADUR, M.B., F.C.S., Additional Chemical Examiner to the Government of Bengal,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department.

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge receipt of your Confidential Educational Circular No. 9T.—G., dated Darjeeling, the 17th May 1905, with enclosures, asking for an expression of my opinion regarding the proposed removal of the Presidency College from its present site to somewhere in the suburbs of Calcutta, and in reply I beg to make the following observations.

2. The present situation of the College commands so many advantages that in my opinion it would be most unwise to remove the College elsewhere unless it can be satisfactorily shown that the extension of buildings needed for improved teaching of science, for play-grounds for students, for quarters for Professors, and for hostel accommodation, cannot be effected at the present site. From a careful perusal of the notes submitted by the Principal of the College and by the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, forming enclosures to your letter, I am not convinced of the necessity of removing the College to the suburbs of Calcutta as recommended by them.

3. There is no doubt that the present accommodation in the College building is not sufficient for making suitable arrangements for the teaching of different branches of science with practical classes which has devolved upon the Presidency College during recent years by the creation of various degrees in science by the Calcutta University. The play-ground attached to the Presidency College also requires extension. The gymnasium attached to the College may be remodelled on new and approved methods, but extensive grounds need not be set apart for such a gymnasium. A suitable piece of land for outdoor games, such as cricket, football, &c., which afford both exercise and recreation and to which our students are more fondly attached than to gymnastics, is certainly wanted, but it need not necessarily be a part of the College compound. To supplement this accommodation in the College compound, the Marcus Square, which is within a stone's throw from the Presidency College, may be utilised for outdoor games by the students of this College; and a suitable piece of ground may be found out in the maidan and set apart for this purpose also.

4. I have already said that I agree with the Principal that better arrangements should be made for the teaching of some branches of science in the Presidency College, but I fail to see why this may not be effected at the present site. The existing buildings may be extended on the piece of land to the west of the College, which should be acquired for this purpose. The number

of students attending or likely to attend in the near future the different science classes (excepting Physics and Chemistry) is not so great as to necessitate the abandonment of the existing College building and making arrangements for the teaching of each branch of science in a separate house on German method as has been recommended by the Principal (*vide* paragraph 8, Principal's letter). In India, in any College other than that devoted to the study of Medicine, a separate biological laboratory on an elaborate scale will, still for a long time to come, be as an ornamental appendage. Likewise, considering the insignificant number of students who take Geology for their special study, a separate building set apart for the teaching of this branch of science is, at present, quite unnecessary. The physical laboratory undoubtedly requires expansion and improved fittings. A separate building should be raised for the location of the new physical laboratory in which provision may also be made for the teaching of Biology and Geology according to the present requirements of the University.

5. The chemical laboratory in the Presidency College is one of the best of its kind, and, in the opinion of very competent authorities, it is no way inferior to the chemical laboratories attached to many of the British Universities. It is the product of a good many years' experience of one of the best Professors of Chemistry in the Presidency College, and Government too has been lavish in their expenditure for its proper equipment. It could hardly be considered an act of economy and utility to demolish all the structure and raise it anew in a different place. It is interesting to note that neither the Principal nor the Director of Public Instruction has any depreciating remarks to make in respect of the chemical laboratory about its insufficient accommodation or defective fittings to teach Chemistry according to recent methods. Then even if an extension is required for this purpose, it may be effected on the present site to which I shall shortly refer. If the present physical laboratory is shifted to a new quarter, a number of rooms will be vacated which may be utilised for the extension of the chemical laboratory. The removal of the College would entail the sacrifice of the large sum spent recently in erecting the Astronomical observatory, while the same may with much less expense be extended and improved as occasion arises.

6. The question of hostel accommodation for the students of the Presidency College has always engaged the careful consideration of Government, and the Eden Hindu Hostel was established some years ago for the benefit of the mufassal students mainly of this College. It has supplied a much felt want and has greatly relieved the anxiety of parents of mufassal students who were otherwise exposed to various dangers and temptations attending residence in private messes in Calcutta, devoid of all responsible control. If the present accommodation in the Eden Hindu Hostel does not appear to be sufficient and requires enlargement, the hostel buildings may be extended by acquiring the pieces of land to its north and the east. The Hindu Hostel is so close to the Presidency College that it may be regarded as in the same compound with the College. In this connection, it has been suggested to convert the Presidency College into a residential College in accordance with the regulations of the University Act of 1904, and to erect houses for the Principal and other Professors of the College on the proposed site of transfer, in order that they might be in greater touch with the students outside the College hours and thus influence their conduct and character.

7. While fully admitting the advantages of a residential College, I do not consider it to be an unmixed good. There is no influence which helps the formation of the character of a boy so powerfully as good home influence. Reverence to parents and other elders, attachment to brothers and sisters, duty towards other relations and towards neighbours, training in religious rites and exercises, &c., are taught nowhere better than in a well-disciplined home under the influence and example of God-fearing parents and guardians; and one must be prepared to see these virtues ill-developed in a young man early removed from all good home control and placed in a residential College. Instances of young men falling into bad habits in residential Colleges are too numerous, and the dormitories of residential Colleges are too often the breeding places of vices and evil practices which have made many young men moral invalids throughout life. The presence of Professors in a residential College

is hardly sufficient to stop the evil. The visits to Indian theatres paid openly and otherwise by students living in hostels have become rather too frequent—an indulgence seldom allowed by parents to their boys living with them. It cannot be otherwise expected in a place where a large number of boys are brought to live together, drawn from all sections of the community (either too advanced or too backward), nurtured under widely different social influences and family traditions, and practically uncontrolled during their residence in the hostel except by the hardly felt presence of the Superintendent

I would rather stick to the present arrangement of providing hostel accommodation only to mufassal students with facilities for a stricter supervision of their conduct and character, and keeping the College open alike to boarders and day-scholars who live with their parents or guardians in Calcutta and its suburbs. Quarters should be provided for some of the Professors of the College, but all the Professors need not reside within the College compound. Residence in the hostel should be made compulsory in the case of mufassal students only, and optional in the case of students living with their parents or guardians in the town and its suburbs If this modification as to compulsory residence in the College is adopted, the extra accommodation needed will not be very great, and there will be no occasion to remove the College to the suburbs for want of adequate space.

8. There is another objection to the conversion of the Presidency College into a purely residential College. Many of the brilliant students of this College, as in other Colleges, are sons of middle class men who somehow or other manage to pay the College fees and other necessary educational expenses of their boys, but it would be difficult for them to pay the hostel charges in addition. It may be pointed out that the boarding of boys in the family is scarcely felt by the parents as an extra item of expenditure.

9. The present situation of the College in my opinion is an exceptionally good one. It holds a central position in the town, equally accessible to students from Bhowanipur, Kidderpore and Ballygunge, as well as from Cossipore and Chitpur, while it is also within easy reach of students coming by the East Indian and Eastern Bengal State Railways. It is situated on a site which may be truly called the educational quarter of the town. The place is associated with the history of the foundation and growth of English education in Bengal for nearly a century and with the hallowed name of David Hare, the pioneer of English education in this part of the country; it is in close proximity (within a mile) to the best missionary and private Colleges of the city and placed practically in the same compound with three Government schools, the University of Calcutta, and the Medical College of Bengal. It is within reach by tramway from all parts of the city and suburbs. If it is removed to Cossipore, as has been suggested by the Principal of the College, the day-scholars both from the city and suburbs will be put to heavy carriage expenses, particularly during the rains, until the tramways are constructed. Moreover, the site selected by the Principal is open to objection on sanitary grounds. The piece of land has for a long period been extensively used for wet cultivation and will necessarily be damp and unhealthy and infected with malaria, from which no parts of the suburbs, particularly those situated on either side of the Barrackpore Trunk Road, are free. Moreover, the close situation of the cattle-mart of Chitpur will always be a danger to the health of the inmates of the new College and Hostel. If after the expenditure of so much money for the establishment of the new College, it so turns out that the place is insanitary on the ground of malaria, the history of the Sibpur Engineering College will simply repeat itself in the case of the new Presidency College.

10. With the prospect of soon opening a residential College at Ranchi, it would hardly be justifiable to shut the Presidency College against day-scholars. Such a step would in my opinion also prejudice the cause of the Ranchi College.

11. It now remains to be seen if the necessary improvements required for the College may not be effected at the present site. The acquisition of 18 bighas of land on the west and south side of the College, referred to in paragraph 3 of the Principal's memorandum, will in my opinion be sufficient for its requirements. Owing to extensive railway works lately carried on in Chitpur

and Cossipore the price of land in that locality has gone up very high, and I do not think that the acquirement of 300 bighas of land there and the building of the new College and Hostel thereon would, when an actual estimate is taken, be more economical than the alternative proposal of remodelling the College on its present site. I would allot the 18 bighas acquired for this purpose in the following manner:—

	Bighas.
(1) New physical laboratory, including Biological and Geological Departments	2
(2) Extension of the present hostel	5
(3) Building of the quarters for the Principal and two Professors	3
(4) Enlargement of the play-ground	8
Total ...	18

12. The Principal appears to hold that the 18 bighas of land above referred to will meet all the requirements of the College, except in the case of the College being converted into a residential one, for he says in the same paragraph that "even if both plots are acquired, the College would not be residential. There is no possibility of ever having a residential College on the present site." I have already noted my objections against the College being converted into a residential one; if it is not made so, then I think the piece of land on the west and south of the College, if acquired, will be found sufficient for the purposes of its enlargement and improvement. The *bustis* which are situated over this piece of land are very insanitary; every year plague breaks out in these *bustis* and causes anxiety to the authorities for the safety of the inmates of the Hindu Hostel. The acquirement of this piece of land for the purposes of the College will immensely improve the sanitation of this part of the town. The Senate at their last meeting appointed a Sub-Committee for the purpose of acquiring a piece of land close to the University Hall to enlarge its accommodation, of which it is in urgent need. If the University decides upon purchasing the unhealthy bazar on its south side which is so dangerously close to the Medical College Hospital, then the whole large plot of land bounded on the north by the Harrison Road, on the east by the College Street, on the west by the Medical College Street and its continuation north, and on the south by the Champatalla 2nd Lane will be entirely occupied by Government School and College buildings and by hospitals and hostels. It will be one of the most healthy and finest quarters in the town of Calcutta.

I beg to summarise my conclusions thus:—

(1) That the idea of removing the Presidency College to some place in the suburbs of Calcutta is unsound on the grounds of economy and convenience, and that it should not be removed from its present site.

(2) That it should not be converted into a wholly residential College, but that it should remain open to day-scholars also.

(3) That the 18 bighas of land on the west and south side of the College, referred to in paragraph 3 of the Principal's memorandum, should be acquired and devoted to the expansion of the College both for teaching and hostel purposes and for the enlargement of the play-ground.

Note on the proposed transfer of the Presidency College to the Suburbs.

THE old University Act did not contemplate the establishment of residential Colleges, and the Presidency College was not intended to be a residential institution. But there is a hostel attached to it, which provides accommodation for about 280 students, *i.e.*, somewhat more than one-third of the total number (764) attending the College.

2. Apart from providing suitable quarters for students and professors, the present accommodation in respect of class rooms and laboratories in the College falls far short of actual requirements. The deficiencies are outlined in page 2 of Mr. Pedler's note, dated 19th April 1905. Various suggestions have been put forward to remedy them, but before considering them, it is necessary to come to a decision on one important point, viz., whether the Presidency College should be converted into the residential type or it should maintain its character of being mainly non-residential. If the former, then it is obvious that it cannot remain in its present site, but must be removed bodily, as it is impossible to find enough land in the vicinity except at a cost which must be fairly regarded as prohibitive, and there would be no scope left for future expansion.

3. I see no special advantage in removing the College to the suburbs. A very large proportion of the students reside in their own houses and attend as day scholars, and the removal of the College from its present central position in the heart of the Indian quarter would be a source of serious inconvenience to most of them. On the other hand, if residence at the College is insisted on in every case and day scholars are wholly excluded, there is no particular merit in locating the College in the outskirts rather than at a distance.

4. The considerations that should have weight in determining the site of a self-contained residential College are—

(*a*) Open country.
(*b*) Healthy climate.
(*c*) Pleasant environments.
(*d*) Cheap living.
(*e*) Freedom from the distractions and temptations of town life.
(*f*) Room for future expansion.
(*g*) Easy communications.

As regards the suburbs of Calcutta, they have none of the above advantages except (*g*); rather the reverse. Further, the initial cost of land and buildings, though not so high as in the city, would be very heavy.

5. If, therefore, it is decided to make the College residential, the best, cheapest and simplest course would be to transfer it to a place like Ranchi, which has all the advantages referred to above, except in the matter of communication, the want of which should, however, be soon removed.

6. For these reasons the proposal of the Principal that the College should be removed to the suburbs does not commend itself to me. It would be resented by those who attend College from their own houses, and as for those who come from the mufassal, they would much prefer to be in a healthy locality where living is not dear and which is free from the evils of a city life. There is little doubt that if a properly equipped residential College with an efficient staff is opened at Ranchi, the great bulk of the mufassal students will resort to it, and for good reasons.

7. The character of the Presidency College, mainly a non-residential institution, should not be changed, but the present defects in respect of inadequate teaching accommodation should be removed by taking up land in the neighbourhood for the necessary extension and development of the College and for building new and approved science laboratories (Mr. Pedler's B), and if necessary, the hostel accommodation might also be improved and enlarged, though this would hardly be the case, as with a good College at Ranchi, most of the mufassal students who form the majority of the boarders would prefer to go there. I am not aware whether this would meet the requirements of the new University Act in the matter of residence, for if it does not, the question will assume a different aspect, especially in reference to the various private Colleges, upon which no terms could well be imposed that would not be equally applicable to the premier Government College.

8. Nothing should be done to impair the efficiency and high character of the Presidency College. It is the leading educational institution in India and is situated at the main centre of intellectual activity.

There will always be a sufficient number of students recruited from the resident population of Calcutta, who will not require any boarding accommodation. It will continue to be of the type of the University College of the

King's College in London. All want in respect of class rooms and laboratories should be removed, the latter being equipped in the best way possible. At the same time there is ample room in Bengal for another first class Government College which should chiefly be intended for students going into residence. This should also have the best professors and fully provided with science laboratories.

9. I see no reason for the apprehension entertained in some quarters that the establishment of a good College at Ranchi would imperil the status, if not the existence, of the Presidency College. As I have already said, there is ample room for both, and Government should be prepared in the interests of high education to maintain both in a state of efficiency, especially as it is not improbable that some at least of the existing private institutions will disappear owing to their failure to conform to the requirements of the University Act.

K. G. GUPTA.

The 24th June 1905.

Dated Calcutta, the 1st July 1905.

From—The REVD. A. B. WANN, B.D., Principal, General Assembly's Institution,
To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department.

IN answer to your confidential Circular No. 9T.—G. of 17th May, I have the honour to submit the following observations.

1. The proposal under consideration is not simply one for removal of the Presidency College to a more suitable site as regards accessibility and facilities for work. It involves—

(*a*) The transformation of the Presidency College into a residential college both for professors and students, with extensive playgrounds, etc.

(*b*) The erection of buildings on a considerably larger scale and with a more complete equipment.

And it also contemplates—

(*c*) A considerable strengthening of the staff.

These involve a heavy initial expenditure, and also a considerable increase in annual expenditure.

2. From an educational point of view the scheme proposed by Dr. Ray and endorsed by Mr. Pedler is very attractive. It provides for full equipment and for advanced teaching and research in all the branches of study. It provides for students being brought under the supervision of and into constant touch with their professors and enabled to combine physical with mental culture. It plants the college in a site where most of the advantages of country life can be gained, while it is within convenient reach of the great industrial establishments with which scientific education is bound to come into increasingly closer relations; and it is accessible from the homes of the many well-to-do families of Calcutta who will prefer that their young men should not go into residence at the college. (I would remark, however, that this last advantage is purchased at the cost of so far sacrificing the residential system.) If, therefore, the care of the Government extended only or even mainly to the students, numbering 750 or thereby, who attend the Presidency College, I should heartily endorse this scheme, without qualification.

3. My difficulty arises when I remember that there are some 8,000 arts students in the province of Bengal, all of whom are objects of concern to Government. Not ten per cent. of them attend the Presidency College. And there are some 50 colleges,—Government, aided, and unaided—all doing work which the Imperial Government recognizes to be its work. If it is right to expend the large sums indicated in Dr. Roy's letter on one college with 750 students, how much should justly be allocated for the remaining 50 colleges and 7,000 students? For many years Government has been pledged to the principle of grants-in-aid and has contemplated the extension and improvement

of education in Bengal mainly by aiding colleges other than purely Government colleges. Is it prepared to increase its grants in-aid to something commensurate with the very large expenditure contemplated on the Presidency College?

4. It may be objected to this that the Government must maintain at least one "model" college to "set the standard" even though the expense is disproportionately great. But is there not a fallacy here, due to the ambiguity of the word "model" and such phrases as "set the standard"? "Model" may mean "perfect," completely equipped and thoroughly organized, as good as brains and money can make it. But "model" may also mean "set up for imitation," of such a standard as may be at least approximately reached by others. I would respectfully represent that this latter meaning is the meaning involved in the grant-in-aid system, and the recognition, now universal, of the responsibility of Government for the whole condition of education in the country. There should be some reasonable proportion between the amount spent on the "model" college and the amount granted to other colleges, otherwise how can they make it their "model?" Well-qualified teachers, well-equipped laboratories, hostels, and playing-grounds are needful or helpful for all students, and not for ten per cent. only; but without liberal Government aid they are impracticable, and especially so in Calcutta. Without such aid, the carrying out of the proposed change in the Presidency College would mean the establishment of one really first-rate college, and the relegation of all others to a hopelessly second or third-rate position. Such a result cannot be contemplated with equanimity by those interested in other colleges, or, I venture to say, by a Government which takes a full view of its responsibilities in the matter of education.

5. It may still be urged that the Government cannot consent to keep its principal college permanently below the level of a good European college because of the difficulty or impossibility of raising all the colleges in Bengal to that level; that, in short, the Government should have at least one "model" institution in the first sense I have indicated, as good as money and brains can make it. And to this I heartily assent. But I would urge the absolute necessity of concurrently placing the grant-in-aid system on a most liberal basis, unless collegiate education outside the Presidency College is to be degraded in proportion to the raising of the standard of equipment within that college.

6. I would further urge that the fees payable at the remodelled Presidency College should be raised, in consideration of the increased annual expenditure, and of the great initial expenditure. If a first-rate residential college with playing-grounds, &c., is provided, the beneficiaries ought to pay a considerable part of the expense. Otherwise a great gift will be made exclusively to sons of the well-to-do from the taxation which includes the poorest.

7. I would also urge that no special advantages should be held out to scholarship-holders, but that they should have to pay their way like others. It is not simply the desire to continue to have some men of first-rate ability in our own college, but also the conviction that undue concentration of the best men is not in the interests of education, which makes me urge this. In our educational system, with many colleges affiliated to the University, it would be fatal to hopeful and inspiring teaching if one college not only possessed an incomparable equipment, but also drew in all, or nearly all, the best men. To be condemned to teach only the second-rate would be disheartening to the teachers; and to feel that they were studying in a hopelessly inferior college would prevent any *esprit de corps* from arising among students. A healthy spirit of emulation among the affiliated colleges is a great help both to teachers and to students in a University like ours; but if the colleges cannot enter upon competition on something like equal terms, this emulation is impossible.

8. I recognize, however, that in some respects Government must concentrate efforts on one institution, *e.g.*, in promoting research work, in providing for the highest teaching (personally, I should be willing to see all above the B.A. and B.Sc. concentrated), and in affording instruction in those branches of study, both in science and arts, for which only a handful of students offer themselves. It would be unreasonable to expect Government to fritter

away its funds in aiding many institutions to do badly what could be done in one institution well. I have used the word "institution" advisedly; for in my opinion it would be much more satisfactory to do as much as possible on those lines in connection with the University rather than in connection with the Presidency College, so long as that is a college competing with other colleges on nominally the same footing.

I would therefore finally suggest that Government should carefully consider how the large expenditure they are evidently prepared to make may be made helpful to the largest number of students and to the work of the University as a whole.

Dated Calcutta, the 8th July 1905.

From—Dr. E. Denison Ross, ph.d., Principal, Calcutta Madrasah,
To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department.

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your Education Circular No. 9T.—G., dated the 17th May 1905, and of the papers connected therewith, on the subject of the proposal for the removal of the Presidency College to a better site in the suburbs of Calcutta.

There can be no two opinions as to the advantages which would accrue to the institution by the acquisition of more extensive premises, and the question from this aspect has been fully dealt with in the correspondence enclosed with your letter.

If the enlargement of the premises is not practicable in the present site, and it is decided to remove the college, I have only to remark that the site suggested by Dr. P. K. Ray, namely, the Dum-Dum Road, seems to me the most suitable that could be found.

However, the manner in which the removal of the college to the outskirts of the town would affect the students is a question not so easily disposed of, and the following difficulties present themselves to my mind:—

(1) If it is not residential at all, of course it will be of no benefit to students, as, apart from the long distances they will be obliged to journey, they will still be returning to their homes in the evening, and be subjected to all the temptations of a large town.

(2) For the same reasons, if the college is only partly residential, I cannot see how it will attract boys living in Calcutta.

(3) If it is to be wholly residential, will it not seriously endanger the Ranchi scheme? Moreover, will it in any case attract Calcutta students? Will they care to live in a hostel three miles out of town, when they have the alternative of living with their parents or guardians and attending one or other of the private colleges which are so plentiful in Calcutta?

It seems to me that if Presidency College is wholly residential in its new site, it will attract only mufassal students.

But though it is very much to be desired that the best possible conditions of student life be offered to undergraduates coming from distant parts of Bengal, I am under the impression that the Presidency College is primarily intended for the citizens of Calcutta, whose sentiments have been voiced in the speech delivered in the Bengal Council by the Hon'ble Bhupendra Nath Bose.

Dated Calcutta, the 15th July 1905.

From—Khan Bahadur Seraj-ul-Islam,
To—The Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department.

With reference to your letter No. 9T.—G., dated the 17th May 1905, calling upon me for an expression of my opinion regarding the proposed transfer of the Presidency College to a better site in the suburbs of Calcutta, I beg to submit the following observations.

The tendency of public opinion nowadays seems to be in favour of a residential college with healthy hostels attached, and with extensive recreation grounds, at a distance from the busy bustle of the town and its concomitant evils. The parents and guardians, especially of the mufassal students, are generally afraid of sending their boys to Calcutta for education by reason of the various dangerous attractions and evils to which they might fall victims. I think the present site of the Presidency College is objectionable on various grounds. There seems to be a consensus of opinion as to the desirability of removing it to a better site in the outskirts of Calcutta.

There is no doubt that the Presidency College requires improvement to make it a model college. The question is how to do it. I do not think that the mere extension of the college premises and the addition to it of a better staff will be sufficient to effect the desired improvement. No real improvement can be expected by retaining it in its present site. Unless the college is located elsewhere outside the town, the causes of complaint will not be removed. I am therefore inclined to think that the change of site is essentially necessary. As to the proposal of extending the college premises, I agree with Mr. Pedler in thinking that the cost of acquisition would be almost prohibitive.

In connection with the question of removal, the main point for consideration is a *suitable site*. In considering this question, we ought to keep two points in view. The first is that the place must be a healthy one and the second that it must be within easy reach of the town. Now it is well known that the suburbs of Calcutta are notoriously unhealthy. It is of first importance that a residential college should be located in a healthy site, otherwise the whole scheme will fall through.

The site proposed by Dr. Ray may do in the absence of any better place, provided it is certified by sanitary experts to be a healthy one. Objection may also be raised that it is out of the way. The students residing with their parents and guardians within the town will find it very inconvenient to attend the college. Unless it is made a wholly residential college, most of the day scholars will have to reside in the town. Hence is the necessity of easy communication between the college and the town.

In conclusion, I venture to submit one observation for the consideration of His Honour. I am afraid that the establishment of a residential college close to Calcutta may have the effect of interfering with the success of the Ranchi College. If the parents and guardians of the students find a residential college with hostels and other improvements within easy reach of Calcutta, very few of them will care to send their boys to an out-of-the-way place like Ranchi.

Dated Calcutta, the 11th August 1905.

From—Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department.

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your Circular letter regarding the removal of the Presidency College from its present site.

I recommend the removal on the following grounds:—

(1) The College in order to maintain its position as the leading educational institution in the country must be converted into a residential College.

(2) There must be extensive play grounds and room for long walks where the teachers and the student can associate on friendly terms.

(3) There must be around the College and its buildings an atmosphere of learning and quiet, and the students should live as if in a City of their own under the personal jurisdiction of the College authorities.

(4) The surroundings and the approaches must be free from contaminating and disquieting influences.

(5) All this cannot be secured at the present site: it may be extended at enormous cost, but nevertheless the College with its appurtenant buildings will be placed in the heart of a busy and growing City with its manifold distractions and amidst unhealthy and undesirable surroundings both physical and moral. The boys cannot be placed in a big City like Calcutta with only a

small space set apart for the College under the direct disciplinary jurisdiction of the College authorities.

(6) Under the present system, when the boys are only for a few hours in their class room with their teachers, the personal influence of the teachers is wholly lost: he is too much engrossed in the work of teaching to converse with the boys, to attend to their moral needs, to cultivate their acquaintance or to acquire their confidence. Most of the professors do not and cannot know their boys, and the students on the other hand do not know their professors, except as teaching automatons. The professors cannot impart to the boys what is best in them, and the highest and best in the character and life of the students remains dormant and undeveloped.

(7) The association of the students with their European professors will lead to the development of greater sympathy, mutual understanding and respect, and will be politically a source of great advantage and strength to the country, the rulers and the ruled alike.

I come now to the question of site.

So long as the site is easily accessible for day scholars, it does not much matter whether the site is at Ballygunge or Tolla. The latter site will undoubtedly be much healthier: it has the advantage of proximity to the river and the canal, and is intersected by the Barrackpore Trunk Road, one of the best roads in Bengal for a walk, ride or drive. Moreover, most of the students of the Presidency College who live in Calcutta come from the northern portion of the town, and to them Tolla would be a near and convenient site. With the extension of the tramway, which is under contemplation, all difficulties of communication will be removed.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 12th November 1906

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8	7½	Sowing of *rabi* crops continuing. Standing crops ar sugarcane doing well. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	7½	7	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing wel Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	9	8	Weather seasonable. State of standing crops goo Sowing of *rabi* crops going on. Old common ri selling at 8 seers a rupee. No cattle-disease. Fodd and water sufficient.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	Nil	9*	8	Winter paddy, early cotton and sugarcane thrivin well. *Rabi* crops being sown at places. Outturn autumn rice estimated at between 50 and 60 per cen of normal. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattl disease reported from Dantan and Sailabani polic stations.
5	HOOGHLY ..	Nil	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops commenc in Arambagh. Prospects of sugarcane and *ama* paddy fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and wat sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7	7	Prospects of standing paddy good. No cattle-diseas Common rice selling 8 seers at Uluberia. Fodd and water for cattle sufficient.
7	24-PARGANAS	Nil	7¾	7½	Weather seasonable Lands being prepared for *ra* crops, sowings of which have commenced in so places. State of standing crops good. Prospec of sugarcane and winter rice good. Total number persons on relief during the week—Sonerpur 15 Tollygunge 161, Vishnupur 1,348, Behala 17 Canning 535, Mahestala 349, Baruipur 1,65 Fulta 1,008, Mograhat 2,148, Diamond Harbo 337, Mathurapur 143, Kulpi 225, Joynagar 2,45 Dum-Dum 67, Khardaha 90, Barrackpore 30. Cond tion of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
8	NADIA ..	Nil	8	8	Prospects of standing crops good. Sowing of *ra* crops still going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder an water sufficient.
9	MURSHIDABAD	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing wel No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JESSORE ...	Nil	6 15/16	7	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops going o Prospects of *aman* fair. Washing of jute st continuing. No damage to crops by insect High prices and slight distress. Fodder and wat sufficient. No cattle-disease.

* New rice.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
11	KHULNA ...	Nil	8½	9	Weather seasonable. State of winter rice fair. Tobacco sown estimated at about 47 per cent. of normal area and outturn of jute estimated at 92 per cent. Lands being prepared for sowing of summer rice. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	Nil	7 5/8 11 7/8*	8¼ 12*	Weather cold. Standing crops doing well. Paddy crop on high lands, however, suffering. *Rabi* sowing in progress. Rain wanted for *rabi* crops. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
13	GAYA ...	Nil	8 8/16 12 5/16*	9 8/16 13 13/16*	Weather cool and clear. Sugarcane and winter rice doing well. Pressing of sugarcane and sowing of poppy going on in Jehanabad subdivision. Sowing of *rabi* continuing in places. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
14	SHAHABAD ...	Nil	10† 12*	10† 13*	Sugarcane doing well; pressing commenced in places. Paddy doing well except on high lands in Bhabua, Buxar and Sadar subdivisions. *Rabi* germinating. Old common rice selling at 8 seers a rupee at Sadar. Maize selling at 15½ seers at Sasaram. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	Nil	8½ 12¾*	8½ 12½*	Weather seasonable. *Rabi* sowings almost finished. Pressing of sugarcane commenced. 28 men, 131 women, 166 children on an average daily relieved at kitchens from the District Board funds in the Siwan subdivision; 76 men, 149 women, 238 children on average daily gratuitously relieved by the Hathawa Raj. 88 men, 157 women, 73 children on District Board test-relief works in the Siwan subdivision; 95 men, 64 women, 72 children on average daily on Hathawa Raj relief-works. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	8½ 11*	8½ 10½*	Weather bright and cold. Threshing of *bhadoi* finished. Winter rice suffering from want of rain. *Rabi* sowings in progress. Prices of food-grains almost stationary. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	7 11*	7½ 12*	Weather still hot for the time of the year. Sky clear. No rain reported in the district. Paddy suffering much for want of water throughout the district. *Rabi* sowings in progress. In Hajipur potato being sown. Cholera still prevalent in the Sadar and Sitamarhi subdivisions. Common rice and *makai* selling at 7½ and 11 seers a rupee respectively at Sitamarhi; at 7 3/16 and 12 1/8 seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur. Daily average for gratuitous relief 6,047. Figures from kitchens not received. Number of persons on test-work on the 10th instant —Belsand 66, Sursand 397, and Junisaidpur 112. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.
† New rice.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
18	DARBHANGA ...	Nil	6 11½*	5 11½*	Weather seasonable. *Rabi* sowings in progress. Prospects of winter rice unsatisfactory. Number of persons relieved at kitchens on the last day of the week—Sadar thana 2,421, Bahera thana 6,328, Roserha thana 12,270, Madhubani subdivision 2,081, Samastipur 264. Number of persons on test-works for the last day available—Manihas 207, Ujhoul 168, Basaitha 5 3, Ratwara 323, Banipatti 15, Chakmehsi 60, Hathourighat 126, Sakarlohra 320, Gangdah 289, Saleypur 905, Dasauth 499, Balha 158, Tolaparsa 814, Larjaghat 316. No cattle-disease. Fodder sufficient.
19	MONGHYR ..	Nil	6¾ 12*	6½ 11½*	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter rice fair. More rain wanted in Jamui subdivision. *Rabi* sowing going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	Nil	8¼ 11⅞*	8¼ 12⅛*	Weather seasonable. Sky clear. Condition of *aghani* paddy reported to be fair by the Subdivisional Officers of Madhipura and Banka. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on briskly. Cholera reported from the thanas of Supaul and Pertabganj. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Madhipura and Pertabganj. Fodder and water sufficient.
21	PURNEA ...	Nil	6	6	More rain wanted in parts for the standing crops. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on. Prospects of winter paddy not favourable. High prices of food-grain prevailing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
22	DARJEELING ...	0·14	6 11*	6 12*	Weather cold. Hills—Wheat, barley and mustard being sown. *Bhadoi dhan*, *marua* and winter rice in fair state. Terai—Prospects of paddy gloomy. Mustard and tobacco being sown.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	Nil	8 18*	7¼ 13$\frac{5}{16}$*	Weather seasonable. Prospects of all standing crops good. Cattle-disease reported from Deoghur. Fodder and water sufficient.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	10½	9$\frac{11}{12}$	*Laghu saradh* ripening. *Guru saradh* in ear. *Arhar* and sugarcane growing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	Nil	8½	9½	Weather seasonable. *Saradh* in ear. Sugarcane and vegetables doing well. Sowing of *rabi* crops continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
26	ANGUL ...	Nil	11½	11	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice commenced. *Rabi* and miscellaneous crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
27	PURI ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Sugarcane getting on well. Cotton flowering in some places and bearing pods at others. *Saradh* in ear. *Laghu* ripening in some places and being reaped at others. *Rabi* crops getting on well. Miscellaneous crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	Nil	11	11	Weather cool. Reaping and threshing of autumn rice in progress. Harvesting of *urid* in Sambalpur tahsil finished. Harvesting of *til*, *urid* and *jhunga* in progress in Bargarh tahsil. Condition of standing crops good. Outturn of *urid* estimated at 16 annas in Sambalpur tahsil. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
29	HAZARIBAGH ...	...	10	9½	Harvesting of paddy commenced. Sowing of *rabi* in four thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
30	RANCHI ...	Nil	11	10¾	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy continuing. Standing crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from Lohardaga and Sesai thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	Nil	10 11/16	9 15/16	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* approaching completion. Condition of standing crops good. Harvesting of paddy going on. Cattle-disease in four thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
32	MANBHUM ...	Nil	9	9½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. Cattle-disease not reported Fodder and water sufficient.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	Nil	9	10	Harvesting of winter paddy in progress. Sowing of *rabi* continuing. Damage by insect-pests severe in about 15 villages in Kharsawan. Rice selling at 12 and 10 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and Seraikella, respectively. Fodder and water sufficient.
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	6⅔	6⅔	Weather cool. Preparation of lands for tobacco, wheat and mustard going on. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Mathabhanga and Dinhata. Fodder and water sufficient.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—There was no rain in the Province, except in Darjeeling, from where a slight shower of only 0·14 inches is reported. *Rabi* sowings are still in progress throughout the Province. The prospects of the winter rice crop are unfavourable in Darbhanga, Muzaffarpur, Champaran, Purnea and Darjeeling and in parts of Patna and Shahabad. Damage has been done to standing crops by insect-pests in the Kharsawan State in Chota Nagpur. The number of persons receiving gratuitous relief is—24-Parganas 10,876, Saran 788, Muzaffarpur 6,047 and Darbhanga 23,364,—total 41,075. The number of persons attending test-works is—Saran 549, Muzaffarpur 575 and Darbhanga 4,703,—total 5,827. Cattle-disease is reported from six districts. Fodder and water are generally sufficient. Cholera is still prevalent in parts of Muzaffarpur and Bhagalpur. The price of common rice has risen in eight districts and fallen in thirteen districts.

C. A. OLDHAM,

Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,

The 13th November 1906.

TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATION

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Burdwan.	Burdwan	Katna	...	0·37	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·08	0·21	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	0·2
		Burdwan	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	2·14	0·41	...	...	0·32	...	0·04	...	...
		Katwa	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·25	0·25	...	...	...	1·30	...	...	...	...
		Raniganj	0·68	0·05	...	...	...	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	0·03	...	0·20	...	0·0
		Mankur	0·80	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·50	0·48	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Birbhum	Suri	2·52	0·06	...	...	1·16	0·03	...	...	...	...	0·59	0·43	...	...	...	0·14	...	0·10	...	1·3
		Hetampur	2·42	0·13	...	0·02	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	0·94	...	0·01	...	...	0·38	...	...	0·26	0·2
		Rampur Hat	3·70	0·75	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·82	...	...	...	1·06	0·70	...	...	1·00	...	0·7
		Bolpur	0·32	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...
		Murari	2·33	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·02	...	...	1·25	0·2
		Labpur	0·01	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·83	...	0·80	...	...
	Bankura	Bankura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Vishnupur	0·10	0·17	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·02	0·41	..	...	0·03	...	0·58	...	...
		Maliara	0·84	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	1·26	...	...	...	0·10	0·06	...	...	0·0
		Khatra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·35	...	...	...	...	0·24	...	...
		Indas	0·03	0·32	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	0·24	...	...	0·06	...	0·60	...	...
		Kotalpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·41	...	1·72	...	...	...	...	...
		Onda	0·46	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·34	0·14	...	...	...	0·31	0·14	...	0·07	...
		Gangajalghati	0·04	0·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	0·09	...	...	0·23	0·13	0·27	...	...
		Raipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sonamukhi	0·90	0·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·46	0·15	0·21	...	...	...	...	1·36	...	...
	Midnapore	Contai	0·17	0·01	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·17	0·18	...	0·72	0·14	...	...	...	0·0
		Tamluk	0·42	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Midnapore	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·5
		Ghatal	...	0·46	...	...	0·77	...	...	...	...	...	0·58	...	0·16	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·1
		Kukrahaty	0·12	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·33	1·06	0·02	0·01	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Garhbeta	0·49	0·30	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·39	...	...	0·57	...	0·03	...	...
		Panskura	...	...	...	...	...	0·44	...	...	...	...	0·65	...	0·10	...	...	..	...	...	...	2·1
		Danton	..	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	0·66	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·0
		Chandeikona	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·31	...	...	1·95	...	...	...	...
	Hooghly	Serampore	0·30	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	0·1
		Hooghly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	0·34	...	...	...	...	...
		Arambagh (Jahanabad)	...	0·50	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	1·03	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...
	Howrah	Howrah	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	0·55	...	...	..	...	0·57	0·02	0·0
		Moheresha	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·80	..	..	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	1·0
		Ulubaria	0·29	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·3
		Amta	...																			
Presidency.	24-Parganas	Sangor Island																				
		Diamond Harbour.	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	...	0·87	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·3
		Budge-Budge	0·21	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	..	..	...	1·25	..	..	0·5
		Canning Town	1·34	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·40	..	..	...	...	...	...	0·5
		Alipore (Observ.)	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·19	...	0·31	...	0·03	...	...	0·03	0·04	0·0
		Barrackpore	0·20	0·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	...
		Dum-dum	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	..	...	...	...	...	...	0·4
		Barasat	0·08	0·69	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	0·01	...	2·3
		Basirhat	1·70	0·70	...	...	...	1·25	0·40	...	0·23	...	...	0·35	0·55	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·2
	Nadia	Ranaghat	0·01	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	0·76	0·46	0·12	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...
		Krishnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·81	...	...	...	0·05	0·10	0·13	...	...	0·07	...	0·18	...	...
		Chuadanga	0·49	0·10	...	...	...	0·27	...	...	..	...	...	0·05	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	0·0
		Meherpur	0·0	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	1·00	0·02	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...
		Kushtia	0·39	...	...	...	...	0·11	...	..	...	...	0·05	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Murshidabad	Kandi	1·40	1·10	...	...	0·38	...	0·04	...	...	...	0·74	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	0·03	0·02	...
		Berhampore	1·77	0·29	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	0·15	0·1
		Lalbagh	2·48	0·67	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	0·5
		Azimganj	4·23	1·45	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	0·85	...	...	...	...	0·55	..	0·13	...	...
		Jangipur	5·15	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	0·21	...	...	3·60	0·1
		Lalgola	2·30	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	...	0·12	...	...	...	2·30	0·2
		Akriganj	1·88	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·08	0·11	...	...	0·69	...	...	0·11	1·20	...
		Patkabari																				
		Dumkal	1·28	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·40	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·22	...
		Kullyanganj	6·25	0·39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	0·20	...	0·37	...	1·4
	Jessore	Narail	0·04	...	...	...	..	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	..	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·0
		Jessore																				
		Jhenida	0·11	...	...	...	0·0	0·12	...	...	0·75	0·06	0·09	1·35	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	0·3
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		Barh	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Jahanabad	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Sherghati	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	0·75	...
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TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIO

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	Mohanea ...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·44
	Ageson ..	...	...	..	0·04	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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	Ekma ...	0·48	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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	Hathwa ...	0·87	0·37	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Amnor .	0·61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...
	Basantpur ...	0·90	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Darauli ...							...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bhorah ..	0·10	0·56	...	...	0·37	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sripur ...	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·53
Champaran ...	Motihari ...	0·19	...	...	...	...	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bettiah ..	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bagaha ...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Burhurwa ..	1·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
	Ramnagar ..																			
	Narkatiganj	0·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kissoriah ...	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dhanaha ...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarpur	Sitamarhi	0·07	...	...	...	0·02	0·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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	Hajipur .	0·10	0·02	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	0·45	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Paru ...	0·39	0·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mahua ..	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Shuhar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pupri ...	1·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Darbhanga ...	Tajpur (Samastipur)	0·00	0·72	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Darbhanga ..	...	...	...	...	...	0·29	...	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Madhubani ..	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·06	0·04	...	...	...	0·04	...
	Bahera ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·58	0·14	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
	Koserha																			
	Khutonia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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	Laukahi ...	...	...	0·34	...	...	0·34	0·40	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Monghyr ...	Begusarai ...	0·41	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Monghyr .	0·16	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jamui ..	4·25	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gogri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jamalpur ...	0·12	0·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
	Shaikhpura ...	3·27	0·02	...	0·04	...	0·44	0·02	...	0·02	0·02	0·02	0·12	0·03	0·01	...	0·07	0·03	0·02	0·03
	Chakai Ramda	...	0·11	...	...	...	0·06	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chupreon ...	2·85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	0·06	...
	Gidhour ...	1·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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	Banka ...	1·00	0·25	...	...	...	0·18	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·20
	Colgong ...	0·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bansil ...							0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·60	0·11
Darjeeling ...	Siliguri ...	0·02	...	...	1·88	0·21	...	...	0·73	0·16	0·07	0·75	0·08	...	...	10·05	...	...	...	...
	Darjeeling ...																			
	Kalimpong ..	...	...	...	0·02	...	0·22	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mongpoo ...	0·04	...	...	0·05	0·06	0·33								0·66	0·16	...	...	...	...
	Kurseong ...	0·32	0·02	0·55	0·29	0·22	0·06	0·27	0·10	0·01	0·10	0·03	1·24	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...
	Pedong ...	0·03	0·01	...	0·22	0·02	0·11	...	...	...	0·01	0·06	...	...	...	0·78	...	...	...	...
Tibet ..	Yatung ...																			
Purnea ...	Kishanganj ...	...	0·02	0·82	1·15	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...
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	Gondwara (*Korah*).	...	...	0·51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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	Pakaur ...	3·36	0·02	...	...	...	0·74	...	0·28	...	...	0·41	0·22	...	...	0·05	0·06	...	0·06	1·05
	Naya Dumka																			
	Deoghur .	2·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	0·50	1·17	1·07
	Jamtara ...	2·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·10	...	...	1·13	...	0·41	...
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	Nanihat ...	3·06	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·33	0·06	...	...	...	0·56	...	...	0·06
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	Katikund ...	1·72	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	0·65	0·69	0·07	...	0·07	0·35	...	...	5·00
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	Barkope																			
	Bhagya ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·85	...	...	...	0·42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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	Heranpur ...	0·14	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	0·02	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·35		4·70		3 94			1·20	Naya Dumka.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	4	2·67	6·96	1 94	2·20	3·42	0·83	Nunihat.		
												4 50		3 57			1·63	Assenbani.		
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0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			2·14	2·76	1 95	1 19	1·49	0·59	Bonaya.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·70	7	3 86	9·23	3·50	4·32	4·25	0·01	Bathurwa.		
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TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATION

DISTRICT	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Sambalpur	Sambalpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bargarh ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	0·01	...	0·05	0·00	...	...	...
	Padampur (Barasamber).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·60	...	...	...	...
Uria Feudatory States.	Bhawanipatna	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bolangir ...	...	...	...	0·31	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·06	...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sonepur ...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rampur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·62	0·93	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Deoghur ...	0·38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gangpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bonaigurh ...	0·62	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...
Cuttack	Jagatsingpur ...	...	...	...	0·06	0·28	...	0·04	...	0·06	1·50	0·50	...	1·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Banki ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·58	0·03	...	0·06	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...
	Cuttack ...	...	...	...	0 26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	False Point ...	0 70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kendrapara ...	0·23	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	0·31	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...
	Jaipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·04	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dharmsala ...	...	...	...	..	0·16	...	0·30	...	...	...	0·18	...	..	...	...	...	...	0·42	...	...
	Salepur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·90	...
Balasore	Akhyapada ...	0·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chandbali ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bhadrak ...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	1·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Soro ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Balasore ...							0·90	0·43	...	...	...	...	...	...						
	Jaleswar ...							0·04	...	...	...	1·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Baliapal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·10	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	0·40	...
Orissa.	*Kram* (Basudebpur).	0·32	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·86	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tarigaria ...																				
	Banuch ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Angul	Angul ...	...	...	..	...	0·02	0 03	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bissipara ...	0·22	0·01	...	0·16	0·27	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·05	0·12	0·01	0·40	0·01	0·01	...	...	...	...
	Chhendipada ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tekerpara ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·46	...	1·87	0·00	...	...	...	...	...	0 00	...	...	0·0
	Balandapara	0 00	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	0·12	0·53	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·0
Orissa Tributary Mahals.	Baramba ...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·50	...	1·12	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kunjabongarh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dhenkanal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·01	0·54	0·01	0·00	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...
	Baisinga ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	0·85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Keonjhar ...	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Anandapur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Baripada ...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	0·74	...	...	...	0·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Karanjia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	...	2·16	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Narsinghpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nayagarh ...																				
	Pal Lahera ...	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	0·40	...	..	0·30	...	...	...	...
	Ranpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·10	0·76	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Talcher ...	0·33	...	...	...	...	...														
	Athmalik ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hindol ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·34	0·21	...	0·05	...	1·14	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bonai ...																				
	Nilawi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·57	0·27	...	0·04	...	...	0·74	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
	Athgurh ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pur	Puri ...	0·11	0·05	...	0·83	...	...	...	0 53	0·02	...	...	0·75	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khurda ...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	1·19	...	...	...	0·40	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bhaupur ...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	0·69	0·87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·0
	Gop ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·49	...	0·06	0·43	...	0·44	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Satpara ...																				
	Pipli ...	0·10	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·90	0·24	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...
	Kanas ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	...
Hazaribagh	Pachamba (*Giridih*).	1·75	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	0·03	...	...	0·03	0·02	0·02	0·18	0·1
	Hazaribagh ...	0·11	...	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	..	0·23	0·31	..	...	0·26	0·1
	Barhi ...	0 60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·32	..	0·03	0·81	0·05	0·03	0·13	0·1
	Chatra ...	0·11	...	0·34	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·04	...	0·05	...	...
	Kharagdiha ...	1·05	0·29	0·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·49	0·21	0·32	...	0·1
	Ramgar ...																				
	Koderma ...	1·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	1·50	1·1
	Bagadar ...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·70	0·40	0·40	0·10	1·1
Ranchi	Lohardaga ...																				
	Ranchi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·25	0·03	...	0·40	0·1
	Silli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·56	...	0·1
	Palkot ...	1·10	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	2·20	0·70	...	0·20	...	0·1
	Bano ...	0·06	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·24	...	0·74	0·05	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tamar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kurdeg ...																				
	Gamla ...	0·03	...	...	0·22	...	0·19								0·43	1·60	0·38	0·01	0·08	0·33	0·1
	Chainpur ...	...	...	...	0·80	...	...								0·40	0·32	0·24	0·64	0·12	0·36	0·1
	Khunti ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	0·01	0·47	0·02	0·21	...	0·81	0·1
Chot Nagpur	Palamau (*Daltonganj*)	0·18	...	0·51	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·47	0 03	0·1
	Chainpath ...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·1
	Husainabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	...
	Garowa ...	2·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·50	0 65	...	...
	Mahuadanr ...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·1
	Panki ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Latehar ...	0·57	..	...	0·22	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nagarutari ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·1
	Ranka ...	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·1
	Chattarpur ...	0·78	...	...	...	...	0·89	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	0·1
	Bhaonathpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Patan ...	0·85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mayala ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·46	...
	Lesliganj ...	...	0·12	...	0·14	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·1
	Jora ...				...																
	Gara ...	0·18	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	...	...	0·50	0·18	...
Manbhum	Purulia ...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	...	0·03	...	0·01	0·19	0·0
	Chandour ...	0·36	0·03	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	...	0·07	...	0·0
	Rashnathpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	0·26	0·53	...	0·0
	Jambhaidiha	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·0
	Jhalda ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	1·20	0·0
	Jaipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·59	0·0
	Pandra ...	0·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·18	...	0·03	0·56	1·42	..	...	2·1
	Kashipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·30	...	...	..	...	0·17	...	...	...
Singhbhum	Chaibasa ...	0 18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·49	...	0·01	...	...	0·35	...	0·88	0·01	...
	Chakradharpur	...	...	...	...	0·49	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	0·04	0·23	...	...	...
	Ghatsila ...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Baharagora ...	0·34	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Seraikela ...	0 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·01	0·20	...	...
	Kolhan ...	0·16	...	...	...	...	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	0·60	...	0·11	...	...	...
	Dhalbhumgarh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...
	Latehar ...	0·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·22	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	1·23	...	0·0
	Sarakela ...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	2·30	...
	Kasaipur ...														0·66	...	0·66	...	0·52	0·02	...

23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th October.	Average rainfall from 16th October.	Station.	District.	Division.
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...	...	...	...	...	...	0 74	1·75	3·50	5	?	7·61	?	3·50	6·38			*Balsapal.*		
...	...	...	...	...	0·20	0 65	0·38	0·58	8	?	3 94	?	0·80	1·61			*Eram* (*Basudebpur*).		
											?		?				*Taregaria.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	0·45	2·40	3	?	3·30	?	2·40	3·30	?		*Banath.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·31	0·39	8	5·15	0·89	4·33	0·39	0·81	1·20		Angul ...	Angul ...	
0·02	...	...	...	...	0·06	0 16	0 33	0·09	5	5 85	1·84	4·73	0·40	0·65	1·68		Bisipara.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	5	?	1·87	?	0·90	0·35	?		*Chandipada.*		
...	...	...	...	...	0·46	0 72	0·45	...	5	?	3·82	?	1·37	1·73	?		*Tikerpara.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·25	0·15	6	?	1·78	?	0·53	0·57	?		*Balandapara.*		
...	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·10	0·52	0·30	5	6 92	3·02	5·48	1·12	1·30	1·87		Baramba ...	Orissa Tributary Mahals.	
...	...	...	...	...	0·13	0·36	0·92	0·27	6	5·94	2 25	5·24	0·92	1·70	1 72		Kunjabongarh		
0·01	...	...	...	...	0·1.	0·60	0·35	0·84	6	6·30	3·19	4·70	0·84	1·96	1 28		Dhenkanal		
0·15	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·27	0·25	0·55	6	?	2·30		0·55	1·30	?		*Baisinga.*		
...	...	...	...	0·06	0·54	0·39	1·02	...	6	4·11	3·13	2 93	1·02	2 22	1·20		Keonjhar.		
0·52	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·15	0·10	1·35	6	5·11	2·57	4·07	1·35	2·17	2·06		Anandapur.		
0·10	...	...	...	...	...	2·14	1·10	0·36	5	5·64	4 59	4 72	2·14	3 56	1·06		Baripada.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	...	...	4	?	3·46	?	2·16	0·50	?		*Karanjia.*		
...	...	...	...	0 04	0·11	0 53	0·25	0·15	4	5·60	1·10	4·32	0 55	1·10	1·35		Narsinapur.		
										5·59		0·75			2 25		Nayagarh.		
0·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	6	4·67	3·35	3·52	1·00	1·05	0·90		Pal Lahara.		
1·07	...	...	...	...	1·22	1 30	1·40	0·50	8	6 38	7·48	7·10	1·40	5·49	2 02		Ranpur.		
0·04	...	...	...	...	...					4·15		3·19			0 79		Talcher.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·07	0·04	1	?	0·55	?	0·40	0·14	?		*Athmalik.*		
...	...	...	...	...	0·55	1·05	0·72	...	6	?	4·06	?	1·14	2·52	?		*Hindol.*		
										?		?			?		*Boad.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·95	0·78	0·17	5	?	3·42	?	0 95	1·80	?		*Nilgiri.*		
...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·78	0·39	0·85	5	?	3·75	?	0·85	2·05	?		*Athgurh.*		
...	...	...	...	...	2·32	1·35	1·22	1·31	8	7·02	8·08	5·33	2·32	6·21	4·82		Puri ...	Puri ...	
...	...	...	...	...	1·.	0·50	1·00	2·00	8	7·77	7·60	6 85	2·00	4·70	2·71		Khurda.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·66	0·56	1 50	0·32	6	7·50	5·17	7·17	1·50	3 57	3·02		Bhanpur.		
...	...	...	...	4·20	1·35	1·05	2·14	0·04	10	8·00	10·84	7·58	4·20	8·08	3·25		Gop.		
										7 36		7·24			2 03		Satpara.		
...	...	...	...	...	1·72	1·08	0 30	4·50	9	6·67	10·06	6·00	4·50	7·30	2·26		Pipli.		
...	...	...	...	...	1·10	2·15	2·86	...	4	?	6·97	?	2·86	6·97	?		*Kanas.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 10	0·75	6	3·94	4·18	3·04	1 75	1·40	1·24		Pachamba ... (*Giridih*).	Hazaribagh	Chota Nagpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	1·25	8	4·48	2·74	3·31	1·25	1·06	1·18		Hazaribagh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·46	6	3·75	2·80	3 15	0·81	1·06	1·28		Barhi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...		...	0·38	4	3 81	1·94	2·65	1·04	1·47	0·86		Chatra.		
...	...	...	...	...	...		...	0·43	8	4·00	3·29	2 77	1·05	1·50	0·91		Kharaxdiha.		
										4·00		3 90			1·14		Ramgur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	5	?	4·50	?	1·30	3·38	?	*Koderma.*		
													?			?	*Bagodar.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·26	1·09	6	4·41		2·45			1·98	Lohardaga ...	Ranch. ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	0·31	1·47	6	4·35	2·99	2·90	1·09	2 85	1·03	Ranchi		
											3·27	3·52	1·75	1·47	3·52	0·52	Silli.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·60			3 20		2·81			0·77	Palkot.		
1·15	...	...	...	...	...	1·20	0 76	0·12	4	?	3·10	?	?	1·50	1·90	?	*Bano.*		
	...	...	...	...	...				4	3·37	3·23	3·09	1·20	3·23	0·01		Tamar.		
										?		?			?		*Kurdeg.*		
										?		?			?		*Gumla.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·32	2·08		3·20		3·07			0·84	Chainpur.		
										6		4·29		2·08	3·51		Khuntl.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	0·34	6	3 06	2·01	2·40	0·51	1·28	0 94	Palamau (*Daltongunj*).	Palamau ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	4	3·07	2·90	2·85	1·45	0·95	1·17	Balumath.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	3	2·25	0·77	2·01	0·56	0·42	1·29	Husainabad		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·16		3	3 00	3·50	2·00	2·02	0·88	0 90	Garhwa.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·50		6	?	3·25	?	1·30	2·85	?	*Mahnadanr.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	?	*Panki.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	0·13		6	?	1·45	?	0·57	0·33	?	*Latehar.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	Nil	?	0·04	?	0·04	0·04	?	*Nagaruturi.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	2	?	3 00	?	1·25	2·00	?	*Kanka.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50		5	?	3·47	?	0·90	1·80	?	*Chattarpur.*		
													?			?	*Bhaonathpur.*		
											?		?			?	*Patan.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	1	?	0·10	?	0·10	0·10	?	*Monatu.*		
											?		?			?	*Lesliganj.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·52	3	?	1·07	?	0·52	0·92	?	*Kerh.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·24	...	6	?	1·48	?	0·43	0·07	?	*Garu.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·34	0·35	6	3·80	2·41	3 24	0·05	2·08	0·98	Purulia	Manbhum	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	2·00	4	4 10	3·00	3 49	2·00	2·31	1·05	Gobindpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·11	0 33	1 32	...	7	2·85	3 77	1·72	1·32	3·02	0·49		Raghunathpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·41	0·85	...	0·11	3	4·00	1·43	2·10	0·85	1·43	0·75		Barabhabhum		
...	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·38	1·30	...	5	3·00	3·35	2 71	1·30	3 15	0·76		Jhalda.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	2·24	0·76	...	3	3·81	2·24	1·53	2·24	3·28	0·81		Chas.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0 15	1·85	...	5	4·44	3·07	2 09	2·30	6·81	1·70		Pandra.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·50	0 40	...	6	?	2 21	?	0·50	1·51			*Manbazar.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·41	0·71	1·20	8	4 10	4 42	2·18	1·20	3·74	1·03		Chaibassa	Singhbhum ...	
...	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·46	0·80	1·58	7	4 00	3·05	2 54	1·58	3·39	0·78		Chakradharpur		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0 78	1·20	...		3·60		3 21			0 90		Ghatsila.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	1·06	1·24	0·52	5	4 38	4·01	3·03	1·24	3·52	1·21		Baharagura.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·27	0·14	5	2·00	1·31	2·17	0·48	0·74	0 69		Gaikura.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·70	1·00	0·30	7	3·88	3·10	3 88	1 00	2·11	1·68		Kalikapur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·25	4	2·53	1·35	1·85	0·25	1·05	0·26		Mosaharpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·34	0·29	0 38	7	?	3 56	?	1·23	2·24	?		*Kathari.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·60	0·46	7	?	4·45	?	0·30	4·04	?		*Serahdiha.*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·35	0·61	6	?	3·77	?	0·52	3·14	?		*Khorsoea.*		
																	Jaldhagarh.		

DISTRICT RAINFALL TABLE OF THE PROVINCE OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1906.

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	District Observations. Rainfall. Of month. Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation from mean.	Number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.	Since 16th October 1906. Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation.	Mean number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	5·15	3·35	+1·80	7·40	4·17	3·20	1·22	+1·98	4·00	1·42
		Birbhum ...	6·09	3·52	+2·57	7·50	4·08	1·95	1·15	+0·80	4·38	1·38
		Bankura ...	4·80	3·15	+1·15	6·78	4·00	1·28	1·11	+0·17	4·11	1·45
		Midnapore ...	6·23	4·41	+1·82	7·25	4·99	4·59	1·73	+2·86	4·00	1·62
		Hooghly ...	5·39	3·92	+1·47	6·33	5·11	3·76	1·27	+2·49	4·00	1·73
		Howrah ...	6·13	3·79	+2·34	6·00	3·19	5·16	1·22	+3·94	4·67	1·72
	Presidency ...	24-Parganas ...	6·58	5·21	+1·37	7·14	5·78	4·87	1·99	+2·88	4·43	1·96
		Calcutta ...	5·50	3·87	+1·63	6·00	5·88	4·89	1·10	+3·79	4·00	1·90
		Nadia ...	6·16	4·04	+2·12	6·60	5·00	3·96	1·52	+2·44	3·20	1·71
		Murshidabad ...	6·32	3·75	+2·57	6·50	4·38	2·65	1·29	+1·36	3·63	1·40
		Jessore ...	4·77	4·44	+0·33	7·50	5·29	3·22	1·77	+1·45	4·75	1·93
		Khulna ...	4·56	5·21	−0·65	7·80	5·40	2·20	2·01	+0·19	3·40	1·98
Bihar.	Patna ...	Patna ...	0·89	2·66	−1·77	1·83	3·03	0·09	1·04	−0·95	0·00	1·00
		Gaya ...	1·30	2·27	−0·97	2·13	2·73	0·61	0·78	−0·17	1·45	1·01
		Shahabad ...	1·32	2·61	−1·29	1·82	2·79	0·06	1·10	−1·04	0·00	1·00
		Saran ...	1·13	2·67	−1·54	1·33	2·74	Nil.	1·02	−1·02	0·00	0·62
		Champaran ...	0·69	3·28	−2·59	1·25	2·57	Nil.	0·68	−0·68	0·00	0·60
		Muzaffarpur ...	1·04	2·61	−1·57	1·50	2·47	Nil.	0·85	−0·85	0·00	0·71
		Darbhanga ...	1·09	2·16	−1·07	2·25	2·48	0·04	0·73	−0·69	0·00	0·70
	Bhagalpur ...	Monghyr ...	2·23	2·19	−0·26	3·22	2·85	0·49	0·95	−0·46	1·22	0·90
		Bhagalpur ...	1·90	2·58	−0·68	2·86	2·77	0·91	0·91	0·00	1·00	0·89
		Darjeeling ...	2·15	4·23	−2·08	4·25	4·88	Nil.	1·62	−1·62	0·00	1·56
		Purnea ...	1·72	2·86	−1·14	2·80	3·00	0·24	0·83	−0·59	0·60	0·82
		Sonthal Parganas.	7·19	3·15	+4·04	6·31	3·71	3·98	1·21	+2·77	3·43	1·10
Orissa.	Orissa ...	Jambalpur ...	1·99	1·95	+0·04	3·00	5·25	1·93	0·97	+0·96	3·00	1·63
		Angul ...	1·22	4·53	−3·31	4·00	5·50	0·74	1·49	−0·75	2·50	2·76
		Cuttack ...	6·32	6·19	+0·13	6·88	6·38	4·97	2·33	+2·64	4·38	2·68
		Balasore ...	4·70	5·54	−0·84	4·60	5·75	3·59	1·93	+1·66	3·40	2·20
		Puri ...	8·85	7·18	+1·17	8·20	7·49	6·15	3·08	+3·07	4·00	3·00
Chota Nagpur.	Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh ...	2·92	3·13	−0·21	6·00	4·00	1·65	1·10	+0·55	4·75	1·02
		Ranchi ...	3·21	2·63	+0·58	5·00	3·53	2·88	0·83	+2·05	4·25	1·42
		Palamau ...	2·30	2·69	−0·39	4·00	2·85	0·88	1·09	−0·21	2·50	1·11
		Manbhum ...	3·54	2·70	+0·84	5·14	3·80	3·23	1·02	+2·21	4·00	1·30
		Singhbhum ...	2·59	2·80	−0·21	5·14	3·65	2·08	0·96	+1·12	3·71	1·79

SUMMARY OF THE RAINFALL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1906.

About the middle of the month of October, there was a break in the rainfall. Towards the end of the month, however, rain was received in all the divisions excepting Bihar. The rainfall was below the normal only in the district of Khulna in South-West Bengal, while in Bihar there was a general defect except in the Sonthal Parganas. There was deficient rain in Orissa in the districts of Angul and Balasore, and in Chota Nagpur in the districts of Hazaribagh, Palamau and Singhbhum.

The total rainfall for the month shows a considerable excess in South-West Bengal and Chota Nagpur, and a considerable defect in Bihar and Orissa. Expressed in percentage figures, South-West Bengal received 139 per cent., Bihar 85 per cent., Orissa 88 per cent. and Chota Nagpur 110 per cent. The total rainfall for the whole south-west monsoon period has been close to the average in every division except Orissa, where it was about 20 per cent. less than normal.

Full details of the rainfall registered at each rainfall station in each district of Bengal are given in the accompanying table, day by day, for the month.

The following table compares the rainfall in the four divisions during the month of October with the normal fall, the actual being given as a percentage of the normal. The table also shows the actual falls for each of the previous months of the year, expressed in

the same way, and the last column of the table shows the total rainfall of the past ten months of the year :—

Meteorological Divisions.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	Actual Rainfall of first ten months of 1906 expressed as a percentage of the normal fall for the period.
South-West Bengal ..	467	489	177	3	71	62	94	95	43	139	95
Bihar	81	424	173	6	73	88	104	129	49	85	96
Orissa ...	321	378	73	11	65	86	91	64	78	88	83
Chota Nagpur ...	376	693	192	3	58	68	105	73	83	110	92

The following table affords a comparison between the actual and normal rainfall in the month of October in all the districts in the Province.—

PERCENTAGE TABLE FOR OCTOBER 1906.

Division.	District.	Normal rainfall for October.	Actual district rainfall for Oct. 1906.	Percentage of actual to normal rainfall.	Percentage excess (+), defect (−).
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	3·35	5·15	154	+ 54
	Birbhum	3·52	6·09	173	+ 73
	Bankura	3·15	4·30	136	+ 36
	Midnapore	4·41	6·23	141	+ 41
	Hooghly	3·92	5·30	137	+ 37
	Howrah	3·79	6·13	162	+ 62
	24-Parganas	5 21	6 58	126	+ 26
	Calcutta	3·87	5·50	142	+ 42
	Nadia	4·04	6·16	153	+ 53
	Murshidabad	3·75	6·32	169	+ 69
	Jessore	4·44	4·77	107	+ 7
	Khulna	5·21	4 56	87	− 13
Bihar ...	Patna	2·66	0 89	34	− 66
	Gaya	2·27	1·30	57	− 43
	Shahabad	2·61	1·32	51	− 49
	Saran	2·67	1·13	42	− 58
	Champaran	3·28	0·69	21	− 79
	Muzaffarpur	2·61	1 04	40	− 60
	Darbhanga	2·16	1·09	50	− 50
	Monghyr	2·49	2·23	90	− 10
	Bhagalpur	2·58	1·90	74	− 26
	Darjeeling	4·23	2·15	51	− 49
	Purnea	2·86	1·72	60	− 40
	Santhal Parganas ...	3·15	7·19	228	+128
Orissa ...	Sambalpur	1·95	1·99	102	+ 2
	Angul	4·53	1·22	27	− 73
	Cuttack	6·19	6·32	102	+ 2
	Balasore	5·54	4·70	85	− 15
	Puri	7·18	8 35	116	+ 16
Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	3·13	2·92	93	− 7
	Ranchi	2·63	3·21	122	+ 22
	Palamau	2·69	2·30	86	− 14
	Manbhum	2·70	3·54	131	+ 31
	Singhbhum	2·80	2·59	93	− 7

The following table gives a summary of the rainfall data of the four divisions of the Province for the month of October 1906 :—

Meteorological Division.	Rainfall of month.			Rainy days.			Rainfall since 16th October 1906.	
	Average for the Division.	Normal average.	Variation.	Average number in month.	Normal average number in month.	Variation.	Average for the Division.	Normal average.
South-West Bengal ...	5·63	4·04	+1·59	7·02	4·77	+2·25	2 30	1·48
Bihar	2·31	2·72	−0·41	2·58	2·96	−0 38	0·30	0·97
Orissa	5·55	6·29	−0·74	6·15	6·5	−0 07	4·26	2·43
Chota Nagpur ..	3·06	2·79	+0·27	5·18	3 62	+1·66	2·35	0·99

The 14th November 1906.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 10th November 1906, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 10th November 1906.			Week ending Saturday, the 11th November 1905.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy ...	274	29,237	340	652	69,505	1,049
Jute ...	1,037	2,86,955	4,818	711	2,13,495	3,577
Firewood ...	75	58,550	880	99	98,925	1,509
Other articles ...	890	2,08,213	2,780	907	1,89,997	2,408
Total ...	2,276	5,82,955	8,818	2,369	5,71,922	8,543

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1906-07.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of September 1906.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	Details of areas leased.							Rainfall, 1906-07.		Rainfall, 1905-06.		Remarks.
								Long-term leases.	Season leases.					Grand Total.	During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.	
									Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.						
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
Orissa	Cuttack	Taldanda system	1,342	1,049	800	67,425	60,488	50,593	16,780	...	49	3	16,832	67,425	9·27	43·29	10·28	39·08	Average rainfall of Kulsai, Balia and Jagatsingpur.
		Kendrapara do.	1,985	1,485	1,063	95,616	82,767	79,825	15,811	...	...	...	15,811	95,636	12·07	36·28	8·75	35·91	Average rainfall of Kendupatna, Marsaghai, Kendrapara, Nurtang and Ichapur.
		High Level, Range I	606	453	353	27,275	23,388	24,225	3,013	...	35	...	3,048	27,273	7·74	34·41	8·25	33·15	Average rainfall of Cuttack and Jenapur.
		Ditto, Range II	738	46	40	5,775	5,772	5,770	5	...	...	...	5	5,775	9·03	37·05	12·31	37·06	Average rainfall of Jenapur and Akhoyapada.
		Jajpur Canal	700	178	169	17,825	15,491	14,989	2,853	...	34	13	2,900	17,889	8·41	33·99	13·11	39·89	Jajpur.
	Balasore	Dudhai Canal	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	
		High Level, Range III	728	457	285	44,060	42,190	38,262	5,174	...	180	400	5,754	44,016	10·27	42·42	15·27	38·21	Akhoyapada.
		Total Orissa Canals ...	...	...	...	257,977	230,096	213,664	(a)43,636	...	299	416	44,351	258,015	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	180,877	48,630	...	221	428	49,179	230,056	...	...	...	...	
South-Western	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	276	179	50,822	60,453	49,659	1,546	...	...	...	1,546	51 205	6·65	42·68	9·57	53·09	
	Howrah	Panchkura	522	31	30	3,363	2,414	4,768	357	...	...	...	357	4,723	8·92	56·97	9·64	46·25	
		Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II	...	...	...	54	44	134	...	...	...	...	..	134	5·01	34 00	7·19	52 90	
		Total Midnapore Canal ..	...	...	...	54,239	62,911	54,559	(b)1,903	...	...	...	1,9	56,062		..	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	68,601	5,464	...	...	...	5,4	74,065	...	...	...	...	
	Burdwan and Hooghly.	Eden Canal	1,000	205	190	21,268	24,138	20,905	(c)356	5	...	...	361	21,266	8·68	47·54	11·84	66·41	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	23,553	272	4	...	...	276	23,829	...	...	...	...	

(a) Of this, 43,579 acres re present "Provisional lease."
(b) Covering leases.
(c) Includes 241 acres under one flushing.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED.						Rainfall, 1906-07.		Rainfall, 1905-06.		Remarks.
								Long-term leases.	Season leases.				Grand Total.	During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.	
									Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.					
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
Sone	Shahabad	Western Main	4,342	3,822	290	23,900	23,374	18,379	5,564	...	...	617	6,181	24,560	3·09	29·37	12·19	36·90	
		Buxar	1,226	1,089	955	105,429	101,186	86,701	16,954	...	...	6,489	23,443	110,144					
		Arrah	2,000	1,954	1,750	149,012	171,124	138,431	26,692	...	...	14,562	41,164	179,595	3·44	34·81	13·15	36·07	
	Patna and Gaya	Eastern Main	3,725	3,645		3,120	713	...	...	...	36	749	3,389	3·68	28·12	10·46	45·02	
		Patna	1,466	1,465	1,373	97,563	93,206	71,607	23,762	...	...	6,334	30,096	101,103					
		Total Sone Canals	...	...	...	380,928	393,035	317,628	73,805	...	...	28,085	101,933	419,571	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	343,136	38,049	...	...	25,680	63,729	406,867	...	...	...	...	
Gandak	Champaran	Teur Canal	174	5	4	483	...	...	359	...	..	102	461	461	2·53	65·32	6·94	80·45	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
		Dhaka Canal	396	64	33	1,047	...	...	2,479	...	...	223	2,702	2,702	5·70	63·60	9·83	63·62	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Saran	Saran Canals	Canals closed.																
		Grand Total	...	...	...	715,940	710,180	608,366	122,628	5	299	29,779	151,711	759,077	...	...	...	...	
		Grand Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	618,169	92,315	4	221	26,108	118,648	736,817	...	...	...	...	

CALCUTTA,
The 13th November 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract Statement showing Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works for the month of September 1906, as compared with that of the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	Tollage, 1906-07.						Tollage, 1905-06.					
	During the month.			To end of the month.			During the month.			To end of the month.		
Orissa Canals.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Taldanda Canal System	893	12	3	7,670	14	0	987	15	3	9,327	9	3
Kendrapara ditto	2,043	10	0	13,485	15	2	2,071	12	3	13,587	9	3
High Level, Range I	702	11	9	4,208	5	9	953	0	7	5,988	2	10
Ditto, II	141	2	9	909	12	6	109	11	9	841	8	0
Ditto, III	24	1	9	254	2	5	38	8	9	280	10	3
Jajpur Canal ..	35	0	0	206	12	3	52	5	0	324	13	0
Total Orissa Canals ...	3,840	6	6	26,765	14	1	4,213	5	7	30,350	4	7
Midnapore Canal ...	3,685	6	3	29,141	6	3	5,530	10	0	38,240	9	0
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	7,432	12	3	44,118	8	6	6,074	15	9	38,790	13	3
Sone Canals.												
Patna Canal System	2,455	1	1	11,906	9	7	1,070	1	9	9,610	7	3
Arrah ditto	717	8	3	4,961	2	4	463	14	8	3,535	5	1
Buxar ditto	936	1	0	8,088	9	9	512	6	3	3,270	7	9
Total Sone Canals ...	4,108	10	4	24,956	5	8	2,046	6	8	16,416	4	1
Grand Total	19,067	3	4	1,24,982	2	6	17,865	6	9	1,23,797	14	11

Calcutta,
The 13th November 1906.

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract Statement showing Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Minor Works and Navigation for the month of September 1906, as compared with that of the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	Tollage, 1906-07.						Tollage, 1905-06.					
	During the month.			To end of the month.			During the month.			To end of the month.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Calcutta and Eastern Canals	23,473	10	9	1,15,809	13	9	21,877	5	3	1,22,041	9	9
Tolly's Nala	7,229	10	6	35,258	14	6	7,936	14	9	47,683	8	8
Madaripur Bhil Route ...	18,623	0	6	46,492	14	9	15,747	7	6	32,549	0	6
Total	49,326	5	9	1,97,561	11	0	45,561	11	6	2,02,274	2	11
Orissa Coast Canal	2,841	10	6	17,912	6	9	2,160	3	9	13,591	5	9
Nadia Rivers	2,858	12	11	14,130	1	10	11,534	2	2	45,017	6	7
Grand Total	55,026	13	2	2,29,604	3	7	59,256	0	5	2,60,882	15	3

Calcutta,
The 13th November 1906.

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Abstract of the Results of Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory in the month of October, 1906.

	Inches.	Date.	Hour.
The mean pressure of the month	29·858		
The average pressure of October from 44 years' registers ...	29·836		
The highest pressure in the month	29·998	12th	10
The lowest pressure in the month	29·696	1st	16
The range of pressure	·302		
	Hours.		
The total number of hours of bright sunshine during the month	182·8		
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine ...	350·8		
	°		
The mean temperature of the month	80·3		
The average temperature of October from 20 years' registers...	80 0		
The highest temperature in the month	91·7	4th and	5th
The lowest temperature in the month	67·6	25th	
The range of temperature during the month	24·1		
The mean daily range of temperature	13·1		
The greatest range of temperature in one day	20·1	23rd	
	Per cent.		
The mean humidity of the month	81		
The average humidity of October from 20 years' registers ...	81		
	Inches.		
The mean vapour tension of the month	0·838		
The average vapour tension of October from 20 years' registers	0·819		
The mean cloud proportion of the month	5·26		
The average cloud proportion of October from 29 years' registers	4·02		
	Inches.		
The total rainfall of the month	5·50		
The total rainfall indicated by a Beckley's self-registering rain-gauge (mouth of the gauge about 8 feet above the ground)	3·88?		
The average fall of October from 24 years' registers ...	3·87		
The greatest fall in 24 hours	1·93	31st	
	Days.		
The number of rainy days in the month	6		
The average number of rainy days in October from 24 years' registers	5		
The mean maximum equilibrium temperature of solar radiation during the month	138·8		
The mean difference of sun and air temperatures	51·4		
The greatest sun temperature	152·3	5th	
The greatest excess of sun over air temperature	60·9	11th	
The mean temperature of the nocturnal radiation thermometer on woollen cloth	71·2		
The mean depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature at 4 feet above the ground	3·2		
The greatest depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature	5·0	25th	
	Miles.		
The mean movement of the wind per day	62·8		
The greatest movement of the wind in one day	170·0	29th	
The greatest movement of the wind in one hour	13	29th	7 to 8 A.M.

The number of hours with winds from each of the eight points—

N. 131, N.E. 80, E. 61, S.E. 48, S. 10, S.W. 73, W. 97, N.W. 145, Calm 99.

C. W. PEAKE,

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METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 12th November 1906.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 4th to 10th November 1906.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rains.	Weather.
1906.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inches	°	%			Inches.	
Nov.	4th	139·4	8·5	29·912	76·7	85·7	16·8	68·9	68·1	0·577	63·0	65	NNW and calm...	48	Nil	Clear, ☁.
,,	5th	137·7	8·5	·950	73·9	83·7	16·4	65·3	67·0	·565	62·4	69	NNW and calm ...	60	,,	Clear, ☁.
,,	6th	130·2	8·5	·956	73·3	82·7	17·7	65·0	68·1	·611	64·6	73	NNW, N by W and calm.	37	,,	Clear, ☁.
,,	7th	138·1	8·5	·945	74·5	83·5	16·8	66·7	69·1	·634	65·7	73	N by W, NNW and calm.	38	,,	Chiefly clear, ☁.
,,	8th	133·9	8·4	·942	74·9	83·9	16·8	67·1	70·7	·692	68·2	78	NNW and calm ..	38	,,	Chiefly clear, ☁.
,,	9th	135·9	8·4	·924	75·3	84·3	16·8	67·5	68·9	·618	65·0	70	WNW and calm...	47	,,	Clear ☁.
,,	10th	137·2	8·4	·930	72·5	83·7	21·2	62·5	64·3	·491	58·4	64	NW and calm ...	39	,,	Clear, ☁.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·937
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·931
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	59·2
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine .. , . .	78·1
	°
The mean temperature of the seven days	74·4
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	77·4
The extreme variation of temperature	23·2
The maximum temperature	85·7
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	8
	°/°
The mean relative humidity	70
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	74
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 4th to 10 November 1906	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	0·37
The total fall from 1st January to 10th November 1906	57·19
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	65·12

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

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METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 12th November 1906.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Statement of Goods Traffic in Staples carried during the four weeks ending 28th April 1906 as compared with the same period of 1905.

Staples.	1905.		1906.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes	5,751	5,900	7,531	6,915	1,780	1,015	.....	.....
Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways	1,66,50,601	22,25,032	1,45,58,529	18,84,603	.....	.....	20,92,072	3,40,429
Cotton—								
(1) Raw	1,47,717	63,415	93,206	57,974	.....	.....	54,511	5,441
(2) Manufactured—								
(a) Twist and Yarn, European	2,007	2,339	4,125	5,085	2,118	2,746	.....	.....
(b) Ditto, Indian	36,497	14,056	23,564	8,598	.....	.....	12,933	5,458
(c) Piece-goods, European	1,45,979	1,47,853	1,60,103	1,50,082	14,124	2,229	.....	.....
(d) Ditto, Indian	12,051	10,297	22,103	21,183	9,152	10,886	.....	.....
(e) Others	4,375	4,492	3,241	2,366	.....	.....	1,134	2,126
Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	7,022	5,206	13,329	7,791	5,707	2,585	.....	.....
Drugs—								
1.—Intoxicating, other than opium	388	215	450	233	62	18	.....	.....
2.—Non-intoxicating	13,568	5,544	9,103	4,389	.....	.....	4,465	1,155
Dyes and Tans—								
1.—Al (Morinda citrifolia)	124	19	.....	.....	.....	.....	124	19
2.—Alizarine and aniline dyes	106	107	339	214	233	107	.....	.....
3.—Cutch	2,359	889	3,876	1,711	1,517	822	.....	.....
4.—Indigo	413	490	569	257	156	.....	.....	233
5.—Myrabolams	24,186	6,105	20,471	5,923	.....	.....	3,715	182
6.—Tanning barks	13,284	998	21,372	1,809	8,088	811	.....	.....
7.—Turmeric	20,908	15,487	16,041	11,689	.....	.....	4,867	3,798
8.—Others	8,110	3,958	16,249	7,589	8,139	3,631	.....	.....
Fodder—								
1.—Oilcake	95,085	16,512	1,08,859	23,313	13,774	6,771	.....	.....
2.—Hay, straw and grass	42,129	5,978	51,324	6,380	9,195	402	.....	.....
Fruits and vegetables, fresh	15,093	9,763	28,028	14,988	13,835	5,195	.....	.....
Grain and Pulse—								
1.—Wheat	7,09,785	2,14,530	4,14,741	78,523	.....	.....	2,95,044	1,36,007
2.—Wheat flour	92,872	26,329	1,08,410	31,767	15,538	11,438	.....	.....
3.—Rice in the husk	40,873	3,996	2,32,092	9,209	1,91,209	5,204	.....	.....
4.—Rice not in the husk	5,87,804	90,814	4,32,072	80,414	.....	.....	1,55,732	10,400
5.—Jowar and bajra	12,453	1,481	84,742	16,557	72,289	14,076	.....	.....
6.—Gram and pulse	5,00,336	1,32,761	3,05,280	75,708	.....	.....	1,95,056	56,966
7.—Others	84,920	13,962	1,16,184	23,741	30,264	7,779	.....	.....
Hides and Skins—								
1.—Hides of cattle	82,075	40,875	75,458	45,450	.....	.....	6,617	4,425
2.—Skins of sheep, &c.	60,195	31,361	55,457	25,462	.....	.....	4,708	5,899
Horns	1,495	475	2,269	881	774	406	.....	.....
Hemp (Indian) and other fibres (excluding jute)	1,00,389	22,783	1,01,979	23,289	1,640	.....	.....	494
Jute—								
1.—Raw	34,588	6,453	51,467	9,725	16,879	3,272	.....	.....
2.—Gunny-bags and cloth	1,09,371	80,400	1,41,085	72,228	.....	.....	28,286	17,262
Lac	39,643	22,366	33,965	21,733	.....	.....	5,678	633
Leather—								
1.—Unwrought	2,491	3,188	3,751	4,721	1,350	1,533	.....	.....
2.—Wrought, excepting boots and shoes	527	565	2,589	2,079	2,062	1,514	.....	.....
Liquors—								
1.—Ale and Beer	19,831	5,237	11,925	4,819	.....	.....	7,906	418
2.—Spirits and wines of all kinds, including country spirit	6,203	7,640	7,179	7,807	976	167	.....	.....
3.—All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer	490	115	1,817	528	1,327	413	.....	.....
Metals—								
1.—Brass, unwrought	3,426	2,577	4,704	2,805	1,278	228	.....	.....
2.— Do., wrought	17,342	6,977	23,518	9,716	6,176	2,739	.....	.....
3.—Copper, unwrought	867	430	24	4	.....	.....	843	426
4.— Do., wrought	1,520	1,465	502	281	.....	.....	1,018	1,182
5.—Iron and steel—								
(a) Cast	41,411	20,105	33,155	10,861	.....	.....	8,256	9,244
(b) Unwrought	2,40,352	11,442	2,10,460	11,819	.....	.....	49,902	423
(c) Wrought	1,24,198	51 412	1,05,387	68,608	.....	17,196	18,811	.....
(d) Manufactures of iron and steel	43,040	18,014	67,541	33,145	23,901	15,131	.....	.....
6.—Zinc and spelter	3,664	2,403	6,476	2,052	3,112	.....	.....	351
7.—Others	9,492	11,148	8,567	8,316	.....	.....	925	2,832
Oils—								
1.—Kerosine	2,29,130	73,107	1,49,013	45,088	.....	.....	80,117	28,019
2.—Castor	4,986	1,193	12,063	2,706	7,077	1,513	.....	.....
3.—Cocoanut	6,284	1,888	7,240	2,306	956	418	.....	.....
4.—Mustard and rape	15,428	6,195	33,092	17,373	17,644	11,178	.....	.....
5.—Others	8,711	5,770	8,647	3,863	.....	.....	64	1,907
Oilseeds—								
1.—Castor	53,073	12,349	67,213	16,866	14,140	4,517	.....	.....
2.—Earthnuts	17	11	405	149	388	138	.....	.....
3.—Linseed	2,64,586	17,474	4,75,898	1,14,809	2,11,312	43,327	.....	.....
4.—Popuy	54,963	14,530	80,813	20,365	25,851	5,835	.....	.....
5.—Rape and mustard	6,59,810	1,90,975	4,77,028	1,54,917	.....	.....	1,82,782	36,056
6.—Til or jingli	20,117	4,427	6,310	1,199	.....	.....	14,104	3,228
7.—Others	77,564	13,805	1,03,102	26,671	25,388	12,866	.....	.....
Opium	42,468	33,105	9,452	5,077	.....	.....	32,916	28,026
Paper and pasteboard	33,774	10,887	17,497	11,255	.....	.....	16,277	8,332
Provisions—								
1.—Dried fruits and nuts	10,526	4,806	15,087	7,119	4,561	2,313	.....	.....
2.—Ghee	47,174	36,083	31,281	24,141	.....	.....	15,893	11,942
3.—Potatoes	1,11,513	19,581	1,02 215	27,744	.....	8,163	9,298	.....
4.—Others	79,065	28,916	90,110	33,886	11,045	5,970	.....	.....
Railway plant & rolling-stock carried for the public & foreign railways—								
1.—Locomotives, engines and tenders and parts thereof	1,080	186	10,428	3,527	9,348	3,341	.....	.....
2.—Carriages and trucks and parts thereof	.....	.....	7,862	3,022	7,862	3,022	.....	.....
3.—Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates	81,819	27,332	52,960	13,389	.....	.....	28,859	13,943
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron	34,508	3,423	23,580	2,856	.....	.....	10,928	567
(c) Other sorts	6,84,936	78,669	81,492	15,565	.....	.....	6,03,444	58,104
Salt	7,80,627	1,58,322	5,05,665	1,15,312	.....	.....	1,82,060	43,010

Staples.	1905.		1906.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
1.—Saltpetre	40,133	15,926	53,328	22,737	13,193	6,802	.....	.....
2.—Other saline substances	58,369	15,902	75,201	20,587	16,842	4,695	.....	.....
Silk—								
1.—*Raw*—								
(*a*) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(*b*) Indian	1,582	979	1,538	647	.....	.....	44	332
2.—*Piece-goods*—								
(*a*) Foreign	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(*b*) Indian	283	284	656	383	373	99	.....	.....
Spices—								
1.—Betelnuts	25,103	23,100	18,723	12,560	.....	.....	6,380	10,540
2.—Cardamoms	1,544	1,904	1,128	1,476	384	.....	.....	428
3.—Chillies	28,152	20,377	35,405	24,635	7,253	4,258	.....	.....
4.—Ginger	1,387	583	3,425	1,394	2,038	811	.....	.....
5.—Pepper	3,301	3,145	4,779	5,132	1,478	1,987	.....	.....
6.—Others	31,650	18,645	35,292	19,548	3,642	703	.....	.....
Stone and lime	8,81,580	1,32,275	4,23,028	1,19,524	.....	.....	4,58,552	12,751
Sugar—								
1.—Refined	39,386	15,490	60,480	31,935	21,454	16,445	.....	.....
2.—Unrefined—								
(*a*) Sugar	12,31,988	42,361	2,51,588	71,088	19,600	28,727	.....	.....
(*b*) *Gur, rab*, jaggree, molasses and other saccharine produce ...	3,91,256	30,906	2,70,170	48,497	...	11,591	1,21,086	.....
Tea—								
1.—Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	991	.....	.....
2.—Indian	2,641	1,787	3,542	2,123	901	336	.....	.....
Tobacco	1,23,106	58,876	1,04,382	43,382	.....	.....	18,724	15,194
Wood—								
1.—Timber, unwrought	1,94,353	22,252	1,89,054	27,282	...	5,030	5,299	.....
2.—Manufactures	20,417	7,091	29,639	9,095	9,222	2,004	.....	.....
Wool—								
1.—Raw	5,309	2,193	4,187	2,646	.....	453	1,122	.....
2.—Manufactured—								
(*a*) Carpets and rugs	1,308	1,342	1,674	1,738	366	396	.....	.....
(*b*) Piece-goods, European	196	70	678	311	572	241	.....	.....
(*c*) Ditto, Indian	458	464	554	369	96	.....	.....	95
(*d*) Other sorts of manufactures ...	815	456	1,011	1,051	196	601	.....	.....
All other articles of merchandise—								
1.—Bones	51,294	15,590	1,21,392	34,419	40,098	18,829	.....	.....
2.—Firewood	1,09,624	6,595	1,40,481	8,519	30,857	1,924	.....	.....
3.—Indigo seed	3,796	736	678	121	.....	.....	3,118	615
4.—Paints and colours	1,865	997	2,805	1,310	1,000	313	.....	.....
5.—Seeds other than oilseeds	5,488	1,326	4,755	1,285	.....	.....	733	41
6.—Others	20,75,769	3,33,017	4,54,099	79,843	.....	.....	16,10,670	2,53,174
Total ...	2,79,64,076	40,72,396	2,15,62,393	41,68,276	.....	.....	64,01,683	8,04,120
Military stores	1,39,902	67,904	47,627	63,585	.....	.....	92,365	4,409
Coal for railway	18,02,186	1,20,082	14,34,818	1,07,209	.....	.....	3,67,368	18,873
Railway materials	2°,93,043	1,05,257	33,99,743	1,00,108	4,96,700	.....	.....	5,149
Live-stock	.....	28,804	.....	50,234	.....	21,430	.....	.....
Total ...	2,37,99,227	53,00,533	2,64,34,581	44,89,412	.....	.....	63,64,716	8,11,121

(ILLEGIBLE),

for *Chief Auditor.*

TRAFFIC AUDIT OFFICE, GOODS DIVISION, CALCUTTA, *the 7th November 1906.*

BENGAL-NAGPUR RAILWAY.

Abstract of principal commodities carried during the month of July 1906, as compared with the corresponding period of previous year.

Articles.	1906.		1905.		Total, 1906.	Total, 1905.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.				
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	12	6	10	4	18	14	4	.....
II.—Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways.	26,653	108,907	20,097	84,292	135,560	104,389	30,571	....
III.—Cotton—								
1. Raw	36	325	27	917	361	944	.....	583
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Twist and yarn, European	1	233	2	368	234	368	.....	134
(b) Ditto, Indian ...	392	590	355	880	982	1,235	.....	253
(c) Piece-goods, European ...	233	271	269	156	504	425	79	.....
(d) Ditto, Indian ...	46	563	43	241	609	290	319	.....
(e) Others	...	.....	1	.....	...	1	.....	1
IV.—Chemicals excepting saltpetre ...	18	3	8	30	21	38	.....	17
V.—Drugs—								
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	1	3	1	....	4	1	3	.....
2. Non-intoxicating—								
(a) Medicinal preparations	3	....	.....		3	.....	3	....
(b) Others	35	17	69	47	52	116	.....	64
VI.—Dyes and Tans—								
1. Al (morinda citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Alizarine and aniline dyes ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Cutch	1	.....	5	12	1	17	.....	16
4. Indigo	...	.....	1	....	...	1	.....	1
5. Myrabolams	1,227	479	345	1,243	1,706	1,588	118	.....
6. Tanning barks	34	6	56	10	40	66	.....	26
7. Turmeric	133	259	124	315	393	439	.....	56
8. Others	100	15	30	10	115	40	75	.....
VII.—Fodder—								
1. Oilcake	530	155	371	28	685	399	286	.....
2. Hay, straw and grass	538	287	62	15	825	77	748	.....
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	290	72	493	116	362	609		247
IX.—Grain and Pulse—								
1. Gram and pulse	2,367	2,979	4,004	5,476	5,346	9,480	.....	4,134
2. Jowar and bajra	37	315	131	59	352	190	162	.....
3. Rice in the husk	616	6,665	2,232	2,343	7,281	4,575	2,706	.....
4. ,, not in the husk	5,391	9,052	12,217	6,647	15,043	18,964	.....	3,921
5. Wheat	1,459	1,296	2,411	4,159	2,755	6,570	.....	3,815
6. ,, flour	538	42	202	37	280	239	41	.....
7. Others	113	402	159	26	515	185	330	.....
X.—Hides and skins—								
1. Hides of cattle—								
(a) Dressed or tanned ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Raw	208	551	275	356	759	631	128	.....
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—								
(a) Dressed or tanned ...	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
(b) Raw	2	21	17	20	23	37	.....	14
XI.—Horns	42	1	19	2	43	21	22	.....
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	126	117	12	55	243	67	176	.....
XIII.—Jute—								
1. Raw	101	101	22	.....	202	22	180	.....
2. Gunny-bags and cloth	848	312	637	269	1,160	906	254	...
XIV.—Lac	231	339	414	904	570	1,318	.....	748
XV.—Leather—								
1. Unwrought	64	36	53	44	100	97	3	.....
2. Wrought excepting boots and shoes.	.....	.....	1	2	.....	3	.....	
XVI.—Liquors—								
1. Ale and beer	5	51	6	59	56	65	.....	
2. Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit and wine.	51	72	56	53	123	109	14	...
3. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
XVII.—Metals—								
1. Brass, unwrought	.....	1	1	1	1	2	.....	1
2. ,, wrought	60	51	66	71	111	137	.....	26
3. Copper, unwrought	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
4. ,, wrought	4	3	53	10	7	63	.....	56
5. Iron and steel—								
(a) Cast	17	50	15	49	67	64	3	.....
(b) Unwrought	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	....	...
(c) Wrought	2,243	227	461	352	2,470	813	1,657	.....
(d) Manufactures ...	145	43	139	63	186	202	.....	16
6. Others	19,904	26	14,077	1,412	19,930	15,489	4,441	.....
XVIII.—Oils—								
1. Kerosine	1,623	3 3	1,741	339	1,986	2,080	.....	94
2. Castor	12	132	4	45	144	49	95	.....
3. Cocoanut	49	19	35	43	68	81	.....	13
4. Mustard and rape	106	18	56	16	124	72	52	...
5. Others	52	31	39	41	83	80	3	.....

ARTICLES.	1906. Up.	1906. Down.	1905. Up.	1905. Down.	Total, 1906.	Total, 1905.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
XIX.—Oilseeds—								
1. Castor	51	22	774	26	73	800	.....	727
2. Earthnuts	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Linseed	909	410	542	892	1,349	1,434	.....	85
4. Poppy	2	.....	38	13	2	50	.....	48
5. Rape and mustard	197	96	321	116	293	437	.....	144
6. Til or jinjili	143	171	239	872	314	1,171	.....	857
7. Others	349	242	980	639	591	1,619	.....	1,028
XX.—Opium	1	1	8	2	2	10	.....	8
XXI.—Paper and pasteboard	31	1	76	2	32	78	.....	46
XXII.—Provisions—								
1. Dried fruits and nuts	513	196	555	150	709	705	4	.....
2. Ghee	44	127	46	213	171	259	.....	88
3. Others	190	121	167	124	311	291	20	.....
XXIII.—Railway plant and rolling-stock carried for the public and foreign railways—								
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	.....	11	.....	.....	11	.....	11	.....
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	.....	69	2	1	69	3	66	.....
3. Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	274	157	26	15	431	41	390	.....
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	18	.....	.....	.....	18	.....	18	.....
(c) Others	1,431	2,613	314	5,859	4,044	6,173	.....	2,129
XXIV.—Salt	2,604	2,645	3,390	3,254	5,249	[illegible]	.....	1,365
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
1. Saltpetre	1	.....	.....	1	1	1	.....	.....
2. Other saline substances	37	1	67	5	38	72	.....	34
XXVI.—Silk—								
1. Raw—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	3	8	4	8	11	12	.....	1
2. Piece-goods—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XXVII.—Spices—								
1. Betelnuts	522	27	819	28	549	847	.....	298
2. Cardamoms	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....
3. Chillies	77	183	71	467	260	538	.....	278
4. Ginger	1	1	4	1	2	5	.....	3
5. Pepper	1	.....	1	22	1	23	.....	22
6. Others	256	80	549	78	335	627	.....	292
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	734	4,333	2,047	5,354	5,067	8,001	.....	2,934
XXIX.—Sugar—								
1. Refined or crystallized, including sugarcandy.	352	168	306	253	520	559	.....	39
2. Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2	.....	2
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce.	198	133	338	214	331	552	.....	221
XXX.—Tea—								
1. Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Indian	12	1	6	23	13	29	.....	16
XXXI.—Tobacco—								
1. Unmanufactured	584	6,013	504	398	6,597	902	5,695	.....
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Cigars	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	1
(b) Other sorts	16	221	29	20	237	49	188	.....
XXXII.—Wood—								
1. Timber, unwrought	1,613	3,128	810	2,793	4,741	3,603	1,138	.....
2. Manufactured	72	98	45	34	170	79	91	.....
XXXIII.—Wool—								
1. Raw	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Piece-goods, European	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(c) Ditto, Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2	.....	2
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—								
1. Firewood	1,033	1,127	1,078	1,255	2,160	2,333	.....	173
2. Bamboos	115	88	356	142	203	498	.....	295
3. Moha	652	292	538	336	944	875	71	.....
4. Bones	141	127	166	264	268	430	.....	162
5. Others	1,495	1,158	2,350	1,017	2,653	3,337	.....	734
Total	81,067	160,197	80,733	136,525	241,264	217,258	50,166	26,160
						Net increase	24,006	.....

Calcutta, the 9th November 1906.

E. M. SLANE,
for *Auditor, Bengal-Nagpur Railway.*

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of August 1906, compared with the corresponding period in 1905.

Description of Goods.	1905.		1906.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	23	324	31	471	8	147	.....	.....	
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	2,220	3,687	2,052	3,202	.....	.....	168	485	
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	113	890	56	428	.....	.....	57	462	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) (b) Twist and yarn. European	43	590	20	274	.....	.....	23	316	
(b) (b) Twist and yarn. Indian ...	363	3,949	367	3,789	14	.....	.....	160	
(c) (d) Piece-goods European	657	6,490	608	5,925	.....	.....	49	574	
(c) (d) Piece-goods Indian ...	204	2,032	196	2,032	.....	.....	8	.....	
(e) Others	14	182	10	180	.....	.....	4	2	
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	109	460	93	464	.....	4	16	.....	
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	13	192	2	61	.....	.....	11	131	
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.	4	29	10	112	6	83	.....	.....	
(b) Others	1,075	4,254	762	2,884	.....	.....	313	1,370	
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1. Al (Morinda citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Alizarine and aniline dyes.	2	22	1	14	.....	.....	1	8	
3. Cutch	78	1,127	7	50	.....	.....	71	1,077	
4. Indigo	3	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	22	
5. Myrabolams	9	61	9	85	.....	24	.....	.....	
6. Tanning barks	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
7. Turmeric	185	3,100	79	564	.....	.....	106	1,515	
8. Others	24	238	17	166	.....	... .	7	72	
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	365	1,256	348	1,173	.....	.....	17	83	
2. Hay, straw and grass ..	94	335	167	537	73	202	.....	.....	
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	488	2,634	691	3,090	203	456	.....	.....	
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Gram and pulse ...	5,908	20,907	11,524	32,125	5,616	11,218	.....	.....	Demand locally.
2. Jawar and bajra ...	42	99	88	252	46	153	.....	.....	
3. Rice in the husk ...	1,146	3,385	709	1,661	.....	.....	437	1,724	Less export due to heavy rain.
4. Rice not in the husk	9,103	35,794	6,581	22,178	.....	.....	2,522	13,616	
5. Wheat	5,497	22,109	4,481	19,141	.....	.....	1,016	2,968	
6. Wheat-flour	169	1,134	225	1,817	56	683	.....	.....	
7. Makai	4,308	16,507	3,126	9,076	.....	.....	1,182	7,431	
8. Others	5,807	19,500	6,528	24,477	721	4,977	.....	.....	
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned ...	274	1,616	337	2,213	63	597	.....	.....	
(b) Raw									
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	4	24	4	24	.....	.....	
(b) Raw	206	1,273	134	721	.....	.....	72	552	
XI.—Horns	8	50	14	106	6	56	.....	.....	
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	1	4	42	280	41	276	.....	.....	
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	53	374	64	416	11	42	.....	.....	
2. Gunny-bags and cloth	1,004	5,429	755	3,994	.....	.....	249	1,435	
XIV.—Lac	222	1,393	144	940	.....	.....	78	453	
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought	2	11	12	40	10	29	.....	.....	
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	15	81	3	20	.....	.....	12	61	
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and Beer	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Spirits of all kinds, including country spirits.	3	18	2	18	.....	.....	1	.....	
3. Wine	22	224	24	306	2	82	.....	.....	
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought ...	11	85	15	152	4	67	.....	.....	
2. ,, wrought ...	120	859	78	617	.....	.....	42	242	
3. Copper, unwrought ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4. ,, wrought ...	4	47	3	32	.....	.....	1	15	
5. Iron and steel—									
(a) Cast	12	100	57	500	45	400	.....	.....	
(b) Unwrought ...	115	629	55	333	.....	.....	60	296	
(c) Wrought	319	1,802	416	2,068	97	266	.....	.....	
(d) Manufactures ...	330	1,052	316	2,384	.....	432	14	.....	
6. Others	240	1,871	238	1,583	.....	.....	2	288	
XVIII.—Oils—									
1. Kerosine	2,421	9,563	1,785	7,833	.....	.....	636	1,730	
2. Castor	17	125	10	71	.....	.....	7	54	
3. Cocoanut	15	134	13	85	.....	.....	2	49	
4. Mustard and rape ...	29	203	46	328	17	125	.....	.....	
5. Others	16	83	30	149	14	66	.....	.....	

Description of Goods.	1905.		1906.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
XIX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor	351	1,169	455	964	104	.....	.....	205	
2. Earthnuts	4	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	16	
3. Linseed	2,633	10,025	4,034	18,107	1,401	8,384	.....	.....	
4. Poppy	673	3,884	6 3	2,3.1	.....	.....	40	883	
5. Rape and mustard	1,701	9,140	1,402	5,761	.....	.....	307	3,379	
6. Til or jinjili	6	3.	3	13	.....	.....	3	18	
7. Others	377	1,842	276	957	.....	.....	101	885	
XX.—Opium	83	620	36	554	3	.....	.....	66	
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard	265	616	264	668	.....	52	1	.....	
XXII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts	68	451	50	541	.....	110	18	.....	
2. Ghee	213	1,470	146	1,153	.....	.....	67	317	
3. Others	822	3,461	576	2,260	.....	.....	246	1,202	
XXIII.—Railway Plant and Rolling Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(c) Others	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XXIV.—Salt	5,400	19,239	4,665	18,721	.....	.....	735	518	
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—									
1. Saltpetre	555	1,874	423	1,609	.....	.....	132	265	
2. Other saline substances	124	439	232	749	108	310	.....	.....	
XXVI.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XXVII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts	141	1,416	95	857	.....	.....	46	289	
2. Cardamoms	2	18	2	16	.....	8	.....	.....	
3. Chillies	102	697	210	1,111	114	414	.....	.....	
4. Ginger	30	303	42	357	12	44	.....	.....	
5. Pepper	19	195	26	257	7	100	.....	.....	
6. Others	92	763	72	592	.....	.....	20	111	
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	1,906	4,354	1,982	4,019	76	.....	.....	335	
XXIX.—Sugar—									
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugar candy.	142	607	282	1,708	140	1,101	.....	.....	
2. Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar	875	4,189	1,124	6,486	244	1,777	.....	.....	
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	2,056	11,976	1,663	7,889	.....	.....	453	4,087	
XXX.—Tea—									
1. Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2. Indian	2	36	3	47	1	11	.....	.....	
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured	1,778	14,073	965	6,653	.....	.....	813	7,420	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Cigars	2	17	1	6	.....	.....	1	11	
(b) Other sorts	12	108	23	214	11	106	.....	.....	
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought	620	2,130	443	1,388	.....	.....	177	751	
2. Logs	400	974	757	2,398	357	1,424	.....	.....	
3. Poles	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4. Manufactures	317	1,812	174	1,112	.....	.....	143	400	
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw	27	375	13	191	.....	.....	14	184	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs	2	12	1	2	.....	.....	1	10	
(b) Piece-goods (European)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(c) Piece-goods (Indian)	12	149	7	110	.....	.....	5	39	
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—									
1. Ingin-seed	26	538	26	283	.....	.....	.....	55	
2. Firewood	1,8[illegible]	3,5[illegible]	1,163	2,51[illegible]	81	.....	.....	971	
3. Others, not specified above.	1,[illegible]	7,[illegible]	2,210	1,[illegible]	782	.....	.....	6,116	Paid on adjustment.
Total	68,110	2,[illegible],302	68,604	2,56,720	10,498	34,260	10,544	65,102	

GORAKHPUR, *the 5th November 1906.*

T. SIDAL,
Chief Auditor.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 27th October 1906 on 2,094·73 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Tot
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
l traffic for the week ...	429,237	4,45,935 0 0	59,13,064 0	10,78,315 0 0	28,598 0 0	15,12,878 0 0	131,260	180,738	311,
er mile of railway ...	.....	212 14 2	.....	495 11 1	13 10 5	722 3 8	.....	.....	.....
previous 16 weeks of half-year	7,189,060*	67,05,191 0 0*	9,52,13,290 0†	1,54,99,574 0 0†	4,52,400 0 0‡	2,26,57,265 0 0	2,091,108§	2,718,787§	4,809,
Total for 17 weeks ...	7,618,297	71,51,126 0 0	10,11,26,344 0	1,65,38,019 0 0	4,80,998 0 0	2,41,70,143 0 0	2,222,368	2,899,525	5,121,
Comparison.									
for corresponding week of vious year.	365,710	4,18,983 5 10	62,65,838 0	10,90,689 8 6	30,281 7 8	15,39,954 6 6	132,600	179,483	312,
mile of railway corresponding sk of previous year.	.....	204 4 5	.....	531 12 3	14 12 3	750 12 11	.....	.....	.....
for corresponding 17½ weeks previous year.	7,237,922	71,76,772 11 3	9,96,54,992 0	1,63,92,864 8 11	5,05,195 7 7	2,30,74,832 11 8	2,148,269	2,783,827	4,932,

a) The decrease is in general merchandise.
Added No. of passengers 47,566 and Rs. 32,158 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 1st Septemb
Deducted Mds. 2,40,217 and ,, 4,382 } 1906.
Added ,, 3,295
Audited figures up to 1st September 1906.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.

en age.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
18	Week ended 7th July ...	567,167	4,42,481	69,19,072	9,69 219	25,006	14,96,706	694	304,958	4 11 8
18	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	461,864	4,04,849	63,54,825	9,28,514	20,693	13,67,066	653	301 065	4 8 8
18	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	457,480	4,35,442	57,13,758	9,41,848	27,975	14,05,265	680	298,384	4 11 9
18	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	426,063	4,03,955	45,30,696	8,05,569	28,673	12,37,302	596	274,043	4 8 4
18	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	487,011	4,43,618	59,06,837	9,03,114	28,819	13,87,542	665	303,109	4 8 11
18	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	412,083	3,93,293	53,32,554	8 88,153	27,075	13,08,502	630	287,511	4 8 10
18	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	410,076	3,75,252	54,48,277	9,14 251	28,706	13,18,209	631	285,186	4 9 11
73	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	411,543	3,49,077	67,05,617	9,18,947	27,829	12,95,744	619	286,268	4 8 5
73	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	487,.15	4,45,677	62,05,180	10,9 ,339	30,916	14,68,932	749	314,885	5 0 3
73	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	466,850	4,21,472	64,89,890	11,72,195	27,720	15,7 ,407	720	317,281	4 15 3
73	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	427,516	4,25,696	65,15,756	10,17 913	28,048	15 02,157	717	314,369	4 12 5
73	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	449,387	4,88,535	63,51,477	10, 6,695	28,099	15,43,127	737	305,924	5 0 8
73	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	446,646	4,32 556	53 74,025	8,66, 13	28,0 9	13,17,403	629	2 ,400	4 6 5
73	,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	416,385	4,04,053	55,7 ,045	9,09,061	28,0 9	13,40,213	640	292,121	4 9 5
73	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	422,656	4,10,854	66,14,434	11,24 145	28,257	1 ,65,5 6	746	315,547	4 15 3
73	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	3 6,018	4,22,341	61,0 ,091	1 ,52,830	27,998	14, 189	708	311,854	4 12 1
73	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	429,237	4,45,935	59,13,064	10,78,315	28,598	15,12,878	722	311,038	4 13 7
	Totals up to date ...	7,618,297	71,51,126	10,11,26,344	1,65,38,019	4,80,998	2,41,70,143	681	5,121,893	4 11 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *190 5*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1'38	First 8 days of July ...	569,904	5,07,593	73,45,102	10,75,471	31,669	16,14 783	791	342,064	4 11 7
1'34	Week ended 15th ,, ...	5'0,09.	4,89,590	5.,14,313	8,18,137	29,993	13,08,026	641	291,745	4 7 9
1'33	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	453,067	4,4 ,832	54,65,115	8,81,667	28,775	13,52 304	662	286,188	4 11 7
1 34	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	493,430	4,40,789	60 89,666	8,88,0 2	27,924	13.56,798	665	280,065	4 13 6
,'33	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	425,583	4,14,472	60,12,782	8,90,683	28,324	12 63,549	619	276,531	4 9 1
1 33	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	412,045	3,94,688	54,23,230	8,43, 45	25,863	12,.3,596	614	274,661	4 9 0
5'03	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	422,019	3,76,084	46 30,908	7. 3,810	26 601	11,46,495	561	280,757	4 4 0
2'06	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	373,357	3,72,641	64.79,724	8,63,016	26,8 8	12,62.165	616	271,293	4 10 5
5'28	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	382,791	3,69,779	68,75,259	9,99,029	3 ,840	13,01,654	679	280,006	4 12 10
1'07	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	395,255	3,91,755	62,93,480	9.14 014	30,213	13.35,982	651	293,170	4 8 5
1 07	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	443,159	4,35,554	67,01,910	8,92 604	30 737	13,54,895	663	301,998	4 8 1
1'07	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	403,136	4.01,656	61,58,016	8,77,050	31,121	13,17,827	641	292,798	4 8 0
1'07	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	409,400	4,10,809	54,22,967	9,27,713	29 638	13,88,160	682	283 380	4 14 11
1'07	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	430,820	4,31,763	52,38,286	8,59,679	32,541	13,83,973	655	287,102	4 10 10
1'07	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	404,914	4,33,585	50.43,453	8 2,851	29,398	12,95,774	630	275,483	4 11 1
1'07	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	395,274	4,37,172	64,05,671	10 05, 77	3 ,423	15,37,077	730	301,895	5 1 6
1'07	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	365,710	4,18,983	62,67,838	10,90,689	30,281	15,39,954	731	312,173	4 14 11
	Totals up to date ...	7,237,922	71,76,772	9,96,54,992	1,63,92,865	5,05,195	2,30,74,832	658	4,932,006	4 10 10

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 27th October 1906 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Traffic for the week ...	24 894	5,542 0 0	28,010 0	1,220 0 0	8 0 0	6,780 0 0	903	225	1,188
per mile of railway ...	.....	249 4 10	.....	55 5 4	0 5 9	304 15 11	.....	.....	.....
previous 16 weeks of half-year	349,179*	81,944 0 0*	2,25,763 01	9,142 0 0†	152 0 0‡	91,238 0 0	15,460†	3,584§	19,054
Total for 17 weeks ...	374,073	87,486 0 0	2,53,773 0	10,372 0 0	160 0 0	98,018 0 0	16,423	3,819	20,242
COMPARISON.									
for corresponding week of vious year.	20,446	4,540 3 10	22,981 0	872 11 0	10 8 0	5,423 6 10	961	225	1,186
file of railway corresponding of previous year.	.....	204 3 10	.....	39 4 1	0 7 7	247 15 6	.....	.....	.....
for corresponding 17½ weeks previous year.	354,383	81,077 5 5	2,40,315 20	8,592 2 0	135 15 9	89,805 7 2	16,558	3,842	20,400

Deducted No. of passengers 1,714 and
Do. Mds. 2,033 "
Do. Rs. 493 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 1st September
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Audited figures up to 1st September 1906.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.

Week.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1906	Week ended 7th July ...	41,964	10,096	14,889	551	15	11,264	507	1,252	8 15 11
1906	" " 14th " ...	24,540	5,737	10,816	416	13	6,166	277	1,190	5 2 11
1906	" " 21st " ...	21,707	5,008	11,170	374	6	5,388	243	1,246	4 4 8
1906	" " 28th " ...	17,649	4,110	5,948	242	9	4,361	195	1,128	3 14 5
1906	" " 4th Aug. ...	21,759	5,656	10,176	330	13	5,999	270	1,108	4 15 5
1906	" " 11th " ...	20,054	4,601	7,954	330	12	4,943	222	1,109	4 7 11
1906	" " 18th " ...	17,511	3,646	5,030	224	7	3,867	174	1,228	3 3 5
1906	" " 25th " ...	16,747	3,596	9,455	404	9	4,009	180	1,188	3 6 0
1906	" " 1st Sept. ...	16,049	3,471	6,250	270	7	3,748	169	1,190	3 2 5
1906	" " 8th " ...	19,780	4,735	10,433	459	9	5,203	234	1,188	4 6 1
1906	" " 15th " ...	20,744	4,606	12,112	512	8	5,126	231	1,188	4 5 0
1906	" " 22nd " ...	22,623	5,251	20,243	786	9	6,046	273	1,188	5 1 5
1906	" " 29th " ...	21,004	4,884	18,033	755	9	5,648	254	1,188	4 12 1
1906	" " 6th Oct. ...	22,020	5,721	25,345	987	9	6,717	302	1,188	5 10 5
1906	" " 13th " ...	22,701	5,261	31,691	1,312	9	6,582	296	1,188	5 8 8
1906	" " 20th " ...	22,544	4,945	27,208	1,188	8	6,141	276	1,188	5 2 8
1906	" " 27th " ...	24,894	5,542	28,010	1,220	8	6,780	305	1,188	5 11 4
	Totals up to date ...	374,073	87,486	3,53,773	19,372	166	98,018	259	21,242	4 13 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1905.*

Week.		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
1905	First 8 days of July ...	25,207	5,782	11,209	304	19	6,105	270	1,208	4 13 4
1905	Week ended 15th " ...	33,050	7,852	9,820	283	9	8,154	366	1,203	6 7 11
1905	" " 22nd " ...	26,308	6,519	5,201	213	4	6,735	303	1,090	6 10 8
1905	" " 29th " ...	15,038	3,679	4,223	171	14	3,864	174	1,204	3 12 8
1905	" " 5th Aug. ...	14,596	3,494	13,448	276	9	3,779	170	1,196	3 2 7
1905	" " 12th " ...	22,980	5,190	4,043	227	6	5,423	208	1,203	5 8 10
1905	" " 19th " ...	19,270	4,239	42,165	627	6	4,872	219	1,204	5 13 6
1905	" " 26th " ...	16,249	3,484	7,738	411	8	3,903	176	1,204	3 8 1
1905	" " 2nd Sept. ...	16,809	3,745	7,701	311	4	4,060	183	1,204	3 6 9
1905	" " 9th " ...	19,539	4,394	10,749	462	8	4,864	219	1,204	4 1 7
1905	" " 16th " ...	20,267	4,288	10,087	447	9	4,744	214	1,196	3 16 4
1905	" " 23rd " ...	18,033	3,936	17,287	624	6	4,566	207	1,166	3 15 2
1905	" " 30th " ...	18,097	3,962	13,811	453	6	4,421	200	1,152	3 14 8
1905	" " 7th Oct. ...	24,027	5,877	14,796	675	8	6,560	294	1,206	5 3 1
1905	" " 14th " ...	23,570	5,256	19,491	857	9	6,122	275	1,196	4 11 7
1905	" " 21st " ...	20,660	4,631	24,573	1,169	4	5,704	257	1,210	4 11 1
1905	" " 28th " ...	20,146	4,540	22,081	873	10	5,423	245	1,146	4 9 2
	Totals up to date ...	351,383	81,077	2,40,316	8,592	136	89,805	236	20,400	4 6 5

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA R. ILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 27th October 1906 on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
for the week	23,886	24,078 0 0	1,40,005 0	16,045 0 0	59 0 0	41,083 0 0	9,600	3,802	13,402
of railway	.....	148 4 10	.....	104 5 10	0 5 10	253 0 6	.....	.....	.....
16 weeks of half-year	425,240*	3,19,317 0 0*	22,13,768 0†	2,23,948 0 0†	886 0 0‡	5,44,151 0 0	145,900§	60,697§	206,597
otal for 17 weeks ...	449,126	3,43,395 0 0	23,53,773 0	2,40,8 3 0 0	945 0 0	5,85,233 0 0	155,500	64,499	219,999
OMPARISON.									
orresponding week of ear.	21,568	23,6:0 12 4	1,02,338 0	18,085 7 0	88 3 9	42,424 7 1	10,306	5,715	16,021
ailway corresponding evious year.	.....	145 10 8	.....	115 1 5	0 8 8	261 4 9	.....	.....	.....
responding 17½ weeks year.	460,860	3,66,639 7 3	20,65,720 10	2,82,271 6 0	1,027 3 9	6,49,937 1 0	137,14	68,155	205 302

dded No. of passengers 760 and deducted Rs. 1,596
Do. Mds. 94,502 ,, ,, 637
Do. ,, 12
udited figures up to 1st September 1906.

} On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 1st September 1906.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.

Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
	No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
Week ended 7th July ..	31,157	21,275	1,34,000	14,035	58	34,336	211	13,124	2 9 10
,, ,, 14th ,, ...	28,355	20,0..	98,220	15,713	54	35,222	2 3	14,031	2 9 3
,, ,, 21st ,, ...	2..,...	21,415	1,39,505	16,782	71	37,206	2.0	13 717	2 11 6
,, ,, 28th ,, ..	26,176	18,151	1,71,547	16,..	57	34,..	215	12 .6	2 10 7
,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	28,312	19,151	1,08,453	12,802	39	31,993	1.7	13 6 7	2 8 5
,, ,, 11th ,, ...	27,.4	1,,635	8..,520	9,647	58	27,240	168	11,153	2 4 6
,, ,, 18th ,, ...	2..,7	17,.4	1,84,707	15,171	59	32,374	199	13,372	2 6 9
,, ,, 25th ,, ...	28,.42	19,239	1,76,784	15,791	64	35,194	2.7	13 .24	2 11 3
,, ,, 1st Sept. .	2.,0.7	20,153	2,28,587	12,855	63	33,.74	206	11,755	2 13 4
,, ,, 8th ,, ...	24,.09	20,2..	1,.1,.83	1.,184	54	31,.70	206	12,884	2 9 7
,, ,, 15th ,, ...	2.,107	1,,854	1,..,.71	11,728	51	29,.65	184	1.,.65	2 4 11
,, ,, 22nd ,, ..	23,.34	1.,862	1,..,721	11,7.1	52	28,.75	177	12,.26	2 3 6
,, ,, 29th ,, ...	2.,263	2.,.44	1,04,297	13,848	52	34,.44	211	12,.15	2 11 1
,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	25,.81	21,.09	1,.8,.02	16,411	52	37,562	231	13,.68	2 14 1
,, ,, 13th ,, ...	25,204	2.,119	1,35,.10	1.,.35	49	3.,345	2.0	12,731	2 14 11
,, ,, 20th ,, ...	2.,.01	.,.07	1,2.,.11	14,63.	53	4.,.7	251	12,807	3 2 10
,, ,, 27th ,, ...	2.,8..	23,0 8	.,10,005	1.,945	59	41,.81	253	13,.02	3 1 1
Totals up to date ...	449,132	.,.1,395	22,53,713	2,40,894	945	5,85,233	212	2,19,999	2 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1905.*

	No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
rst 8 days of July	32,.68	24,092	2,61,455	20,023	63	44,178	272	14,024	3 2 7
eek ended 15th ,, ...	20,.37	2.,387	1,47,254	13,.05	53	3.,745	220	12,280	2 3 3
,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	27,.96	1.,7.3	1,.0,854	17,617	62	36,832	227	10,9.0	3 5 9
,, ,, 29th ,, ...	27,.52	1.,012	2,63,735	24,8.8	48	44,818	276	11,.78	4 0 9
,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	25,176	18,403	1,08,867	1.,189	33	35,130	216	10 38.	3 3 5
,, ,, 12th ,, ...	26,426	19,4.6	1,16,.90	10,.73	4.	30,065	185	11,028	2 11 7
,, ,, 19th ,, ...	25,705	18,.29	8.,.27	9,.08	39	28,146	173	11,253	2 8 0
,, ,, 26th ,, ...	24,.63	18 352	2,40,.84	1.,.7	46	34,825	214	10,.37	3 4 5
,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	58,358	39,111	1,6 ,.01	1.,.69	74	5.,647	313	14,280	3 14 4
,, ,, 9th ,, ...	25,.07	1.,386	1,08,211	2.,402	68	38,.56	237	11,.85	3 4 8
,, ,, 16th ,, ..	21,640	18 .60	2,11,.73	1.,..	112	3.,.58	232	11,109	3 4 9
,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	19,758	17,.43	2,28,260	15,611	44	32,8.8	203	11,428	2 14 1
,, ,, 30th ,, ...	22,.60	20,233	1,49,550	14,.10	47	35,.20	217	11,.51	3 0 4
,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	23,626	21,618	1,28,536	15,744	60	37,.23	230	11,662	3 3 5
,, ,, 14th ,, ...	25,286	21,.68	1,49,652	2.,.91	55	41,.14	258	10,918	3 10 5
,, ,, 21st ,, ...	24,.85	23,.26	1,71,414	16,522	82	40,129	247	14 .51	2 12 9
,, ,, 28th ,, ...	21,.58	23,.51	1,02..8	18,.85	88	42,.34	261	16,021	2 10 4
Totals up to date ...	460,860	3,66,639	20,65,720	2,82,271	1,027	6,49,937	234	205,302	3 2 8

* Audited figures.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 27th October 1906 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
ic for the week ...	58,911	35,854 0 0	4,99,030 0	67,247 0 0	5,946 0 0	1,09,047 0 0	11,013	19,990	31,503
e of railway	76·71	46·68	647·25	87·22	7 71	141·91	15·12	25·91	41·03
s 16 weeks of half-	725,477	4,37,128 0 0	61,57,861 0	8,68,642 0 0	1,11,064 0 0	14,16,834 0 0	183,093	284,394	467,487
al for 17 Weeks* ...	784,388	4,72 982 0 0	66,56,891 0	9,35,889 0 0	1,17,010 0 0	15,25,881 0 0	194,706	304,374	499,080
COMPARISON.									
orresponding week of year	30,649	27,610 0 0	3,94,347 0	36,903 0 0	5,270 0 0	69,783 0 0	10,934	20,569	31,503
f railway correspond- of previous year	53·80	37·46	533·90	49·87	7·12	94·45	14·84	27·80	42·64
orresponding date of year	644,977	4,05,467 0 0	44,51,737 0	7,10,674 0 0	91,403 0 0	12,07,544 0 0	176,926	312,449	489,375

* Includes Nookhali Railway earnings Rs. 28,155 and train-mileage 1,5 8

crease of Rs. 39,204 as compared with the corresponding period of 1905 is principally due to heavy bookings of Rangoon rice from Chittagong owing to failure ps in Eastern Bengal and Assam.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway

TS FOR WEEK ENDING H OCTOBER 1906.		RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 28TH OCTOBER 1905.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1906 TO 27TH OCTOBER 1906.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1905 TO 28TH OCTOBER 1905			Total increase in 1906.	Total decrease in 1906.
Receipts	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
1,09,047	141·61	740	69,783	94·45	771	24,57,714	...	740	19,08,724	...	5,48,990	.....

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 27th October 1906 on 1,518 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	To l.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs			
affic for the week on iles open ..	272 650	(a) 1,09,330	9,03,350	(b) 1,57,170	(c) 32,520	2,99,520	47,839	(d) 43,744	90,583
ile of railway	179·13	70·95	641·60	101·53	21·01	193 49	.....	.....	.....
ious 16 weeks of half- s)	4,230,813	15,97,672	1,18,69,725	13,91,995	2,80,036	32,73,303	779,743	558,579	13,38,322
To al for 17 weeks ...	4,503,463	17,07,502	1,28,63,075	15,52,165	3,13,156	35,72,823	827,582	601,323	14,28,905
COMPANISON.									
or corresponding week nous year on 1,467 miles	201,416	87,607	7,94,673	90,940	20,986	2 09,593	43,520	(f) 34,950	78,470
s of corresponding week nous year	137·30	59·76	541·70	61·99	21·12	142·87	...	...	.....
corresponding date of us year	4,193,904	16,18,283	1,21,56,292	13,61,363	2,81,065	32,63,711	792,147	561,585	13,53,732
e per Coaching, Goods and train-mile respectively f the week	.....	2·30	.....	3·68	·36	3·51	.....	.....	.....
o for corresponding od previous year	.....	2·01	.....	2·60	·39	2·67	.....	.....	.....

(a) Increase mainly under local and foreign outward, due chiefly to movements in connection with the Sonepore mela held earlier this year.
(b) Ditto chiefly under foreign inward.
(c) Ditto principally under steam-boat.
(d) Includes 4,406 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Ditto audited figures up to week ending 15th September 1906.
(f) Ditto 5,3.4 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 27th October 1906 on 1,271 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including steam-boat).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Mil.	
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
Total traffic for the week ...	352,940	1,76,470 0 0	3,513,880 0	5,28,401 0 0	59,600 0 0	7,64,470 0 0	61,136	63,092
Or per mile of railway ...	278	139 0 0	2,765 0	415 0 0	28 0 0*	582 0 0*	.....	.....
For previous 16 weeks of half-year†	5,747,464	23,84,275 0 0	31,115,225 0	52,97,330 0 0	4,08,949 0 0	80,90,563 0 0	965,574	886,141
Total for 17 weeks .	6,100,444	25,60,745 0 0	34,629,115 0	58,25,739 0 0	4,68,549 0 0	88,55,033 0 0	1,026,710	949,233
COMPARISON.								
Total for corresponding week of previous year	283,787	1,58,071 0 0	3,046,196 0	3,74,026 0 0	64,691 0 0	5,96,788 0 0	58,475	56,244
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,230 miles)	231	129 0 0	2,477 0	304 0 0	30 0 0	472 0 0	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	5,517,937	23,73,566 0 0	27,891,716 0	40,67,141 0 0	4,88,172 0 0	78,27,879 0 0	954,967	815,593

* Excluding ferry earnings, Rs. 24,284.
† Audited up to week ending 15th September 1906.
Increase is chiefly in jute traffic.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 27th October 1906 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Mil	
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.
		Rs. A. P	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
Total traffic for the week	43,480	14,196 0 0	96,110 0	6,930 0 0	220 0 0	21,340 0 0	3,712	2,568
Or per mile of railway	505	165 0 0	1,118 0	81 0 0	2 0 0	248 0 0	.....	.....
For previous 16 weeks of half-year*	5,47,150	1,63,505 0 0	9,63,148 0	88,765 0 0	3,806 0 0	2,56,076 0 0	71,638	27,539
Total for 17 weeks ...	5,90,630	1,77,695 0 0	10,59,258 0	95,695 0 0	4,026 0 0	2,77,416 0 0	75,350	30,097
COMPARISON.								
Total for corresponding week of previous year	27,317	8,904 0 0	96,255 0	6,456 0 0	870 0 0	16,230 0 0	3,002	2,074
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	318	104 0 0	1,119 0	75 0 0	10 0 0	189 0 0	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	5,20,506	1,64,020 0 0	10,28,754 0	77,614 0 0	3,328 0 0	2,34,962 0 0	54,269	30,675

* Audited up to week ending 15th September 1906.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 27th October 1906 on 33 6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Mil	
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
Total traffic for the week ...	4,890	1,650 0 0	1,05,070 0	3,150 0 0	20 0 0	4,820 0 0	480	(a)1,146
Or per mile of railway	145	49 0 0	3,127 0	94 0 0	.....	143 0 0	.....	.....
For previous 16 weeks of half-year*	41,011	15,454 0 0	4,54,469 0	25,788 0 0	286 0 0	41,528 0 0	6,871	21,121
Total for 17 weeks ...	45,891	17,104 0 0	5,49,539 0	28,938 0 0	306 0 0	46,348 0 0	7,351	23,265
COMPARISON.								
Total for corresponding week of previous year	3,142	1,106 0 0	24,602 0	1,335 0 0	18 0 0	2,456 0 0	483	545
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	93	33 0 0	732 0	40 0 0	.....	73 0 0	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	51,695	18,203 0 0	2,16,562 0	17,944 0 0	236 0 0	36,383 0 0	8,418	7,289

* Audited up to week ending 15th September 1906.
(a) Includes ballast train miles 500.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 27th October 1906 on 50·69 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	14,520	3,690 0 0	59,110 0	3,120 0 0	40 0 0	7,080 0 0	1,715	885	2,6
Per mile of railway ...	286	77 0 0	1,166 0	61 0 0	1 0 0	139 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 16 weeks of half-year*	150,960	43,048 0 0	6,65,789 0	32,001 0 0	644 0 0	46,503 0 0	20,815	12,077	32,8
Total for 17 weeks ..	165,480	47,838 0 0	7,24,899 0	45,121 0 0	684 0 0	93,643 0 0	22,530	12,962	35,4
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	8,290	2,364 0 0	44,839 0	2,101 0 0	35 0 0	4,500 0 0	1,166	694	1,8
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	161	46 0 0	873 0	41 0 0	1 0 0	87 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	147,892	41,463 0 0	6,86,338 0	33,686 0 0	542 0 0	75,691 0 0	19,567	9,073	28,6

* Audited up to week ending 15th September 1906.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 3rd November 1906	Coaching ...	13,654 0 0	
	Goods ...	9,663 0 0	23,392 0 0
	Other earnings ...	75 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1905 ...	Coaching ...	11,654 0 0	
	Goods ...	10,618 0 0	22,358 0 0
	Other earnings ...	86 0 0	
	Increase ...		1,034 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 3rd November 1906			458 10 8
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905			438 6 3
	Increase ...		20 4 5
Receipts from 1st July to 3rd November 1906			3,18,903 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905			3,25,969 0 0
	Decrease ...		7,066 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

TOUR PROGRAMME OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1906.

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Stations.	Standard time.	Remarks.
1906. 21st November	Wednesday ...	Halt at Bankipur.		
22nd „ ...	Thursday ...	Leave Bankipur ...	7-30	By special train.
		Leave Digha Ghat ...	8	B. and N.-W. Railway.
		Arrive Furhada Ghat	8-30	
		Leave ditto ...	9	
		Arrive Katihar ...	20	E. B. S. Railway.
		Leave do. ...	21-30	

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Stations.	Standard time.	Remarks.
1906.				
23rd November	Friday ...	Arrive Parbatipur ...	3	
		Leave ditto ...	3-30	
		Arrive Gitaldaha ...	6-30	
		Leave ditto ...	7	Change to C. B State Railway.
		Arrive Cooch Behar	9	
24th to 28th November.	Saturday to Wednesday.	Halt at Cooch Behar.		
29th November	Thursday ...	Leave ditto ...	18	C. B. State Railway
		Arrive Gitaldaha ...	20	
		Leave ditto ...	21	
30th „ ...	Friday ...	Arrive Saraghat ...	7 A.M.	
		Leave ditto ...	7-20 A.M	
		Arrive Damukdiaghat	7-50 A.M.	
		Leave ditto ...	8-10 A.M.	
		Arrive Calcutta ...	11-30 A.M.	

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Honour will be—
Lady Fraser.
Captain J. S. Maidlow, R.F.A., Private Secretary.
Mrs. Maidlow.
Captain J. F. Todd, Aide-de-Camp.

(2) The Commissioner and Collectors within their respective charges.

(3) Letters and telegrams should be addressed to the "Lieutenant-Governor's Camp, Bengal," without the addition of the name of any post-town.

(4) His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor's arrivals and departures will be private at all stations. The usual salutes will be fired at Calcutta.

By order,

J. S. MAIDLOW, CAPT.,
Private Secretary to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 19th November 1906.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3931A.

GENERAL.—*No. 3710A.D.—The 26th October 1906.*—Mr. E. E. Forrester, Officiating Judicial Commissioner, Chota Nagpur, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector, Purnea, on being relieved of his present appointment by Mr. W. H. H. Vincent.

Chota Nagpur.
Purnea.

No. 3712A.D.—The 26th October 1906.—Mr. W. H. H. Vincent, District and Sessions Judge, on leave, is appointed to be Judicial Commissioner of Chota Nagpur.

Chota Nagpur.

No. 3729A.—The 14th November 1906.—Babu Manomohan Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Godda, Sonthal Parganas, under orders of transfer to Purnea, is posted temporarily to the Rajmahal subdivision of the Sonthal Parganas district.

Sonthal Parganas.
Purnea.

No. 3806A.—The 16th November 1906.—Mr. A. H. Loy, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Siwan, Saran, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Howrah district and is appointed to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of that district.

Saran.
Howrah.

No. 3809A.—The 16th November 1906.—Mr. J. H. Lindsay, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Saran, is appointed to have charge of the Siwan subdivision of that district.

Saran.

No. 3811A.—The 16th November 1906.—Mr. H. C. Liddell, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is appointed to have charge of the Rampur Hát subdivision of the Birbhum district.

Howrah.
Birbhum

No. 3813A.—The 16th November 1906.—Mr. B. R. Mehta, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Meherpur, Nadia, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Sambalpur district.

Nadia.
Sambalpur.

No. 3816A.—The 16th November 1906.—Mr. H. H. Heard, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Meherpur subdivision of the Nadia district.

Nadia.

No. 3819A.—The 16th November 1906.—Mr. Sharat Kumar Ghosh, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rampur Hát, Birbhum, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Bhagalpur district.

Birbhum.
Bhagalpur.

No. 3822A.—The 16th November 1906.—Mr. Guru Saday Dutt, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Gaya, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Shahabad district.

Gaya
Shahabad

No. 3900A.—The 20th November 1906.—Mr. H. F. Samman, Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector, Burdwan.

Burdwan.

Mr. Samman is appointed to act, until further orders, in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

No. 3907A.—The 20th November 1906.—Mr. S. L. Maddox, Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Bengal, is appointed to be a Magistrate and Collector of the second grade, with effect from the 16th September 1906, and to act, until further orders, in the first grade with effect from the 5th November 1906.

Calcutta.

No. 3909A.—The 20th November 1906.—Mr. H. Wheeler, Junior Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Bengal, is appointed to be a Magistrate and Collector of the third grade with effect from the 16th September 1906, and to act, until further orders, in the second grade with effect from the 21st October 1906.

Calcutta.

No. 3911A.—The 20th November 1906.—Mr. J. H. Kerr, late Officiating Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Bengal, acted in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors from the 16th September 1906 up to the 4th November 1906.

Calcutta.

No. 3913A.—The 20th November 1906.—Pandit Rama Ballabh Misra, Officiating Junior Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Bengal, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the third grade of Magistrates and Collectors with effect from the 16th September 1906.

Calcutta.

No. 3924A.—The 20th November 1906.—Babu Gyanendra Chandra Brahma, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Muzaffarpur district.

Cuttack.
Muzaffarpur.

EDUCATION.—*No. 3824A.—The 16th November 1906.*—Mr. Richard S. Varley, who has been appointed by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India to the Indian Educational Service, is appointed as a member of that service with effect from the 1st October 1906.

ZOOLOGICAL.—*No. 3915A.—The 20th November 1906.*—Mr. W. B. Gwyther is appointed to be a member of the Committee of management of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta.

Calcutta.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 3727A.—The 14th November 1906.*—Babu Hem Kumar Mallik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajmahal, Sonthal Parganas, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 3898A.—The 20th November 1906.—Mr. C. R. Marriott, I.C.S., has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for five months.

No. 3903A.—The 20th November 1906.—Mr H. Coupland, I.C.S., has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for three months.

POLICE.—*No. 3904A.—The 20th November 1906.*—Mr C. J. Stevenson-Moore, I.C.S., Inspector-General of Police, Bengal, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough up to the 10th December 1906.

RESIGNATIONS.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 3939A.—The 20th November 1906.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to accept the resignation of his commission tendered by the Rev. T. E F. Cole, Honorary (Church of England) Chaplain, Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles, with effect from the 12th October 1906.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2969.—The 13th November 1906.—Consequent on the departure of Mr. S. G. Paranjpe, B.A., Extra Deputy Conservator of Forests, 4th grade, on three months' privilege leave, Mr. A. H. Mee, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, 1st grade, is promoted to officiate as Extra Deputy Conservator of Forests, 4th grade, with effect from the 14th August 1906.

No. 2950L R.—The 15th November 1906.—Babu Sudarshan Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to be Settlement Officer, Parikud, in the district of Puri.

Puri.

Notification No. 2526T.—R., dated the 22nd September 1906, appointing Babu Sudarshan Das on partition work in the district of Cuttack is hereby cancelled.

No. 2957.—The 15th November 1906.—Babu Hara Krishna Mahanty, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, now employed as Settlement Officer, Parikud in the district of Puri, is posted to the district of Cuttack for employment on partition work.

Puri.

No. 2971.—The 14th November 1906.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of the following estates situated within the Dumka, Godda, Jamtara, Pakour and Deoghur subdivisions in the district of the Sonthal Parganas, and that the boundaries of estates, tenures, mauzas, and fields shall be demarcated on the lands so to be surveyed :—

Sonthal Parganas.

Name of subdivision.	Name of estate.	Tauzi No.
Dumka	Pharasimahal	18
	Bolgama	445
	Kherwa	445
Godda	Pargana Passai	447
Jamtara	Pargana Kundahit	551
Pakour	Sultanabad	35
	Ambar	91
Deoghur	Teur ...	26

No. 2973.—The 15th November 1906.—The following officers are authorized, under section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, to discharge the functions of a Revenue officer, in the districts of Monghyr, Purnea and Bhagalpur, under the provisions of that Act so far as they relate to Revenue officers. They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the same districts, under Rule 1, Chapter VI of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

Monghyr. Purnea and Bhagalpur.

1. Babu Jamini Mohan Mitra, Deputy Collector.
2. Maulvi Shams-ud-din Haidar, Deputy Collector.
3. Rai Braja Nandan Prasad Singh, Sub-Deputy Collector.
4. Babu Rajani Kanta Mukharji, Substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
5. „ Mahendra Nath Kundu, Sub Deputy Collector.
6. Bipin Bihari Sen.
7. Jatindra Nath Mukharji.
8. Sant Bilas Singh.
9. Maulvi Zahurul Husain.
10. Mr. J. A. Hubback, I.C.S.

No. 3007L.A.—The 20th November 1906.—Declaration No. 196R., dated the [illegible]h September 1902, published at page 1360, Part I of the [illegible]*ta Gazette* of the 1st October 1902, regarding the acquisition of land required for the Gaya-Asansol Railway, in the district of Hazaribagh, is hereby cancelled.

Hazaribagh.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy to the Govt. of B.

DECLARATION.

No. 2967.—The 14th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for assisted siding for Messrs. Sarkar and Barnard's Kumardih Colliery, in the village of Kumardih, pargana Shergurh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 2 cottahs 5·77 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the dry crops of Baikantha Roy, Ajodharam Roy, Udoy Gope, Kalpa Khan and Khas danga; south by the East Indian Railway Company's land; on the east by the dry crops of Kalpa Khan and on the west by the paddy lands of Baikantha Roy, is required within the aforesaid village of Kumardih.

Burdwan.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1884, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2968.—The 13th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company, for a public purpose, viz., for brickfield land at Santragachi in the villages of Jigachha in Baksara, Baksara and Jagachha, pargana Dharsa, zilla Hooghly, sub-district Howrah, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 acres 1 rood and 27·90 poles, being equivalent to 13 bighas 7 cottahs and 10·59 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages of Jigachha in Baksara, Baksara and Jagachha.

Hooghly.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Calcutta District, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at No. 18 Garden Reach Road.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2970.—The 13th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by the Purulia Municipality at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for effecting a drainage under the provision to section 195 of the Bengal Municipal Act, in the village of Purulia, pargana Chharrah, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5·35 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Manbhum.

PLOT No. 1

North—By Uday Nag and others' land;
South—By existing pucka drain;
East—By Rash Behari Roy's house;
West—By Purna Chandra Dey's privy;

PLOT No. 2.

North—By Jeliapara lane;
South—By Plot No. 1;
East—By Rash Behari Roy's house;
West—By Uday Nag and others' house and lands;

is required within the aforesaid village of Purulia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Purulia and at the Office of the Deputy Commissioner of Manbhum.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Patna.

No. 2972.—The 16th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a Sub-Inspector's quarters at Allamgang police-station, in the village of Mehalohahtri, pargana Azimabad, zilla Patna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 cottahs and 1·76 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By a public lane and the house of Ram Narain Shukul;
East—By a Municipal well and Mahabir Asthan;
South—By the main road from Bankipore to Patna City;
West—By a public lane to the Ganges and the police-station of Allamgang;

is required within the aforesaid village of mahal Chattri.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of Patna City subdivision.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3006L.A.—The 20th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Police line in the village of Kolabaree, pargana Bhagalpur, zilla Bhagalpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 1 chitak of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By Police lines;
South—By Railway fencing;
East—By Kolabaree lands of Babu Srimohan Thakur;
West—By Police Line;

is required within the aforesaid village of Kolabaree.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bhagalpur.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Cuttack.

No. 3008L.A.—The 20th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Minor Distributary from No. 15 Main Kendrapara Canal, length 1 mile 754 feet, breadth 17 feet, in the villages of Dutial and Tunpur, pargana Lahakhand, zilla Cuttack, it is hereby declared

that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 acres 1 rood and 15·7 poles of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the cultivated land belonging to Avi Senapati, Sadhu Jena, Radhakristo Padhan, and Anand Padhan and others;

South—By the cultivated land belonging to Balkristo Mohanty, Mayadharkar, Nitai Mall, Maguni Padhan, Narayan Biswal and others;

East—By the cultivated land belonging to Behari Padhan;

West—By the 15 Distributary at Kendrapara Canal;

is required within the aforesaid villages of pargana Lahakhand.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Officer, Irrigation Branch, Cuttack.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Murshidabad. *No. 3009L.A.—The 20th November 1906.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for the additional land at Lalgola Ghat for earthwork in raising the bank in connection with the construction of the Murshidabad Branch of the Eastern Bengal State Railway in the village of Kodalkati, pargana Alinagar, zilla Murshidabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 76 bighas 2 cottahs 12·70 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 25a. 0r. 27·224p. bounded as per schedule annexed, is required within the aforesaid village of Kodalkati.

Schedule of boundary.

Plot No. 1.—Bounded on the north by the river Ganges, on the west by the lands of Basarat, Nasiruddi Biswas and Hanif, on the south by the lands of Jeauddi, Ahadullah, Enayetullah, Moshu Mundol, Hanif, Nandalal Moral, Nasiran Bewa, Amanat Mondal, Basari Sheik, Ibrahim, Jahiruddin, Sasti Saha and Thakur Das, and by the Railway land already acquired, and on the east by the Railway land already acquired.

Plot No. 2.—On the north by the river Ganges, on the west and south by the Railway land already acquired, and on the east by the lands of Gulsar, Basarat Sheik, Sebatullah, Akbar, Hasibuddi and Hanif.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Ranaghat Division, Berhampur.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Murshidabad. *No. 3012L.A.—The 20th November 1906.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for extra land on the east side of the Bhyrab for earthwork in raising the bank in connection with the construction of the Murshidabad branch of the Eastern Bengal State Railway in the village of Kodalkati, pargana Alinagar, zilla Murshidabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 9 bighas 9 cottahs and 7 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 3 acres 1 rood and 7·438 poles, bounded on the north and west by the Railway land already acquired, on the south by the land of Abbas Sheikh, and on the east by the lands of Kali Charan Thakur, Diloo Sheikh, Ajan Mahaldar Asutosh Padahy, Massoorullah Mandal, Meheruddin, Jeruddin Sheikh and Hemat, is required within the aforesaid village of Kodalkati.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Ranaghat Division, Berhampore.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3013L.A.—The 20th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for flushing chambers at Goalapara Lane, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose pieces of land No. 15-1, Goalapara Lane in Calcutta, district 24-Parganas, measuring, more or less, 5 chitaks and 31 square feet, are required. The boundaries of the lands are as follows :—

24-Parganas.

PLOT A.

On the north and east—By the remaining portion of premises No. 15-1 Goalapara Lane.

On the south and west—By Goalapara Lane.

PLOT B.

On the north and west—By the remaining portion of premises No. 15-1 Goalapara Lane.

On the south and east—By Goalapara Lane.

A plan of the land may be inspected at the office of the Corporation.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the provisions of section 20 of Act VI of 1876 as amended by Act V of 1884, Mr. W. E. Durham Waite, second Manager of the Wards' and Encumbered Estates in Ranchi, is appointed to be the manager and the management is vested in him of the undermentioned Encumbered Estates, in the district of Ranchi, with effect from the 17th September 1906 on which date he has taken charge :—

1. Biru.
2. Parba.
3. Taisar.
4. Barkibewra.
5. Armai.
6. Burway.
7. Kulmunda.
8. Toto ½ (R. N. T.)
9. Toto ½ (B. N. T.)
10. Sahijina.
11. Bhargaon.
12. Masmano.
13. Katimkela.
14. Kairo.
15. Jingi.
16. Harmoo.

E. A. GAIT, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RANCHI, *the 23rd October 1906.*

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2616.—The 17th November 1906.—The following notification issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry is republished for genera information.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 8669—58, dated Simla, the 1st November 1906.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 80 of the Indian Emigration Act, 1883 (XXI of 1883), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment be made in rule 133 of the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, No. 94-E., dated the 18th March 1886, as subsequently amended, namely :—

For the words "the single women furthest aft; the married persons next; and the single men forward," *substitute* "the married persons shall be so located as to separate the single men from the single women and the crew shall be located beyond the single men."

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 4241F.—The 17th November 1906.—It is hereby notified for general information that, in the exercise of the powers vested in the Local Government by section 3 of the Calcutta and Suburban Police Superannuation Fund Act, 1905 (Bengal Act VI of 1905), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following rules for the regulation of pensions and gratuities to the members of the Calcutta and Suburban Police Force and of the establishment of the Fire Brigade, Calcutta, whose pay at date of discharge does not exceed Rs. 20.

Amount of Pension for Members of the Police Force.

I.—The pension admissible to an officer whose pay at date of discharge or resignation does not exceed Rs. 20 shall be determined according to one of the following scales :—

Scale A.—According to the rules of the Calcutta and Suburban Police Superannuation Fund, which under section 3 of Bengal Act VI of 1905 shall be taken to have merged in the general revenues with effect from the 27th December 1905.

Scale B.—According to the rules prescribed in Chapters XVII to XIX of the Civil Service Regulations for the superior service, except—

(*i*) that all service in the police after the age of 18 years shall qualify for pension; and

(*ii*) that, in addition to the leave under rule 2 of Article 713 of the Civil Service Regulations which is granted on the same condition as privilege leave and which under Article 407, Civil Service Regulations, is reckoned as service, one year's leave in 15 years' service and two in 30 years' service shall be so reckoned.

II.—The pension of an officer enlisted in the Calcutta or Suburban Police Force on or after 27th December 1905 (the date of the abolition of the Police Superannuation Fund) shall be regulated by scale B.

III.—The pension of an officer who was enlisted before 27th December 1905, and subscribed to the Police Superannuation Fund, and whose pay at date of discharge does not exceed Rs. 20, shall on his being invalided be regulated by scale A, provided he continues to pay his subscriptions from the 27th December 1905 (the date of the abolition of the Police Superannuation Fund) to the date of his retirement. Failing such payments, his pension or gratuity shall be regulated by scale B.

For Members of the Fire Brigade.

IV.—The pension of a member of the Fire Brigade, who was enlisted on or after 27th December 1905, and whose pay at date of discharge does not exceed Rs. 20, shall be regulated by scale B, and be paid from the Fire Brigade Fund or from the Fire Brigade Fund and the general revenues according to the rule of proportions as provided in Article 801(*ii*), Civil Service Regulations, for officers on pay exceeding Rs. 20.

V.—The pension of a member of the Fire Brigade who was enlisted before 27th December 1905, and subscribed to the Police Superannuation Fund, and whose pay at date of discharge does not exceed Rs. 20 on his being invalided shall be regulated by scale A and paid from General Revenues, provided he continues to pay his subscriptions from 27th December 1905 to the date of his retirement. Failing such payments, his pension or gratuity shall be regulated by scale B, and paid from the Fire Brigade Fund, or from the Fire Brigade Fund and the General Revenues according to the rule of proportions as provided in Article 801(*ii*), Civil Service Regulations, for officers on pay exceeding Rs. 20.

Breaks in Service.

VI.—The Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is authorized to condone breaks in the service of those policemen on pay not exceeding Rs. 20 a month who re-enlist within one year after discharge or resignation.

Power of Sanction.

VII.—The Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is authorized to sanction payment of ordinary service pensions or gratuities to members of the Police Force and Fire Brigade whose pay at date of discharge does not exceed Rs. 20, but not wound and other extraordinary pensions and gratuities to which the ordinary rules in the Civil Service Regulations apply. The power of sanction hereby delegated shall be exercised only when the pension is strictly admissible under the Regulations, and does not require, to make it admissible, the exercise of other powers which have not been delegated, *e.g.*, condonation of deficiency, etc. The Lieutenant-Governor reserves to himself the right to reduce pensions or gratuities on account of unsatisfactory service.

No. 873S.R.—The 20th November 1906.—Babu Amarendra Nath Pal Chaudhuri, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Jessore, *vice* Babu Bhabadeb Sarkar, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Jessore.

No. 860-O.—The 13th November 1906.—Mr. L. S. Graham, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Opium Agency, is granted privilege leave for fourteen days in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 796-O., dated the 3rd September 1906.

Benares Agency.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 259Medl.—The 15th November 1906.—Captain C. J. Robertson-Milne, I.M.S., is appointed to be Superintendent of the Central Lunatic Asylum at Berhampore, with effect from the forenoon of the 29th October 1906.

Berhampore.

No. 279Medl.—The 19th November 1906.—Major F. O'Kinealy, I.M.S., Officiating Professor of Ophthalmic Surgery, Medical College, Calcutta, and Ophthalmic Surgeon, College Hospital, is allowed privilege leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 13th November 1906, the date on which he was relieved of his officiating duties.

Calcutta.

No. 281Medl.—The 17th November 1906.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. Jordan, I.M.S., was on general duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the 20th September to the 7th October 1906, both days inclusive.

Calcutta.

No. 283Medl.—The 17th November 1906.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. Jordan, I.M.S., is appointed to be a second-class Civil Surgeon and is posted to Midnapore, with effect from the afternoon of the 9th October 1906.

Midnapore.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION No. 301Med.

Dated 20th November 1906.

CHARITABLE ENDOWMENTS ACT, 1890.

In the matter of the creation of the Raj Narayan Das Endowment for feeding the lepers in the Leper Asylum in the town of Puri.

It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Charitable Endowments Act, VI of 1890, and upon the application and with the concurrence of Babus Raj Narayan Das, Radha Charan Das and Radha Gobinda Das of Balasore, zamindars (hereinafter referred to as the donors), doth hereby order and direct that the immovable properties of which the particulars are contained in the first schedule hereunder written shall from the date of the first publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, vest, and be thenceforth vested, in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal to be held by him and his successors (subject to the provisions of the said Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, and the rules, from time to time, framed thereunder by the Governor-General in Council) upon trust to receive the rent, income and profits thereof when and as the same shall respectively become payable, and from time to time to apply the same in the manner and for the purposes set forth in the scheme of which the particulars are contained in the second schedule hereunder written; and it is hereby further notified that the said scheme of which the particulars are contained in the said second schedule, shall come into operation on the vesting of the said properties in the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal.

The First Schedule above referred to.

Two-thirds (or ten annas, eight pies) share of zamindari right in the estate named Purusotompur Kothmul, pargana Banchas, thana Gope, bearing tauzi No. 364 in the revenue-roll of the Puri district, the proportionate Government revenue now payable in respect whereof amounts to Rs. 275-5-4.

The Second Schedule above referred to.

1. The Endowment hereby created shall be called "the Raj Narayan Das Endowment for feeding the lepers in the Puri Leper Asylum."

2. The Trustee to be appointed under section 5 (1) of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, to administer the said properties shall be the Collector for the time being of Puri (herinafter referred to as "the said Collector").

3. The Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal (hereinafter referred to as "the said Treasurer") shall stand possessed of the properties of which the particulars are contained in the first schedule above written (hereinafter referred to as "the said properties") upon trust (subject to any special order which he may receive from the Government of Bengal) to permit the said Collector to have the possession, management and control of the said properties, and the application of the income thereof, as if the said properties had been vested in the said Collector.

4. The person for the time being having the possession, management and control of the said properties shall have full power to let the said properties or any part thereof, from time to time, for such period, and on such terms and conditions, and to make any allowances to or arrangements with tenants as he shall think fit, with liberty to accept surrenders of tenancies, and generally to do all acts and things necessary in connection with the management and development of the said properties as he in his discretion shall deem advisable, and as if he were the absolute owner thereof, without being responsible for any loss or damage that may happen thereby, and with power to delegate either expressly or by implication during such period or periods, and upon such terms as he shall think fit the exercise of all or any of the powers herein contained to any Subdivisional Officer or Deputy Collector in the service of Government without being responsible for any loss occasioned thereby. The several powers hereinbefore contained may be exercised either in relation to the undivided share mentioned in the first schedule above written solely or in conjunction with the person or persons entitled to or having power in that behalf over the other undivided parts or shares of and in the said premises or in relation to the entirety of the said premises, and so that in the latter case any rents, expenses, outgoings or other moneys may be apportioned in such manner as the person for the time being having the possession, management and control of the said properties as aforesaid shall think fit.

5. The person for the time being having the possession, management and control of the said properties shall, out of the rents, income and profits thereof, pay or cause to be paid all costs and expenses of and incidental to the collection of the same, and the management of the said properties, the Government revenue, cesses, taxes and other outgoings payable in respect of the said properties, and any other costs and expenses duly incurred by him or the said Treasurer in carrying out the trust hereby declared, and any fees for the time being payable to Government under section 13(*b*) of the Charitable Endowments Act. If the person for the time being having the possession, management and control of the said properties shall be the said Collector, he shall apply the residue of the rents, income and profits of the said properties in the manner mentioned in clause 6 hereof, but if not, he shall pay the said residue of the rents, income and profits to the said Collector, by whom the same shall be applied as mentioned in clause 6 hereof.

6. The said Collector shall apply the said residue of the rents, income and profits of the said properties in or towards the cost of providing food for the lepers of the said Leper Asylum, provided always that it shall be lawful for the said Collector to pay the said residue of the rents, income and profits of the said properties or any part thereof to the President for the time being of the Committee of the said Leper Asylum for the purpose of the same being applied for the purpose and according to the provisions of this clause.

7. The said Collector shall in books to be kept by him regularly enter or cause to be entered full and true accounts of all moneys received and paid by him as such trustee, and shall submit to such public servant, in such form, and at such times as the Local Government may from time to time appoint and prescribe, an abstract of such accounts, and such returns in regard to any matters connected with the administration of the trust as the Local Government may require.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3932A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 3877A.—The 17th November 1906.—Maulvi Lutf-ur-Rahman, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Bhagalpur, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station.

Bhagalpur.

POWERS.

No. 3868A.—The 16th November 1906.—Babu Mahendra Nath Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate, Manbhum, is vested with powers under section 190 (1) (*c*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Manbhum.

No. 3881A.—The 17th November 1906.—Babu Tulshi Das Mukharji, Munsif of Bhagalpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Bhagalpur.

Bhagalpur.

No. 3887A.—The 17th November 1906.—Babu Manmatha Nath Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate, Champaran, is vested with powers under sections 174 and 524 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Champaran.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENT.

No. 3281J.—The 17th November 1906.—Babu Pulin Chandra Pain and Babu Hrusikess Routra, are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Khurda, in the district of Puri.

Puri.

POWERS.

No. 3282J.—The 17th November 1906.—Babu Pulin Chandra Pain and Babu Hrusikess Routra, who have been appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Khurda, in the district of Puri, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the 3rd class.

Puri.

They are also empowered, under section 357, sub-section (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3193J.—The 14th November 1906.—Under section 3, Act I (B C.) of 1876 (an Act to provide for the voluntary registration of Muhammadan marriages and divorces), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a license to Maulvi Abdul Hamid, authorizing him as a temporary measure to register Muhammadan marriages and divorces, and to exercise the other functions of a Muhammadan Registrar within thana Magura, in the district of Jessore.

Jessore.

No. 3194J.—The 14th November 1906.—Under section 2, Act XII of 1880 (an Act for the appointment of persons to the office of Kazi), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a sanad (license) to Maulvi Abdul Hamid, appointing him as a temporary measure Kazi of thana Magura, in the district of Jessore, for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, when application is made to him to perform any such functions.

Jessore.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

No. 2051P.—The 19th November 1906.—Mr. J. G. Bell, Superintendent of Police, Calcutta, on Rs. 450 is appointed to act as Superintendent on Rs. 500, during the absence, on leave, of Superintendent S. C. J. Aldridge, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 2052P.—Mr. M. B. Ellis, Superintendent of Police, Calcutta, on Rs. 400 is appointed to act as Superintendent on Rs. 450, *vice* Superintendent J. G. Bell, promoted.

No. 2053P.—Mr. G. Bowen, Superintendent of Police, Calcutta, on Rs. 350 is appointed to act as Superintendent on Rs. 400, *vice* Superintendent M. B. Ellis, promoted,

No. 2054P.—Mr. R. Creagan, Superintendent of Police, Calcutta, on Rs. 300 is appointed to act as Superintendent on Rs. 350, *vice* Superintendent G. Bowen, promoted.

No. 2055P.—Mr. G. Elliott, First Class Inspector of Police, Calcutta, on Rs. 250 is appointed to act as Superintendent on Rs. 300, *vice* Mr. R. Creagan, promoted.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

POLICE.

No. 2000P.—The 17th November 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Kunja Bihari Mukharji, who has been appointed to be President of the Panchayat of the Notoo Union in thana Raina, in the district of Burdwan, *vice* Babu Beni Madhab Datta, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Burdwan.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Kunja Bihari Mukharji for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

No. 2024P.—The 17th November 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon each of the undermentioned Presidents of panchayats in the district of Muzaffarpur the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by the said officers within the limits of the Unions noted against their respective names.

Muzaffarpur.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by each of the said officers for a period of three years only from the date of this notification :—

THANA MAHUWA.

Name of President.	No. of Union.
Mr. C. R. Brown	I.
„ C. R. Brown	II.
Maulvi Muhammad Ibrahim	III.
„ Saiyid Ghulam Haidar	IV.
Shah Amir-ud din	V.
Maulvi Ejaz Husain Khan	VI.
Babu Tirbhinga Chatarji	VII.
„ Mahabarni Prasad Singh	VIII.
Mr. G. C. Blake	IX.
Babu Devendra Prasad Shukul	X.
„ Raja Ram Misra	XI
„ Gobinda Sharan Singh	XII.
Maulvi Imam Ali Khan	XIII.
Mr. J. V. Webb	XIV.
Kazi Muhammad Saiyid Hussain	XV.
„ Muhammad Saiyid Hussain	XVI.
Babu Bhan Prasad	XVII.
„ Jamuna Prasad Singh	XVIII.
Mr. G. C. Blake	XIX.
Babu Jadunandan Singh	XX.
„ Bhagabat Narayan Singh	XXI.

PATEYPUR INDEPENDENT OUTPOST.

Mr. B. Ware	I.
Muhammad Abu Saiyid	II.
Mr. E. Gray	III.
Babu Nakchedi Singh	IV
„ Madhusudan Prasad	V.
Maulvi Muhammad Yasin	VI.
Mr. E. D. Wilson	VII.
Saiyid Muhammad Husain	VIII.

THANA LALGANJ.

Name of President.	No. of Union.
Babu Badri Lal	I.
„ Achu Lal Sahay ...	II.
„ Kali Prasad Shahi	III.
„ Rambujhawan Singh	IV.
„ Balmukund Shukul	V.
„ Dwaraka Prasad	VI.
„ Lakshan Singh	VII.
Maulvi Abdul Rashid Khan	VIII.
Babu Barmeshri Prasad	IX.
„ Shukhdev Narayan Singh	X.
„ Baijnath Prasad	XI.
Brahmadeo Singh	XII.
„ Krishna Prasad	XIII.
„ Dwaraka Prasad	XIV.
„ Bindeshwari Prasad	XV.
Maulvi Bande Ali Khan	XVI.

THANA SITAMARHI.

Babu Gorakha Prasad	I.
Mirza Agha Muhammad ...	II.
Shaikh Shamsher Ali	III.
Mr. G. G. Lydiard	IV.
Ramji Misra	V.
Mr. J. A. M. Wilson	VI.
Babu Rajkeshwar Narayan Singh ...	VII.
Mr E W. C. Moore	VIII.
Babu Sarjoog Prasad Singh	IX.
„ Rajnandan Singh	X.
„ Badri Narayan Singh	XI.
Mirza Nazir Husain	XII.
Raghunandan Chaudhuri	XIII.
Babu Gokul Singh	XIV.

SONBURSA INDEPENDENT OUTPOST.

Mahanth Yagyeshwar Gir	I.
Rup Narayan Jha	II.
Babu Jadunandan Prasad Singh	III.
Gogal Raut	IV.
Lakshmi Purb	V.

BELLAMOCH-PAKOWNEE INDEPENDENT OUTPOST.

Babu Anup Lal Thakur ...	I.
Chaman Lal Chaudhuri	II.
Babu Rambhujawan Jha	III.
„ Jay Hari Lal Basu	IV.
Saiyid Nazir-ul Muhammad	V.
Babu Jay Hari Lal Basu	VI.
„ Kirat Singh ...	VII.

THANA SHEOHAR.

Babu Bir Bahadur Singh ...	I.
Mr. F. C. Walker ...	II.
Babu Jyoti Narayan Singh	III.
Ghazi Abdul Barakat ...	IV.
Munshi Jawahir Lal ...	V.
Babu Hari Das Chatarji	VI.
„ Mun Prasad Singh	VII.
„ Nath Prasad ...	VIII.

BYRAGNIA INDEPENDENT OUTPOST.

Babu Ram Baran Singh	I.
„ Raghunandan Bajpai	II.
Mr. H. F. Seners	III.

MAJORGANJ INDEPENDENT OUTPOST.

Name of President.	No. of Union.
Babu Kunja Bihari Chaudhuri	I.
„ Mahabir Prasad Singh	II.
„ Lal Bihari Chaudhuri	III.
„ Foujdar Kindar	IV.

THANA PUPRI.

Harish Chandra	I.
Muhammad Hussain	II
Babu Brahmadeo Narayan	III.
Munshi Jawal Ali	IV.
Narendra Nath Kar	V.
Audh Bihari Lal Das	VI.
Pandit Kedar Nath	VII.
Maulvi Syid Hussain	VIII.
Ram Bahadur Thakur	IX.
Jamadar Mian	X.
Rajeshwar Singh	XI.
Babu Subans Misra	XII.
Prayag Singh	XIII.

SURSAND INDEPENDENT OUTPOST.

Mr. E. W. C. Moore	I.
Mahanth Perea Das	II.
„ Shukhdev Das...	III.
Jagde Singh	IV.

THANA BELSUND.

Mahanth Jagpat Gir	I.
Mr. H. E. Davis Daintre	II.
„ H. E. Davis Daintre	III.
Babu Rajdeo Singh ...	IV.
„ Bishundeo Lal Mahtha	V.
Mr. C. H. Smith	VI.
Babu Triloke Sing	VII.
„ Juman Prasad ...	VIII.
„ Raghunandan Prasad	IX.
Mr. D. J. Reed ...	X.
Nathu Singh ...	XI.
Ram Ajodhia Singh ...	XII.
Brahmadeb Narayan Singh	XIII.
Khakhnoo Singh ...	XIV.
Mahendra Singh ..	XV.
Lakshminath Jah	XVI.

No. 2063 P.—The 19th November 1906.—In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 14, sub section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon each of the undermentioned Presidents of Panchayats in the district of the 24-Parganas, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by each of the said officers within the limits of the Unions noted against their respective names.

24-Parganas.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by each of the said officers for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification :—

Thana Diamond Harbour.

Name of President.	Name and number of Union.
Rama Charan Samanta	Bhaduria, 1.
Kedar Nath Chakrabatti ...	Diamond Harbour,
Mahim Chandra Mitra	Hatugunj, 3.
Mahendra Nath Tatanidhi	Hajipur, 4.
Bidhu Bhushan Basu	Kamarpole, 5.
Kartik Chandra Mandal	Kanaigachi, 6.
Gyanesh Chandra Barman	Khorda, 7.
Hari Narayan Sarkar	Mosat, 8.
Upendra Nath Purkait	Nainan, 9.
Paresh Nath Sarkar	Netra, 10.
Sham-sud-din Molla	Noorpore, 11.
Jadu Nath Sarkar	Sarisha, 12.

No. 2065P.—The 19th November 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Munshi Azizur Rahman Sarkar, who has been appointed to be President of the Panchayat of the Harinkhola Union, in the Arambagh subdivision of the district of Hooghly, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Hooghly.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Munshi Azizur Rahman Sarkar for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

No. 2067P.—The 19th November 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Girish Chandra Ray, who has been appointed to be President of the Panchayat of the Sugandha Union in thana Polba, in the district of Hooghly, *vice* Babu Dina Nath Ray, *resigned*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Hooghly.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Girish Chandra Ray for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

No. 2068P.—The 19th November 1906.—The Notification No. 3024J., dated the 1st April 1905, published at page 616, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Dina Nath Ray as President of the Panchayat of the Sugandha Union, in thana Polba, in the district of Hooghly, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Hooghly.

No. 2070P.—The 19th November 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Nalini Prakash Ray, who has been appointed to be President of the Panchayat of the Madhubpur Union, in the Arambagh subdivision of the district of Hooghly, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Hooghly.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Nalini Prakash Ray for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

No. 2072P.—The 19th November 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Shashi Bhushan Basu Talukdar, who has been appointed to be President of the Panchayat of the Mayapur Union in thana Arambagh, in the district of Hooghly, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Hooghly.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Shashi Bhushan Basu Talukdar, for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

No. 2074P.—The 19th November 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Mahendra Lal Mukharji who has been appointed to be President of the Panchayat of the Basatpore Dangor Union in thana Pandua, in the district of Hooghly, *vice* Babu Triguna Nath Mukharji, *deceased*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Hooghly.

2 The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Mahendra Lal Mukharji for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

No. 2076P.—The 19th November 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Bipin Bihari Basu, who has been appointed to be President of the Panchayat of the Gourhati Union in the district of Hooghly, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Hooghly.

2 The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Bipin Bihari Basu for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

No. 2082P.,—The 20th November 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon each of the undermentioned Presidents of Panchayats, in the district of Jessore, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by the said officers within the limits of the Unions noted against their respective names.

Jessore.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by each of the said officers for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

Name of President.	Name and number of Union.
Kotowali Police-station.	
Babu Bidhu Bhushan Ghosh ...	... Basundea, I.
„ Hari Das De	... Hatbila, II.
„ Kali Krishna Mazumdar ...	... Narendrapur, III.
„ Ramottam Ghosh Chaudhuri ...	... Ramnagore, IV.
„ Kunja Bihari Ghosh .	... Fatepur, V.
„ Janaki Kanta Ray Chaudhuri ...	... Nowpara, VI.
Muhammad Jasim-ud-din Biswas ...	... Panchbaria, VII.
Babu Nripendra Nath Mitra ...	... Nebutala VIII.
Muhammad Abdul Ghani Biswas ...	... Moorade ar, IX.
Babu Hazari Lal Datta	... Shajiah, X.
Muhammad Tarifullah Biswas ...	... Monoharpur, XI.
Babu Paresh Nath Sarkar ...	... Kaemkola, XII
„ Nanhar Chandra Shadhu Khan ...	... Jhinkergacha, XIII.
„ Panchanan Ghosh	... Mandalganti, XIV.
„ Kali Prasanna Ray	... Sharapole, XV.
Kaligange Police-station.	
Babu Kshetra Nath Ghosh ...	... Chapali I.
„ Hari Narayan Ray ...	... Shibnagore III
Munshi Ghulam Rabbani	... Chandrapara.
Muhammad Abdul Biswas ...	... Pukharia IV.
Munshi Abdul Rashid ...	... Nalbhanga V.
Babu Purna Chandra Ghosh ...	... Boozruk Khamar VI.
„ Jitendra Nath Chaudhuri .	... Barobazar VII.
„ Sharat Chandra Basu ...	... Ektarpur VIII.
Mir Ghulam Kibria	... Nagore Chaprail IX.
Babu Bipradas Mitra	... Shalikha X.
„ Dina Nath Chatarji ...	... Balorampur XI.
„ Mathura Nath Sarkar ..	... Kaklash XII.
Nawpara Out-post.	
Babu Gopal Chandra Mukharji ...	... Chengutia I.
„ Jyotirmoy Ghosh	... Mahakal II.
„ Jadu Nath Chakarbatti ...	... Nawpara III.
„ Sharat Chandra Mitra ...	... Rajghat IV.

No. 2084P.—The 20th November 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1), of the Codeof Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Bidhu Bhushan Haldar who has been appointed to be President of the Panchayat of Union No. II—Parulia of Debhatta Outpost, in the district of Khulna, *vice* Munshi Abdul Ghani Khan Chaudhuri, *resigned*, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Khulna.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Bidhu Bhushan Haldar for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

No. 2085P.—the 20th November 1906.—The Notification No. 1312P., dated the 6th August 1906, published at page 1542A, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Munshi Abdul Ghani Khan Chaudhuri as President of the Panchayat of Union No. II—Parulia of Debhatta Outpost, in the district of Khulna, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Khulna.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION

No. 1923P.—The 15th November 1906.—Babu Jatindra Chandra Mukharji, Rural Sub-Registrar, Jhalda, in the district of Manbhum, is appointed to act as Special Sub-Registrar of Ranchi, with effect from the 4th October 1906, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Wali, or until further orders.

Manbhum-Ranchi.

No. 1925P.—The 15th November 1906.—Babu Sharat Kumar Banarji, Rural Sub-Registrar, Purulia, in the district of Manbhum, is appointed to be Rural Sub-Registrar of Jhalda, in that district, with effect from the 4th October 1906, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Jatindra Chandra Mukharji, or until further orders.

Manbhum.

No. 1955P.—The 16th November 1906.—Babu Ashutosh Mukharji, Rural Sub-Registrar, Shambazar, in the district of Hooghly, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st November 1906, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Hooghly.

No. 1957P.—The 16th November 1906.—Babu Satish Chandra Banarji, Rural Sub-Registrar, Hooghly, is appointed to be Rural Sub-Registrar, Shambazar, in that district, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Ashutosh Banarji, or until further orders.

Hooghly.

No. 1972P.—The 17th November 1906.—Maulvi Nisar Ali, Special Sub-Registrar, Arrah, is, at his own request, appointed to be a Rural Sub-Registrar of the first grade, and is posted to Bihar, in the district of Patna.

Arrah.
Patna.

No. 1974P.—The 17th November 1906.—Sahibzada Muhammad Karim Shah, Rural Sub-Registrar, Sealdah, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed to be a Special Sub-Registrar of the fourth grade, and is posted to Arrah.

24-Parganas.
Arrah.

No. 2038P.—The 17th November 1906.—In consequence of the transfer of the village Harisankarpur from thana Sailkopa to thana Jhenida, in the district of Jessore, under Government Notification No. 1825 Jur., dated the 3rd April 1906, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the removal of the office of the Joint Sub-Registrar of Sailkopa at Harisankarpur from Harisankarpur to Abaipur in thana Sailkopa.

Jessore.

No. 2041P.—The 17th November 1906.—Maulvi Shah Muhammad Karim, Rural Sub-Registrar and Mutation Registrar, Manhor, in the district of Muzaffarpur, was on leave for two months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th July 1906.

Muzaffarpur.

No. 2043P.—The 17th November 1906.—Maulvi Shah Habib-ul Hasan, Rural Sub-Registrar, Motihari, in the district of Champaran, acted as Rural Sub-Registrar and Mutation Registrar, Manhor, in the district of Muzaffarpur, from the 10th July 1906 to the 9th September 1906, both days inclusive, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Shah Muhammad Karim.

Champaran-Muzaffarpur.

No. 2049P.—The 19th November 1906.—Maulvi Muhammad Kaim, Probationer in the Registration Department, Bankipore, in the district of Patna, was on leave from the 15th August to 6th September 1906, both days inclusive, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Patna.

No. 2057P.—The 19th November 1906.—Babu Pramatha Nath Ray, Rural Sub-Registrar, Jangipur, Murshidabad, was on leave for two months and ten days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th March 1906.

Murshidabad.

No. 2059P.—The 19th November 1906.—Babu Jyotish Chandra Sil, Rural Sub-Registrar, Calcutta, acted as Rural Sub Registrar, Jangipur, in the district of Murshidabad, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Pramatha Nath Ray.

Calcutta.
Murshidabad.

No. 2061P.—The 19th November 1906.—Babu Kamakhha Kumar Banarji, Rural Sub-Registrar, Bankura, acted as Sub-Registrar, Sabong, in the district of Midnapore, from the 11th October 1906 to 10th November 1906, both days inclusive.

Midnapore.

No. 2078P.—The 20th November 1906.—Babu Haripada Banarji, Special Sub-Registrar, Hooghly, is transferred to Khulna.

Hooghly.
Khulna

No. 2080P.—The 20th November 1906.—Maulvi Saiyid Abdus Salam, Special Sub-Registrar, Khulna, is transferred to Hooghly.

Khulna.
Hooghly.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 17th November 1906.

No. 219.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following reversion in the Engineer Establishment with effect from the 16th October 1906:—

Name.	From—	To—
Banerjee, Bhola Nath ...	Executive Engineer, 3rd grade, temporary rank.	Assistant Engineer, 1st grade.

No. 220.—Babu Bhola Nath Banerjee, Assistant Engineer, Buxar Division, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the 15th November 1906, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 20th November 1906.

No. 222.—Mr. G. Ewing, Accountant, first grade, and Honorary Assistant Examiner, is, under article 465 of the Civil Service Regulations, permitted to retire from the service of Government with effect from the 9th November 1906.

No. 223.—Babu Gyanesh Chandra Bhattacharji, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Calcutta Division, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and 28 days with effect from the 16th November 1906, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Third Publication.]

The 6th November 1906.

No. 8.—Notification.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 99 and 78 of Act III (B. C.) of 1876, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal proposes to make the following additions and alterations in rule 5 of the Water-rate Rules for the Orissa Canals and in items 2 and 5 of the Schedule of rates to be charged for water supplied from the said canals.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Existing rule and rate.	Proposed rule and rate.
Rule 5 (1st portion only).—The preliminary application for a lease for a term of years, either new or renewal, may be of an informal nature, but it must be in writing. It may be presented at any time; but, if presented after the 31st March in the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of one pice per *goont* of local measure, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, will be made for the year following that in which the lease has been applied for.	*Rule 5 (1st portion only).*—The preliminary application for a lease for a term of years, either new or renewal, may be of an informal nature, but it must be in writing. It may be presented at any time; but, if presented after the 31st March in the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of 1 pice per *goont* of local measure, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, will be made *on all lands leased at Rs. 1-12 per mán, and an additional charge of 1 pie per goont of local measure, equivalent to 2 annas and 1 pie per mán, will be made on all lands leased at 8 annas per mán* for the year following that in which the lease has been applied for.

Existing rule and rate.	Proposed rule and rate.
Item 2 of the Schedule (portion only).—Provided that in all cases in which the preliminary application for the lease has been presented on any date subsequent to the 31st of March of the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of 1 pice per *goont*, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, shall be made on all lands in the lease for the year subsequent to that from which the lease commences.	*Item 2 of the Schedule (portion only).*—Provided that in all cases in which the preliminary application for the lease has been presented on any date subsequent to the 31st of March of the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of one pice per *goont*, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, shall be made *on all lands leased at Rs. 1-12 per mán, and an additional charge of 1 pie per goont of local measure, equivalent to 2 annas and 1 pie per mán, will be made on all lands leased at 8 annas per mán*, for the year subsequent to that from which the lease commences.
Item 5 of the Schedule.—For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June—Rs. 3-8 per *mán*.	*Item 5 of the Schedule.*—*(a)* For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June *on lands leased for a term of years at Rs. 1-8 per mán—Rs. 3-8 per mán.* *(b) For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June on lands leased for a term of years at Rs. 1-12 per mán—Rs. 3-4 per mán.*

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 20th November 1906.

No. 23R.—Notification.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway Company, Limited, for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a branch of the light railway from Belliaghatta Bridge Station to Pattipookur in or near the undernoted villages in the 24-Parganas district:

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, the Lieutenant-Governor has authorized the Engineers of the Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway Company, for the time being engaged on this undertaking, to enter upon and survey lands and do all other acts required for the proper execution of their work as provided for or specified in the said section of the Act:—

Raigram.	Dhokerah.	Gopaulpoor.
Solale	Maheshurpur.	Rajahaut.
Bucerah.	Nuparah.	Hurrispoor.
Ameerpur.	Ruhund.	Santgatchee.

W A INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 16th November 1906.

No. 123Marine.—It is hereby notified that the following bye-law, which was published under this Department Notification No. 112Marine, dated the 20th October 1906, in three consecutive issues of the *Calcutta Gazette*, is approved by this Government under section 24 of the Howrah Bridge Act, 1871:—

Bye-law 2A.—During strong tides a red flag by day and a red light by night will be hoisted on the flagstaff situated near the lookout house on the Howrah Bridge and when this is done, no flats or cargo boats of 100 tons burden or upwards shall be towed or passed through any of the openings of the Howrah Bridge without the special permission of the Commissioners.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 20th November 1906.

No. 124Marine.—The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the following promotions in the Bengal Pilot Service:—

NAME.	From—	To—	Nature of promotion.	Date of promotion.
G. F. Thorpe ...	Senior Master Pilot ...	Branch Pilot ...	Acting ...	13th November 1906.
A. W. Michie ...	Junior Master Pilot ...	Senior Master Pilot	Ditto ...	Ditto.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 20th November 1906.

No. 185 Marine.—Mr. E. W. J. Bartlett, Branch Pilot, is granted combined leave for twelve months viz., privilege leave for one month and seven days under article 676 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 672 of the Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 9th November 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 17th November 1906.

No. 218.—The following reversions are made in the Upper Subordinate Establishment with effect from the 23rd October 1906:-

Name.	From—	To—	Division in which employed.
Mallik, Jotindro Nath ...	Supervisor, 1st grade, temporary rank.	Supervisor, 2nd grade.	1st Calcutta.
Mallik, Bama Charn ...	Supervisor, 2nd grade, temporary rank.	Overseer, 1st grade.	Nadia Rivers.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 17th November 1906.

No. 221.—Babu Jotindra Nath Mallik, Supervisor, is, on return from leave, posted to the First Calcutta Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 6th November 1906.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Chief Engineer Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 3933A.

No. 3829A.—The 16th November 1906.—Babu Hara Mohan Patnaik, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Bhadrak, Balasore, is vested with the powers of a Deputy Collector for the trial of rent and other suits under Act X of 1859.

Balasore.

No. 3831A.—The 16th November 1906.—Babu Surendra Nath Banarji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Nadia, is transferred to the Satkhira subdivision of the Khulna district.

Nadia.
Khulna.

No. 3879A.—The 17th November 1906.—Maulvi Atai Ilahi, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is transferred temporarily to the Asansol subdivision of the Burdwan district.

Hooghly.
Burdwan.

No. 3884A.—The 17th November 1906.—Babu Madhub Chandra Misra, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave up to the 19th November 1906, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 8th October 1906.

No. 3917A.—The 20th November 1906.—Babu Rudra Prasanna Chatarji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Manbhum, is transferred to the Khunti subdivision of the Ranchi district.

Manbhum.
Ranchi.

No. 3919A.—The 20th November 1906.—Babu Abhay Charan De, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Orissa Division, is poted to the head-quarters station of the Puri district.

Puri.

No. 3921A.—The 20th November 1906.—Babu Anadi Ranjan Bose, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Orissa Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Balasore district.

Balasore.

No. 3927A.—The 20th November 1906.—So much of the orders, dated the 6th November 1906, as relates to the transfer of Babu Krishna Chandra Ghosh, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Cuttack, to the Patna Division is cancelled.

Cuttack. Patna Division.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 10733, dated Calcutta, the 13th November 1906.—Senior Assistant Surgeon Kshirod Chandra Chaudhari made over charge of the Krishnagar Jail to Civil Surgeon R. H. Pulipaka on the forenoon of the 30th October 1906.

No. 11023, dated Calcutta, the 19th November 1906.—Military Assistant Surgeon F. J. Daley, made over charge of the Balasore Jail to Dr. P. A. Rigby, on the forenoon of the 8th November 1906.

No. 11024, dated Calcutta, the 19th November 1906.—Captain F. A. F. Barnardo, I.M.S. made over charge of the Arrah Jail to Captain A. F. Stevens, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 7th November 1906.

No. 11025, dated Calcutta, the 19th November 1906.—Captain A. F. Stevens, I.M.S. made over charge of the Hooghly Jail to Lieutenant-Colonel D. G. Crawford, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 6th November 1906.

No. 11026, dated Calcutta, the 19th November 1906.—Assistant Surgeon Satis Chandra Mukharji made over charge of the Angul Jail to Deputy Magistrate Baidya Nath Misra on the afternoon of the 29th October 1906.

W. J. BUCHANAN,
Inspr.-Genl. of Prisons, Bengal.

Sheriff's Office, the 26th September 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1906 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the 26th day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

A. A. APCAR, *Sheriff*

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯০৬ সাল তারিখ ২৬শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯০৬ সালের ২৬শে নবেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯০৬ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

এঃ এঃ আপকার, সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 14th November 1906.—Babu Abinash Chandra Misra, a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the district of Hooghly (Class VI), is allowed leave of absence for three months and twenty-one days, under Article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 27th June 1906.

The 19th November 1906.—Babu Akshoy Kumar Sen Gupta, M.A., Assistant Master, Purulia Zilla School (Class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under Article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 23rd October 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Annual Examination of Pleaders in Surveying.

1. The next Survey Examination for Pleaders will be held in February 1907.

2. Applications for admission to appear at the examination should in the first place be submitted to the District Judge in whose Court or in Courts subordinate to whom the Pleader ordinarily practises. The District Judge will require evidence from all applicants that they have undergone some training in practical surveying. He will not countersign the application of a candidate who fails to satisfy him on this point; nor will such as candidate be permitted to appear at the examination

3. Candidates whose applications have been countersigned by the District Judge, must submit their applications to the Director of Public Instruction, and these must be received on or before the 15th December 1906. After this date no more applications will be received.

4. The application should state the centre at which the candidate intends to appear, and all particulars as to the length of time the applicant has practised in the Court, and the full address, etc., necessary to secure that letters will reach the applicant.

5. Each application should be accompanied by the prescribed fee of Rs. 30,* which will in no case be refunded.

6. Only Pleaders practising in one of the Courts of the Province of Bengal will be eligible for the examination.

7. The examination will be held at three centres, viz., Patna, Cuttack and Sibpur.

8. The subjects for examination are noted below:—

(1) Paper on General Elementary Surveying, including the theodolite and levelling.

(2) Practical examination in the field in—

(*a*) Chain, and chain and compass surveying.
(*b*) Plane-tabling.
(*c*) Plotting.
(*d*) Levelling.
(*e*) The use of the theodolite and the permanent and temporary adjustment of instruments.

9. Candidates are required to secure 40 per cent. of the marks in the paper on surveying, and 50 per cent. in the practical portion of the examination.

10. The rules regarding the Pleaders' Survey Examination were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th September 1904.

11. The programme for the examination will be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

CALCUTTA,
The 14th November 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

* The fee must be deposited in the Bank or local Treasury, and the receipt for the same should accompany the application. On no account will cash or a money order be received.

PRACTICAL SURVEYING EXAMINATION FOR PLEADERS.

FORM OF APPLICATION.*

To

THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, BENGAL.

SIR,

I REQUEST permission to appear at the Survey Examination for Pleaders to be held in February 1907, under Government Order No. 2047J.—D., dated 9th October 1901.

The Treasury receipt for Rs. 30 paid as fee is sent herewith.

I wish to be examined at the centre.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

Dated

Particulars to be filled up by the Candidate.

(1) Name
(2) Father's name
(3) Residence
(4) Name of the district where the candidate is practising as a Pleader ...
(5) Date of obtaining the B.L. Degree, or of passing the Pleadership Examination...
(6) Where the candidate wishes to be examined
(7) Caste or creed

* The application is to be submitted through the District Judge in whose Court or in Courts Subordinate to whom the candidate ordinarily practises as a Pleader.

Programme of Practical Examination for Pleaders at the Sibpur, Patna and Cuttack Centres.

Day.	Date.	Hour.	Subject.	Full Marks.	Remarks.
Monday ...	18th Feb. 1907	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Question papers ...	100	In the Examination Hall.
Tuesday ...	19th „ „ and subsequent days.	4 hour periods morning and afternoon.	Chain and Compass Surveying.	100	In the Field.
			Plane-table Surveying ...	100	
			Levelling	100	
			The use of the theodolite and the adjustment of instruments.	100	
			Plotting	100	In the Examination Hall.

Each practical test should be suitable for a single uninterrupted period of four hours.

The order and times of the practical tests will depend on the number of candidates to be examined. They will be arranged for each centre by the officer conducting the examination as he thinks fit. They may be altered during the examination as occasion may arise. Candidates are therefore warned to find out on completing each test when their attendance will be next required.

Candidates must bring their own drawing instruments, scales, etc., each day with them. Paper, drawing-boards and field-books will be supplied.

Surveying instruments will be issued to candidates, who will be held responsible for any damage done to them. Tapes will not be supplied, but may be brought by the candidates, if they wish to use them.

CALCUTTA,
The 14th November 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 20th November 1906.

IN the absence of an approved Anglo-Uriya Reader for Standards V and VI, the Anglo-Uriya version of "A Reader for Middle Classes," by Messrs. Marsden and Bose (Messrs. Macmillan & Co.), may be used in schools in Orissa until further notice."

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction.

NOTIFICATION.

Junior scholarships for 1907.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, in accordance with the resolution of Government, dated the 30th October 1889, as modified by Government Notification No. 2916, dated the 9th September 1902, five junior scholarships of the second grade and eleven of the third grade have been allotted to the Presidency Division to be awarded for the University Entrance Examination in 1907.

2. The second-grade scholarships will be awarded to those candidates who take the highest places in the divisional list irrespective of districts.

3. The third grade scholarships will be distributed among the different districts of the Presidency Division as follows:—

24-Parganas	3
Nadia	2
Murshidabad	2
Jessore	2
Khulna	2
Total	11

M. N. GHOSH, *Pers. Asst.*, for *Commr., on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 14th November 1906.*

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College.—

I.—Engineer Department.

A four-year course leading to the Engineering Degrees of the Calcutta University. Admissions made yearly in June. Admission qualification, the First Arts examination of the Calcutta University or its equivalent.

II.—Apprentice Department.

The full course of study covers five years. There are special classes in Mining and in Electrical Engineering.

After 1½ years the Sub-Overseer examination is held.

After 3½ years the Final or Overseer examination is held with special modification for Mining students.

After a further 1½ years' practical training the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate is given.

Admissions are made yearly in June to 1st year and in March to 2nd and 3rd years. Admission qualifications—

To 1st-year class, Entrance examination of Calcutta University or equivalent, to the Middle School.

To 2nd-year class, the Final examination of B Course of zilla schools.

To 3rd-year class, the Sub-Overseer examination of affiliated Technical schools.

III.—Workshops.

Artisan classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine,
Blacksmiths';	Turners;	and Foundry.

IV.—Agricultural Department.

Admission made by nomination of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor Application to be sent to the Principal. A two-year course leading to the Agricultural Diploma of the College. Admission made yearly in November.

Admission qualifications—

As general student, B. A., B Course, of Calcutta University or equivalent.

As special student, satisfactory evidence that the candidate can benefit by the instruction.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

SIBPUR, B. HEATON,
The 13th June 1906 *Principal.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE

No. 6472B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1904-05, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 4th December 1906, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,400 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of	...	2,200
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of	...	2,200
Total	...	4,400

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 28th November 1905, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 19th December 1906, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 10th December 1906, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 19th December 1906.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. P. YAKCHEE, for *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 24th October 1906.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, as modified up to 1st November 1896, on Saturday, the 5th January 1907, in the Konnagore Ward of the Serampore Municipality, in the district of Hoogbly, to fill up the vacancy caused by the death of Babu Atul Chandra Mitra, an elected Commissioner of the Municipality.

N. L BAGCHI, *Persl. Asstt.*, for *Offg. Commissioner, on tour*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 12th November 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 26th January 1907, is fixed for holding a bye-election in Ward No. IV of the Jangipur Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, to elect a Commissioner for that ward in the place of Babu Ram Jadu Ray, resigned.

M. N. GHOSH, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Commissioner, on tour*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 15th November 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the bye-election held on Wednesday, the 31st October 1906, Babu Baijo Lall Nakphopha was duly elected a Commissioner in Ward No. IX of the Gaya Municipality in the district of Gaya, *vice* Babu Kanahaya Lal Morvai deceased.

F. W. DUKE, *Addl. Commissioner*.

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 19th November 1906.*



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PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 17th November 1906.*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 12th November 1906.

No. 25.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Indian Councils Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., c. 67), and section 1 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892 (55 and 56 Vict., c. 14), the Governor General is pleased to nominate the Hon'ble Mr. Francis Alexander Slacke, of the Indian Civil Service, to be an Additional Member of the Council of the Governor General for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

JUDICIAL.

The 12th November 1906.

No. 1475-A.—The Home Department Notification No. 1319, dated the 28th September 1906, regarding the resignation by the Hon'ble Sir Chunder Madhub Ghose of his office of Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, with effect from the 13th November 1906, is hereby cancelled.

G. B. H. FELL,
for *Secy. to the Govt. of India.*



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PART IB.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2162M.—The 15th November 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Sahebgunge Municipality, in the district of the Sonthal Parganas:—

Sonthal Parganas.

The District Traffic Superintendent, East Indian Railway, Sahebgunge
The Assistant Engineer, East Indian Railway, Sahebgunge. ... } *Ex officio.*
Babu Jugal Kishore Marwari.

No. 2175M.—The 19th November 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Kadir to be a Commissioner of the Howrah Municipality, *vice* Maulvi Abdus Salam, resigned.

Howrah.

No. 2183M.—The 20th November 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 8, sub-section (2), clause (*d*) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, III of 1899, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. W. Banks Gwyther to be a Commissioner of the Corporation of Calcutta, *vice* Rai Krishna Chandra Banarjee Bahadur, resigned.

Calcutta.

No. 2185M.—The 20th November 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 9, sub-section (2), clause (*c*) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, III of 1899, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. W. Banks Gwyther, who is a Commissioner of Calcutta, to be a member of the General Committee of the Corporation of Calcutta, *vice* Rai Krishna Chandra Banarjee Bahadur, resigned.

Calcutta.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by the East Indian Rail Company, situated along the East Indian Railway, chord line, in the subdivision of Jamtara, district Son Parganas, will be put up to sale at 12 A.M. on the 10th day of January 1907, corresponding with the 26th Pous 1313, Ben in the Court compound, Jamtara.

The purchaser of the plot of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the rail boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the deposited being forfeited to Government, and the plot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaul purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th.—The purchaser shall be put in possession on receipt by the Subdivisonal Officer of the orders of the Bo confirming the sale.

Serial number of plot.	Name of the sub-district and district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situated.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of the plot Bighas and Acres.	
					B. K. G.	Acres.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Jamtara, Sontha l Parganas.	Bodmá and Nugdee, taluk Pabia.	The land is situated between mile 152 feet 2,427 and mile 152 feet 1,622 from Howrah.	West side of the Railway line.	39 16 5	13 17

Dated Jamtara, the 10th October 1906.

P. MEERZA, Subdivisional Officer

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at 12 noon for the said arrears :—

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
	2								10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
35-4	Mondleghat, pargana Mondleghat.	2,23,423 3 8	Nil	5g. 11k. 4 til share of the estate.	Jahur Lal Seal	3,970 5 2	Nil	89 7 5	Arrears of March 1905.

M. A. KADIR, Dy. Collr. in charge, for Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th November 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 4th February 1907, at 12 o'clock noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate not specifically mentioned in column 5 are excluded from sale.

	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of the proprietors of the property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
		Rs. A. P.		As.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
166/1	Ta. Ganeswarpur, Ph. Banchas.	1,619 0 0		Kismat ... 9	Baladeb Prakash Brahmachari.	910 11 0		455 0 0	Due for kist November 1906.
166	Ditto ...	1,619 0 0		Do. ... 7	Chadmoni Dibya, mother and guardian of Hanuman Khuntia, minor, and others.	708 5 0		354 0 0	Ditto.
68	Ma. Drugadaspur, Ph. Kotrahang.	879 0 0	Whole		Bhikari Misra and others.		439 0 0		Ditto.
171	Ma. Gope, Ph. Banchas.	555 0 0	Do.		Satyabadi Patra and others.		272 4 10	.....	Ditto.
	Killah Balarampur, Ph. Paschhlinduai.	2,657 0 0		Kismat ... 4	Mussummat Sadatan Nisa Begam *alias* Chunee Begam and others.	664 4 0		332 2 0	Ditto.

Puri Collectorate, the 15th October 1906. P. C MITTER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on the 15th December 1906 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
241	Udanpur, pargana Khatanga.	971 12 0		Residuary share, 8 annas 5 gandas of the entire estate, excepting separate account No. 1.	Rajendra Kishore Mukerjee and others.	501 0 11		5 7 5
				All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.				

Birbhum Collectorate, the 29th October 1906. H. FOSTER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Khulna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 17th December 1906 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
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	Panitor, pargana Panitor.	Rs. A. P. Land Revenue— 5,651 9 3 Police Revenue— 67 3 2	No	2a. 13g. 1k. 1kt. ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rai Jatindra Nath Chowdhury and others.	Rs. A. P. Land Revenue— 941 14 11 Police Revenue— 11 3 2	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Land Revenue— 213 4 4 Police Revenue— 5 5 4
29	Khalisakhali, pargana Khalisakhali.	897 12 11	The whole		Gopal Chandra Bose and others.		54 4 4	
161	Ram Chandranagore, pargana Dhuliapur.	1,663 2 5	Ditto ...		Raja Khitish Chandra Rai Bahadur.		99 11 11	

A. AHMAD, Collector.

Khulna Collectorate, the 5th November 1906.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3531	Digra, pargana Boro ...	530 3 5	Entire	Nil.	Shaikh Mohammad Ali	Nil.	188 0 0	Nil.
2092	Kristobati Chhrachar, pargana Raypur.	1,092 6 0	Do.	Nil.	Rajendra Nath Roy, Manager to the estate of Brindaban Chandra Tagore.	Nil.	160 10 0	Nil.

Hooghly Collectorate, the 8th November 1906.

K. N. MITRA, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
397	Rashulpur, pargana Sherpur.			14a. 8g. 1k. 1k. ijmali share	Khondkar Mehedi Hosen and others.	2,267 4 4		1 7 1
561	Ohar Kanthalia, pargana Fateshingha.	1,325	Whole		Dwijendra Narain Ray and others.		55 2 7	
							Revenue .	
							Dak cess . 3 13 8	
							Penalty . 3 13 8	
							Road cess . 9 8 4	
							72 6 3	

Berhampore, the 10th November 1906.

R. S. BHATTACHARJEE, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1907 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
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		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
				PART II.				
				Temporarily-settled Estate.				
1433	Akberpur Barari, pargana Malki.	2,306 14 0		12a. 8g. ijmali share	... Nilkanth Singh and others	1,787 13 0		2 14 6

Monghyr Collectorate, the 16th November 1906. H. McPHERSON, Collector.

THE revised abstract of the Estates Partition Fund of the district of Cuttack for 1905-06 below is published for general information under section 42 (*b*) of the Butwara Manual—

Revised abstract of the Estates Partition Fund of the district of Cuttack for 1905-06, as required by section 42, Act V (B C.) of 1897.

Names of headings.	Amount. Rs. A. P.	REMARKS.
Balance at credit of fund on 1st April 1905...	9,540 4 10	The balance, Rs. 12,299-9-4, shown last year has been reduced to Rs. 9,540-4-10. This is due to deduction of Rs. 2,759-4 6 for stamp duty amalgamated with general fees.
Receipt for the year 19 5-06	4,600 5 0	
Disbursement during the year	8,093 6 4	
Balance at credit on 31st March 1906 ...	6,047 3 6	

W. F. C. MONTRIOU, Dy. Collector in charge, *for* Collector.

The 31st October 1906. (1178—1)

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 13th November 1906.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up ...	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ...	1,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs. 82,02,188 12 6			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 72,44,612 6 7	1,54,46,801	3	1
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	13,11,20,431	13	2
Bank Post Bills, &c.	6,15,865	14	5
Sundries	24,82,384	0	2
Rupees ...	18,41,65,482	14	10

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	79,67,354	0	0
Other authorised investments	48,53,218	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	4,07,04,997	15	8
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto ...	4,49,50,731	4	4
Bills discounted and purchased ...	3,34,85,800	4	0
Balances with other Banks	9,21,189	2	5
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	18,36,007	5	3
Stamps	11,199	1	0
Sundries	6,30,991	3	2
	13,53,61,488	3	10
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office Rs. 2,22,88,119 5 10*			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches ... „ 2,65,15,875 5 2†	4,88,03,994	11	0
	18,41,65,482	14	10

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 8,15,445 0 0
† Do. do do. „ 2,66,475 0 0
Rs 10,81,920 0 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, 15th November 1906.

C. M. BASTIN, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans, 7 per cent.
Percentage 32·30

HENRY GRAY, Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

(1180—1)

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th November 1906.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ per cent. Loans—						4 per cent. Loans—							4½ per cent. Loans—			Grand Total.
		Of 1848-49.	Of 1854-55	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1900-01.	Total.	Of 1892-93	Of 1895-96.	Of 1902-03.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1870.	Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion	Total.	
Balance of 31st October 1906 ...	85,17,400	1,59,45,100	10,57,63,200	2,18,93,200	1,18,09,000	15,84,750	.....	15,60,95,250	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	16,56,88,833
ADD—																		
Amount of transferred to in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 10th November 1906	.....	.....	25,000	5,000	.....	.....	33,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	33,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th November 1906 ...	.....	.....	10,000	5,000	.....	5,000	20,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20,000
	85,17,400	1,59,45,100	10,58,01,200	2,19,03,200	1,18,09,000	15,89,700	.....	15,70,48,200	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	16,56 58,833
DEDUCT—																		
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	1,00,000	2,14,600	3,50,000	10,200	19,200	.....	6,00,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,00,000
Balance on 15th November 1906	84,17,400	1,57,30,500	10,54,51,200	2,18,97,000	1,17,89,800	15,89,700	.....	15,64,48,200	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	29,500	34,500	15,49,58,833

NOTE.—From 9th June 1897 to 15th September 1906—Enfaced from India 11,539 lakhs; retransferred from London, 11,244 lakhs

,,	16th September 1906	, 30th	,,	,,	,,	1 lakh.
,,	1st October	,, ,, 15th	October	,,	,,	14 lakhs.
,,	16th ,,	,, 31st	,,	,,	,,	.....
,,	1st November	,, ,, 15th	November	,,	,,	1 lakh.

	11,555 lakhs.	11,244 lakhs.
	11,255 ,,	
Balance against India ...	300 ,,	

J. GRAVES,
Offg. Superintendent.

HENRY GRAY,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.

(1242—1)

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 17th November 1906.

Abstract Statement of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the quarter ending 31st January 1906, being the third quarter of the year 1905-06, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1904-05.

PARTICULARS.	For the quarter ending 31st January 1906.	For the quarter ending 31st January 1905.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance in favour of the Fund at the end of the previous quarter	1,52,31,986 6 2	1,51,21,950 10 1	1,10,035 12 1	
ADD—RECEIPTS—				
... 1st November 1905 to 31st January 1906 :		1,15,797 1 2	.....	5,845 14 8
Subscriptions from 1st November 1905 to 31st January 1906 in the Children's Fund	56,003 1 0	60,635 5 6	.....	4,632 4 6
Fees and stamps	15 0 0	4 0 0	11 0 0	
Amount at credit of subscribers under rule 55 transferred to divisible surplus	31 8 0	...	31 8 0	
Income and outlay on office buildings and grounds	987 4 0	987 4 0		
Amount of fine imposed on subscriptions in arrears	91 10 8	20 2 0	71 8 8	
Do. of Interest charged on subscriptions in arrears ...	.....	21 13 6	.....	21 13 6
Total Receipts ...	1,67,079 10 2	1,77,465 10 2	114 0 6	10,500 0 8
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,53,99,066 0 4	1,52,99,416 4 3	(A)1,10,149 12 9	10,500 0 8
DEDUCT—DISBURSEMENTS—				
Pensions payable to incumbents in the Widows' Fund ...	1,73,839 10 1	1,66,016 14 6	7,822 11 7	
Ditto ditto in the Children's Fund ...	94,826 11 4	90,166 13 6	4,659 13 10	
Establishment including contingencies	9,835 15 3	9,313 11 11	522 3 4	
Loss by exchange on remittances out of India	13,416 8 9	12,014 7 8	1,402 1 1	
Commission paid for money-orders	776 6 0	802 13 0		25 7 0
Total Disbursements ...	2,92,695 3 5	2,78,614 12 7	(B) 14,105 13 10	26 7 0
Balance in favour of the Fund ...	1,51,06,370 12 11	1,50,20,801 7 8	(C) 96,042 14 11	10,473 9 8
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,53,99,066 0 4	1,52,99,416 4 3	1,10,149 12 9	10,500 0 8
Proportion of divisible surplus payable to qualified members of more than five years' standing	92,640 12 0	91,510 8 0	1,130 4 0	

	Widow Fund.	Children Fund.	Widow Fund.	Children Fund.	Widow Fund.	Children Fund.	Widow Fund.	Children Fund.
Number of subscribers	1,139	704	1,194	761	...		55	47
Ditto of incumbents	717	863	699	862	18		..	...
Ditto of subscribers sharing abatement	1,151	669	1,164	669	..		13	23

	Rs. A. P.
A.—Net increase in grand total of Receipts, ...	99,619 12 1
B.—Net increase in total Disbursements	14,080 6 10
C.—Increase in Balance	85,569 5 3

B. PONTIFEX, *Chartered Accountant*,
J. C. C. GRAY, *Accountant*, } *Auditors.*

Published by order of the Directors,

K. C. DAS,
Offg. Accountant.

A. E. MEDLYCOTT,
Offg. Secretary.

U. S. F. P. Fund Office, Calcutta, the 23rd October 1906.

(1188—1)

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

Statement of Unclaimed Sums deposited with the Bengal Military Orphan Society in trust for Soldiers' Children, exclusive of those of minors who have not attained the age of 21.

Date of deposit.	Name and Rank of Father.	Corps.	Names of Children.	Amount. Rs. A. P.
Prior to 1842	Collins, ——, Sergeant ...	.....	Two children ...	157 14 1
,,	Lee, E, Corporal	.....	Two children ...	111 9 6
,,	Smith, Henry, Sergeant ...	.....	Elizabeth ...	828 0 0
,,	Smith, D, Sergeant Major ...	.....	Margaret	78 6 6
,,	Story, ——, Sergeant ...	.....	Thomas	137 5 4
,,	MacConnell, Sergeant ...	.....	John	77 15 3
,,	Rutherford, Sergeant ...	.....	Margaret	138 10 8
,,	Hewetson, William, Gunner ...	.....	John	47 5 7
,,	Taylor, John, Private ...	.....	John	2 4 11 1
,,	Conroy, Peter, Corporal ...	.....	Thomas	274 14 6
,,	McCullum, ——, Conductor ...	.....	John	354 6 10
,,	Gordon, James	59th Foot	James	589 2 2
,,	Casey, Jeremiah	87th Foot	Daniel	109 12 1
,,	Corbolly, Thomas, Private ...	69th Foot	Samuel ...	62 12 3
,,	Cassidy, ——, Corporal ...	.....	John	61 3 9
,,	Hyde, Henry, Conductor ...	... ..	Thomas	187 1 10
,,	Hedgkinson, E., Troop Sergeant-Major.	11th Dragoons ...	William	67 8 0
,,	Anderson, William, Corporal .	H. C. 1st Eu. Regt. ...	Mary Anne Margaret ...	124 11 6
,,	White, W., Private ...	3rd Buffs ..	George and Mary Anne.	13 13 9
,,	Minogue, T., Private ...	3rd Buffs ...	Thomas	23 11 0
,,	Tailor, John, Bombardier ...	.....	Elizabeth	43 0 0
,,	Neal, James, Private ...	59th Foot ...	James	43 0 0
,,	Sherrock, J., Corporal	.....	Joseph	160 0 0
,,	Moore, Bombardier ...	.....	Dorothy	5 8 5
,,	Lawson, Henry, Laboratory Sergeant.	.....	George	11 8 2
,,	Creighton, James, Corporal ...	13th L. Infy. ..	Mary Ann	13 12 0
,,	McCoy, ——, Sub-Conductor ...	.....	John and George ...	968 3 3
,,	Long, R., Sergeant ...	Allahabad Magazine Establishment.	Ann and Robert D. ...	107 3 9
,,	Baker, H., Gunner ..	4th Co., 3rd Bn. Arty. ...	James	32 1 4
,,	Hills, ——, Gunner ...	1st Co., 3rd Bn. Arty. ..	Sophia	30 1 1
,,	Burns, James, Gunner ...	Artillery	Hannah	10 5 9
	McKenney, R, Bombardier	1st Co., 4th Bn. Arty. ..	Ann Eliza ...	134 6 5
,,	Smith, J., Gunner ..	1st Co., 2nd Bn. Arty. ..	Margaret	6 6 5
,	Byrne, F., Hospital Sergeant ...	2nd Bn. Arty. ...	Charles	123 13 4
,,	Flynn, J., Gunner ..	3rd Troop, 1st Bde., H. Arty.	Elizabeth	6 1 4
,,	Fagan, J., Gunner ...	1st Co, 3rd Bn. Arty.	Mary and James ..	11 12 9
,,	Johnson, C., Gunner ...	1st Co., 5th Bn Arty. ..	William ...	3 0 6
,,	Twoomey, M., Gunner ..	4th Co., 3rd Bn. Arty....	Michael, William and Margaret.	21 2 11
,,	Ahern, William, Gunner ...	4th Co., 2nd Bn. Arty. ...	John ...	65 11 9
,,	McCormick, J., Gunner ...	4th Co., 2nd Bn. Arty. ...	Bernard ..	116 10 9
,,	Gavin, J., Gunner ...	2nd Co., 3rd. Bn. Arty.	Thomas and [illegible] ...	189 3 6
,,	Bryan, D., Sergeant ...	... ..	Mortimer ...	12 10 11
,,	Reid, ——, Sergeant ...	Sappers and Miners ...	Eleanor and Eunice ...	68 6 5
	South, ——, Sergeant ...	.. ...	Elizabeth Martha ...	310 0 0
	Cunningham, Mathew, Private	44th Foot ...	Michel ..	37 14 6
	Blyth, John, Conductor ...	.....	Children (names not recorded).	2 2 3
	Smith, T., Sergeant ...	.....	Esther and Emelia ...	23 16 0
	Pierce, Qr. Mr. Sergeant ...	20th N. I. ...	Thomas ...	711 15 2
	Driver, J., Sergeant-Major ...	.. ...	Robert Charles and John.	141 7 1
	Davis, D., Farrier-Sergeant ...	4th Troop, 1st Bde., H Arty.	Thomas ...	23 15
	Canty, John, Bombardier ...	3rd Co, 4th Bn. Arty.	John (died 11th May 1842).	272 2
June 29, 1853	(Not recorded) ...	.....	Bryon, Margaret, and William.	53 8 3
,, 29, 1849	(Not recorded) ..	.....	Daly Robert ...	23 9 1
Mar. 24, 1843	Nowlon, L., Farrier Sergeant	4th Troop, 2nd B. H A.	Ellen ...	112 9 5
Apl. 3, 1843	Farrel, James, Gunner ..	2nd Co, 5th Bn. Arty.	Charlotte ...	4 2 8
,, 3, 1843	Roach, Edward, Private ..	1st Eu. Lt. Infy. ..	David and Austel ...	7 13 3
Mar. 9, 1813	Sheehan B., Gunner	3rd Co., 3rd Bn. Arty. ...	John and Patrick ...	2 1 3
June 21, 1844	Evans, George Sergeant ...	1st Co, 2nd Bn. Arty. ...	Mary Ann and Catherine.	19 14 9
Sept. 19, 1844	Andrews, ——, Private ...	44th Foot ...	George ..	200 0 0
Oct. 30, 1887	Ward, J, Gunner ..	O. Batty., 3rd Bde., R.A.	Julia ...	267 11 11
Dec. 31, 1887	Bunn, T, Gunner ...	G. Batty, B. Bde., R. H A.	{ William Thomas .	63 9 8
			{ James John ...	63 9 8
Apl. 20, 1886	Farrell, James, Sergeant	2nd Bn. Manchester Regt.	Mary	300 0 0

Date of deposit.	Name and Rank of Father.	Corps.	Names of Children.	Amount. Rs	A.	P.
Mar. 29 1838	Oxford, W., Private ...	2nd Royal Lanc. Regt....	A. L. and A.	10	6	6
Nov. 16, 1844	Gale, ——, Private ...	10th Foot	John Thomas ...	28	12	0
,, 20, 1844	Sullivan, Jonn, Bombardier ...	1st Co., 2nd Bn. Arty. ...	John	150	0	0
Jan. 6, 1845	Monaghan, Michael, Sergeant	1st Co., 2nd Bn. Arty. ...	James	166	12	6
,, 15 1845	Godfrey, ——, Sergeant-Major	.....	Harriett M. and James	31	14	1
Feb. 14, 1845	Fry, ——, Bugle-Major ..	6th Bn. of Arty. ..	James	12	6	9
,, 3, 1842	Wilson		Sophia, Thomas and Elizabeth.	204	7	8
,, ... 1842	McCarthy, Qr. Mr. Sergeant ...	.....	John	61	2	3
14, 1845	Hannoo, J., Drummer	68th Regt., N. Infy. ...	Mary	28	8	3
July 7, 1846	Hay, A., Sergeant-Major ...	.....	Thomas	10	6	4
9, 1845	Meaney, John, Sergeant-Major	2nd Bde., H. Arty. ..	Henry and James ...	292	15	8
9, 1845	Murphy, Thomas, Bombardier	2nd Troop, 3rd Bde., H. Arty.	Ellen	77	4	11
9, 1845	Fate, William, Staff Sergeant	4th Co., 15th Bn. of Arty	Catherine Ann ..	167	15	5
9, 1845	Daley, Owen, Gunner ..	3rd Co., 5th Bn of Arty.	Owen	7	1	7
Sept. 1, 1845	Ryan, ——, Sergeant		Julia B. and George J.	32	13	0
Aug. 8, 1846	McEnerney, Thomas, Sub-Conductor.		Hannah	152	0	9
	Glassean, John, Corporal ...		Ellen Sarah	66	10	3
	Ridley, Henry, Gunner ...		Henry	34	9	3
Oct. 16, 1846	Lewis, Thomas, Gunner ..	Arty.	Thomas	20	5	3
July 6, 1847	Dobbins, Francis, Gunner ..		Martha	83	3	6
,, 19 1 47	Lunn, Adam, Farrier ...	.....	Adam T. and John ..	79	14	0
,, 19, 1847	Clarke, William, Bombardier ..	1st Troop, 3rd Bde., H. Arty.	Not recorded	104	10	8
,, 19, 1847	Prince, W., Sergeant ...	1st Troop, 1st Bde., H. Arty.	Ditto	125	15	10
Jan. 11, 1848	Byrnes, ——, Corporal ..		Maria	59	0	0
July 6, 1848	Braithwaite, W., Staff Sergeant.		C. William and William H.	148	3	5
Oct. 16, 1848	Butcher, H., Sergeant-Major ...	Sirmoor Bn.	Johannah, Frederick and David Edwin.	99	6	1
May 9, 1849	Sheehan, D. Private ..	2nd Bn. R g	James	36	5	6
June 2, 1849	Moore, Benjamin, Private ..	1st Bn. B. F	Sarah C.	9	8	4
,, 2, 1849	Crowley, Charles, Private ..	1st Bn. B. F	John	7	6	1
Oct. 12, 1849	Deare, W., Conductor ..		Emeline	50	0	0
Nov. 21, 1849	Moget, ——, Sergeant-Major ...		George	69	14	4
Feb. 18, 1850	Boote, Daniel, Gunner ...	1st Co., 4th Bn. of Arty.	James and another ...	26	3	5
June 29, 1850	Unack, Patrick, Sergeant ...	1st Co., 3rd Bn. of Arty.	John and another ...	29	15	0
Aug. 19, 1850	Sheehan, P., Gunner ...	Arty.	Patrick	23	5	6
Oct. 29, 1850	Lees, James, Corporal ...	2nd Bn. Regt ...	Elizabeth	25	14	6
Nov. 4, 1852	Hodgins, Adam, Gunner ..	2nd Co., 5th Bn. of Arty.	William	9	11	11
Feb. 1, 1853	Edwards, Michael, Sergeant ...	2nd Co., 5th Bn of Arty	Jane and Bridget ...	36	5	9
Apl. 21, 1853	Staples, Edward, Sergeant ...	Sappers and Mirers ...	E. W. H.	97	2	6
Sept. 13, 1853	Brown, Michael, Sergeant ...	Arracan Bn	John	49	10	3
Jan. 24, 1854	Galway, Robert, Bombardier ..	1st Co., 3rd Bn. of Arty.	William	206	1	2
,, 18, 1855	Munrowd, George, Sub-Conductor.	Ordnance Dept. ...	Georgiana ...	61	10	2
Sept. 24, 1855	Franks, G., Bazar Sergeant ...	.....	Mary Harriet	283	1	11
Oct. 15, 1857	Earle, Edward, Sergeant ...	Calcutta Town Guard ...	William Edward	209	14	0
Dec. 4, 1860	MacDonnel, John, Private ...	97th Foot	Charles ..	25	15	6
June ... 1862	Keddie, J., Private ..	2nd Bn. B. F. ..	Jane and James	86	0	0
July 22, 1863	Lawton, William, Color-Sergeant.	24th Foot	William and Joseph	152	14	2
Jan. 25, 1864	Jones, John, Gunner ...	G. Battery, 22nd Bde., Royal Arty.	Henrietta Dalzell	39	5	10
Mar. 10, 1864	Anderson, William, Gunner	5th Bn., 25th Bde., Royal Arty	Duncan ...	35	4	11
May 19, 1864						
July 18, 1865	Rowland, J., Private ...	2nd Dragoon Guards ...	Sophia M. and Elizabeth Ann.	8	0	0
June 25, 1866	Mead, William, Bombardier ...	4-25th Royal Arty. ..	Mary and Thomas ...	4	0	0
Oct. 9, 1871	York, R., Sergeant ...	Arty.	Henry J.	21	1	4
May 8, 1884	Claydon, Daniel, Color-Sergeant.	2nd Lanc. Fus. ...	Thomas Patrick ...	60	0	0
July 6, 1887						
June 2, 1888 and Sept. 7, 1888	Simmons, J., Lance-Corporal	nd Bn., The Queen's Royal West Surrey Regt.	Annie Isabella John Thomas.	358	14	0
Apl. 11, 1889	Hyland, M., Drummer	2nd Bn., The Queen's Royal West Surrey Regt.	Patrick, Emily, Matilda, and Rosanna.	558	9	8
Dec. 22, 1888	Squire, Richard, Sergeant	2nd West York Regt. ...	John Robert ...	554	14	0
Aug. 31, 1889	Neil, Thomas, Color-Sergeant	Ditto Ditto ...	Alfred William ...	199	9	11
Nov. 26, 1889	Foster, G., Private	Ditto Ditto ..	George, E. Ernest ...	113	13	2
Nov. 5, 1890	Loades, E. H., Sergt.	1st Bn., Suffolk Regt. ..	Robert, Henry ..	1,685	2	

Application for payment of the deposits should be made to the Pay Examiner, Eastern Command, Calcutta.

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PAY EXAMINER'S OFFICE, EASTERN COMMAND;
Calcutta, the 16th November 1906.

The Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned packages, lying unclaimed in the Commissioners' Import War will be sold by public auction on or after the 4th December 1906 under section 118 of Act III of 1899 :—

Date of removal.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Rem
1906.	SHED No. 1.					
May 15	A D	...	1	Bag wood ...	S.S. "Mombassa."	
,, 15	H or nil	...	1	Cask rosin ...	Ditto.	
,, 15	No mark or a diamond, G H on top, W S below.	...	4	Jars (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 15	No mark or H M	...	1	Bag rivets ...	Ditto.	
,, 15	No mark	...	1	Bag buckles ...	Ditto.	
,, 15	Ditto	...	1	Bag adjwan ...	Ditto	
,, 15	Ditto	...	6	Bags sweeping cement	Ditto	
,, 15	Ditto	...	2	Casks cement ...	Ditto.	
,, 15	Ditto or BC / BM ...	...	1	Bag washers or buckles.	Ditto.	
,, 15	No mark	...	1	Bag horse shoes ...	Ditto.	
,, 15	Ditto	...	1	Case soap ...	Ditto.	
,, 15	Ditto	...	1	Case oilmanstores ...	Ditto.	
,, 15	Ditto	...	2	Casks merchandise (broken.)	Ditto.	
,, 15	Ditto	...	1	Spelter ...	Ditto.	
,, 15	A D or nil	...	2	Bags turmeric ...	Ditto.	
,, 18	No mark or E A R / Bird ...	...	2	Bags sugar ...	S.S. "Schwarzenfels."	
,, 21	B L D	...	1	Case window glass...	S.S. "Goldenfels."	
,, 24	No mark	...	5	Iron plates ...	S.S "Borneo"	
,, 24	Ditto	...	18	Bars half round ...	Ditto.	
,, 24	Ditto or XX	...	55	Bundles flat iron ...	Ditto.	
,, 29	No mark	...	1	Loose G. C. sheet.	S.S. "St. Dunstan."	
,, 29	J B P	1	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
,, 29	No mark	...	9	Iron stoves (broken)	Ditto.	
Aug 8	A in a diamond, A H on top, H I below, or A H H or X.	...	16	Boxes ...	S.S. "Malacca."	
,, 8	P S or no mark	...	4	Bars round ...	Ditto.	
,, 8	Nil or C C C C in a diamond ...	...	70	Earthen channel ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	No mark	...	...	A quantity of sweeping cement.	S.S. "Simla."	
July 2	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken firebricks.	S.S. "Camberwell."	
2	Ord. Dept.	...	1	Case (repaired) ...	Ditto.	
9	A in a diamond, L on top, O M on each side, or L / A in a diamond, O M below.	...	1	Case ...	S.S. "Goorkha."	

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1906.	SHED No. 1—*contd.*					
July 9	No mark	...	5	Pieces building material.	S.S. "Goorkha."	
„ 9	Ditto	...	1	Piece joist ...	Ditto.	
„ 9	J R & C in a triangle or nil L ...	7	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 9	No mark	...	3	Rolls tea lead ...	Ditto.	
„ 9	Ditto	...	4	Casks cement (empty)	Ditto.	
„ 9	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of sweeping cement.	Ditto.	
„ 9	R H in a diamond or R in a diamond or nil.	3137 or X	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 11	Excelsior, Karachi or nil ...	...	1	Bag sugar ...	S.S. "Wartenfels."	
„ 11	Sassoon or nil	...	4	Bags sugar ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	No mark	...	1	Bag sweeping sugar	Ditto.	
„ 16	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken firebricks.	S.S. "Asia."	
„ 31	A Ross, Esq., No. 5, Clive Street	...	1	Parcel ...	S.S. "Marquis Bacquehem."	
„ 31	G in a diamond or C in a diamond or nil.	47	1	Cask (empty) ...	S.S. "Inchkeith."	
„ 31	No mark	...	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 31	↑ Arsenal Madras	...	2	Drums (leaky) ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 31	↑ Ord. Dept.	...	1	Drum	Ditto ...	H G.
	Withdrawn from last sale.					
February 13	No mark	...	5	Bags ground-nuts or dall.	S.S. "Rheinfels."	
„ 13	Ditto	...	2	Bags green grain ...	Ditto.	
„ 13	Ditto	...	1	Bag nux vomica or dall or ground-nuts.	Ditto.	
„ 13	Ditto	...	1	Bag dall or ground-nuts.	Ditto.	
„ 13	T C K by A W K	...	1	Case (repaired) ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	C T C in a diamond, top, D K, & Co below.	1048	1	Ditto ...	S.S. "Incharran."	
„ 27	No mark	...	3	Loose rice bowls ...	S.S. "Wardenfels."	
„ 27	Ditto	...	1	Circular plate iron...	Ditto.	
„ 27	Ditto	...	1	Bag ground-nuts ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of rivets	Ditto.	
April 14	H C C	...	2	Cases window glass	S.S. "Tannenfels."	
„ 14	No mark	...	1	Case chimney ...	Ditto.	
„ 14	Ditto	...	10	Casks cement .	Ditto.	
„ 14	Ditto	...	17	Packets slate pencil	Ditto.	
„ 14	Ditto	...	8	Packets candles ...	Ditto.	

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1906.	SHED No. 1—*concld.*					
April 28	No mark	...	1	Bundle shooks ...	S.S. "Liebenfels."	
,, 28	Ditto	...	2	Bags iron nuts ...	Ditto.	
,, 28	Ditto	...	1	Bag bobbin ...	Ditto.	
,, 28	Ditto	...	1	Bag bolts and nuts	Ditto.	
1905.						
December 15	5712 in a triangle, W B on *top* ...	...	1	Crate ...	S.S. "Bavaria."	
1906.						
January 29	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose sand.	S.S. "Mombassa."	
	SHEDS Nos. 2-3.					
May 17	Munsie S. Mahamed Casin or Crahim.	8 or 54	1	Parcel ...	S.S. "Gisela."	
,, 17	Mr. Budden Brothers or addressed	...	2	Parcels ...	Ditto.	
,, 17	R B or $\frac{R \& B}{L}$	...	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
,, 18	No mark	...	1	Cask coaltar (broken and empty).	S.S. "Clan Macdougal."	H. G.
,, 18	Ditto	...	1	Case tea shooks (broken).	Ditto.	
,, 18	Ditto	710	1	Case oil ...	Ditto.	
,, 18	Ditto	...	1	Bundle tie bars=5 pieces.	Ditto.	
June 7	M O Co in a circle, Madras below, or M & Co in a diamond, Madras below.	46	1	Case wine ...	S.S. "Clan Campbell."	
,, 7	A H J	...	2	Bags bolts and nuts	S.S. "Clan Matheson."	
,, 7	949 in a diamond or nil ...	...	1	Keg or drum ...	Ditto.	
,, 7	No mark	...	...	A quantity of broken firebricks.	Ditto.	
July 2	C E M or nil	...	3	Bundles or bags horn cutting.	S.S. "Caboto."	
June 27	No mark	...	4	Bags sweeping sugar	S.S. "Orseolo."	
July 2	Ditto	...	1	Bag sweeping sugar	S.S. "Ockenfels."	
,, 2	Levetus ...	...	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 6	724 in a diamond, S S on top, C below or nil.	...	3	Kegs (empty) ...	S.S. "Clan Macalister."	

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1906.	SHED NOS. 2-3—*concld.*					
July 6	No mark or A H J ...	...	...	A quantity of loose coir yarn.	S.S. "Clan Macdonald."	
" 6	Ditto	...	3	Bags cocoanuts (partly empty).	Ditto.	
" 6	No mark	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
" 17	Balmer, Lawrie & Co "	30-31	2	Parcel ...	S.S. "E. F. Ferdinand."	
" 17	B B 200 or 200 in a diamond, B B on A S top, A S below.	...	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
" 17	T A & Co	...	1	Bag salt ...	Ditto.	
" 19	905 in a diamond, S S on top, C S below, or 705 in a diamond, S S on top, C below.	...	1	Keg copperas ...	S.S. "Clan Gordon.	
1905.	*Withdrawn from last sale.*					
December 20	O or E or L or J or K L in a diamond or nil.	...	20	Bundles G. C. sheet	S.S. "Clan Macfarlane."	
" 20	No mark	...	16	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
1906.	SHED No. 4.					
May 6	M B	...	3	Cast-iron bend pipes	S.S. "Dalmatia."	
" 6	No mark	...	1	Ditto valve ...	Ditto.	
" 6	No mark or 1378 in a diamond ...	...	1	Keg washer ...	Ditto.	
" 6	3584 in a diamond, S K on top or nil.	...	2	Casks coal tar ...	Ditto	H. G.
" 8	Mathematical Instrument Office	751	1	Case (empty) ...	S.S. "Fulwell."	
" 8	No mark	...	2	Bundles G. C. sheet	Ditto.	
" 15	A in a diamond or A Amrail. ...	...	4	Casks cement ...	S.S. "Hohenfels."	
" 15	X White	...	1	Bundle fish-plate ...	Ditto.	
" 15	P S or nil	...	1	Chequered plate ...	Ditto.	
" 15	No mark	...	1	Coil wire ...	Ditto.	
" 15	Ditto	...	1	Keg nail ...	Ditto.	
" 15	1891 in a diamond, W Q below ...	...	1	Bag phial ...	Ditto.	
" 15	Ends white or nil	...	1	Bundle flat or round bars.	Ditto.	
" 23	No mark	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	S.S. "Arabia."	
June 5	821 in a triangle, B C on top, D below.	6429 or 6431	2	Cases ...	S.S. "Scharzfels."	
" 5	436 in a heart, B B on top ...	...	1	Coil wire ...	Ditto.	
" 5	F in a diamond	...	3	Casks cement ...	Ditto.	
" 5	H or nil	...	2	Joists ...	Ditto.	
" 5	M S or nil	...	1	Steel plate ...	Ditto.	

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1906.	SHED No. 4—*contd.*					
June 5	J F M or 2420 92NC5	6	1	Case (empty) ...	S.S. "Scharzfels"	
" 5	No mark	...	2	Cases window glass	Ditto.	
" 5	O in a triangle, D C on top ...	...	24	Bales ...	Ditto.	
" 5	M S P	...	145	Joists ...	Ditto.	
" 5	Ditto	...	281	Angles ...	Ditto.	
" 16	No mark	...	1	Loose spade ...	S.S. "City of Mad-	
" 16	Ditto	...	2	Bags soda ...	[illegible]	
" 16	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
" 16	Ditto	...	4	Casks sand ...	Ditto.	
" 16	M in a diamond	...	2	Pieces spelter	Ditto.	
" 16	3506 in a diamond, S K on top or nil.	...	12	Casks tar (leaky) ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
" 26	No mark	...	1	Joist	S.S. "Golconda."	
" 26	Ditto	...	1	Cast iron bend pipe	Ditto.	
" 26	Ditto	...	3	Loose bottles Cod Liver Oil.	Ditto.	
" 26	Ditto	...	1	Coil wire	Ditto.	
" 26	Ditto	...	3	Kegs paint ...	Ditto.	
" 26	Ditto	...	7	Bricks ...	Ditto	
" 26	Venesta T C	65457, 6770, 6779	3	Cases	Ditto.	
" 26	No mark	...	9	Barrels Coal Tar (empty).	Ditto ...	H. G.
July 3	B in a diamond	146	1	Case Stores	S.S. "Sumatra."	
" 3	K	...	2	Joists ...	Ditto.	
" 3	No mark or 5180 AC	...	1	Sheet iron ...	Ditto.	
" 10	D S in an inverted triangle, J S below.	...	4	Casks soda ...	S.S. "Bohemia"	
" 18	T P M I	...	4	Drums caustic soda	S.S. "Auchendale"	H. G.
" 23	C W N in a diamond, J L on top, & Co. below.	1	1	Case ...	S.S. "Jelunga."	
" 23	G C or Nil	...	1	Round steel (broken)	Ditto.	
" 23	H & S in a diamond	1	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
" 23	No mark	...	6	Bars angle iron ...	Ditto.	
" 23	Ditto	...	1	Bar tee ...	Ditto.	
" 23	Ditto	...	1	" half round ...	Ditto	
" 23	M S	...	2	Steel sheets ...	Ditto.	

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1906.	SHED No. 4—*concld.*					
July 23	No mark	...	2	Steel plates ..	S S "Jelunga."	
,, 23	I G N R or Nil	...	9	Ditto ..	Ditto.	
,, 23	No mark	...	9	Bars round ...	Ditto.	
,, 23	Ditto or a diamond ...	...	1	Keg paint ..	Ditto.	
,, 23	No mark or Krieg & Co in a diamond.	...	1	Cask cement (empty)	Ditto.	
,, 23	No mark	..	1	Keg bolts and nuts	Ditto.	
,, 23	P S A C C by Chittagong or Nil	...	3	Casks cement (empty)	Ditto.	
,, 23	P C C & Co. in a diamond ...	2, 3	2	Cases ...	Ditto.	
,, 23	Venesta T C	...	1	Case broken ...	Ditto.	
,, 23	No mark or I G N R or L oil in a block, K & Co on side.	...	1	Drum oil (broken and empty).	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 23	B in a diamond or Nil	..	...	Drum (broken and empty).	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 23	No mark	.	1	A quantity of rosin	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 23	Ditto	..	1	Cask oil, leaky ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 31	No mark	..	2	Kegs phonyle (empty)	S.S. "Clan Fergusson."	
,, 31	12400 in an inverted triangle, Madras right side.	23	1	Cask (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 31	No mark	...	1	Cask coal tar ...	Ditto ..	H. G.
	Withdrawn from last sale					
February 8	M S P	...	25	Pieces joists .	S S. "Ockenfels."	
,, 8	X I X white	.	183	Bundles angle iron...	Ditto.	
,, 24	169 X in a diamond, S S on top or Nil.	...	1	Keg ...	S.S. "Persia."	
,, 17	No mark	...	1	Case fittings broken and loose.	S.S. "Goorkha."	
,, 17	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces spelter.	Ditto.	
April 12	Borborrah in a diamond, Upper Assam on top.	...	1	Case tea shooks ..	S.S. "Malta."	
,, 21	No mark	...	11	Bundles sleeper ...	S.S. "Rabenfels."	
,, 21	Ditto	...	20	Rails ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	Ditto	...	1	Keg wire nail ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	M S P X red	...	172	Bars angle ...	Ditto ...	
August 2	J C G or Nil	...	1	Plate ...	S.S. "Clan Lamont."	
January 8 1905.	M S P	...	29	Piece tees ...	S.S. "Lichtenfels."	
December 21	III red or nil	...	2	Bars angle ...	S.S. "Moltkefels"	

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1906.	SHED NO. 5.					
May 5	No mark	...	1	Case soap, broken ...	S.S. "Tactician."	
,, 21	Ditto	...	2	Pieces rice bowls ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	Ditto	...	1	Keg rivets ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	Ditto	...	..	A small quantity of loose tin plates.	Ditto.	
,, 21	Z in a diamond ...	...	9	Cases tin plates ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	No mark	...	1	Bundle steel, 4 pieces.	Ditto.	
October 6	B N R	...	2	Bundles fish plates	Ditto.	
May 5	A D	.	1	Package ...	S.S. "Shadwell."	
,, 5	106 in a triangle M K on top ...	6	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
,, 5	No mark	...	2	Bags turmeric or adjwan.	Ditto.	
,, 5	Ditto	...	1	Bag adjwan ...	Ditto.	
,, 5	Ditto	...	3	Bags castor seeds ...	Ditto.	
,, 5	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose castor seeds or adjwan or turmeric.	Ditto.	
,, 5	2054 in a diamond ...	23	1	Case (broken and empty).	Ditto.	
,, 5	↑ or no mark	...	1	Case oatmeal (empty).	Ditto.	
,, 19	No mark	...	2	Plates ...	S.S. "Candia."	
,, 19	Mr. Robert Mac Will, Second Cabin Passenger.	...	1	Small package ...	Ditto.	
,, 19	S ↑ T	...	3	Broken pipes ...	Ditto.	
,, 23	B O C in a triangle, J T on top .	1951	1	Case ...	S.S. "Craftsman."	
,, 23	No mark	...	1	Bundle hoop iron ...	Ditto.	
,, 23	621 in a diamond, S K on top, or nil.	..	27	Bundles sheet iron...	Ditto.	
,, 23	No mark	...	1	Keg paint (broken)	Ditto.	
June 1	Ditto or 6096	...	2	undles tubes ..	S.S. "Assyria."	
,, 1	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose and broken fire-bricks.	Ditto	
,, 1	6 4 in a diamond, S S on top C below.	...	1.	Keg (empty) ..	Ditto	
,, 1	32 Ralli or nil	...	1	Bag sugar ...	Ditto.	
,, 1	No mark	...	1	Drum (empty) ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	Ditto	...	1	Bundle round ...	S.S. "Politician."	
,, 21	Ditto	...	1	Bundle wool ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	Ditto	...	1	Keg soda ...	Ditto.	

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1906.	SHED No. 5—*contd.*					
June 28	Standard in a diamond, C S on top or nil.	14	1	Case ...	S.S. "City of Sparta."	
" 28	J N and S or nil	...	1	Chimney ...	Ditto.	
" 28	No mark	...	1	Loose bucket ..	Ditto.	
" 28	Ditto	...	..	A quantity of circle wood or bobbin	Ditto.	
July 21	Ditto	...	11	Spindles ..	S.S. "City of Benares."	
" 21	Ditto	...	8	Packets candles ...	Ditto.	
	Withdrawn from last sale.					
February 7	No mark	...	1	Bundle sheet iron ...	S.S. "Assyria."	
" 17	E A C / B J / D	194	1	Case ...	S.S. "City of Corinth."	
March 3	M S P	...	60	Bars angle ...	S.S. "City of Agra."	
March 13	No mark	...	2	Bags Ground nuts	S.S. "Weissenfels."	
April 4	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose tin plates.	S.S. "Civilian."	
" 25	124 Calcutta	...	1	Bundle G. C. sheet	S.S "Workman."	
" 25	J S N in a heart, D on top or Nil	...	1	Bag soda ...	Ditto.	
" 26	No mark	...	1	Cask fire-bricks broken.	Ditto.	
" 26	2063 / C in diamond or Nil ...	...	9	Bundles sheet iron	Ditto.	
1905.						
November 18	J W or Nil	...	4	Joists ...	S.S. "Hohenfels."	
1906.	SHED No. 6.					
May 4	O I in a diamond, A M on top, & C below.	4	1	Case ...	S.S. "Somali."	
" 4	G E H C	876	1	Case wine, broken ...	Ditto.	
" 4	↑ / I or Nil	...	...	A quantity of broken Fire-bricks = 2,025 pieces.	Ditto.	
" 18	No mark	...	1	Bag cowries ...	S.S. "Drachenfels."	
June 20	Schroder, Smidt & Co. ...	825-7, 260, 861	5	Parcels ...	S.S. "India."	
" 19	New Glanco or Bold Darjeeling and Shannon Darjeeling or $\frac{G S D}{C H A}$ in a block.	...	23	Packages or bundles Tea shooks.	S.S. "Axenfels."	
" 19	Ditto or Nil ...	...	...	A quantity of loose Tea shooks = 7 bundles.	Ditto.	

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	SHED No. 6—*concluded.*					
1906.						
„ 19	No mark or Bold Darjeeling Shannon ...	...	2	Packages ...	Axenfels.	
„ 19	H N	13190	1	Case ...	S.S. "Buceros."	
„ 19	No mark	...	1	Cask, broken and empty.	Ditto ...	H.G.
July 27	G Co., in a diamond ...	...	1	Bundle sheet iron ...	S.S. "Cromwell."	
„ 27	No mark	...	3	Iron blocks ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	Ditto	...	3	Jaws ..	Ditto.	
„ 27	Ditto	...	4	Pieces chairs ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	Ditto	...	1	Piece pulley ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	P. W. Dacca	...	1	Cask cement ...	Ditto.	
„ 7	C C C in a block	X or 55	1	Package ...	S.S. "Syria."	
„ 7	C P or C K	...	1	Cask ...	Ditto.	
„ 7	No mark or A C C / A B C ...	...	1	Cask cement ...	Ditto.	
1906.	SHED No. 7.					
May 15	I S R / O & P	...	1	Casting (Broken) ...	S.S. "Statesman"	
„ 15	No mark	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
„ 15	A / M in a triangle or Nil / Essabhoy ..	...	6	Cases soap (Broken)	Ditto.	
„ 15	No mark	...	2	Cases tin plates ...	Ditto.	
„ 3	X X X white	...	1	Bar angle iron ...	S.S. "City of Corinth."	
„ 3	No mark	...	1	Package nuts ...	Ditto.	
„ 3	Ditto	...	4	Casks empty ...	Ditto.	
„ 25	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of fire-bricks.	S.S. "City of Edinburgh."	
June 5	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose fire-bricks.	S.S. "City of Athens."	
„ 18	M S P	...	249	Bars angle ...	S.S. "Trifels."	
„ 18	No mark or Blue by O, O O Green	...	20	Bundles fish plates	Ditto.	
„ 18	1863 in a circle or 1863 in a diamond or Nil.	...	4	Joists ...	Ditto.	
„ 18	No mark or A R K	...	2	Bags sugar ...	Ditto.	
„ 18	No mark	...	1	Packet brass pipe ...	Ditto.	
„ 18	1891 in a diamond, W G below or Nil.	...	1	Package ...	Ditto.	

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1906.	SHED No. 7—*concld.*				
May 23	Main or Nil ... ... N M Railway.	...	8	Packages or bundles fencing.	S.S. "Persia."
" 26	No mark	...	1	Case tin plates ...	Ditto.
" 26	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks.	Ditto.
" 26	718 in a diamond, S S on top, C below (left), or 718 in a diamond, S S on top.	...	3	Kegs ...	Ditto.
July 5	No mark or J D & Co ...	...	1	Keg paint ...	S.S. "Historian."
" 5	No mark	...	4	Cases tin plates ...	Ditto.
" 17	B T C in a diamond, P C on top D 6312 below.	...	1	Keg paint ...	S.S. "Patrician."
" 17	No mark	...	...	A quantity of fire-bricks.	Ditto.
" 21	1378 in a diamond or 1378 in a diamond, E S on top or Nil.	109	1	Case (repaired) ...	S.S. "Trautenfels."
" 21	No mark	411 or X	1	Case W. glass ...	Ditto.
" 21	Ditto	...	2	Bags sugar ...	Ditto.
" 21	SW Bombay	...	12	Marble slates ...	Ditto.
	Withdrawn from last sale.				
February 23	M S P	...	36	Joists ...	S.S. "Crostafels."
March 14	No mark	...	2	Bags ground-nuts ...	S.S. "Springwell."
" 17	0544 in a diamond; M L on top, C O below or Nil.	...	2	Kegs wire nails ...	S.S. "Manchester Merchant."
" 17	217 in a diamond, M K on top, & Co below.	...	1	Keg wire nails ...	Ditto.
" 17	9255 in a diamond or Nil ...	...	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.
" 17	P or Nil	...	2	Bars tea ...	Ditto.
" 17	M S P or Nil	...	10	Bars angle ...	Ditto.
" 21	No mark	4238	1	Case broken and empty bottles.	S.S. "Historian."
" 21	Ditto	...	1	Cask ...	S S. "Patrician."
1906.	SHED No. 8.				
May 6	A B R in a triangle, A P C M on top, Chittagong below.	...	4	Casks broken ...	S.S. "Matiana."
" 6	B in a diamond	...	2	Kegs ...	Ditto.
" 6	1342 in a diamond, E S on top ...	468	1	Case ...	Ditto.
" 6	No mark	...	1	Funnel ..	Ditto.
" 6	Ditto	...	1	Coil hoop ...	Ditto.

Date of removal.	Remarks.	No.	Quantity.	Descriptions.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1906.	SHED No. 8—*contd.*					
May 6	K D S in a diamond	234	1	Case ...	S.S. "Matiana."	
,, 6	M & Co or Nil	...	1	Cask cement ...	Ditto.	
,, 6	No mark	...	3	Bottles vinegar ...	Ditto.	
,, 6	Ditto	...	1	Bottle mustard ...	Ditto.	
,, 6	Ditto	...	2	Tins milk ...	Ditto.	
,, 6	Ditto	...	2	Broken spelter ...	Ditto.	
,, 6	Ditto	...	1	Keg paint ...	Ditto.	
,, 6	Ditto or President ...	75181	1	Cask cement ...	Ditto	
,, 6	No mark	...	1	Bag turmeric ...	Ditto.	
,, 6	R M S by Kurti	31104, 31157	2	Cases ...	Ditto.	
,, 6	2360 in a triangle, M B C below.	...	5	Casks cement ...	Ditto.	
,, 6	$\frac{N\ C}{C\ \&\ Co}$ in a triangle, a small diamond on top.	X or 56	1	Case broken ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	G F	4083	1	Case ...	S.S. "Wildenfels."	
,, 22	No mark	...	1	Bag cement ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	Ditto	...	1	Case window glass	Ditto.	
,, 22	8094 in a diamond, I O on top or Nil.	...	◆	Coils wire ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	No mark or B in a diamond or $\frac{J\ C}{G}$.	...	5	Bundles fish plates	Ditto.	
,, 26	No mark	...	2	Casks cement ...	S.S. "Avoca."	
,, 26	Ditto	...	2	Coils wire ...	Ditto.	
,, 26	Ditto	...	1	Cask whiting ...	Ditto.	
,, 26	Ditto	...	2	Bags M'disc ...	Ditto.	
,, 26	Ditto	...	1	Wood frame ...	Ditto.	
,, 26	No mark or ↑ Mint Dept. ...	...	1	Cask crucibles ...	Ditto.	
,, 4	No mark	...	2	Bundles rod iron ...	S.S. "Steinberger."	
,, 4	Ditto	...	2	Rails ...	Ditto.	
,, 4	Ditto or $\frac{F}{0044}$ in a diamond or J P D.	...	4	Kegs nails ...	Ditto.	
,, 4	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose nails.	Ditto.	
June 8	Ditto	...	2	Kegs nails ...	S.S. "Lichtenfels."	
,, 11	G N P in a diamond	811	1	Case ...	S.S. "Dilwara."	
,, 11	Krieg & Co in a diamond ..	...	1	Cask cement (broken).	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1906.	SHED No. 8—*contd.*					
June 11	No mark	...	2	Rolls tea lead ...	S.S. "Dilwara."	
,, 11	Ditto	...	1	Drum paint ...	Ditto.	
,, 11	Ditto	...	1	Cask soap ...	Ditto.	
,, 11	Ditto	...	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
,, 11	No mark	...	2	Kegs paint (empty)...	Ditto.	
,, 11	S N C in a triangle, block on top, C & B below.	38	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 11	B wall	...	1	Spelter ...	Ditto.	
,, 11	K in a diamond or Nil	2	Kegs ...	Ditto.		
,, 28	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose staves.	S.S. "Mahratta."	
,, 22	Sign of triangle, E M on top or Nil	...	1	Case window glass	S.S. "Argenfels."	
,, 22	F 0544 in a diamond, M L on top, C O below or T or Nil.	1832	1	Keg nail ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	H C C	...	2	Cases window glass	Ditto.	
,, 22	No mark	...	1	Coil wire ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	Ditto or P B S ...	...	1	Case window glass...	Ditto.	
,, 22	Sign of triangle or Nil ...	...	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	W H S	73	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
,, 22	No mark	...	1	Case empty phials...	Ditto.	
,, 22	P B S	...	2	Cases window glass	Ditto.	
,, 22	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose nails.	Ditto.	
July 9	A K N K O B I I A or Nil or Auku ...	...	1	Package ...	S.S. "Barbarigo."	
,, 21	No mark	...	1	Rail	S.S. "Neuenfels."	
,, 21	J C G	21	1	Piece or bundle wheel.	Ditto.	
,, 21	No mark	...	...	A quantity of nuts ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	Ditto	...	1	Cask or keg ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	Ditto	...	1	Case window glass	Ditto.	
,, 21	Ditto	...	1	Bundle or roll wool-en cloth.	Ditto.	
,, 21	Ditto	...	1	Keg nail ...	Ditto.	
,, 21	S & Co or Nil	...	1	Case window glass...	Ditto.	
,, 21	No mark	...	1	Bag sweeping sugar	Ditto.	
,, 21	Ditto	...	1	Case empty phial ...	Ditto.	
,, 27	W C & Co Ld in a diamond ...	...	1	Drum oil (leaky) ...	S.S. "Formosa."	
,, 27	R T S G B & Co in a diamond ...	1418	1	Case	Ditto.	
,, 27	H D	...	1	Plate ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	REMARKS.
1906.	SHED No. 8—*concld.*					
July 27	J A & Co. in a diamond, S & S below.	44, 49	2	Casks	S.S. "Formosa."	
" 27	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose cement.	Ditto.	
1906.	*Withdrawn from last sale.*					
February 8	L in a diamond or L in a triangle or Nil.	...	5	Bundles G. C. sheets	S.S. "Mahronda."	
" 8	1807 in a diamond	...	13	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
" 8	Z in a heart, or L W in a heart or Nil.	...	2	Boxes tin plates ...	S.S. "Statesman."	
" 8	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose tin plates.	Ditto.	
March 1	Ditto	...	1	Cask cement ...	S.S. "Barenfels."	
" 1	Ditto	...	1	Case empty phial ...	Ditto.	
" 1	Ditto	...	2	Cases window glass	Ditto	
" 1	Ditto	...	1	Bag nail ...	Ditto.	
" 1	Ditto	...	1	Bundle or bale cocoa-nut coir.	Ditto	
" 1	Ditto	...	1	Bag ground-nuts ...	Ditto.	
" 12	C & Co in a circle or Nil ...	...	1	Bundle iron ...	S.S. "Huntsman."	
" 16	2222 in a circle, Bird & Co on top or Nil.	...	4	Bags sugar ...	S.S. "Bavaria."	
" 19	No mark	...	1	Bag alum ...	S.S. "Marksburg."	
" 19	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of coal ...	Ditto.	
" 19	Ditto	...	4	Pipes ...	Ditto.	
1905.						
December 11	H & S in a square or Nil ...	914	1	Cask or keg ...	S.S. "City of Sparta."	
1906.						
January 6	1506 M in a diamond or Nil ...	...	1	Bundle G. C. sheet	S.S. "Liebenfels."	
" 6	1506 G in a diamond or Nil ...	...	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
" 6	1506 N in a diamond or Nil ...	...	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
" 6	No mark	..	5	Bundles G. C. sheet	Ditto.	
1905						
September 26	D N D in a diamond, A Y below	...	9	Kegs	S.S. "Neuenfels."	
May 10	↑	...	1	Joist	S.S. "Muttra."	
" 10	No mark	...	1	Do.	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	REMARKS.
1905.	*Unidentified goods.*					
y 30	No mark	...	4	Pieces pig iron.		
7	Ditto	...	1	Bundle corrugated sheet.		
7	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose corrugated sheets.		
	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose tea lead.		
	Ditto	...	30	Bars flat.		
	Ditto	...	30	Do. round.		
	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose nail rod.		
	Ditto	...	2	Casks sweeping fire-clay.		
	Ditto	...	2	Casks whiting.		
	Ditto	...	2	Casks merchandise or alum.		
	Ditto	...	1	Bundle case=2 cases shoe protector.		
	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose handles and battens.		

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 17th November 1906. W. R. C. JEWELL, *for* Traffic Manager, Port Commrs.

(1191—1)

WANTED an Assistant Estimator and Draftsman. Salary Rs. 35 per month rising to Rs. 50 by annual increments of Rs. 3.

None need apply except he has a good knowledge of estimating and drawing.

Applications with copies of testimonials should be submitted before 25th instant to Superintending Engineer, Gandak Circle, Muzaffarpur.

T. BUTLER,

Superintending Engineer, Gandak Circle.

Muzaffarpur, the 8th November 1906.

Wanted.

A SECOND CLERK for the District Board's office, Bogra, on a salary of Rs 30—40 a month, rising by an annual increment of Rs 2. Preference will be given to one, who has passed the First examination in Arts, and possesses a good knowledge in English and has experience in correspondence work.

Applications will be received by the undersigned on or before the 29th instant.

J. N. GUPTA, Chairman.

Bogra District Board, the 14th Novembr, 1906.

(1189 1)

Wanted.

A MANAGER for the Boinchee Behari Lal Mukerjee's Trust estate, in the district of Hooghly, on a salary of Rs. 150 a month. Preference will be given to those who combine zamindari experience with knowledge of law and office routine. The selected candidate shall have to give security in cash or promissory note to the extent of Rs. 2,000 for the due performance of his duties, and shall have to execute an agreement for an equal amount for liquidated damages.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 30th instant.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Persl. Asstt.*,

for *Offg. Commr. on tour.*

Burdwan Commissioner's office, Chinsura, the 12th November 1906.

(1183—3)

Notice.

WANTED two Sanitary Inspectors for the Midnapore District Board on Rs. 35 a month with fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 15 each. Candidates must have passed the final examination from one of the Government Medical Schools. Preference will be given to those who have experience of work in dispensaries and hospitals. The officers will be required to tour in the interior of the district, to look after sanitation, to treat cases in times of epidemics and to inspect the pounds and ferries under the District Board.

Applications with testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 25th instant. Candidates should state their age.

DONALD WESTON,

Chairman, District Board, Midnapore.

Midnapore District Board's Office, dated the 10th November 1906. (1176—2)

Notice.

WANTED immediately for the Land Acquisition Office, Purulia-Ranchi Railway, at Ranchi, a Draftsman-Surveyor on Rs. 40 and a Peshkar on Rs. 30.

The appointments will last for about a year, and none need apply who is not prepared to stick up to the completion of the work.

Samples of printing should accompany applications for the Draftsman-Surveyor's post. A fair knowledge of Hindi, Urdu and English is essential for the Peshkar's appointments.

An original certificate of good character from a gentleman should be submitted with each application.

KANTI BHUSHAN SEN,

Land Acquisition Officer.

Ranchi, the 30th September 1906.

Khulna District Board.

WANTED an Overseer—Rs. 50—2—60; travelling allowance Rs. 35 per month. Apply to undersigned on or before the 30th November current.

H. D. CHATTERJEE, District Engineer, Khulna.

The 16th November 1906. (1186—2)

Advertisement

REQUIRED at once a passed Overseer for six months for the Bally Municipality on Rs. 50 a month with prospect of confirmation on the expiry of that period. None need apply who has not experience in municipal outdoor work. Applications with copies of testimonials invited by the undersigned till 25th instant.

S. B. CHATTERJEE, B.L.,

Chairman, Bally Municipality, district Howrah.

Bally, the 14th November 1906. (1187—1)

In the matter of the Bharat Hitoysh Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at No. 21 Strand Road in Calcutta on Monday, the 22nd day of October 1906, the following Special Resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent General Meeting of the members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place on the 7th day of November 1906, the following Resolution was duly confirmed, namely—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. F. W. Smyth of No. 21 Strand Road aforesaid be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up without remuneration."

KETTLEWELL, BULLEN & Co.,

Managing Agents

21 Strand Road, Calcutta,

Dated the 7th day of November 1906.

(1127—1—961)

Notice under section 10A. clause (1) of Act I of 1906 (B.C).

NOTICE.

THE estate of late Kumar Gopalendra Narayan Roy of Puthia Ekani which descended to his minor sons Nripendra Narayan Roy and Khagendra Narayan Roy has been taken charge of by the Court of Wards. Notice is hereby given, under the provisions of section 10A, clause (1) of Act I of 1906 (B.C.) that all persons who have any claim against the said wards or their immoveable property do submit their claims in writing to the Court of Wards at the Rajshahi Collectorate within six months from the date of the publication of this notice, and that any claim not put forward within the said period shall cease to carry interest on the expiry of the said period.

HARA CHANDRA GHOSH, *for* Collector.

The 7th November 1906.

নোটীশ।

পুটীয়ার কুমার মৃত গোপালেন্দ্র নারায়ণ রায়ের সম্পত্তি তাহার নাবালক পুত্রদ্বয় নৃপেন্দ্র নারায়ণ রায় ও খগেন্দ্র নারায়ণ রায় উত্তরাধীকারী সূত্রে প্রাপ্ত হইয়াছে। ঐ সম্পত্তি কোর্ট অব ওয়ার্ডসের তত্ত্বাবধানে লওয়া হইয়াছে। অতএব ১৯০৬ সনের ১ আইনের ১০ এ ধারার (প্রকরণ ১ম) বিধান মত সর্ব্বসাধারণকে জানান যাইতেছে যে যে সমস্ত পাওনাদার এস্থিত নাবালগ দ্বয়ের নিকট অথবা তাহাদের স্থাবর সম্পত্তির উপর পাওনার দাবী রাখেন, তাহারা এই নোটীশ প্রকাশের তারিখ হইতে ছয় মাসের মধ্যে রাজসাহীর কালেক্টরীর কোর্ট অব ওয়ার্ডস্ বিভাগে নিজ নিজ পাওনার বিষয় লিখিত দরখাস্ত দ্বারা জানান। ঐ সময়ের মধ্যে না জানাইলে, ঐ সময়ান্তে তাহারা সুদ পাইবেন না।

H. C. GHOSH *for* Collector.

The 7th November 1906. (1122—3)

BABU SATIS CHANDRA BHATTACHARYA, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court.

(1099—4—935)

Irrigation Department.

NOTICE is hereby given for general information that the Orissa Coast Canal, Range V, from Kanabans at the 116th mile-post to Charbettia, 132nd mile-post, will be closed for silt-clearance from the 15th December 1906 to 31st May 1907, both days inclusive.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secretary to the Govt of Bengal.

Calcutta, the 20th November 1906.

Lost.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 052586 and 009613 of the 3½ per cent. of 1865 and 1854-55 for Rs 500 each originally standing in the name of Joggeshur Chandra Chunder and last endorsed to Baikuntha Nath Datta, Bhusan Chandra Bhattacharjee, Kartick Chandra Ray Chowdhury, Madhusudan Rao, Jadunandan Majumdar and Visvanath Kar, the proprietors, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person, having been lost, notice is hereby given that payment of the above Notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of Duplicates in favour of the proprietors. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned securities.

BAIKUNTHA NATH DATTA,
BHUSAN CHANDRA BHATTACHARJEE,
KARTICK CHANDRA RAY CHOWDHURY,
MADHUSUDAN RAO,
JADUNANDAN MAJUMDAR,
VISVANATH KAR,

Executors to the estate of late BABU JUGGOMOHAN RAY, Alumchand Bazar, Cuttack.

Cuttack, the 7th October 1906. (1111—3—945)

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 18176, dated 31st October 1906, and granted by Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities:—

G P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
115898	1st May 1865	1,000	British-American Tobacco Company (India), Limited.
123313	1st „ „	1,000	
123319	1st „ „	1,000	

Name of the Proprietor—British-American Tobacco Company, (India), Limited.

Residence—67, Ezra Street.

(1177—1—1022)

The Garden Reach Land Syndicate, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 186 of the Indian Companies Act, VI of 1882, that a general meeting of the members of the above-named Company will be held at No. 4 Fairlie Place, Calcutta, on Friday, the 21st day of December 1906 at 12 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the liquidator.

C. C. KILBURN,
Liquidator.

The 17th day of November 1906. (1243—1—1020)

Road Cess Notification.

BHAGALPUR DISTRICT.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the District Board of Bhagalpur have, at their special meeting held on the 29th October 1906, resolved to levy the Road Cess in the district during the ensuing financial year 1907-08 at the maximum rate, viz., half an anna in the rupee on the annual value of the land.

F. E. MORRISON,
Vice-Chairman.

Bhagalpur, the 14th November 1906. (1190—1)

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875 and section 20 of Act I of 1887.

TO ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVISION No. 12, GRAND DIVISION No. 2, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 15th November 1906.

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875 and section 20 of Act I of 1887.

TO ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVISION No. 23, GRAND DIVISION No. 3, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,
Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 15th November 1906.

Notice.

IT is notified that, under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act III (B C.) of 1885, the District Board of Gaya have, at their special meeting held on the 15th October 1906, resolved to continue to levy the Road Cess in the year 1907-08 at the maximum rate of half anna per rupee on the annual value of lands, &c.

By order,

GANGADINATH MOOKERJEE,
Secretary, District Board, Gaya.

Gaya, the 17th November 1906. (1241—1)

NOTICE.

Eastern Insurance Company, Ltd., in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 186 of the Indian Companies Act, 1882, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at 25 Mangoe Lane, Calcutta, on Monday, 17th December 1906, at 1 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators.

C. H. COATES,
A. H. LEWES,
Liquidators.

25 Mangoe Lane, Calcutta, 14th November 1906.

(1185—1—1021)

NOTICE.

Government Veterinary College, Bombay.

CANDIDATES intending to join the College during the next year should submit their applications before the 4th January next, on which date an Entrance test for those who have not passed either the School Final or the Matriculation Examination will be held. While admitting paying students as well as Government scholars preference will be given to those who have passed either of these examinations, and those who come up to the standard of chest and height measurements prescribed in the College Rules and Regulations, a copy of which will be forwarded on application.

F. JOSLEN, Major, I. C. V. D.,
Acting Principal, Bombay Veterinary College.

Parel, Bombay, the 9th November 1906.

NOTIFICATION.

Treasure Trove.

IT is hereby notified under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that on the 4th June 1906 treasure consisting of Rs. 25 was found underground by Ponnamalla Tammigadu, Siddabhotla Papadu and Varasala Gangadu, of Murari, Peddapur taluk, Godavari district, while they were digging a well in the site owned by Kodavali Ammanna of the said village.

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by an authorised agent before the Collector, Godavari, in his office at Cocanada on the 5th April 1907 at 11 A.M., with a view to the matter being enquired into and determined in accordance with the provisions of the said Act

J. A. CUMMING, Collector

Godavari Collector's office, Cocanada, the 19th November 1906.

Notification.

THE Dumka *méla* begins on the 1st February next and lasts a fortnight. The *méla* site has now been removed to the heart of the town, and allotments of space will be made free of all charge by the Committee on application.

From the 7th to the 10th February, there will be daily sports, fireworks and amusements for the public in the *méla* grounds, ending with an exhibition of produce and cattle. Rupees 500 will be given away as prizes at the sports, and the same amount or more at the exhibition.

Traders, shop-keepers, exhibitors and itinerant performers are requested to communicate with the Secretary as soon as possible.

W. H. THOMSON,
Subdivisional Officer.

Dumka, the 13th November 1906.

In the first Court of the Munsif at Baruipur.

EXECUTION CASE No. 1843 OF 1906.

Jogendra Nath Das, of Mojilpur, decree-holder, *versus* Prionath Mitra, Probodha Chandra Mitra, Subodha Chandra Mitra and Suchindra Nath Mitra, of Mojilpur, judgment-debtors.

Decree-holder's claim Rs. 818-5-15gds.

TWO annas seven half gundas share of taluk No. 1534, sadar jama of which is Rs 14,681 6-4, situate within thana and Sub-Registry Joynagore, pargana Moyda, is to be sold on 3rd December 1906 by the Nazir of this Court.

NAGENDRA NATH CHATTERJEE, Munsif.

Baruipur, the 2nd November 1906. (1107—3)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge at Purulia.

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUTIT.

(Sections 64 and 68 of the Code of Civil Procedure.)

MONEY SUIT No. 88 OF 1906.

DISTRICT MANBHUM.

To Badri Das Lakhotia Marwari, dwelling at Narsinggar pargana, Dhalbhum, district Singhbhum.

WHEREAS the plaintiff Hara Dutt Ray Poldar had instituted a suit against you for recovery of Rs. 5,698, you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a duly-authorized pleader of the Court duly instructed and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit, or who shall be accompanied by some other person able to answer all such questions on the 4th day of December 1906 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the above-named plaintiff; and as the day fixed for your appearance is appointed for the final disposal of the suit, you must be prepared to produce all your witnesses on that day; and you are hereby required to take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

MOHIM CHANDRA SARCAR,
Subordinate Judge.

Purulia, the 13th November 1906. (1179—1)

NOTIFICATION OF SALE.

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Gaya, 2nd Court.

MORTGAGE EXECUTION CASE No. 221 OF 1906.

Nawab Jehan Arra Begum, decree-holder, *versus* Rajkumari Bhuneshwari Kuer and another, judgment-debtors.

IT is hereby notified that the following properties of the judgment-debtors will be sold at auction sale by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court in his office on the 26th November 1906 at 12 o'clock noon for realization of Rs 50,815-3 due to decree-holder from the said judgment-debtors:—

1. The entire 16-anna share of mauza Malsari, appertaining to mahal Nimsar, lat Sibnagar, pargana Sonout, zilla Gaya, tauzi No. 5151, and jama sadar of the entire lát Sibnagar is Rs. 1,16,403-3, proprietary right of the judgment-debtors in thana Tikari; approximate value Rs. 5,000.

2. The entire 16-anna share of mauza Digoona, mahal Nimsar, lat Sibnagar, pargana Sonout, zilla Gaya, tauzi No. 5151 and jama sadar Rs. 1,16,403 3 in thana Tikari, proprietary right of the judgment-debtors; approximate value Rs. 9,000.

3. The entire 16-anna share of mauza Sherpore in mahal Nimsar, lat Sibnagar, pargana Sonout, zilla Gaya, tauzi No. 5151 and jama sadar Rs. 1,16,403-3, proprietary right of the judgment-debtor in thana Tikari; approximate value Rs. 4,000.

4. The entire 16-anna share of mauza Kharagpore in mahal Nimsar, lat Sibnagar, pargana Sonout, zilla Gaya, tauzi No. 5151 and jama sadar Rs. 1,16,403-3, proprietary right of the judgment debtors in thana Tikari; approximate value Rs. 5,000.

5. The entire 16-anna share of mauza Amjhar in mahal Nimsar, lat Sibnagar, pargana Sonout, zilla Gaya, tauzi No. 5151 and jama sadar Rs. 1,16,403-3, proprietary right of the judgment-debtors in thana Tikari; approximate value Rs. 9,000.

6. The entire 16-anna share of mauza Jamoosra Jogni in mahal Nimsar, lat Sibnagar, pargana Sonout, zilla Gaya, tauzi No. 5151 and jama sadar Rs. 1,16,403-3, proprietary right of the judgment-debtors in thana Tikari; approximate value Rs. 10,000.

7. The entire 16-anna share of mauza Bhainsmara in mahal Nimsar, lat Sibnagar, pargana Sonout, zilla Gaya, tauzi No. 5151 and jama sadar Rs. 1,16,403-3, proprietary right of the judgment-debtors in thana Tikari; approximate value Rs. 7,000.

8. The entire 16-anna share of mauza Usri Bazidpore in mahal Nimsar, lat Sibnagar, tauzi No. 5151 and jama sadar Rs. 1,16,403-3, proprietary right of the judgment-debtors in thana Tikari; approximate value Rs. 9,000.

RAM NARAIN SARKAR,
Offg. Subordinate Judge, 2nd Court.

Gaya, the 7th November 1906. (1124—2)

In the Court of the Munsif at Madhubani, district Darbhanga.

MONEY SUIT No 287 OF 1906.

Tantra Dhari Singh and others, plaintiffs, against G. Taylor, defendant.

TO G. Taylor, defendant above named.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed suit will be heard and decided *ex parte* unless you appear and oppose the claim on or before the 30th November 1906.

JAGES CHANDRA MUKHERJI, Munsif.
Madhubani, the 17th November 1906. (1214—1)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to a decree of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in suit No. 803 of 1905 (wherein Sreemutty Indumoni Dasi is the plaintiff and Kanai Lal Burral and others are the defendants), and dated the 11th day of May 1906, by the Registrar of the said Court in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 15th day of December 1906, at 12 o'clock noon, the following property:—

All that partly one and partly two-storied brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house, together with land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation 2 cottahs 14 chitaks and 27 square feet, be the same a little more or less, situate, lying at and being premises No. 2-1 Gopal Chunder's Lane, in the North Division of the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by Gopal Chunder's Lane, on the east partly by the premises No. 3 Gopal Chunder's Lane, and partly by No. 3-1 Gopal Chunder's Lane, belonging to Nritya Lal Burral and partly by the premises belonging to Kanai Lal Pyne and brothers, on the south by the premises Nos. 36 and 36-1 Phoar Lane, belonging to Sree Das Pyne and Behary Lall Pyne, and on the west by the premises No. 2 Gopal Chunder's Lane, belonging to Sreenath Roy.

The abstract of title and the conditions of sale may be seen at the office of Messrs Ghosh and Bose. Attorneys for the plaintiff at No 1 Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, or at the office of the said Registrar on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Ghosh and Bose, Attorneys for the plaintiff.
High Court, Original Side, dated the 3rd day of September 1906. (1126—1—1019)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 24th day of November 1906, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to a decree and an order made in suit No. 917 of 1904 (wherein Benode Behary Dey is the plaintiff and Jogendra Nath Dass is the defendant) and dated, respectively, 6th day of February 1905 and 26th February 1906:—

Premises Nos 38 and 39 Mundal Street in the town of Calcutta, a two-storied brick-built dwelling-house with land, containing by estimation 6 cottahs 4 chitaks and 2 square feet, more or less, situate at Sootanooty, revenue-free, including use of the common passage lying east to west, measuring 65 feet 3 inches in length and 4 feet 3 inches in width, and bounded on the north by premises No. 36-1 Mundal Street, on the east by premises No. 37-1 Mundal Street, on the south by the dwelling-house of Beny Kristo Biswas and others, and on the west partly by premises No. 6 Karforma's Lane and partly by No. 7 Karforma's Lane.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Registrar, High Court, Original Side and also at the office of Babu Akshoy Kumar Thakur at No. 7 Old Post Office Street on any day before the sale and will be produced at the time of sale

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

A. K. Thakur, Plaintiff's Attorney.
High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 12th September 1906. (1090—1—966)

Notification of Sale

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 24th day of November 1906, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to a decree and an order made in suit No. 757 of 1904 (wherein Benode Behary Dey is the plaintiff and Mussamat Narasumma Dabee and others are the defendants), and dated, respectively, the 15th December 1904 and 26th February 1906:—

All that partly three and partly four-storied brick-built dwelling-house, portion of which is let out to tenants, together with land or ground thereunto belonging, containing according to the mortgage deed 4 cottahs, but found by actual measurement to be 2 cottahs 15 chittaks and 36 square feet, more or less, situate in holding No. 141, Survey Block No. XVIII in the North Division of Calcutta, being revenue-free and bearing Municipal Nos. 10 and 10-1, but formerly Nos. 7-3 and 7-4 and 12 Burtollah Street in the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by a public road known as Burtollah Street, on the east by No. 11 Burtollah Street, on the south by No. 9 Burtollah Street, and on the west by a blind lane leading southward from the said Burtollah Street.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Registrar, High Court, Original Side, and also at the office of Babu Akshoy Kumar Thakur at No. 7 Old Post Office Street, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the time of sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

A. K. Thakur, Plaintiff's Attorney.
High Court, Original Side, the 10th August 1906.
(1089—1—965)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of SHEIK OOMER ALI and another, insolvents.

On the 3rd day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. C. Mitter, Attorney. (1127—2)

In the matter of BALCHAND and others, insolvents.

On the 15th day of June last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukhit, Attorney. (1128—2)

In the matter of KALORAM HIRAWAT and others, insolvents.

On the 7th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

O. Camell, Attorney. (1129—2)

In the matter of GEORGE ALEXANDER STYLIANDES, an insolvent.

On the 20th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

B. S. Ghosha, Attorney. (110—2)

In the matter of SOSHEE BHUSHAN MOOKERJEE, an insolvent.

On the 21st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Haldar, Attorneys. (1131—2)

In the matter of NUNDOMULI KHETTRY, an insolvent.

On the 21st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Bonnerjee, Attorney. (1132—2)

In the matter of JUGANNATH KORNANI, an insolvent.

On the 22nd day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys (1133—2)

In the matter of INDRANARAIN KHETTRY, an insolvent.

On the 24th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. N. De, Attorney. (1134—2)

In the matter of FRANK EDWARD YOUD, an insolvent.

On the 24th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Leslie and Hinds, Attorneys. (1135—2)

In the matter of BEPIN BEHARY CHUKRAVARTI, an insolvent.

On the 24th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1136—2)

In the matter of PANCHCOWRIE RAM and another, insolvents.

On the 24th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukhit, Attorney. (1137—2)

In the matter of C. V. WARDEN, an insolvent.

On the 25th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1138—2)

In the matter of HENRY TORRENS ROE, an insolvent.

On the 27th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1139—2)

In the matter of SITAL CHUNDER NUNDY, an insolvent.

On the 28th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P N. Bannerjee, Attorney. (1140—2)

In the matter of WILLIAM JONES D'ROZARIO, an insolvent.

On the 29th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1141—2)

In the matter of GOBIND CHUNDER SIKDAR, an insolvent.

On the 29th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. L. De, Attorney. (1142—2)

In the matter of KISSEN DAHI DABEE, an insolvent.

On the 31st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1143—2)

In the matter of SURAJDIN KALICHARAN, an insolvent.

On the 31st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M Rukhit, Attorney. (1144—2)

In the matter of HURRY CHURN MOOKERJEE, an insolvent.

On the 31st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1145—2)

In the matter of RAM NARAIN TARAN, an insolvent.

On the 31st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1146—2)

In the matter of AZEEZUDDIN MEAH, an insolvent.

On the 31st day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1147—2)

In the matter of ANUNDRAM BOID, an insolvent.

On the 1st day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. N. De, Attorney. (1148—2)

In the matter of JOHN WILLIAM AVIET, an insolvent.

On the 1st day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1149—2)

In the matter of KALOORAM PODDAR, an insolvent.

On the 5th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukhit, Attorney. (1150—2)

In the matter of MOSES ELIAS SOLOMON *alias* M. E. HILALI and others, insolvents.

On the 7th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

C. C. Bose, Attorney. (1151—2)

In the matter of HUNMAN DASS, an insolvent.

On the 7th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

B. S. Ghosha, Attorney. (1152—2)

In the matter of JOSEPH KERVER, an insolvent.

On the 8th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1153—2)

In the matter of SHAIKH SIKUNDER SIRKAR, an insolvent.

On the 10th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1154—2)

In the matter of KALI PROSONNO GHOSE, an insolvent.

On the 11th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1155—2)

In the matter of RUSSELL CECIL SMITH, an insolvent.

On the 11th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1156—2)

In the matter of CHARLES D'CRUZ and another, insolvents.

On the 13th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1157—2)

In the matter of RAJ CHUNDER KUNDU and others, insolvents.

On the 13th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvents in person. (1158—2)

In the matter of KASISWAR MOCKERJEE, an insolvent.

On the 15th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. G. Roy, Attorney. (1159—2)

In the matter of GIRISH CHUNDER CHUCKERBUTTY, an insolvent.

On the 21st day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. N. De, Attorney. (1160—2)

In the matter of D. H. J. ARAKIE COHEN, an insolvent.

On the 13th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1161—2)

In the matter of A. D. SINCLAIR, an insolvent.

On the 6th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1162—2)

In the matter of MARY MARIA ALDER, an insolvent.

On the 6th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Fox and Marshal, Attorneys. (1163—2)

In the matter of JOHN GEORGE FINNEY, an insolvent.

On the 10th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1164—2)

In the matter of BÁLCHAND, NEEMCHAND, insolvents.

On the 17th day of August last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said insolvents be discharged personally as well as to their after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvents at the time of their adjudication.

J. K. Fox, Attorney. (1165—2)

In the matter of NOORAL HOSSEIN KHAN, an insolvent.

On the 30th day of August last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

K. L. Burral, Attorney. (1166—2)

In the matter of KRISTO DHONE DUTT, an insolvent.

On the 30th day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. C. Dutt, Attorney. (1171—2)

In the matter of NUDDEA CHAND SANYASI and others, insolvents.

On the 7th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1172—2)

In the matter of K. P. MARWAN and another, insolvents.

On the 13th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Fox and Mundle, Attorneys. (1173—2)

In the matter of KANAI LAL SHAHOO, an insolvent.

On the 15th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be ined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1174—2)

In the matter of BENODE BEHARY GHOSE, an insolvent.

On the 10th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court,

G. K. Ghose, Attorney. (1175—2)

In the matter of GONESH PROSAUD and KALI PROSAUD, insolvents.

On the 11th day of October last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of December next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1192—2)

In the matter of MOSES JUDAH, an insolvent.

On the 29th day of August last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of December next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court

C. C. Bose, Attorney. (1193—2)

In the matter of RAJENDRA NATH GHOSE and SARAT CHUNDRA SINHA, insolvents.

On the 3rd day of July last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of December next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Bonnerjee and Haldar, Attorneys. (1194—2)

In the matter of JUNAB HAJEE SIDDICK, an insolvent.

On the 31st day of May last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of December next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Manuel and Agarwallah, Attorneys. (1195—2)

In the matter of AMOLUCK CHAND LOHARA, an insolvent.

On the 27th day of June last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of December next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Manuel and Agarwallah, Attorneys. (1196—2)

In the matter of O. B. GRIFFITHS and others, insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of September last, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of December 1903 to the 31st day of August last was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvents may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. (1197—1)

In the matter of EDMOND ANDREW SMITH, an insolvent (Joint Estate).

On Tuesday, the 4th day of September last, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 27th day of February 1906 to the 31st day of August last was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

B. Miller, Official Assignee. (1198—1)

In the matter of EDMOND ANDREW SMITH, an insolvent (Separate Estate).

On Tuesday, the 4th day of September last, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 16th day of August 1906 to the 31st day of August last was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. (1199—1)

In the matter of SOSHI BHUSAN BOSE, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of September last, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of March 1905 to the 31st day of August last was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. (1200—1)

In the matter of KASSIM ALLY NASKAR, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of September last, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 22nd day of January 1904 to the 31st day of August last was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B Miller, Official Assignee. (1201—1)

In the matter of KHODA BUX MULLICK, an insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of September last, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 4th day of June 1904 to the 31st day of August last was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 27th day of November instant, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. (1202—1)

In the matter of MARY MARIA ALDER, widow of WILLIAM ALDER, residing at No. 15, Loudon Street, in the town of Calcutta, formerly a boarding house-keeper, carrying on business at No. 6, Humayaon Place, Calcutta, under the name and style of Mrs Alder, at present employed as a house-keeper at No. 15, Loudon Street in Calcutta aforesaid, a trader.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, on the 6th day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Fox & Mandal, Attorneys. (1203—1)

In the matter of ALEXANDER DUNCAN SINCLAIR, residing at Asansol Loco. quarters and serving as a guard in the East Indian Railway, a European British-born subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 6th day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1204—1)

In the matter of KANHAI LAL SHAHAO of No. 11, Durponarain Tagore's Street in Calcutta, formerly carried on business as commission agent at No. 54, Strand Road in Calcutta in copartnership with Bachoo Shahao under the name and style of Bachoo Shahao Kanhai Lal, also carried on business as commission agent in Jherria and at Raniganj in copartnership with the said Bachoo Shahao under the name and style of Bowdhao Shahao Kanhai Lal, now without any occupation, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 16th day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney (1205—1)

In the matter of JOHN WILLIAM AVIET of No. 15, Roberts Street in the town of Calcutta, employed as Inspector of Telephone in the Bengal Telephone Company, Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap er XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 1st day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1206—1)

In the matter of ANANDRAM BOID, of Rajildesar in Bikaneer, at present residing at No. 68 Cotton Street, in Burra Bazar, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business as piece-goods merchant of No. 51 Cotton Street, in Gonesh Bhukut Katra, under the name, style and firm of Hoolash Chand Heeralal, at present a gomastah in the employ of Sermull Kodamull, of No. 68 Cotton Street, Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 1st day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. N. De, Attorney. (1207—1)

In the matter of RAMNARAIN TAPARIA, BUDRIDAS TAPARIA AND TOOLSIRAM TAPARIA, all of No 51 Cross Street, Calcutta, formerly carried on a cloth business under the name and style of Ramnarain Toolsiram. The said Ramnarain Taparia is now without any employment, the said Budri Dass Taparia is now a gomastah in the employ of Murulidhur Roopchand, and the said Toolsiram Taparia is now a gomastah in the employ of Hazarimull Macongopal, insolents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 31st day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1208—1)

In the matter of AZEEZUDDIN MIAH, of No. 56 Harrison Road, in Calcutta, a gomastah in the employ of Anundoram Jhoon Jhoonwallah, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 31st day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1209—1)

In the matter of HENRY TORRENS ROE, of No. 60 Ross Road, Howrah, in the district of Hooghly, employed in the Bengal Telephone Company as Telephone Inspector, a European British-born subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 27th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were ve ted in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1210—1)

In the matter of SITAL CHUNDER NUNDY, at present residing at No. 8 Newgypookar West Lane, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carrying on business as a trader in piece-goods at No. 19 Lindsay Street, in the town of Calcutta, at present in the service of Messrs Shaw, Chuckerbutty & Co, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic, Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 28th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

P. N. Bonnerjee, Attorney. (1211—1)

In the matter of FRANK EDWARD YOUD, of No. 29 Ripon Street, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carrying on business as a Hairdresser and Perfumer under the name and style of Youd & Co., at No. 7-1 Wellesley Place, Calcutta, aforesaid and at Simla, in the Punjab, and lately acting as Receiver of the said business at No. 7-2 Wellesley Place aforesaid, under an order of the High Court, Original Jurisdiction, dated the 9th day of September 1904, in a suit No. 704 of 1904, at present without any business or employment, a trader, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was file in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 24th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estates and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Leslie and Hinds, Attorneys. (1212—1)

In the matter of SURAJDIN BENIAH, residing at No. 14 Mechuabazar Street, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business as a cloth merchant at the aforesaid place under the name, style and firm of Surajdin Baniah, and also at No. 150-1 Cotton Street, in Calcutta, aforesaid, under the name, style and firm of Surajdin Kalicharan, but at present having no occupation, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 31st day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (1213—1)

In the matter of WILLIAM JONES D'ROZARIO, of No. 17 Weston's Street, in the town of Calcutta, and serving as a Supercargo, Port Commissioners' Jetties, Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 29th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1214—1)

In the matter of CHARLES D'CRUZ, of No. 1, Harkatta Lane in the town of Calcutta, formerly carried on contract business and lately from the month of January 1905 carried on business as dealer in hemp on his own account at Sulkea in the district of Hooghly, afterwards started a cooly contract business, at present having no occupation and Mrs. Charlotte D'Cruz, wife of the said Charles D'Cruz, residing at the same place unemployed, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 13th day of September last, and by an order of the same date the Estate and Effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1215—1)

In the matter of HARY CHURN MUKERJEE, residing at No. 52 Hidaram Banerjee's Lane, Bow Bazar, Calcutta, at present employed as a Temporary Estimator, Rifle Factory, Ichapur, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 31st day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1216—1)

In the matter of HUNUMAN DASS, residing at No. 56 Banstolla Street, Calcutta, formerly carrying on business as broker, now without any business, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 7th day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Bhupendra Sri Ghosha, Attorney. (1217—1)

In the matter of KALOORAM PODDAR, residing at No. 90 Sutapotty Street, in the town of Calcutta, a petty piece-goods broker, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic. Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 6th day of September last, and by an order of the same date the Estate and Effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (1218—1)

In the matter of JAGANNATH KORNANI of No. 11 Pagyaputty in Burra Bazar, in Calcutta, lately carrying on a cloth merchant's business under the name, firm and style of Radhakissen Jagannath at No 11 Pagyaputty aforesaid, now serving as a gomasta under Messrs. Chuni Lall Shewbux at Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on the 22nd day of August last and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1219—1)

In the matter of GOBINDO CHUNDER SIKDAR at present residing at No. 8 Fakeer Chand Chakerbutty's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carried on business as goldsmith at No 28 Garranhatta Street in copartnership with one Ram Chunder Karmoker, but at present serving at the shop of Sreemutty Kamineymoni Dassi, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 29th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

P. L. Dey, Attorney. (1220—1)

In the matter of KALOORAM PODDER residing at No. 90 Sutaputty Street, in the town of Calcutta, a petty piece-goods broker, an insolvent

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 5th day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. M. Rukhit, Attorney. (1221—1)

In the matter of (1) MOSES ELIAS SOLOMON *alias* M. E. HILALI, (2) HILALI ELIAS SOLOMON *alias* H. E. HILALI and (3) SOLOMON ELIAS SOLOMON *alias* S. E. HILALI, carrying on business under the name, style and firm of Hilali Brothers and Company as, importers, exporters and commission agents at No. 5 China Bazar Lane in the town of Calcutta, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 7th day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

C. C. Bose, Attorney. (1222—1)

In the matter of JOSSEPH KERVER, residing at No. 1 Bedford Lane, in the town of Calcutta, employed as an Engineer in the Calcutta Tramways Company, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 5th day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1223—1)

In the matter of KASSISWYAR MOOKHERJEE, at present residing at No. 22 Raja Rajballab Street, who was lately a deed-writer and now without employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 15th day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

N. G. Roy, Attorney. (1224—1)

In the matter of GIRISH CHUNDER CHUCKERBUTTY, residing at No. 33-3 Shibnarain Dass' Lane, in the Town of Calcutta, and lately carried on business as Hotel-keeper at No. 27-1 Cornwallis Street, in Calcutta aforesaid, under the name, style and firm of Girish Chunder Chuckerbutty, at present doing nothing, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 21st day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. N. De, Attorney (1225—1)

In the matter of SHAIK SEKUNDER SIRKAR and SHAIK ANISUDDIN SIRKAR, both residing at No. 31 Colootola Street, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on in copartnership with one Mussamut Hamidunnessa Bibee the business of money-lenders at the said No. 31 Colootola Street, Calcutta, and also lately carrying on business of Stamp Vendors at the aforesaid address, now without any occupation, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 10th day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Attorneys. (1226—1)

In the matter of RAJCHUNDER KUNDU, BHOGOBAN CHUNDER KUNDU, and ISSUR CHUNDER KUNDU, all of No. 67, Free School Street, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carried on business as grocers in copartnership with each other at 47 Market Street, Calcutta, aforesaid. The said Rajchunder Kundu at present serving as a gomoshta in the employ of Hari Mohon Roy of No. 106 Municipal Market, and the said Bhogoban Chunder Kundu and Issur Chunder Kundu at present having no occupation, all of them are members of a Hindu joint family and food, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 13th day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvents in person. (1227—1)

In the matter of RUSSELL CECIL SMITH, of 20 Marsden Street in the town of Calcutta, Government Pensioner, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 11th day of

September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1228—1)

In the matter of KALIPROSONNO GHOSH, of No. 66 Sankaritola Lane, in the town of Calcutta a piece rate compositor attached to the East Indian Railway Printing Office at Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 11th day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1229—1)

In the matter of JOHN GEORGE FINNEY, residing at No. 22, Scott's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, an Assistant in the Oriental Gas Company, Limited, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 10th day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1230—1)

In the matter of BENODE BEHARY GHOSE, residing at No. 25-6-4 Mott's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carrying on business as a trader in piece-good, under the name, style and firm of Gopal Chandra Chatterjee, Hari Dass Chatterjee at Nos. 220, 221 Bowbazar Street, but at present without any employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 10th day of September last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

G. K. Ghosh, Attorney. (1231—1)

In the matter of SREEMUTTY KISSEN DABI DABI, residing at No. 27 Bansdolla Street in Calcutta, a Hindu widow, now without any occupation, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 31st day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1232—1)

In the matter of CHARLES VALENTINE WARDEN, residing at No. 2 Wood Street, Calcutta, an appraiser in the Calcutta Customs, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 25th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1233—1)

In the matter of PANCHCOWRY RAM and MOHABIR RAM, both residing at No. 146, Cotton Street, in the town of Calcutta and lately carrying on business in copartnership at No. 44-2 Hukapati, Barabazar, in Calcutta aforesaid as cloth merchants under the name, style and firm of Panchcowry Ram, Dukhiram and both at present having no occupation and both living and joint in mess, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 24th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (1234—1)

In the matter of BEPIN BEHARY CHAKRAVARTI, residing at No. 169 Chowdry's Lane in the town of Calcutta, a Clerk in the employ of Messrs. Thomas Cook and Son, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 24th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1235—1)

In the matter of INDRA NARAIN KHETTRY, residing at No. 2, Bangsydhur Mullick's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately carried on business as piece-goods merchants at No. 85 Monohur Dass' Lane, Burrobazar in Calcutta aforesaid, under the name, style and firm of Gopal Das Khettry, and since the month of March 1906 a petty broker in piece-goods, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 24th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. N. De, Attorney. (1236—1)

In the matter of NANDUMULL KHETTRY, residing at No. 160 Harrison Road in the town of Calcutta, at first carrying on business as a dealer in gunny bags, silver and Government paper, &c., under the name, style and firm of Nandumull Amarnath and afterwards under the name style and firm of Nandumull Baijnath at No. 160 Harrison Road, Calcutta, at present without any occupation, insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 21st day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

P. N. Bonnerjee, Attorney. (1237—1)

In the matter of GEORGE ALEXANDER STYLIANIDES, at present residing at No. 49 Chowringhee, carrying on business as a Jute Merchant at Sarasibari, district Mymensingh a trader, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 20th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Bhupendra Sri Ghosha, Attorneys. (1238—1)

In the matter of DAVID HYE JACOB ARAKIE COHEN, residing at No. 11 Chattawalla Lane, in the town of Calcutta, unemployed, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on the 13th day of August last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1239—1)

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.	Route by which despatched.
	1906. P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	Nov. 22 At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	21 Parcels, 5 P.M.; M.-O., 4 P.M.	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ...	,, 26 At 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
† Straits Settlements, China and Japan.	21 ,, 8-30	Per steamer *Nanisang.*
Burma	22 ,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	24 ,, 7-30	Ditto ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	23 ,, 7-30	
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	26 ,, 7-30	
Port Blair	24 ,, 7-30	*Vid* Rangoon.

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that they may proceed by any steamer from Colombo that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† On other days correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that it may proceed by the first steamer from Colombo.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—
For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 6 A.M.
For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.
For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.
For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 4-15 P.M.
For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore *vid* Bengal-Nagpur railway, at 1-15 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 1-30 P.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—
For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.
For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-55 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 4-15 P.M.
For the Bombay Mail *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa, Madras Presidency and Ceylon, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, Darjeeling, and places on the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway, at 7-30 P.M.
} and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—
For the Bombay Mail *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa, Madras Presidency and Ceylon, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

4. Articles for Burma and for Port Blair by sea are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M., and late registered letters on the days on which direct mails are closed will be received from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. with a late fee of 2 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the letters.

5. On the latest safe day of despatch of Mails for the Australasian Colonies, or any other Foreign Countries, *vid* Madras or Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time at 7-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 8-45 P.M. and late registered letters will be received from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

6. On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Thursday) the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles, without the late fee, at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-45 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On the day of despatch of any Foreign Mail by sea, the letter-box will be cleared for the last time, without the late fee, up to 8-30 P.M., and late letters and papers up to 9 P.M. and late registered letters will be received from 6 P.M to 7 P.M. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 19th November 1906.*

JOHN OWENS, *Presidency Postmaster.*

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 16th November 1906.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water sounded. Ft.	Least depth of water sounded. In.	REMARKS
Bhairab	Entrance from Ganges ...	10	0	
	Thence to Geriah ...	5	0	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	3	6	Kanupur.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	2	6	Amaniganj.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa...	4	0	Bhootghat.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	6	0	Matiari.
Jalangi	Entrance from Ganges ...	7	0	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	4	6	Khamardear.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	4	6	Harirampur.
	Thence to Patkabari	7	3	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	5	0	Ghaughatta.
Mathabhanga	Entrance from Ganges	3	3	
	Thence to Dewanganj	4	6	Dewanganj.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	4	6	Meghena.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...		6	Mohamadpur.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...	6	6	Maheshpur.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissenganj and Hanskhali ...	8	0	Kristopur.

Gauge Readings.

				Height above	Height above mean sea level.	REMARKS
				Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges ...	Sahebganj] Rampur Boalia...]	17-11-190		3·66	71·66	Falling.
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah...	18 11-1906	A.M. 7	0·80	54·80	Do.
	Entrance of Bhairab Jalangi, Akriganj ..	18 11-1906	A.M. 7	4·83	42·80	
	Entrance of Mathabhanga ...					
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur	18-11-1906	A.M.		51·80	Do.
	Berhampore	19-11-1906	A.M.	6·92	40·67	Do.
	Katwa	17-11-1906	P.M. 5	0·00	24·10	
Jalangi	Krishnagar] Sarupganj]	18-11-1906	Noon 12 P.M.	3·80	9·80	Rising.
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali	17-11-1906		8 35	19 20	Falling.

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Annual Summary of the Monthly Weather Review, 1904. (Illustrated by 6 plates). Quarto. Paper cover. Rs. 3.
Memoirs of the Indian Meteorological Department, Vol. XX, Part I. By J. H. Field, Esq. Quarto. Paper cover. Re. 1.

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Monthly Weather Review, March and April 1906. (Illustrated by 8 plates.) Quarto. Paper cover. Re. 1 per month.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1906.

PART IVA.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, assembled under the provisions of the Indian Councils Acts, 1861 and 1892.

The Council met in the Council Chamber on Saturday, the 10th November, 1906, at 11 A.M.

Present:

The Hon'ble SIR ANDREW FRASER, K.C.S.I., Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, *presiding*.
The Hon'ble MR F. A. SLACKE.
The Hon'ble MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.
The Hon'ble MR. P. O'KINEALY, Advocate-General of Bengal.
The Hon'ble MR. E. W. COLLIN.
The Hon'ble MR. R. W. CARLYLE, C.I.E.
The Hon'ble MR. W. A. INGLIS.
The Hon'ble MR. H. J. McINTOSH.
The Hon'ble MR. T. W. RICHARDSON.
The Hon'ble MR. G. GORDON.
The Hon'ble MR. C. G. H. ALLEN.
The Hon'ble Mr. J. CHAUDHURI, M.A.
The Hon'ble ASIF KADR SAIYID WASIF ALI MIRZA, of Murshidabad.
The Hon'ble RAJA BAN BEHARI KAPUR, C.S.I.
The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA NATH MUKHERJEE, M.A., B.L.
The Hon'ble BABU BHUPENDRA NATH BASU, M.A., B.L.
The Hon'ble MR. SYED SHURFUDDIN.
The Hon'ble MR. W. T. SPINK.
The Hon'ble MR. J. R. BERTRAM.
The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL.
The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE, M.A., B.L.

NEW MEMBERS.

The Hon'ble MR. P. O'KINEALY and the Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE took their seats in Council.

THE LATE HON'BLE BABU NALIN BEHARI SIRCAR, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble the PRESIDENT said :—"I am sure that it will appear right to the Council that, before proceeding to the business of the day, I should refer briefly to the loss which the whole community has sustained in the death of Babu Nalin Behari Sircar. When I left for England, he was still a Member of this Council; and though I knew that he was not in good health, I had little thought that one of the first things which I should hear after my return would be the news of his death.

"I need not dwell in this place on the services rendered to the community by Babu Nalin Behari Sircar; for they are as well known to you as to me. I made his acquaintance very soon after my arrival in Calcutta three years ago. From the first I came under the charm of his winsome and courteous manners; and from the first I realised his great capacity and his desire to advance the public interest. From the first therefore he became one of my most highly esteemed advisers.

"In innumerable ways he privately and unostentatiously showed his devotion to the public good; and his kindliness and benevolence are well known. He also publicly co-operated with Government in the work of the Port Commissioners; and his fellow Commissioners indicated their respect for and confidence in him, by appointing him to represent them on the Corporation where his work was of great value. The Corporation in turn elected him to be a Member of this Council; and during all the time that he served with us, he worked with us heartily, and was highly esteemed among us. He rendered me assistance of special value as a member of the Conference on the Calcutta Improvement Scheme; and on many occasions he showed himself to be a colleague, as I have already indicated, worthy of the very highest respect. He came to me freely to discuss public questions; and, though we sometimes differed in opinion, our relations were always most cordial.

"The high position which he occupied in the respect of the community was indicated by his selection to the office of Sheriff; and the appreciation by Government of his valuable public services was indicated by his appointment by His Majesty the King-Emperor to be a Companion of the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire.

"I am sure that every Member of this Council concurs with me when I give expression to our deep regret at the loss of our friend and late colleague, and I am sure also that the Council will desire that I should communicate the expression of our sympathy with his widow and children and his aged mother in the sore bereavement which they have sustained."

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

RESOLUTION BY THE GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY REGARDING JUVENILE OFFENDERS.

The Hon'ble MR. SYED SHURFUDDIN said:—

I beg to draw the attention of this Government to a Resolution passed by the Government of Bombay and issued in a press note, suggesting to all Magistrates the desirability of ordering special arrangements (*i*) for the detention of under-trial juvenile offenders; (*ii*) for the speedy disposal of such cases, and (*iii*) for separation within the precincts of their Courts of all juvenile offenders who may be brought before them; and drawing the attention of the Magistrates to section 562 of the Criminal Procedure Code, and section 31 of the Reformatory Schools Act, 1897, which give Magistrates ample power of dealing suitably with juvenile petty offenders, while their other powers under the Reformatory Schools Act, and the Whipping Act probably enable them to deal with more serious offenders without having recourse to the punishment of imprisonment: and to ask the Government if it will consider the advisability of issuing orders on similar lines to the Magistrates of Bengal?

The Hon'ble MR. RICHARDSON replied:—

"The Government of Bombay will be requested to favour this Government with a copy of the Resolution to which the Hon'ble Member refers. When this is received this Government will consider whether it should take action on similar lines.

"I may tell the Hon'ble Member that a rule in the Jail Code provides for the segregation of under-trial prisoners, male and female, and for the separation of male under-trial prisoners under the age of 18 from other prisoners, and of those under such age who have attained the age of puberty from those who have not.

"After the existing Criminal Procedure Code was passed, the attention of Magistrates was directed to the provisions of section 562. Further measures to ensure that no juveniles are unnecessarily detained in a Reformatory School are under consideration."

TRANSFER OF SUB-DIVISIONAL HEAD-QUARTERS FROM RAJMAHAL TO SAHEBGANJ IN THE SONTHAL PARGANAS.

The Hon'ble MR. SYED SHURFUDDIN asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state if it intends to transfer the Sub-divisional Head-quarters from Rajmahal to Sahebganj in the district of the Sonthal Parganas?

If so, will the Government be pleased to state what new circumstances have transpired to necessitate such a change since, in reply to a question on the subject by the Hon'ble Rai Bahadur Tarini Prasad, four years ago, the Government was pleased to declare that it had no such intention?

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE replied:—

"Attention has recently been drawn again to the proposal made some years ago to transfer the Sub-divisional Head-quarters from Rajmahal to Sahebganj, in the district of the Sonthal Parganas. But the Government has not yet had the opportunity of re-considering the proposal, and will certainly not pass any orders in regard to it without hearing all that can be urged against it."

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE REGARDING THE PAY AND PROSPECTS OF MINISTERIAL OFFICERS.

The Hon'ble MR. SYED SHURFUDDIN asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state if it has received the final report of the Committee appointed to inquire into, and report on, the present pay and prospects of the ministerial officers and to suggest means for their improvement?

If the report has been received, will the Government be pleased to publish it for general information, and to state what action the Government is going to take on the report, and when?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"The report has been received and is at present under the consideration of Government. It cannot at present be published."

FLOODS IN NORTH BIHAR.

The Hon'ble MR. SYED SHURFUDDIN asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table the reports which this Government has submitted to the Government of India on the recent floods in North Bihar?

In view of the facts that the recent floods in North Bihar have caused serious damage to the standing crops, that the outturn of the *Bhadoi* crops is expected to be much below the normal, that on account of the September rainfall in Bihar having been less than half of the normal average (the normal average is 9·40 and the actual for September, 1906, is 4·56, *vide* Calcutta Gazette of the 17th October last), the winter paddy crops cannot be expected to be a bumper one, and that this year there has been an unusually large export of food-grains from Bihar into East Bengal, will the Government be pleased to state whether it apprehends a famine or a severe scarcity in Bihar in the near future, and, if so, what steps the Government proposes to take to meet the situation?

If the information now before the Government does not enable it to give a definite reply to the above question, will the Government be pleased to institute an early and careful inquiry into the matter and publish the result of such an inquiry for the assurance of the public?

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE replied:—

"With reference to the Hon'ble Member's Questions, I am directed to lay on the table the reports submitted by this Government to the Government of India on the recent floods in North Bihar. Famine has been declared in the Roserha and Bahera thanas of Darbhanga, and will probably have to be declared in other thanas later on. So far as our information now goes, it is not certain that famine will have to be declared in any other Bihar district, but the state of things is being carefully watched. Test works have been opened both in Muzaffarpur and in Saran, and if they show that famine conditions exist, famine will at once be declared wherever severe distress is likely to prevail."

BHADOI CROPS OF BENGAL.

The Hon'ble MR. SYED SHURFUDDIN asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state upon what authority the Director of Agriculture bases his preliminary forecast of the *Bhadoi* crops of Bengal (published in the Calcutta Gazette of the 17th October last), in which he says that "on the whole 75 *per cent.* of a normal outturn may safely be expected?"

Will the Government be further pleased to state fully the process by which the Director of Agriculture has got the information on which he bases his report?

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE replied:—

"The Hon'ble Member is referred to the Forecast itself as published in the Gazette with the details received from each district in the Appendix. This will probably give him all the information he requires. If not, the Director of Agriculture will be glad to give him any further information.

"The Hon'ble Member will find the answer to the second part of his question in Chapter II of the Manual of Rules for the preparation of Crop Reports and Agricultural Statistics issued under the authority of Government."

TOLLY'S NALLAH CANAL.

The Hon'ble MR. BERTRAM asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state if a statement can now be laid on the table explaining the present position of the Tolly's Nallah Canal project?

The Hon'ble MR. INGLIS replied:—

"The Lieutenant-Governor is unable to add to the statement made in answer to the question on this subject which was asked at the meeting of the Council on the 18th August last. The matter is under discussion with the Government of India."

LOCAL FUNDS RELATING TO TRADE AND COMMERCE CONTROLLED BY GOVERNMENT.

The Hon'ble MR. BERTRAM asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state what other funds besides the Boiler Fund, the Pilotage Fund and the Port Hospital Dues Fund, relating to Trade and Commerce, they at present control, and if there is any valid reason why the accrued balances at credit of the three named funds, in addition to any others controlled by Government, should not be invested in interest bearing securities?

The Hon'ble MR. INGLIS replied:—

"The Fire Brigade Fund and the Orissa Ports Fund, which are excluded local funds, are controlled by Government. The Inland Labour Transport Fund is an Incorporated Local Fund and is also controlled by Government. The question of the best method of dealing with the balances of the Funds referred to in the Hon'ble Member's question will be further considered."

THE CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT SCHEME.

The Hon'ble MR. BERTRAM asked:—

Can the Government make a statement as to the present position of the "Calcutta Improvement Scheme," and when is a Bill on the subject likely to be introduced into this Council?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"The scheme is still under the consideration of the Governments of India and Bengal. It is impossible to give any definite reply to this question at present."

ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL AT DARJEELING.

The Hon'ble MR. BERTRAM asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state if they intend to take over St. Paul's School at Darjeeling from the present governing body, and, if so, on what terms and conditions?

The Hon'ble MR. RICHARDSON replied:—

"Government has no intention of taking over St. Paul's School from the governing body. Proposals are, however, under consideration which may lead to a change in the constitution of that body."

FISHERY INVESTIGATION SCHEME.

The Hon'ble MR. BERTRAM asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state if, after Mr. K. G. Gupta's present mission is ended, they intend to organize a Fishery Investigation Scheme somewhat similar to that instituted by the Madras Government?

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE replied:—

"Mr. K. G. Gupta has been placed on special duty by the Bengal Government for six months so as to commence an inquiry regarding Bengal fisheries; but as it is recognized that this time is insufficient for the completion of his inquiries, the Government of India have been asked to allow his deputation to be extended and to select an expert from England to be associated with him in his inquiries."

A SECOND STEAM PILOT VESSEL.

The Hon'ble MR. BERTRAM asked:—

Can the Government now state if they are to make provision in the next Budget for the cost of a second pilot steamer?

The Hon'ble MR. INGLIS replied:—

"Subject to the approval of the Government of India, it is proposed to provide funds for the second steam pilot vessel in the Budget for next year."

MR. PROTHERO AND THE PRINCIPALSHIP OF THE PRESIDENCY COLLEGE.

The Hon'ble BABU BHUPENDRA NATH BASU asked:—

(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state the grounds on which it has superseded Mr. Prothero in the recent officiating appointment of the Principal of the Presidency College?

(*b*) Is it not the fact that Mr. Prothero had once before officiated as Principal of the Presidency College for a period of six months?

(*c*) Was any fault found with Mr. Prothero's Principalship of the Presidency College?

(*d*) Is it a fact that after Mr. Prothero had acted as Principal of the Presidency College, or at any other time, he was very strongly recommended by Sir Alexander Pedler, the late Director of Public Instruction, for the post of the Director of Public Instruction, Punjab?

(*e*) Is the Government aware that Mr. Prothero was very popular with the professors and the students during the time that he held the office of the Principal of the Presidency College and he enjoyed the complete confidence of the students?

(*f*) Is the Government aware that all the Anglo-Bengali newspapers have regretted the supersession of Mr. Prothero and ascribed the same to his well-known attitude of sympathy towards the Indian students?

(*g*) Does the Government think it conducive to the interests entrusted into the hands of the officers of the Education Department to arbitrarily supersede senior officers towards the close of their service?

The Hon'ble MR. RICHARDSON replied:—

"I cannot undertake to answer the Hon'ble Member's long series of questions categorically and I much regret being called upon to make in public a comparison between the merits of the two officers referred to. The task is an invidious one, but the Hon'ble Member leaves me no option.

"The Principalship of the Presidency College is one of the most important posts in the Education Department, and in filling that post the claims of seniority must be subordinated to the principle of selection, and personal considerations to the interests of the public service The appointment of Mr. Little to officiate as Principal was made after a most careful consideration of the circumstances of the case. Mr. Prothero was not lightly passed over, but Mr. Little was preferred because he was thought to possess qualifications for the post which are not to be found in Mr. Prothero.

"It is true that Mr. Prothero once acted as Principal without exciting adverse comment. No fault was found with his Principalship, but the present issue does not depend on a comparison of faults but on a comparison of merits. The conditions now are changed. Proposals for the improvement of the Presidency College are likely to come under consideration, and it was felt that Mr. Little possessed in a superior degree the abilities which the situation requires. In brief, Mr. Little was selected on the ground of fitness for the post and in the interests of the public service. The selection was in no sense arbitrary. It was made by one Lieutenant-Governor and endorsed by another. It was made in the exercise of the discretion vested in the Government and with a full sense of responsibility.

"I conceive that a proper application of the principle of selection is necessary to the efficiency, and promotes the interests, of every public department. If the post in question is, as I think the Hon'ble Member will admit it is, of sufficient importance to justify the application of that principle, then I think that no fault can be found with the action which the Government has taken.

"I am not aware that Mr. Prothero was recommended by Sir Alexander Pedler for the post of Director of Public Instruction in the Punjab; nor am I aware why, if the recommendation was ever made, it was not accepted.

"As regards the newspapers, they do not perhaps afford the best means of discussing an entirely personal issue. The suggestion that Mr. Prothero was superseded because he was popular and enjoyed the confidence of the students is absolutely without foundation. I regret that the Hon'ble Member has thought it consistent with the dignity of this place to repeat the suggestion to-day."

RULE REGARDING OFFICIATING PERIODS OF SERVICE COUNTING TOWARDS PENSION.

The Hon'ble BABU BHUPENDRA NATH BASU said:—

The Government was pleased, in answer to a question put by the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar, in March last, to state "that the question of amending the rule according to which officiating periods of service cannot be counted towards pension is already under consideration, and the Government hopes to be able to make a definite pronouncement regarding it at an early date," and on the occasion of the last Budget debate, the Hon'ble Mr. Richardson was pleased to observe as follows:—"Government has under its consideration certain proposals for improving the conditions of service as regards the rules regulating leave and pension." Will the Government be pleased to state if any definite conclusion has been arrived at on this subject, and, if so, will the Government be pleased to make the promised pronouncement?

The Hon'ble MR. RICHARDSON replied :—

"The proposals referred to are still under consideration in communication with the Government of India."

MINISTERIAL OFFICERS' SALARIES COMMITTEE.

The Hon'ble BABU BHUPENDRA NATH BASU asked :—

As the Ministerial Officers' Salaries Committee presided over by the Hon'ble Mr. Slacke has made its report, will the Government be pleased to state when the necessary resolution will be issued on the subject so that all ministerial officers may get the benefit which the Government has been pleased to grant to a selected number ?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied :—

"The question has already been answered in the reply to the question of the Hon'ble Mr. Shurfuddin."

NOMINATION BY THE SYNDICATE OF M A.'s TO THE PROVINCIAL SERVICE.

The Hon'ble BABU BHUPENDRA NATH BASU asked :—

Owing to the period when the new system of appointment to the Subordinate Provincial Service was introduced, the M. A.'s of 1903 and the B. A.'s and B. Sc.'s of 1904 were excluded from nomination by the Syndicate, the Government was pleased to give an assurance at the meeting of the Council held on the 19th August, 1905, that in the event of the Provincial Service cadre being increased, two or three distinguished M. A.'s of 1903 and B. A.'s of 1904 recommended by the Syndicate should be appointed ? Owing probably to oversight, this assurance was not carried out at the last increase of the cadre. Will the Government be pleased to state if it will take any steps to rectify this omission ?

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE replied :—

"One M. A. of 1903 will be appointed this year and another will get an appointment next year."

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES IN THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCILS OF BENGAL AND EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked :—

(*1*) Has the Government considered whether any measures may be taken to prevent the anomaly that will immediately arise by the amendment of some of the Bengal Acts now in force in both Bengals, by this Council and of others by the Legislative Council of Eastern Bengal ?

Is it possible to provide that the Statute Book of the existing Bengal Acts may not be different by amendment or repeal in the two provinces creating great confusion in the administration of justice ?

(*2*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the proposed amendment of some of the most important Bengal Acts by the Legislative Council of Eastern Bengal ? In case of such amendment, does this Government also propose to bring forward Bills to adopt the alterations made in the law by the other Legislative Council ?

(*3*) Is it not possible for the two Legislative Councils to act in concert in order to keep the law in the two Bengals identical, and thus allay the popular apprehension on the score of there being different laws in the two Bengals?

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE replied:—

"In reply to parts (*1*) and (*3*) of this question the Governments of two Provinces consult freely as to any legislative action to be taken, and are made fully acquainted with each other's proposals and intention. But it would be absurd to say that the circumstances of the two provinces are identical to such a degree as necessarily to demand precisely the same measures in every instance.

"(*2*) The Hon'ble Member does not specify the measures which he has in view; and the question is too vague to permit of a definite answer."

JUDICIAL SERVICES IN BENGAL AND EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSH asked:—

Is it a fact that by the division of the Judicial Service, there will be a larger proportion of Subordinate Judges to Munsifs in Western Bengal than in that part of the service that may be allotted to Eastern Bengal to the disadvantage of the latter?

Will the Government be pleased to state the reasons or lay on the table papers showing the reasons for dividing a service which is for all practical purposes under the High Court?

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE replied:—

"The question of separating the Judicial services of this Province and Eastern Bengal and Assam is still under consideration. No papers can be laid on the table at present."

SHIP CANAL FROM THE HOOGHLY TO BIDYADHARI.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state whether there is any chance of the proposed Ship Canal from the Hooghly to the Bidyadhari which has been approved by it, as greatly facilitating the navigation of steamers and boats plying between Western and Eastern Bengal, and as improving the drainage and sanitation of the District of 24-Parganas, being taken up in the near future?

The Hon'ble MR. INGLIS replied:—

"The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer already given to the question on the same subject asked by the Hon'ble Mr. Bertram."

THE BENGAL TENANCY AMENDMENT BILL, 1906.

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE moved for leave to introduce a Bill to amend and supplement the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885. He said:—

"I will explain the Bill when I am being called on to move the next motion."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE then introduced the Bill, and moved that it be read in Council. He said:—

"Your Honour: the Bill which I have the honour to introduce to-day has been preceded by four Acts amending the Bengal Tenancy Act of 1885. The only one of general importance passed up to the present is Bengal Act III of 1898. It dealt mainly with the settlement of rents, as the procedure laid down by the Act of 1885 had been found unworkable where rents were being settled on a large scale.

"The discussions which led up to the present Bill may be said to have commenced in May, 1901, when the Board submitted a copy of a judgment given by the Special Judge of Darbhanga accepting a compromise between a raiyat and his landlord as validating an enhancement of rent which the raiyat would have been unable to validate by a contract between himself and his landlord. A short time before this, in December, 1900, the British Indian Association submitted a representation to Government on the subject of the difficulties which landlords encounter and the hardship, harassment and loss they undergo in the matter of collection and recovery of rent and cesses. The Association suggested a number of amendments of the Tenancy Act in connection with their representation. A reply was sent to this letter by the Bengal Government in May, 1902, refusing in the main to accept the suggestions made. In September, 1902, the Board of Revenue submitted for the consideration and orders of Government a letter from the Director of Land Records bringing to notice the rareness of cases in which the records of survey and settlement proceedings were examined before decrees were given by Civil Courts for higher rents than were recorded in the khatians after careful inquiries by Revenue-officers. On receipt of this letter the Bengal Government asked the Board of Revenue to consider a suggestion that a landlord should be required either by law or by rule to file a copy of the settlement khatian in every rent suit. The Board of Revenue replied in August, 1904, dealing with the whole question of the disregard by the Civil Courts of settlement proceedings. A few days later the Board submitted for the information of Government a copy of correspondence with Commissioners of Divisions regarding the necessity of legislation to protect raiyats from illegal or undue enhancement of rents. The question of the necessity of amending the Tenancy Act was considered by all the Commissioners of this province at meetings held in September, 1904. The great majority of the Commissioners were of opinion that it was necessary to give weak and subservient tenants increased protection from illegal and undue enhancement of rents in Court and out of Court. After considering various reports and the opinions of the Commissioners a draft Bill was circulated for opinion by the Bengal Government on the 29th of November, 1904. This Bill was a very short one dealing with the maintenance of the record-of-rights, the enhancement of rents, and a record of rights in water used for agricultural purposes. The Bill was subjected to a good deal of hostile criticism and it was decided by the Lieutenant-Governor, before proceeding with the amendment of the Tenancy Act, to appoint a Committee to consider certain important questions connected therewith. A Committee was accordingly appointed over which Mr. Hare, Senior Member of the Board of Revenue, presided. It included the following unofficial members, namely:—Raja Ban Behari Kapur, Raja Peary Mohan Mukherjee, Babu Chatarbhooj Sahay and Mr. A. C. Chaterjee.

"The members of the Committee were specially asked to give their opinion on the following points:—'The failure of the Courts to use survey and settlement records and the question of how to deal with zamindars who by illegitimate pressure exacted from their raiyats illegal rents in excess of those stated in the settlement records. The Government also remarked that a subject to which, Government is aware, many zamindars attach great importance is the question of facilitating the recovery of undisputed rents.' The members of this Committee were unanimously of opinion that Government should take up the amendment of the Tenancy Act as a whole and not deal separately with different matters requiring an alteration of the law. The opinion of the Committee was accepted by Government and a Bill was drawn up dealing with the Bengal Tenancy Act as a whole. In drawing up this Bill all the amendments put forward from time to time were considered and either embodied in the draft or deliberately rejected. The whole Bill was then submitted to a Committee over which the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rampini presided. The unofficial members were: the Maharaja of Darbhanga, the Maharaja of Gidhour, Raja Ban Behari Kapur and Raja Peary Mohan Mukherjee, while the official members were: Mr. Hare, Senior Member of the Board, Mr. B. L. Gupta, Legal Remembrancer, and Mr. J. H. Kerr, Director of Land Records and Agriculture, and myself.

"The Bill now before the Council, with a few minor exceptions, is exactly as it left the hands of the Committee. The report submitted by the Committee was unanimous and concludes as follows:—

'Although certain provisions of the Bill do not entirely commend themselves to the non-official members of the Committee, yet it is considered that the Bill as a whole deals fairly with the difficulties which have arisen and with defects which have revealed themselves during recent years in the working of the Tenancy Act. They hope that it will result in the improvement of the relations between landlords and tenants generally, and they therefore submit it for the favourable consideration of Government.'

"I trust that a Bill which has passed the scrutiny of so competent and influential a body of non-official critics will also meet with favourable consideration in this Council.

"While, as I have already pointed out, this Bill owes its genesis in the main to the fact that local officers and the Settlement Department drew the attention of Government to the way in which the settlement records are being overridden and rents illegally and inequitably enhanced, yet the Bill now before the Council represents a serious attempt by Government to do all in its power to meet the reasonable and just demands of zamindars. Legislation, if it is to do justice to all parties, must as a rule end in a compromise between conflicting claims, and it is the duty of Government to see that the adjustment is as far as possible equitable. While therefore Government cannot hope that Bengal landlords will view with entire satisfaction every clause in this Bill, they do hope that the great body of landlords will share the views of their distinguished representatives on the Committee which considered the Bill and will accept it as one which 'as a whole deals fairly with the difficulties which have arisen and with the defects which have revealed themselves in recent years with the working of the Tenancy Act.'

"Probably no clause in the Bill will be more generally acceptable to landlords than the one which deals with the summary procedure for the recovery of rents. Many attempts have been made to devise some solution of the problem how to give landlords a summary procedure for the recovery of rents without danger of serious oppression to raiyats, and very competent authorities have pronounced the problem to be insoluble. The last serious attempt to provide a summary procedure for the recovery of arrears of rent was made by Sir Charles Elliott in 1895. A Bill was drawn up and circulated under his instructions, but met with very strong opposition and was dropped by Sir Alexander Mackenzie when it came before him as Lieutenant-Governor. The Board of Revenue strongly opposed the Bill, among other grounds, because it did not provide any means of enforcing the keeping of proper accounts of collections, because suits were to be tried by Civil Courts, and because the Act was to be introduced in areas where the maintenance of the record-of-rights was only insured by Bengal Act III of 1895, an Act which did not

provide for the mutation of names of proprietors nor for changes in the rents payable. The Board's strongest objection was perhaps that there was great danger in giving a summary procedure to landlords who might in some cases be dishonest and unscrupulous. Whether we have succeeded in devising a summary procedure which will stand the test of further careful inquiry and criticism is for the Council to decide, but I may point out various ways in which we escape the criticisms of the Board on the last attempt. The procedure is only to be given to landlords personally. This should exclude the dishonest and unscrupulous landlord. It is to be given only to landlords who allow their accounts to be inspected by Revenue-officers. This ensures that no landlord shall have such powers unless his accounts are properly kept.

"Finally the summary procedure is only to be given in areas in which the record-of-rights has not only already been prepared and published, but in which it is being periodically revised. The members of this Council will no doubt agree with me that such powers can only be given with the strongest safeguards, and the Local Government must have full power to give or withdraw such powers without assigning any reason. I foresee two main criticisms; one is likely to come from some landlords to the effect that the grant of these powers is so safeguarded that no one will be able to avail himself of them. I do not agree with this. I believe that zamindars holding lands in areas where a record-of-rights has been maintained will find no difficulty in getting Government to permit them to adopt the summary procedure, if they can satisfy Government that their accounts are properly kept up, and if they are known to be men of such probity and force of character as not only to be incapable of misusing these powers personally, but also to be able to prevent misuse of these powers by their servants. On the other hand, I have little doubt that it will be urged that, however much these powers are safeguarded, it is still too dangerous to give them to a landlord as the temptation to use them, so as to ruin any tenant who may set himself against his landlord, would be so strong that, however honourable the landlord himself might be, he would not be able to prevent his servants abusing the summary procedure. The reply is that there are two safeguards. In the first place, no zamindar to whom the privilege has once been given will be willing to forfeit it, and his whole interest will therefore lie in seeing that his servants do not abuse the privilege. The other safeguard is that cases will be heard by a Revenue-officer familiar with the circumstances of the estate. He would very soon find out if the summary procedure were being abused to coerce the raiyats.

"It is in my opinion futile to hope by means of legislation to be able to prevent the abuse by an unscrupulous man of his power to crush individual opponents by a dishonest use of his wealth and position, but in this case there are special reasons why a zamindar should be most careful to avoid abusing these special powers, or allowing his servants to do so. He would know that even one proved instance of the abuse of these powers would very likely lead to the privilege being withdrawn, while any general abuse of the privilege could not be concealed, and would certainly lead to the powers being withdrawn.

"While clause 33 is probably the one that will attract most notice as conferring a boon on the zamindars, a great deal has been done in other parts of the Bill to meet the legitimate desires of zamindars, and, to show how far this is the case, I will again refer to the representation of the British Indian Association of 1902 mentioned by me before. I will touch only on suggestions directly affecting the Tenancy Act.

"The first suggestion of the British Indian Association was that section 3, clause 5, of the Bengal Tenancy Act, should be amended; 'rent' being defined so as to include 'interest' payable on an overdue instalment of rent and cesses. Effect has been given to this suggestion in clause 4 of the Bill.

"The next suggestion of the British Indian Association related to sections 12 to 15. It was proposed to repeal these sections, and to re-enact the law as contained in section 27 of Act X of 1859, the tenant being bound in all cases of transfer to register the transfer in the landlord's *sheristá*, and the tenant also having the right to sue the landlord for registration in case of

the landlord refusing to register the transfer. While Government has not accepted the suggestion of the British Indian Association that the registration of transfers be left to landlords, they have, in clause 5 of the Bill, provided that 'nothing contained in any deed of transfer to which the landlord is not a party shall be evidence against the landlord of the permanence, fixity of rent, specification of area, transferability or any incident of any tenure or holding referred to in such deed;' and clause 6 of the Bill provides that 'the acceptance by a landlord of the fees payable under the foregoing sections in question shall not operate as an admission as to the permanence, fixity of rent, specification of area, transferability or any incident of the tenure or holding for which such fees have been paid, nor as an express consent to the division of the tenure or holding, or to the distribution of the rent thereof.' I trust it will be generally admitted that the compromise adopted by Government is a fair one.

"The third suggestion of the British Indian Association was to the effect that the entry of area of a tenure or holding in the rent-receipt of a tenant should be *primâ facie* proof of the correct area of the land for which rent had been previously paid by him. While Government cannot go the length of accepting the proposal that an entry of the area in the rent-receipt should be accepted as *primâ facie* proof, it would be too dangerous in the hands of some zamindars, they have in clause 11 of the Bill provided that where the landlord or tenant can prove that there is a custom in the village of settlement being made after measurement, it may be presumed that the area of the tenure or holding specified in any *patta*, *kabuliyat*, or rent-roll relating to it has been entered in such *patta*, *kabuliyat*, or rent-roll after measurement. Government believes that this provision will enable zamindars to prove excess areas with much greater facility than at present. The section as now drafted corresponds very closely with the actual practice of the Settlement Department, which, in this case, has leaned rather to the side of the zamindars, as, under the law as it stands, proof of excess area can rarely be given in such a form as to meet the demands of the Civil Courts.

"The next suggestion of the British Indian Association related to the difficulty sometimes experienced by co-sharers in collecting their rents. The provisions of clauses 34 and 35 of the Bill facilitate the realization by co-sharers of their rents, while protecting the raiyats against harassment by a number of suits by different co-sharers. The net result of these clauses is that a single co sharer is empowered to sue for the rent due to all the co-sharers, and the tenure or holding passes in execution of a decree obtained in such a suit, provided that the other co-sharers have been made parties, while the sale-proceeds are divided among them in proportion to the amount found due to each.

"The next suggestion of the British Indian Association related to the thorny question of distraint of crops. The Association suggested that the landlord should have the first lien on the crop, which should not be allowed to be removed until the rent was paid. This suggestion cannot be accepted by Government, as, in the hands of an unscrupulous zamindar, it might be made an intolerable engine of oppression. As, however, it appears that the powers of landlords to distrain crops are at present frequently nullified by tenants filing applications before Collectors for appraisement of crops in respect of which the Civil Courts pass an order of distraint, thus protracting the proceedings some times for years, it is provided by clause 14 that no order should be passed on an application under this section after an application under section 121 for the distraint of the crops of a tenant has been made by the landlord and admitted by the Civil Court. And if after an order has been passed under this section, it appears that an application for the distraint of the tenant's crops has been made to the Civil Court before the application was made under this section, the Collector shall stay all proceedings under this section.

"The next suggestion of the British Indian Association related to the method of the service of summons on the defendant, and it was suggested that there would be less room for fraud than at present if the summons were served and acknowledgements of service received by the Postal Department. This is a

matter with which the High Court can deal, and the High Court has been addressed on the subject; but it appears more likely that fraud can be reduced by the service of summons through panchayats. Experiments in this direction are being made at present in several districts where revenue processes are being served through Presidents of panchayats instead of by Nizarat peons.

"The next suggestion of the British Indian Association related to the fact that false pleas were frequently raised by tenants of having fully paid the rent claimed in the suit, and they suggested that the law should make it compulsory for a tenant to deposit the entire amount of claim, or a receipt for the same, before allowing him to enter a defence. This question was raised before the Committee which dealt with this Bill in connection with *ex-parte* decrees, but it was pointed out that the landlord's proper remedy was to apply to the Court for damages.

"The last matter dealt with by the British Indian Association, so far as the Tenancy Act is concerned, referred to the application of section 311 of the Civil Procedure Code to all sales of tenures and holdings under the Bengal Tenancy Act. This has been dealt with in clause 37 of the Bill, which provides that, if a tenant chooses to have a sale set aside by paying the decretal amount, he cannot subsequently also proceed under section 311 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

"I have dealt at some length with the British Indian Association's letter, because I think it will show how careful Government has been to consider every reasonable request made by landlords to alter provisions of the Bill which bear unnecessarily hardly upon them.

"I may note two other provisions introduced in this Bill in favour of landlords. The first clause I would refer to is clause 13, which is designed to check the attempts so frequently made by tenants to convert suits for arrears of rent into title suits, by setting up title as landlord in a third person or in themselves. It has been proposed that, on the analogy of section 11 of the Transfer of Property Act, the penalty for denial of landlord's title should be forfeiture of the raiyati rights. This, however, would appear to be too severe a punishment. In many cases, especially where a tenant has to deal with a number of zamindars with conflicting interests, he would often be in a very difficult position if he did not entirely identify his interests with one of the parties, and taking all the circumstances into account, it seems that a maximum penalty of ten times the amount of annual rents is sufficient.

"Another clause which has been inserted with a view to meeting the convenience of zamindars is clause 31(*2*) of the Bill, which provides—

. . 'Where any account-books, rent-rolls, or collection or measurement papers have been produced by a landlord in any Court in a suit pending therein, copies of, or extracts from, such documents, which have been certified by a duly authorized officer of such Court to be true copies or extracts, may be admitted in evidence in proof of the originals in any other suit instituted in the same or another Court, unless the Court in which such copies or extracts are produced sees fit to require the production of the originals.'

"It lays down provisions similar to those of the Bankers' Evidence Act as regards landlords' account-books, rent-rolls, collection and measurement papers. In such cases, when the originals have once been produced in Court in any suit, the landlord is permitted to file copies or extracts from such documents in subsequent suits, subject to the right of the Court to ask for the production of the originals if necessary.

"I have now to draw the attention of the Council to those clauses of the Bill which deal with illegal and improper enhancements of raiyati rents, the failure of many zamindars to give receipts, and the disregard of the settlement records by the Civil Courts.

"The Board's letter of 1904 and its enclosures, regarding the protection of raiyats from illegal or undue enhancement of rents, affords melancholy reading as showing the extent to which zamindars in many districts in all parts of the province have abused their powers. I cite a few instances. The Collector of Jessore reports that landlords compel their tenants to agree to illegal enhancement, by suing for rents every *kist*, or by allowing arrears to mount up. Receipts are not given, or the details are incorrectly filled in. From

Murshidabad, the Collector reports that in some cases the zamindar manufactures evidence of increased rents by false entries on counterfoils of receipts. A special method of enhancing rents is described as follows:—

'Advantage has been taken by the clever advisers of certain large zamindars of the High Court's decision contained in Indian Law Reports XVIII, Cal., page 333, which lays down that a raiyat, to avoid litigation, can enter into an agreement for an excessively enhanced rent. Within two or three years of the ruling, *viz.*, about 10 years ago, criminal cases, suits, etc., on a large scale were brought or threatened against the raiyats of a certain zamindar. The Munsifs now hold under the above ruling that excessive enhancements made in consequence of such litigation, threatened or real, are legal.'

"The Collector of the 24-Parganas reported that proper receipts for rents are seldom given, and pressure was thus brought to bear on the tenants. From Darbhanga, it was reported that a favourite method of obtaining enhancement was to take deeds of surrender from raiyats, purporting to be an honest endeavour to rectify obvious mistakes of the Settlement Department without the trouble and expense of going to Court, while, as a matter of fact, the *ikrarnamas* were not voluntary. I have in my hands a copy of the Board's letter, and of its enclosures, from which I could quote many other passages, but I think enough has been said to show that Government has to deal with a very serious and widespread abuse of the law, and, unless the facts are seriously disputed, I do not propose to go at length into the evidence as to the e abuse , which in the first instance led to the initiation of legislation. Here, again, Government is most anxious not to adopt any measures which would hamper all zamindars, good and bad alike, in their dealings with their tenantry. Government desires that it should be in their power to discriminate between good and bad landlords, and even in those cases where some general provision appears to be necessary affecting all landlords alike, we have done all that seemed possible to make the burden as tolerable as could be done.

"I have already said that it is impossible to prevent by legislation alone the abuse of power by one man over another. No legislation can prevent a wealthy man who desires to ruin a poor one from doing so, but Government can and ought to prevent the oppression of one class by another as a whole. Thus, while it may be practically impossible to prevent a powerful and unscrupulous zamindar from treating unfairly some particular raiyat, I believe Government can interpose with success where a zamindar is treating unfairly the general body of his tenants.

"The clause of the Bill on which I rely most as giving Government power to intervene in favour of an oppressed tenantry is, clause 25. The wording of the clause will probably be altered in Select Committee. It has been introduced in its present form, mainly to permit of a declaration by Government that, if section 112 is retained as a part of the Tenancy Act, it will be at liberty to use it under any circumstances in which it may seem equitable to exercise this power. Section 112 was, in 1885, made a part of the Act, with the avowed object of applying it only in the case of areas affected by agrarian disturbances.

"Sir Steuart Bayley, when speaking in Council, said: 'We have, however, provided for a special settlement to meet special circumstances. Under the special settlement (section 112), the Settlement Officer will have power to settle all rents, and will, moreover, have power to reduce rents on other grounds than those ordinarily applicable, and all such rents as he settles will hold good for the same term of years as if fixed under a judicial decree. But this procedure, which gives unusual powers of interference, and which is meant to be applied only in circumstances in which the operation of the ordinary law is likely to prove insufficient, requires some strict safeguard. We have therefore provided that it shall only be applied after the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council has been obtained. It is an extreme power, intended to take the place of Sir Richard Temple's Agrarian Outrage Act, and I trust it will be resorted to as little as that Act was.'

"Government, therefore, considers it necessary distinctly to raise this issue before Council, as it is now proposed that the use of the section is not to be restricted in this way. I may also point out that the section as amended by

clause 25 of the Bill provides a feasible means of settling rents while as section 112 stands at present, it is not at all clear what method is to be used in settling them.

"It will be seen that the section, as it is now proposed to use it, places in the hands of Government a very powerful weapon against oppressive landlords. The provision that it can only be enforced with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council ensures that a strong case will have to be made out before it is put in operation.

"I could, if it were necessary, bring before the Council a great deal of evidence to show that one of the commonest forms by which landlords obtain unduly enhanced rents is to force their raiyats to agree to a compromise, either before a Revenue Officer or in the Civil Court, whereby they obtain an enhanced rent far larger than could have been obtained by a contract. Such compromises stand on a very different footing from equitable agreements entered into by the parties to a suit, with a view to avoiding litigation regarding points really in dispute. Here the whole object of the litigation is to enforce a demand which the landlord knows he cannot obtain in fair fight, and to give a legal colouring to an improper enhancement. Clauses 24 and 30 now make it incumbent on the Revenue or Civil Courts, as the case may be, to look into compromises and see whether they are in accordance with the law, and even if they are not illegal, the Courts may reject them if they appear to be unfair and inequitable.

"There is a great deal of evidence before Government, which it seems unnecessary to produce before the Council (I do not think the facts are disputed), that the Civil Courts, as a rule, take no notice of the record-of-rights unless the parties to a case put them in. I do not in the least blame the Courts. The Judges are in this matter following the usual procedure in only dealing with such evidence as is brought before them by the parties, but Government cannot contemplate with equanimity the futility of having a careful and exhaustive record-of-rights prepared, which is not used by the Courts, and provisions have been inserted in clauses 30 and 31 of the Bill with the object of compelling the Courts to deal with the record-of-rights where relevant to suits between landlords and tenants. As the matter is one of considerable importance, I read the provisions of the Bill bearing on this point:—

'147B. In all areas in which a record-of-rights has been prepared and finally published under sub-section (2) of section 103A, a Civil Court shall, in all suits between landlord and tenant as such, have regard to the entries in such record of-rights referring to the land in dispute which may be produced before it, unless such entries have been proved by evidence to be incorrect, and, when a Civil Court passes a decree at variance with such entries, it shall record its reasons for so doing.'

Regard to be paid by Civil Courts to entries in record-of-rights.

"Again, in clause 31, sub-section (2), it is enacted that—

'Where the suit is for the rent of land situated within an area in which a record-of-rights has been prepared and published, the plaint shall, unless the Court is satisfied that the plaintiff was prevented by any sufficient cause from furnishing such statement, further contain a statement of the rental of the tenancy according to the record-of-rights:

Provided that, if the Court sees fit at any time to require it, a verified or certified copy of, or extract from, the record-of-rights relating to the tenancy shall be produced by the plaintiff, or shall, if necessary, on the requisition of the Court, be supplied by the Collector without payment of fee.'

"I would ask Hon'ble Members to notice that section 31, sub-section (2), has been so framed as to reduce the trouble to the landlords to a minimum, as a bare statement of the rental of the tenancy according to the record-of-rights will in most cases suffice.

"Another very prevalent abuse is the failure of many landlords to give proper receipts. Section 58 of the Tenancy Act deals with this matter, and provides that a landlord who refuses or neglects without reasonable cause to give a receipt, or who fails without reasonable cause to prepare and retain a counterfoil or copy of a receipt, shall be liable, in the one case to a suit for a penalty, and in the other to a fine. In practice, the section has proved a dead letter. I do not think anyone will dispute the importance of

requiring landlords to give proper receipts and to retain counterfoils or copies of the receipts; but if it is to be enforced, some new system of dealing with the offence is necessary. The Bill accordingly provides (clause 12) that cognizance of the offence may be taken by the Collector, not only upon complaint, but also upon information from a Revenue Officer or report from a Civil Court, and the duty of reporting is laid upon Revenue and Civil Courts. I may note that, to prevent abuse of this section, it has been provided by clause 12, sub-section (7), of that—

'Where, in any case under sub-section (3), the Collector acquits the landlord or his agent, as the case may be, and is satisfied that the complaint or information of the tenant on which the proceedings were instituted is false or vexatious, the Collector may, in his discretion, by his order of acquittal, direct the tenant to pay to such landlord or agent such compensation, not exceeding fifty rupees, as the Collector thinks fit.'

"I have now touched on the points in the Bill to which it appears to me most important to draw the attention of Council.

"There are several other sections to which I would have liked to have drawn the attention of Hon'ble Members, but as they do not appear to me to affect the principles of the Bill, I must content myself with referring to the Statement of Objects and Reasons.

"I have trespassed for sometime on the indulgence of the Members of Council, but I trust I will be forgiven, considering the importance of the subject. I have no doubt, if the Bill comes before a Select Committee, it will be possible to make many improvements in details, but I hope the general principles on which the Bill has been framed will commend themselves to this Council."

The Hon'ble BABU BHUPENDRA NATH BASU said:—"With Your Honour's permission I shall make a few observations of a general nature on the scope of the provisions of this Bill. There are no doubt provisions in it which make the position of landlords and tenants as regards each other clearer than they are under the existing law, and as such the Bill must be welcomed by both landlords and tenants; but before I go further into the provisions of this Bill there is one observation which I wish to make with Your Honour's permission: the present Bengal Tenancy Act, as the Council knows, applies to both Divisions of Bengal; the amendments which are now sought to be made will only apply to the Western Division. At one time when those of us who opposed the partition of Bengal put forward the argument that at no distant date the landlords of the two Provinces would become dissimilar there was no sufficient answer given, and the argument was brushed aside as not sufficiently patent or strong; but, Sir, within a very short time of the partition of Bengal the old province is going to introduce substantial modifications into the existing law. It is not known whether these modifications will be adopted in the new province; it was whispered at one time that the late Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam were opposed to the introduction of a measure like this into their Province. It may be that with the change of Government in the Eastern Province that opposition will no longer be pressed, but difficulties will arise especially in parts of the country where the boundaries abut on one another, in the administration of justice, particularly with regard to the landlords of Bengal. It is no imaginary difficulty. Sylhet at one time part of the Province of Bengal until it was transferred to Assam. The laws of Sylhet remain where they were at the time of the severance; whereas the landlords of Bengal had made considerable progress since that time. With these observations I proceed to the consideration of some of the principles contained in the Bill.

"As regards the minor provisions, there is not much to be said, and whatever may have to be said will be said at the proper time. It is a great thing to be able to say that fees towards which covetuous eyes were cast from various quarters are after all to go to the landlords, and there will be no fear of the rights of the landlords being jeopardised by the acceptance of those fees.

"There is one provision of the Bill as regards compromises to which pointed attention was called by the hon'ble mover of this motion, that in pending suits compromises entered into between landlords and tenants are not to be given effect to unless they are ratified by the Court, and the Court will

have power to set aside those compromises if it thinks fit. There may be, and I regret to say there have been cases, in which undue pressure has been put upon the tenants and in which rents have been enhanced without any sufficient justification, but when tenants and landlords are at arm's length, before the Court fighting each other, and the tenants have the benefit of legal advice, I do not see why the powers ordinarily exercised by litigants of coming to a settlement of their disputes should be withheld from suits of this description. To my mind, Sir, it seems that no sufficient case has been made out for withdrawing from these suits the powers which ordinarily litigants exercise in coming to a settlement of their disputes.

"Another provision of the Act which to me seems objectionable is where the Settlement Officers, in the case of temporarily-settled estates, are given the power of not only revising the assessment, but also of fixing the rents which ought to be paid by the tenants to the landlords; the argument put forward in support of this provision is that landlords may probably follow the suicidal policy of entering into contracts with their tenants for a lease of their holdings at rents lower than these which they ought to obtain from their tenants. I do not know if such a course is likely to be followed. I once heard a story of a man who, with the object of gaining some influence and position, had submitted returns of income to the Income-tax Office which were far in excess of what he actually received, but he soon came to grief over his folly. I am quite sure that those who know how tenants are able to protect themselves in most areas will find that if the landlords enter into such collusive bargains with their tenants, they will soon come to grief, and there is a feeling which I cannot get rid of that probably this provision is intended to put on the screw for the purposes of enhancing an assessment, and for the purposes sometimes of setting aside contracts which have been honestly entered into between landlords and tenants as regards the rents of their holdings. But these and others are matters of detail with which I shall not trouble the Council at this time.

"There is, however, one very serious question,—and it is a question of principle—involved in this Bill, to which I wish to draw the prominent attention of this Council, and that is the power of adopting the certificate procedure which is proposed to be conferred upon selected landlords. As a landlord in a small way myself, I should probably welcome that power and that privilege, but at the same time I cannot put away from my mind the apprehension that this power may be a source of grave danger to those who seek to receive and exercise it. In the first place, this section which provides for this power being given is absolutely silent as to the conditions under which the power may be given, it is absolutely silent as to the conditions under which the power may be withdrawn; the only condition is that the area must be an area in which the record-of-rights has been completed. The other conditions which should be annexed should be that the landlord is an honest landlord, that he has dealt fairly by his tenants, and that there are no agrarian disputes in his zamindari, but these are things which are nowhere expressed; the Government will give the power and Government will withdraw the power without assigning any reason whatever.

"Sir, it is not unknown to Your Honour that in many matters connected with the administration of the State, zamindars have not been able, for various reasons, to associate themselves publicly; there has been always the fear of offending the authorities and incurring their displeasure and losing some benefit or the fear of gaining a decoration or a title being for ever lost. This attitude of the landed classes has been, if I may be permitted to say so, a source of grave weakness alike to the State and to the people, and I may also say of danger to both. It is meet and proper that the landholders should take their allotted place in all public movements. Under this Bill substantial benefits are to be conferred on landlords, and they may be apprehensive that these benefits will be withdrawn by Government in case they associate themselves with public movements which may have for their object the criticism of Government measures or of Government action. I see no adequate compensation in the provision that is now sought to be introduced

for the loss which the community and Government alike will suffer, for it cannot be denied that all public representations would gain in weight and would receive greater consideration if they had the support of the landed classes of the country.

"We do not know for what trivial offence a zamindar may be punished: he may fail to put in an appearance at a landing ghât to present a welcome: he may fail to check some boyish pranks in his zamindari, or a small riot connected with some trivial event, and his power goes or may go. Government, if it thinks fit to answer his petition and his prayer, the answer may be 'no,' and say we are not bound to give any reasons. Sir, I admit that there would be great gain if this power were conferred upon the zamindars, but I humbly press upon Your Honour and upon my colleagues in Council to lay down conditions which would be known, which could be followed and not make this power so absolutely in the gift of the Government both in conferring as well as in withdrawing it. I am quite aware that probably that is an aspect of the question which has not been thought of either by those who have asked for this power or by the Government which is willing to grant it. I do not oppose at the present moment the inclusion of this clause in the Bill, but the observations that I have ventured to address to the Council are in the hope that public attention will be called to this subject, and that it will be fully and completely discussed by all bodies whom it may concern or affect. I also hope that those who will have the responsibility of the passing of this measure will pay due attention to what I have ventured to urge in this Council."

The Hon'ble MR. BERTRAM said:—"Sir, I support this measure though I may say I am ignorant on the subject of land: I only own six feet of land in England, but it seems to me that as the Government of Bengal propose to make amendments in the Bengal Tenancy Law, which is not an every-day occurrence, it is right that the law should be brought up to date. I notice that the Punjab Government are legislating, or intend to legislate, to give tenants a remission of rent or the equivalent of that which is allowed by Government at the time of famine. I see no reference to this in the Bill that the raiyat in Bihar, for instance, is re-imbursed for that remission of rent which the landlord gets.

"Then, Sir, there is another point to which the hon'ble mover of this Bill referred to, namely, that it is the outcome of the work of a Committee consisting of landlords and Government servants. I did not hear him say that any representatives of the man, who carries the burden and has to pay the rent, were heard on the subject. I did not hear from the hon'ble mover any reference to the fact that the views of representatives of the raiyats of the country were taken.

"There is another point: this Bill does not make provision for the three F's: fair rent, free sales, and fixity of tenure. This proposal received recently the very serious attention of the gentleman who once officiated in the Chair which Your Honour occupies. Bengal suffers under the great disadvantage of being under the Permanent Settlement, and it is therefore very difficult in these matters, when the tenant of Bengal has to compete against all the tenants of the world, that he has to pay a really heavier rent than the crops, which he produces can fairly bear. One provision of this Bill, section 33, I really think should not eventually be passed; it would create a special tribunal for the benefit of the landlord, and that is not at all right, but I speak with all reserve in this matter, because at the proper time my constituents will instruct me exactly what position I am to take up in this matter; but it seems to me that to make special provision in order to benefit a specially good landlord is rather a bad system to introduce; to differentiate between landlords when the tribunals are open to all is, in my opinion, a serious blot in the Act. The object of course is to make all landlords good little boys.

"There is another section which does not go sufficiently far, namely, section 43. I think the framers of this Bill should not only have given the six months' notice of the expiration of the term, but provision should have been made in the Bill for compensation for unexhausted improvements.

"These are some of the points which I shall take up later on."

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL said:—"Sir, I cordially support the principles of this Bill, although I reserve my comments on the details of the Bill for a future occasion. I cannot but express my thankfulness to the Government for the careful attention which the Government has been pleased to give to the representations of the British Indian Association on this subject. It has been remarked by the Hon'ble Mr. Bertram that the Committee which was appointed by the Government to consider this question did not contain any representative of the raiyat. I do not know what my hon'ble friend means. He has been long enough in this country, and I believe he was also in this country when the Bengal Tenancy Act of 1885 was introduced. I well remember, although I was very young at the time, the great hue and cry that was raised when the Central Committee of landholders of Bengal and Bihar was called upon to nominate a representative of the zamindars by a section of my community led by the Indian Association of Calcutta, that a representative of the raiyat should also be nominated to sit side by side with the representative of the zamindar on the Imperial Legislative Council. Public meetings were held at the time, and a demand was made upon the Government, and what was the reply of the Government? It was the Government of no less a personage than Lord Ripon; and the reply was that the Government constituted the custodian of the rate-payers, and that there was no better representative of the raiyats than the Government itself. I am sure my friend did not mean to say that the able members of the Civil Service, who constitute the Government, do not protect the interests of the raiyats; I do not mean to say that all the suggestions of the zamindars have been accepted in their entirety, but I am glad to say that their representations have received careful attention.

"I do not at the present stage desire to enter into a criticism of the various provisions of the Bill. Although, as I have said, I cordially support the principles of the Bill, I reserve my comments on some of the details, but I am sure that the measure taken as a whole will be welcomed by the community generally."

"The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE said:—"Sir, I am a new Member to the Council, and I did not propose to speak on this occasion, but the observations that have fallen from the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu and the Hon'ble Mr. Bertram oblige me to say a few words in support of the principles of this Bill. It is no good saying that the principles of the Bill in the main are good when you say that you do not approve of the summary procedure for the recovery of rent laid down by this Bill. That is the main provision of this Bill, and those gentlemen who want to get rid of that and still support the Bill do not support it at all, but on the contrary oppose it.

"This Bill is the outcome of the deliberations of a very important and influential Committee consisting of some of the most intelligent landlords of the country, and such officials as are regarded in this country as special friends of the raiyats, and therefore to say that this Bill is meant only in the interests of the landlords is not correct. The Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu thinks there would be great danger if the power of the certificate procedure were conferred on some landlords, and that apprehension has been endorsed by the Hon'ble Mr. Bertram; but if we do give the power of the certificate procedure to the landlords, it would be very improper to give it to all. If that were so, I would certainly oppose it, because all landlords are not good landlords, and the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu will probably agree with me when I say that that being so, somebody must make a distinction between good landlords and bad landlords; and who is to do that except Government?

"Then, again, a slur has been cast upon the entire class of landlords that they are always seeking after titles and are subservient to the wishes of the officials. The Hon'ble Member ought to know that during the last one year or so, landlords have never subordinated their wishes to the wishes of officials at a time of stress and strife, probably unwisely. This, therefore, must be understood that the summary procedure which is sought to be laid down by this Act is the central idea of the Act; the landlords have accepted it, and there are so many

provisions in this Bill to which were it not for the certificate procedure, landlords would have the right to object, for example, one matter which has been referred to by the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu, namely that of compromises. They can only be entered into when approved by the Court. This is certainly opposed to legal ideas, but the officers of Government who probably are more inclined to favour the raiyats than the landlords thought that was necessary, and I for one am prepared to accept it.

"There are many provisions of this Bill which are only in favour of the raiyats, and the landlord would certainly object were it not for the certificate-procedure. Who does not know that the recovery of rent by landlords is a very difficult process? In the first place, they would have to bring suits and then take out executions; when the money is realized, they have to pay their lawyers; and though I belong to the latter class myself, I regret to say that very little goes to the landlord. Now, Sir, I very humbly say that I for one am prepared to support the Bill in its entirety. Certain of its details will be hereafter considered, but as regards the principles of the Bill, no objection can, at this period at least, be taken. When I say this in favour of the Bill, I ought also to put forward certain considerations which influence me in supporting it.

"I am convinced that this Bill is a beneficient measure proceeding out of the good-will which Your Honour bears to the people under your charge. I also know that it has been considered and approved by a very influential Committee, and I myself had the privilege of thoroughly going through its provisions having been consulted by some members of that Committee. But circumstances have arisen since the conception of the measure by Your Honour which have thrown unforeseen difficulties in the way of the scope of its beneficence. Your Honour meant to benefit the whole of Bengal under your charge. Now a very important portion of it is under a different Legislature. Many of the landlords of Western Bengal hold zamindaris in Eastern Bengal, and they would consider it a grievance if they are unable to take full advantage of this measure. It is, therefore, advisable to take such steps as may ensure its being made law in both Bengals. The simplest way to do that would perhaps be to get it passed by the Legislative Council of India. The Bengal Tenancy Act is an Act of the Supreme Council, and ordinarily all amendments of it should be made by that Council. I am aware that by the Indian Councils Act, power has been bestowed on this Council to amend an Act of the Supreme Council, and that the Bengal Tenancy Act has before this been amended by this Council. Still the matter is not quite free from doubt. However that may be, it would certainly be expedient under the present circumstances to get the Bill passed by the Supreme Council. There is probably another course, namely, to get the measure passed both by this Council and by the Council of Eastern Bengal and Assam. But how this Government or this Council can control the action of the other is difficult to see. I place these considerations before Your Honour for your decision. Your Honour had the people of both Bengals under your charge for a long time, and even now the people of Eastern Bengal are deserving of your care."

The Hon'ble MR. CHAUDHURI said:—"Your Honour—I am opposed to the introduction of this Bill in the Bengal Council. But if it is the pleasure of the Hon'ble Members present here that the Bill should be introduced in this Council, I would take exception to certain novel principles introduced in this Bill. I do not desire to offer now any detailed criticism of the Bill, although the Bill contains many clauses on which detailed criticism will be necessary before they become law. At present, I shall confine my observations only to those provisions of the Bill to which I object as a matter of principle.

"The Bengal Tenancy Act is a Government of India Act which, after considerable deliberation, was passed to determine the rights and obligations of landlord and tenants in the whole of Bengal. But Bengal is no longer one and the same Province. My hon'ble friend, Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu, has anticipated me in objecting to the Bill on account of the Partition. I pointed out in my last Budget speech the confusion that is bound to result from the amending of the land-laws of Bengal in two different ways from

Eastern and Western Bengal. I shall only mention to-day two instances which will convince every reasonable man of the inadvisability of such a course. I come from a part of the new Province which is on the other side of the river Padma. Rajshahi and Pabna to which I belong are only separated from the Murshidabad and Nadia districts of this Province by the river Padma, which is constantly shifting its course. Now, one uniform system of land-laws govern both sides of the river. When the laws are different, in every case of shifting of the boundaries a conflict and confusion in the laws is sure to arise. Take another instance. The Faridpur District of the new Province is only separated from the Nadia District of this Province by an arbitrary line. It is a fact that there are many houses, in the borderland of both, of which the outhouses and inner apartments now fall in two different Provinces. This is not only the case with homestead lands, but there are many agricultural holdings which are also similarly situated. It is obvious, therefore, that any substantial amendment of the Bengal Tenancy Act by this Council will result in serious conflict.

"For instance, it is proposed by this Bill that a decree by a co-sharer landlord should henceforth be regarded as a rent decree when the other co-sharers are made parties. The result of this would be that the tenure or holding would pass in execution of such a decree to the purchaser. The law at present in the new Province is that the decree by a co-sharer is a money-decree, *i.e.*, the tenure or holding does not pass in the execution of such decrees. When a portion of the holding or tenure is in one province and a portion is in another, what will be the result of such a decree after this Bill is passed? No judge on earth can say. Then it is admitted in the Bill that the majority of the estates in these Provinces are held by co-sharer landlords. It is well known that co-sharers do not always live in one province. If one sues any tenant in respect of any such tenures or holdings for arrears of rent and joins his co-sharers in the other province, are the latter bound to regard the decree as rent decree or recognize the title of the purchaser? Surely not. Unless such provisions of the Bill are simultaneously introduced and passed by the Legislature of the new Province, all such legislation will result in endless confusion. What a sad commentary is this on the Partition! What justification is there for setting up a new Legislature if it exists only to copy *in toto* what is done in this Council Chamber?

"But since there is no guarantee that the Legislature of the new Province will continue to copy our measures, I would suggest that Bills of this nature should be introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India to secure the uniformity of the laws. Regarding the merits of the Bill I cannot but take exception to some of the more important innovations sought to be introduced by this Bill.

"First, it seems to me that it is proposed to invest Revenue Officers with certain powers which properly fall within the province of Law Courts. For instance, in clause 24 of the Bill, power is given to Revenue Officers to reject 'agreements,' and 'compromises' in preparing a record-of-rights. If the 'agreements' are unconscionable, it is the function of Law Courts to set them aside. A Revenue Officer does not seem to me to be the proper person to reject them. I presume, that his rejection of an agreement will not amount to its cancellation. In such event, such arbitrary rejection will only precipitate litigation which is neither good for the landlord nor for the tenant. What is worse, however, is the power proposed to be conferred on Revenue Officers to reject 'compromises.' The expression 'compromise' may include consent decrees of a Court of Law. Thus to invest the Executive Officers—Revenue Officers are ordinarily Executive Officers or the immediate subordinates of such officers—with powers to ignore even the decrees of Law Courts is surely open to serious objections.

"In the second place, I must confess that I do not appreciate the direct intervention of the executive authorities for the reduction of rent, as is proposed under clause 25, in cases where zamindars are believed to be illegally enhancing rents above those recorded in the record-of-rights. There are no doubt landlords, who do such things. But a tenant can surely get

relief in such cases from a Munsif's Court. In case of agrarian disturbances resulting from such illegal enhancement, the State has an undoubted right to interfere and put an end to the cause of the disturbance. But in the absence of actual agrarian disturbances, I presume, the Local Government must proceed upon private report which may not always be reliable. In such cases, interference on the part of the Government is sure to create bad blood between the Government and the landlord on the one hand and the landlord and the tenant on the other. The much simpler remedy of the tenant seeking relief against such illegal enhancement from the Law Courts is free from such objections.

"The third matter regarding which I must also record my firm protest is the granting of the privilege of realizing rent by what is known as the certificate procedure to some selected or approved landlords. It will indeed be a very invidious task on the part of Government to mark out the landlords as good or bad. I am thoroughly at one with my hon'ble friend, Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu, that this would lead on to the utter demoralization of the zamindar class. Every one will attempt to be in the good books of Government. It is seldom that Government sees with its own eyes or hears through its own ears. It is often the local officers who influence the visions of Government. If a zamindar can please a District Magistrate and Collector—he may not be an ideal zamindar or even a good man, and yet he may please the District Officers in many ways—he may be recommended for the privilege of realizing rent from his tenants by the summary procedure. It is the zamindars of rank and position to whom the Government or Government Officials are accessible, and it is often the ambition of such zamindars to please the Government officials any how they can. So, after all, it is this class of people who may ultimately secure the privilege of summarily realizing rent up to the hilt even in times of distress. My sympathies are with the smaller landlords, who are in touch with their tenants and whose weal or woe depend on the crops and contentment of their tenantry. As good wine needs no bush, so a good landlord needs no extraordinary process to collect his ordinary dues."

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA NATH MUKERJEE said:—"Your Honour: my justification for saying a word or two with reference to this Bill is that I come from the mufassal, and naturally I have a very strong interest in the Bill as it has been placed before this Council. It would undoubtedly have been far better if an Act like this could be passed by the Government of India, but I should say the fact that it has been introduced into this Council is not an unmixed evil. I would rather court discussion from Hon'ble Members of this Council than have it discussed before the Supreme Council, because here we get men who come direct from the districts who are in touch with the people, and they at any rate are able to pronounce opinions on the working of this Bill. However, the question of a Bill like this being considered by the Supreme Government is a question of great importance, and no doubt Your Honour's Government will pay due attention to this part of the question when the time comes.

"There are a great many provisions in this Bill which are undoubtedly very good; they clear ideas, remove difficulties and make smooth the working of the Bengal Tenancy Act; and as I have noticed in the course of the working of the Bengal Tenancy Act, Courts and Settlement Officers are sometimes quite at sea as to what they should do in many cases. Yet there are certain principles which require a word or two from me, and one of those principles is that relating to the classification of good and bad landlords. The object of Government, so far as I can make out, is that landlords in respect of whose papers there cannot be any question, and can be considered as reliable, should be afforded certain opportunities of quick recovery of rent; but on the other hand it is open to serious objection as has been pointed out by my friend, the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu. The question therefore arises: cannot the same object be achieved by different means instead of distinguishing between good and bad landlords?"

"Now, I understand that throughout Bengal, Chapter X will be in operation, and as this Bill contemplates, some evidential value is to be placed on the record-of-rights which was not to be found in the existing Bengal Tenancy Act. If that was made the basis of our operations, and the certificate procedure was done away with, that would probably relieve some objections that have been raised in this Council. At the same time this Council will have to consider how far the record-of-rights will be considered as reliable, and I submit that, side by side with this question of the recovery of rent by an easy and quick process that has to come to the fore-front, we have to consider how these record-of-rights came into existence. We have the Kannapura Estate, where we have got ignorant men who have a special language, peculiar ideas, who cannot be considered as educated at all, and they supply the basis to the superior officers, sometimes a basis has to be formed by somebody swearing by the tail of a cow. If instead of these men we could have a class of men who were better educated and better able to consider the *pros* and *cons* of evidence, we should certainly have a better state of things so far as the record-of-rights is concerned; and if some evidential value was attached to the record-of-rights than is to be found in the existing condition of things, I think the solution of this question might be arrived at in a more satisfactory way. I am not desirous at present to hamper the deliberations of this Council by any hasty remarks. I have studied the Bill to some extent, and I have got to submit a great deal on certain points, and when the proper time comes I will lay them before Your Honour and this Council; but these are general observations which might well be considered.

"I now wish to say a few words with reference to what has fallen from the Hon'ble Babu Radha Charan Pal. He has accepted it as an undisputed fact that the zamindars as a body have accepted the principle of this division of the community of zamindars. We do not know what zamindars were consulted. Some big zamindars who were in touch with Government officials were consulted, but the general body have not been consulted. There are many zamindars who have not been consulted, and how they will take this proposal it is difficult for us to say, so that we must accept the remarks of my friend with these reservations. I do not propose to take up the time of the Council any longer, and with these remarks I beg to resume my seat."

The Hon'ble RAJA BAN BEHARI KAPUR said:—"Your Honour: the Bill which is being introduced in the Council by my colleague, the Hon'ble Mr. Carlyle, is the outcome of the mature deliberation of a Committee appointed by Your Honour to fully consider the advisability of amending the Bengal Tenancy Act of 1885. The Committee was fully representative, and the interests of both the landlords and tenants were carefully discussed and safeguarded.

"The Bill when it passes into law will, on account of the removal of some existing ambiguity and anomalies, be clear and operative on some points.

"The Bill supplies the long-felt omissions, removes defects, and provides improvement wherever it is needed by amendment of the existing clauses and the addition of new clauses on several heads.

"Though the Bill does not supply the want of facility for the collection of rents by the zamindars, and does not go far enough towards making process of recovery of rents less cumbersome for the landlords, yet it will help those estates that have been surveyed and furnished with record-of-rights, as with certain restrictions it contemplates to allow the owners of such estates to use the certificate procedure for the realization of the rents, etc., due to them.

"Certain clauses in the Bill may appear to bear rather hard on the landlords, but the circumstances constrain the Government to reserve some powers to deal with cases of extreme hardship on the tenants of certain areas. Before I conclude, Sir, I beg to say that the Bill before us, when it passes into law, will, in many respects, prove a boon both to the landlords and tenants, and

there is some possibility of its improving the relations between them. Therefore I have the honour to support the introduction of the Bill now before the Council."

The Hon'ble MR. ALLEN said:—"Your Honour: the Bill now before the Council is probably the most important piece of legislation on rent matters since 1885, and no doubt its provisions will receive the full consideration of this Council at a later stage. I do not propose to consider these matters further at present, more especially as it is hardly likely that the Bill, as drafted, will emerge from the consideration of the Select Committee in precisely its present form. I only wish to detain the Council, in order to assure them, as well as the Hon'ble Mr. Bertram, that some observations of his with regard to the conditions of rent legislation in Bengal are scarcely warranted. The Hon'ble Mr. Bertram has found fault with the Government for not importing into their tenancy legislation certain principles which he considers should find a place there. He wishes our tenancy legislation to be up to date. I should like to take this opportunity of informing the Hon'ble Mr. Bertram that the Bengal Tenancy Act of 1885 is, as a matter of fact, a model piece of rent legislation, and it represents the most up-to-date principles to which he has referred. He has spoken for instance of great principles involved in the three F's: fixity of tenure, fair rent and free sales. Members of this Council who have studied the Act will no doubt be aware that, as regards fair rent and fixity of tenure, these two great principles are embodied in this Act. As regards fixity of tenure, the settlement records show that not less than something like between 80 and 90 *per cent.*, or even more, of the tenants in this Province have occupancy rights, not including the raiyats who hold at fixed rates and enjoy an even stronger position. The occupancy right carries in the fullest sense fixity of tenure and fair rent. The occupancy raiyats's rent cannot be enhanced except by the decree of a Court, and then only on one or other of certain specified grounds; he cannot be ousted from his tenancy, except by a decree of a Court, and then only for certain prescribed reasons. The other principle to which the Hon'ble Mr. Bertram referred that of compensation for unexhausted improvements is, I am happy to say, provided for by section 82 of the Bengal Tenancy Act in its fullest form. I think, therefore, it is only right to say that the very principles for which the Hon'ble Mr. Bertram has contended find at present a place in the existing tenancy legislation of Bengal."

The Hon'ble MR. MACPHERSON said:—"I should like to make a few remarks with regard to an observation that fell from the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu The Hon'ble Member said that in his opinion there was no sufficient case for withdrawing the ordinary procedure as to settlement of disputes between landlords and tenants, that is, with regard to interference of the Courts in the matter of compromises. I believe that papers have already been circulated by the hon'ble mover showing the necessity for the clauses of the Bill in question; and I know that abundant reason is to be found in the records of the Courts and of the Settlement Officers. I look upon these provisions as an extension of the remedial measures for the protection of the weak against the strong, which have been developed in recent years as a principle of modern legislation affecting the land. Those remedial measures began so far as the agricultural tenant in Bengal is concerned, with the acceptance in the Rent Act of 1859, and in a fuller measure in the Bengal Tenancy Act of 1885, of the principle that there should be some interference with the freedom of contract between landlord and tenant. So the Civil Courts have power to interfere in the matter of enforcement of unconscionable contracts, for instance, with regard to levy of excessive interest, the principle being that the Courts should have power to protect when an oppresive contract has been made between persons, one of whom held a dominant position at the time of contract. I look upon these clauses of the Bill as a proper and necessary development of an accepted principle of the law of agricultural tenancy in Bengal."

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE in reply said :—"Your Honour: as questions of principles can again be raised when the motion is to appoint a Select Committee of Members, I will only touch very briefly on the points that have been raised to-day.

"As regards the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu's objection that the Bill involves legislation in this Province which will differ from that in Eastern Bengal, we are not, of course, in a position to commit the Government of another Province, but we have been in communication with the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam about this Bill, and I have no doubt, after the Bill has been passed in Council, they will consider what has been done by us, and I hope they may be in a position to accept it as it stands. Of course I cannot pledge the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam to any course.

"The question of having the Bill introduced in the Supreme Council was considered, and the Hon'ble Babu Jogendra Nath Mukerjee has given very good reasons for our preferring to introduce it here.

"The Hon'ble Mr. Macpherson has dealt very fully with the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu's objection that the Bill interferes with compromises between landlords and tenants, although in Courts they are at arms length, and although in other cases they are left to take their chance.

"I would draw the attention of the Council, to the fact that in many of the compromises which we object to, the tenants and landlords are not really at arms length at all. The whole suit in Court is a mere fiction, and an engine of oppression on the part of the zamindar who is powerful enough to compel the raiyat to come in and agree to any terms; the object of the zamindars being to give a legal colouring to an otherwise illegal enhancement.

"Another objection of the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu, in which he was supported by the Hon'ble Mr Bertram, the Hon'ble Mr. Chaudhuri and the Hon'ble Babu Jogendra Nath Mukherjee, refers to the question of Government selecting the zamindars who are to have summary powers. The suggestion has been made, I must say, for the first time; it never occurred to me before that such an objection could be made that Government will use this power to put pressure on zamindars to compel them to support Government. I think the Hon'ble Babu Jogendra Chandra Ghose was quite right in saying that such a charge was a slur on the zamindars, and I would also point out that it is absurd to suggest that Government could use this power as a bribe to zamindars. If indeed the powers were given to only one or two men, this is conceivable, but if the section is a success it is inconceivable that Government should select its zamindars on purely political grounds.

"With regard to the Hon'ble Mr. Bertram's objection that there was no representative of the raiyats present, when the Committee dealt with the Bill, I would point out that no one would have been better pleased than Government if it had been possible to appoint a representative of the raiyats to take part in our deliberation, but I know of no raiyat in Bengal competent to take part in such discussions. The Secretary of the Committee was Mr. Kerr, Director of Land Records, and I believe the general impression among zamindars is, that the Settlement Department is not unduly favourable to zamindars.

"The Hon'ble Mr. Allen has dealt with the Hon'ble Mr. Bertram's remarks about fair rent and fixity of tenure. As regards the question of free sales, there is no more hotly debated subject than whether the tenant should be given a right of free sale, and the objection to free sales being given does not come from the enemies of the tenants but from their friends. If we confer this right upon them, many fear we will put them in the hands of the *mahajans*.

"As regards the Hon'ble Mr. Chaudhuri's objection that too great powers are being given to Revenue Courts both as regards record-of-rights and settlement of rents, it is impossible to carry out settlements or prepare a record-of-rights on a large scale through the Civil Courts; the thing has been tried and proved a complete failure; rents cannot be settled on a large scale by people sitting in Court.

"I do not quite follow what the Hon'ble Babu Jogendra Nath Mukherjee proposes to substitute for the certificate procedure. He referred to the possibility of attaching more weight to the record-of-rights, but I do not quite understand how he proposes that this should replace the clauses now in the Bill. As regards his objection that the country in general has not been consulted, and that he cannot tell how zamindars will take this Bill, it is now being circulated, and opinions will be received from all parts of the country. A Bill must be prepared in some form or another before it can be circulated for opinion.

The Motion was put and agreed to, and Secretary accordingly read the title of the Bill.

THE BENGAL LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1906.

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH moved for leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH then introduced the Bill and moved that it be read in Council. He said:—

"The intention is, that this Bill should be published and circulated for opinions and criticisms before it is further proceeded with. The original Bill, introduced by Mr. Shirres in 1904, has been withdrawn and this one substituted as some further amendments of the Act have been proposed, and these further amendments are included in the present Bill. When Mr. Shirres introduced the Bill in 1904 he drew the attention of Hon'ble Members of Council to two important proposals, namely, the provisions to enable District Boards to pay for the cost of bridges built subsequent to the passing of the Act by levying tolls on them and the provisions enabling a District Board by the imposition of a cess to pay sums guaranteed by them by way of interest or repayment of a loan taken for the construction of a Railway or Tramway. Proposals to this effect are retained in the present Bill. The proposed amendments in other respects are so fully explained in the lengthy Statement of Objects and Reasons that I think I have nothing to add to that statement at present."

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA NATH MUKHERJEE said:—"With Your Honour's permission I would make one or two observations upon this Bill. A very important matter is that relating to district sanitation, and I beg to urge it for the consideration of the Council The question of district sanitation in Bengal has been brought to the front year after year for some time, and I think advantage should be taken of the opportunity which this Bill affords to introduce something into the Act which will put more life into the important question of district sanitation. We find some provision regarding Municipal water-supply and things like that, and I dare say the existing Act, if it was worked properly, could probably place no impediment in the way of either the Civil Surgeon of the District Board or District Officer in effecting sanitary improvements in the district; but it is one thing to have impediments removed theoretically and it is quite another thing to consider the question from a practical stand-point.

"What I mean to submit in this Council is this: that as matters stand at present there is practically no machinery in the district administration by which the question of district sanitation can be effectively considered. We know that the District Officer's hands are quite full with various matters; he cannot give his undivided attention to this subject; the Civil Surgeon is supposed to be the Health Officer of the district; he also has his jail to attend to; he has got his charitable dispensaries; he has to make tours in the interior to inspect private and public dispensaries, and over and above that his private practice and many other things besides; so that we cannot expect the Civil Surgeon also to pay undivided attention to this most important question of district sanitation.

"It might also be said that while we introduce Local Self-Government, why should not the District Board take this matter up and work out the solution of that problem. To that also I have to say something. We must take things as they come. We all know the District Board is composed of busy men, at least they can only devote a small portion of their time to the work of the District Boards, and we cannot expect the District Board also to take the initiative in matters of this kind.

"I would therefore suggest to Hon'ble Members of this Council and to your Honour's Government whether or not a permanent all-time Health Officer can be introduced in the District Boards whose sole duty would be to consider questions of district sanitation, and I dare say if that were his sole duty, he would place matters before the District Board and thereby some initiative would be taken on these lines. That is the question of principle. I would place before Council for more reasons than one, and because I am perfectly sure that the Government is very anxious to solve the question itself. I find that there is no provision in the law whereby a thing like that could be introduced by legislation. I should like very much if this question was considered, and I would invite criticisms upon it.

"As regards other provisions of the Bill, there are many which remove practical difficulties, and I have nothing to say as regards those; and when the time comes I may have something to say, but that is the chief point I have to urge for consideration at present."

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE said:—"Your Honour: as representing the District Boards of the Presidency Division, I feel it my duty to enter my strong protest against the introduction of this Bill. My main grounds are, that a new cess is going to be imposed upon the landlords and tenants for the construction of Railways. When the Road Cess was introduced, it was considered an infringement of the Permanent Settlement. That Act has led to the construction of roads, railways and waterways which are beneficial to the country, but the landlords and tenants of this country are unable to pay further cesses. We have got Railways in abundance and if it were put to the people of this country, I feel bold to say that not one man in this country, whether a raiyat or a landlord, would have a further cess for Railways. Then I find that this Bill authorizes expenditure on hostels. It is a very well-known fact that the education of the masses is sadly neglected in this country. Secondary education, education of the higher classes, is not the proper business of the District Boards, and the burden of providing hostels for schools and colleges or even for medical schools ought not to be cast upon the District Boards; on the contrary, I feel, Sir, that further sums should be placed in the hands of the District Boards for encouraging primary education among the masses. If it were the imposition of a new cess for primary education, I would cordially have supported it, for, as I have said, the education of the masses has been sadly neglected. Now, to impose a further liability upon the District Boards of making and supporting hostels is, in my humble opinion, not wise, as they would in that case be incurring expenditure which they did not incur before.

"One item of expenditure is, for residence for the District Engineer. The District Engineer has for the last 40 years been able to manage without a residence and the District Boards should not now be called upon to furnish him with a residence. The District Boards are in all conscience poor enough and now to make them build houses for District Engineers is, in my humble opinion, not right.

"I ought not to take up Your Honour's time further upon the various provisions of the Bill. I have indicated my main objections and I will only add one word and that is, after the Road Cess Act the Drainage Act was passed which devises a means by which new canals and drainage projects might be carried on. Instead of providing for the imposition of a new cess that procedure would, in my humble opinion, have been better."

The Hon'ble MR. CHAUDHURI said:—"I join my friend, the Hon'ble Babu Jogendra Chandra Ghose, in protesting against the provision of the Bill, which seeks to confer power on the Local Government to empower District Boards to levy cesses for guaranteeing local railways or tramways. In anticipation of this measure, I had put forward my objections in my last Budget speech, and have no desire to reiterate them. The District Boards can even now give guarantees to local railways. But since they have no power to levy cesses on this account, they take every care to satisfy themselves that the guarantee may not prove a source of ruin to them. I belong to the District Board of Pabna, and I know of one instance where a project of a Railway for one corner of the district, namely, from Serajganj to Ullapara, was pressed upon the District Board with the support of the District Magistrate, who is, I need hardly say, always the Chairman of the Board. Some members sternly opposed this speculative project, on the ground that, if the Railway did not pay its way, the Board will have to face bankruptcy. It is this apprehension that prevented

a Railway project [illegible]

of a project of the kind from the Government or the District Magistrate is often a mandate to the members of the District Board, where the elected members are practically in a standing minority.

"In future, if a project of the kind was proposed which would but benefit a small section of the community, and the Magistrate happened to support it, the official members will say ditto, and the result would very likely be that a fresh cess will have to be imposed to recoup the drain on the District Board Fund. The Railway may benefit the immediate neighbourhood through which it may pass. But is it fair that the people of the whole district should be taxed for maintaining such a Railway? What would the tax-payers of Calcutta think if the Corporation entered into a speculative transaction with the Tramways Company, and guaranteed interest on the capital expenditure, and then sought to recoup it by the increase of rates and taxes from the general rate-payers of this town? Railways and Tramways are no doubt great conveniences, but it is a fair principle of business that it is only those, who avail themselves of such conveniences, who ought to pay an adequate fare or freight to secure dividend on the capital outlay. On no principle, therefore, can we, the representatives of the ordinary tax-payers of the country, support the project of a Railway cess.

"The details of this Bill, like the one which immediately preceded it, offers much scope for criticism. I shall, however, satisfy myself by pointing out some of its more objectionable features. The proposal made for the abolition of the Sadar Local Boards will go to reduce the elective element in the District Boards, and therefore should not find place in a measure whose avowed object is to confer Local Self-Government on the people.

"This Bill also seeks to legalize payments out of the District Board Funds for a variety of purposes which in no way fall within the scope of local funds. The most astounding provision of this character is the one which says that the District Board Fund may even be saddled with such expenditure as may go to improve the breed of horses, mules and even asses! [Clause 59 (*10*)]."

The Hon'ble BABU BHUPENDRA NATH BASU said:—"Sir, I rise in support of what has fallen from my friend, the Hon'ble Babu Jogendra Chandra Ghose. The cry has been that we Indians are over-taxed. I am also aware that that cry has been endeavoured to be answered in very high quarters, but the fact of the people's poverty, especially the agricultural people, cannot be disputed or denied. I do not think the country will tolerate it unless it is forced upon them. The levy of additional cesses for the purpose of Railway communications to enable investors to earn dividends will be a cruel impost upon the agricultural population. I would ask Your Honour's Government to consider this proposal, to consider the burden already imposed upon the people and whether it would be advisable, in the interests of investors and capitalists, to place additional burdens upon the people. The

Railways no doubt would be a great advantage to the people in the interior and as that would mean a much larger revenue to the main lines in the country, means may be found by which the large profits earned by Railways should be made available to work their lines and not the cess-payers. They will no doubt contribute to the cost as passengers and as carriers of goods.

"Then as regards the question of saddling District Boards with the burden of maintaining hostels for schools and colleges, I also agree with my friend, the Hon'ble Babu Jogendra Chandra Ghose. I have attempted to show in this Council, on previous occasions, that the expenditure incurred by Government on the education of the people is shamefully inadequate. No civilized Government in the world, taking the East and the West, has spent so very little money on the education of the people. It is an imperial duty which is cast upon the Government to educate its people, and therefore, Sir, it behoves the Government to come to the aid of the people, at least in the higher branches of education. My friend has said that were the further cesses to be levied on Primary Education it might be justified, but whether it might be justified or not is a question which I am not at present prepared to discuss. If that were justifiable, certainly the cost of maintaining schools and colleges for the children of other classes should not be cast upon the poor agriculturists of the soil.

"Passing to another question which my friend, the Hon'ble Babu Jogendra Nath Mukherjee, has raised—the question of having a whole-time Health Officer for District Boards, I am quite sure the sympathies of Your Honour will be with my friend. Your Honour has been pleased to observe on more than one occasion that the sanitation of the district requires much more careful looking after than it receives at present, and as my friend has pointed out, those who are entrusted with this work of sanitation have scarcely any time to devote to it. There was a time in the history of Calcutta itself when the Health Officer of the Corporation of Calcutta was not a whole-time Officer. He was a servant of the Government discharging other duties and devoting a portion of his time to the duties of the Corporation. Having regard to the enormous rate of mortality which prevails in the mufassal, I hope the suggestion of my friend will receive careful consideration at the hands of Your Honour's Government."

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL said:—"Sir, I cannot give a silent vote on this occasion, and I regret to say that this motion of the hon'ble mover is opposed by my community with a unanimity almost unprecedented. This question of imposition of cesses was referred to public bodies some time ago, and I well remember it was received with feelings of great regret and, I may say, with dismay. It was discussed in our Committee rooms, and the community submitted their respectful protest through the representative Associations to Government. I regret, however, to find that their representations had no effect upon Government, and this measure which contains provisions for imposition of cesses to guarantee payment of interest on light railways is introduced.

"It is well known that the cry at the present moment is that we are overtaxed; it is also well known that our rulers both here and in England are anxious to see that the people lead a contented life. Sir, over-taxation is the seed of discontent. Perhaps Your Honour may remember, and some of the older Members also, that at one time over-taxation raised a certain amount of discontent in this country, that it attracted the notice of Government, and Lord Northbrook, when vetoing the Bengal Mufassal Municipal Bill of Sir George Campbell, said that he could not, in the presence of such discontent in this country, give his assent to a measure which contained so many provisions of taxation and which would add to the burdens of the people. The burdens of the people are already great; they are groaning under a heavy load of taxation; from one end of the country to the other, there is the cry of the poverty of the overtaxed people. I do not propose at this moment to discuss that question, but there cannot be any doubt that the people of this country are not quite contented with their lot so far as taxation is concerned. No doubt, we are deeply grateful to Government for the blessings of peace, security and protection of life and property which they have

given us; but at the same time, Sir, we are bound to say that we groan under a heavy load of taxation. I therefore beseech Your Honour, in the name of the community to which I belong, not to proceed with this Bill which contains a provision which is so obnoxious and alarming to the people at large, and which will also at this moment when the country is passing through a period which is, I am sure, not very satisfactory to all parties concerned be not conducive to the best interests of the people and of Government.

"It is my duty also to point out that the sanitation of the country is an object which ought to attract the foremost attention of Government. As Government maintains its Army and Navy for the preservation of its subjects, it ought to maintain and equip a proper number of doctors and hospitals for the preservation of the lives of the people and to concert measures for the prevention or mitigation of epidemic diseases which so largely prevail in the villages of Bengal. A well-ordered administration is expected to save the lives of the millions of the people who are entrusted to its charge. If you look round and see how many thousands and thousands of people under Your Honour's protection die every year of malaria, I am sure your sympathy will be roused for the helpless people.

"I hope Your Honour will kindly take into consideration the question which has been raised by my friend, the Hon'ble Babu Jogendra Nath Mukherjee, of making provision for the appointment of a permanent Health Officer in the districts for improving the undrained and water-logged condition of the districts which generates the malaria which is decimating hundreds of thousands of the people at this moment. The cry has often been raised not only in the Press and on the platform, but also in this Council to make some attempt to save the lives of the people. It is said Calcutta is overcrowded, and why? Let any one of us go a couple of miles out of Calcutta, and he will find whole families smitten down by malaria and that is one of the reasons why Calcutta is so much overcrowded. I think the funds of the District Boards for some time to come ought to be devoted mainly, if not wholly, for the improvement of the sanitation of the districts, and I trust when this Bill emerges from the Select Committee, it will meet with the approbation of the public."

The Hon'ble MR. BERTRAM said:—"Your Honour: the Hon'ble Babu Radha Charan Pal talks of 'my people.' I am also one of the people; so also is the Hon'ble Mr. Allen. He represents the Corporation of Calcutta, and I am astonished at the harangue of my hon'ble friend against the introduction of this Bill. The whole of his complaint seems to be that Railways are a curse to the country and should not be encouraged in any way. It seems to me that the object of this Bill with reference to the particular part at issue, which has met with such trenchant criticism from the representative of the Corporation of Calcutta, is that it is possible for a Local Board in the exuberance of their enthusiasm for sanitation in their district, and for improving the connections between zamindars of large estates and other purposes, to encourage a body of capitalists to come forward and advance the money. It is found inconvenient, perhaps, sometimes to cut down any of the improvements for taking away malaria and catching mosquitoes to find the interest; therefore these wretched capitalists, who advance their money are left stranded. Government apparently have recognized that it is necessary to open up the Mufassal by light railways and my reading of the subject has shown me that these District Boards make a fine financial arrangement by these light railways. They are very fine institutions indeed. Look at the Howrah-Amta Light Railway, where the District Board share in the profits and it is a good contribution to the reduction of taxation, under which India is always said to be suffering. My friends, the Hon'ble Babu Radha Charan Pal and the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu, should go to other countries where they will find that the taxes are higher. In this connection, representing as I do the interests of Commerce, I am very thankful to the hon'ble mover for having introduced a Bill like this and protecting in some way the possible, though I am sure the absolutely remote chance, of those who find the money for light Railways, being left stranded, because the Local Board might have committed itself to some other projects and therefore they have not

got the money to pay the capitalists their interest. The complant is generally made outside that the District Boards are suffering from sleepiness and they want waking up, and anything that will give them more work to do and encourage them in good deeds should receive the support of this Council and the outside public. My friend, the Hon'ble Babu Radha Charan Pal, who like Janus has two faces has, I am sorry to say, also two voices, because the voice proceeding from the one Janus here to-day has been a totally different one from that where the Hon'ble Mr. Allen presides, and I do not think his opposition to the introduction of this Bill is really sound."

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE said:—"I only want to deal with one point and that is the question of enabling District Boards to impose a new cess. I think the Hon'ble Members who oppose this have entirely overlooked the fact that District Boards who encourage light Railways would considerably add to their revenues. A good system of light Railways is much wanted in where the population is dense, and I believe most of the District Boards could make a large income out of light Railways."

The Hon'ble Mr. MCINTOSH in reply said:—"As the Bill will be circulated for opinion, it seems unnecessary to go into the objections which have been raised by certain Hon'ble Members of this Council to-day. These objections will be dealt with when the Bill comes again before the Council. The Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu has raised the general question of the burden of taxation in this country. This does not appear to me to be the time for discussing so difficult and intricate a question, and I therefore refrain from discussing it, but I trust that I may not be taken as agreeing with his views on this subject."

The Motion was put and agreed to, and Secretary accordingly read the title of the Bill.

The Council was then adjourned to Saturday, the 1st December, 1906.

CALCUTTA;
The 20th November, 1906.

L. C. ADAMI,
Offg. Secretary to the Bengal Council.

APPENDIX TO

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1906.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 17th November 1906.*

JAPAN—HONSHU (NIPON), NORTH-WEST COAST.

Caution—Floating mines.

No. 436 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1168 of 1906) that floating mines are still occasionally seen near the north-west coast of Honshu (Nipon), between the Oki islands and Tsugaru strait; vessels are therefore recommended not to navigate along this coast at night. The Japan sea, also, cannot yet be considered entirely free from danger from these mines.

A cautionary note to the above effect has been placed on the chart.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Nipon, Kiusiu, and Shikoku, No. 2347: Also Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, pages 636—682.

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND—PORT NICHOLSON.

Lambton harbour—Lights established on wharf.

No. 437 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1175 of 1906) that two *green fixed* lights, placed vertically 8 feet apart, the upper light being elevated 37 feet above high water, have been established near the outer end of Taranaki Street wharf.

These lights are visible from all points of approach for a distance of 3 miles in clear weather.

Approximate position, lat. 41° 17¼′ S., long. 174° 46¾′ E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Nicholson, No. 1423; Lambton harbour, &c., No. 803: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 273; and New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 172.

AUSTRALIA—New South Wales.

Newcastle harbour—Additional beacon light and leading mark established.

No. 438 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1180 of 1906) that, on and after 1st September 1906, a *green fixed* light, elevated 30 feet above high water, would be exhibited from a pile-beacon recently erected on the northern side of the entrance to Newcastle harbour, at a distance of 300 yards, S. 58° W., from the existing red pile-beacon with *green fixed* light.

Approximate position, lat. 32° 55½′ S., long. 151° 47½′ E.

Vessels entering the harbour should keep the above *green fixed* lights in line, bearing S. 58° W., which will lead in least depth of 22 feet at low-water springs, until the lights on the fairway leading towers (*fixed white* and *fixed red*) come into line, bearing S. 42° W.

(*Variation 10° Easterly in 1906.*)

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Jackson to port Stephens, No. 1021; Newcastle harbour, No. 2119: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 231; and Australian Directory, vol. II, 1898, page 81.

CHINA SEA—Singapore strait.

Raffles light.—Limits of obscured sector uncertain.

No. 439 (first publication).—With reference to notice to Mariners No. 367, dated 29th September 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1182 of 1906) that the limits of the sector within which Raffles light is obscured are at present uncertain.

Further notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 10′ N., long. 103° 14½′ E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Singapore strait, Nos. 2403, 2404: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 457; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 201.

CHINA SEA—Gulf of Siam—Chentabun River.

Lemsing.—Light established.

No. 440 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1183 of 1906) that, on the 1st September 1906, a *white occulting* light *every thirty seconds* thus:—light, *twenty-five seconds;* eclipse, *five seconds*, elevated about 280 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles, would be established on Lem sing, at the entrance to Chentabun river.

The exact position of this light is not stated.

Approximate position, lat. 12° 28′ N., long. 102° 2½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of Siam, No. 2414; cape Liant to Koh kut with plan of Chentabun river, No. 2721: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 113; and China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 381.

AFRICA SOUTH COAST—Cape Colony—Algoa bay.

Cape Recife light.—Description given.

No. 441 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 423, dated the 1st November 1906, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1197 of 1906) of the following description of the light on cape Recife, Algoa bay:—It is a *white fixed* and *flashing* light *every minute*, showing *red* between the bearings of S. 39° W. and S. 71° W., and *white* in other directions; the light-power of the fixed light being 9,000 candles, and of the flash 115,000 candles. The power of the light in the red sector is considerably reduced. Under certain atmospheric conditions the fixed light may become invisible, the flash only appearing.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 1¼′ S., long. 25° 42′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Indian ocean, No. 748a; Hondeklip bay to port Natal, No. 2095; cape St. Francis to Waterloo bay, No. 2085; Algoa bay, No. 648: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 15; and Africa Pilot part, III, 1905, page 125.

CHINA SEA—PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—LUZON CASTCOART—LAMON BAY APPROACH.

Makulabo island—Shoal to the South-Westward.

No. 442 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1199 of 1906) that a shoal of coral and rock of large extent exists south-westward of Makulabo island. A depth of 3 fathoms was found on it situated in a position from which the southern extremity of Makulabo island bears N. 65° E., distant 2¾ miles, and the northern extreme of the same island N. 32° E.

There appeared to be less water on this shoal; an examination of it is in progress.

Approximate position, lat. 14° 24½′ N., long. 122° 39′ E.

(*Variation Nil in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—The Philippine islands, No. 943; Philippine islands between St. Bernardino and Mindoro straits, No. 2577: Also, Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 374; and Supplement, 1906, page 30.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA WEST COAST—BENKULEN.

Pulo Tikus light—Intended alteration.

No 443 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1201 of 1906) that it is intended to alter pulo Tikus light from white fixed to a *white flashing* light *every five seconds*, the flashes being of very short duration; it will be visible in clear weather from a distance of 16 miles, and exhibited from a white open iron framework support, 98 feet high, erected near the position of the present light.

The light will be of the 5th order.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 50½′ S., long. 102° 11′ E.

Further Notice will be given when received.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Sumatra with plan of Benkulen, No, 2761: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 463; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 312.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, EAST COAST—MALACCA STRAIT.

Langsar bay—Light intended.

No. 444 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1202 of 1906) that it is intended to establish a *white flashing* light *every three seconds* on a white open iron framework support, 65 feet high, erected on Pasir Puti, Langsar bay, the duration of each flash being one second. The light will be of the 4th order.

Approximate position, lat. 4° 32½′ N., long. 97° 59′ E.

Further Notice will be given when received.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Acheh head to Tyingkok bay, No. 2760; Diamond point to Pulo Berhala, No. 1353; and Langsar bay, No. 3574: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1905, page 63; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 71.

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND, EAST COAST.

Little Barrier island—Rock.

No. 445 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1203 of 1906) of the existence of a rock, awash at low-water springs off the north-west coast of Little Barrier island, situated in a position from which White cliffs (600 feet) bear S. 75° E., distant about 2 cables, and the northern point of Little Barrier island N. 55° E., distant 2 miles.

This rock is about 60 feet long in a north-easterly and south-westerly direction and 25 feet broad.

Approximate position, lat. 36° 10¾′ S., long. 175° 3¼′ E.

(*Variation 14° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Tutukaka harbour to Mayor island, No. 2543; Bream head to Tepaki point, No. 3565: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 47; Supplement, 1906, page 4.

COMPASS—*Variation of, on certain charts.*

No. 446 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1205 of 1906) that observations obtained during recent years show that the secular change in the variation of the compass is in some cases greatly different from what was anticipated.

The results have been embodied in the variation chart for the Epoch 1907, and this chart should be consulted on all occasions before deciding on the variation to be allowed in shaping course, &c.

The compasses on the charts may be in some cases as much as 2° in error.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Caution—Wreck of a Pattimar off Vingorla.

No. 447 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 428, dated the 1st November 1906, issued by this Office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 119 of 1906) that the Master of S.S. *Loodiana* reports that he passed a wrecked Pattimar in lat. 15° 41′ N., long. 73° 26′ E., Vingorla Rock Light-house, bearing N. 5° E. (True), distant 12 miles. The vessel is lying on her side and is laden with logs of timber; she bears the following mark on her port quarter:—240 5′ C.

The dereliot is a great danger to navigation.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Karáchi to Vengorla, No. 826; Vengorla to Cape Comorin, No. 827; Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug No. 2736; Viziadrug to Cochin, No. 2737; and Achra River to Cape Ramas, No. 740: Also, West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 168.

The 17th November 1906.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Rajpuri Point—Red buoy replaced in position.

No. 432 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 239, dated 26th June 1906, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 116 of 1906) that the red buoy on the north side of the 'Whale Reef,' off Rajpuri Point at the entrance of the Janjira Harbour that had been removed for the south-west monsoon was replaced on the 10th October 1906.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH—Solomon islands—Florida island.

Sandfly passage—Pinnacle rock.

No. 433 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1142 of 1906 that a pinnacle rock, awash, exists nearly in the centre of North channel, Sandfly passage) in a position from which the northern of the two pinnacle rocks at present shown on the chart bears, approximately, S. 78° E. distant about three cables.

It is proposed to place a buoy on this rock.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 59′ S., long. 160° 5′ E.

(*Variation 8° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Plan of Sandfly passage on No. 1873: Guadalcanar and Florida islands, No. 1469: Also Pacific Islands, vol. I, 1900, page 392.

CHINA SEA—Philippine Islands—Mindoro Islands.

Port Galera—Colour of light altered.

No. 434 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1155 of 1906) that the colour of port Galera light (*fixed*) has been altered from white to *red* and the power of the light has been increased, so that it is now visible in clear weather from a distance of 7 miles.

In other respects the light is unaltered.

Approximate position, lat. 13° 30¼′ N., long. 120° 57′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Port Galera, etc., on No. 949: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 660; and Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 229; and Supplement, 1906, page 16.

BAY OF BENGAL—Chittagong Coast.

Karnafuli river—Depth of water in the Channels.

No. 435 (second publication).—The Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the channels by soundings taken on the 8th November 1906.

	Ft.	In.
Track No. 1—Outer bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	6
Marks open to the north	13	6
Track No. 2—Inner bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	0
Batten beacon on pillar	12	0
Track No. 3—		
Triangle on cross and ball	17	6
Track No 4—Guptakhally crossing—		
Tripod on diamond	18	0

The 12th November 1906.

BAY OF BENGAL—Orissa coast.

False Point anchorage—Outer Ridge buoy adrift

No. 421 (third publication).—A telegraphic communication has been received from the Port Officer, Cuttack and Balasore ports, stating that the Outer Ridge buoy, False Point anchorage, has broken adrift and will be replaced as soon as possible.

The 31st October 1906.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Caution—Position of a derelict.

No. 422 (third publication).—A telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Burma, stating that the Master of the *Taroba* has reported having passed on the 28th. October a derelict, with seas washing over her in lat. 15° 47½′ N., long. 93° 57¾′ E., bearing N. 65° W. (true), distant 13½ miles from Alguada light-house. Mariners are hereby warned.

The 1st November 1906.

AFRICA, SOUTH COAST—Cape Colony.

Algoa bay—Cape Recife light.

No. 423 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1116 of 1906) that Notice to Mariners No. 926 of 1906, relating to cape Recife light, Algoa bay, is hereby cancelled.

Further Notice will given.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 1¾′ S., long. 25° 42′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Cape St. Francis to Waterloo bay, No. 2085; Algoa bay, No. 642: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 15; and Africa Pilot, part III, 1905, page 125.

Note.—This cancels Notice to Mariners No. 358, dated 21st September 1906, issued by this office.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Mirs bay.

Grass island—Shoal spit to the eastward.

No. 424 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1120 of 1906) that the 3-fathoms contour line off the east coast of Grass island, Mirs bay, to the south-westward of Kong chau (North Gau), extends in the form of a spit about 80 yards further to the north-eastward than is at present shown on the chart.

A rock, with a depth of 5 feet over it at low water, exists on the north-eastern extremity of this spit at a distance of 1¼ cables from the coast of Grass island, from it the summit of Kong chau bears N. 39° E., distant 3¼ cables, and Wintz hill N. 75° W. Within the 3-fathoms line the spit quickly shoals to a depth of only 9 feet over boulders.

The passage between Grass island and Kong chau should, therefore, no longer be used.

Approximate position, lat. 22° 29′ N., long. 114° 22′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Mirs bay, Nos. 1964, 3474; Long harbour and approaches, No. 3386: Also, China Sea Directory, vol., III, 1904, page 130.

CHINA, EAST COAST—Hongkong approach.

Fo tau mun pass—Rocks.

No. 425 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1121 of 1906) that a patch of rocks, with a least depth of 2 fathoms over them at low water, exists on the northern side of the Fo tau mun pass, in a position from which the rock (30 feet high) off Fo tau point bears N. 80° E., distant 1$\frac{5}{10}$ cables, and the eastern point of Lamtong island S. 11° E.

There is a depth of 3 fathoms close southward of these rocks.

Approximate position, Fo tau point, lat. 22° 15¾′ N., long. 114° 18′ E.

(*Variation 1° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Hongkong, with plan of Fo tau mun pass, No. 1466: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 66.

PERSIAN GULF—Kuweit approach.

Ras al Arz—Shoal to the southward—Buoy established.

No. 426 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1134 of 1906 that a shoal with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, and 7 fathoms around, composed of mud and coral, on which the S.S. *Kola* grounded, exists on the western side of the approach to Kuweit harbour, in a position from which Hill fort bears S. 82° W., distant 3½ miles, and the beacon on Ras al Arz N. 3° W.

A cask, painted red and surmounted by a red flag, has been moored on the shoal; but its existence must not be depended on.

Approximate position, lat. 29° 17½′ N., long. 48° 7½′ E.

(*Variation Nil in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Persian gulf, No. 2837b; Kuweit harbour, No. 22: Also Persian gulf Pilot, 1898, page 155; and Supplement, 1905, page 19.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Sumatra, south coast—Lampong bay.

Telok Betung light—Character altered.

No. 427 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 374, dated the 6th October 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1139 of 1906) that the character of Telok Betung light has been altered from red fixed to *white flashing every three seconds*, thus:—light, *one second*; eclipse, *two seconds*. The light, which is now visible 12 miles, is of the 6th order.

In other respects the light is unaltered.

Approximate position, lat. 5° 26¾′ S., long. 105° 16¼′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Tyingkok bay to Sunda strait, o. 2761; Sunda strait and approaches, No. 2056; Telok Betung, No. 940: Also List of ights, Part VI, 1906, No. 467; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 364.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Caution—Position of a capsized country craft off Mount Dilli.

No. 428 (third publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 114 of 1906) that the Master of S. S. *Florican* reports that at 3-30 P.M. he passed in latitude 11° 55′ N. and longitude 75° 0′E., Mount Dilli bearing N. 66°E., distant 16 miles, a two-masted country craft capsized with sails set and painted top side green and bottom white, number on side board 2405C.

Caution.—This derelict is a great danger to navigators.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Mulki to Mount Dilli, No. 746; Vizidrug to Cochin, No. 2737; Vengurla to Cape Comorin, No. 827: Also West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, fourth edition, 1898, page 142.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Buoys between Alibag and Vengurla replaced.

No. 429 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 210, dated the 25th June 1906, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 112 of 1906) that the undermentioned buoys were replaced in position on the dates marked against each :—

Alibág Buoy	24th September 1906.
Ambulgad Reef Buoy, Jaitapur	24th
Málvan Harbour Buoys	19th
Chaldea Rock Buoy	24th
Málvan Outer Rock Buoy	21st
Johnstone Castle Rock Buoy	22nd
Vengurla Harbour Buoys	26th
Bhatkal Buoy ...	20th
Murdeshwar Buoy ...	21st

BAY OF BENGAL—Singapur strait.

Cyrene shoal—Wigham buoy to be painted white.

No. 430 (third publication).—The Acting Master Attendant, Straits Settlements, has given notice, dated 17th October 1906, that on and after the 1st December 1906 the superstructure of the Wigham buoy, moored off the Cyrene shoal, Singapur, will be painted white.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Caution—Position of a derelict reported.

No. 431 (third publication).—A telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Burma, stating that the Master of the S. S. *Rampura* reports having passed a derelict on lat. 16° 16′ N., long. 96° 33′ E. Mariners are hereby warned.

The 5th November 1906.

St. L. S. Warden, Comdr., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

REGISTERED No. C203.

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LIBERALITY OF BABUS RAJ NARAYAN DAS, RADHA CHARAN DAS AND RADHA GOBINDA DAS, ZAMINDARS OF BALASORE.

No. 300Medl, dated Calcutta, the 20th November 1906.

From—H. J. MCINTOSH, Esq., Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Municipal Department,

To—The Commissioner of the Orissa Division.

I AM directed to refer to Mr. Duke's letter No. 200L.F., dated 1st November 1905, in which he reported that Babus Raj Narayan Das, Radha Charan Das and Radha Gobinda Das, Zamindars of Balasore, had offered to endow the 10 annas 8 pies share of their zamindari right in the estate named Purusotompur, in the district of Puri, for the purpose of feeding the lepers in the Puri Lepor Asylum, and asked that the property might be vested in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments under the Charitable Endowments Act.

2. I am now to say that the property has been vested in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments as desired by the donors, and to request that you will be so good as to convey to them an expression of the Lieutenant-Governor's thanks for their liberality and public spirit.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 13th November 1906.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8	8	Sowing of *rabi* crops continuing. Pro pects of v rice and sugarcane fair. No cattle-di ease. F and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	7½	7½	Standing crops doing well. No cattle-disease. F and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	9½†	9†	Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops Sugarcane doing well. Old common rice sellin 8¾ seers a rupee at Sadar. No cattle-dis Fodder and water sufficient.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	Nil	9	9	Sowings of tobacco and linseed progressing. Pros of *bhadi* rice fair. Outturn of jute esti at 75 per cent. Cattle-disease reported from t Dantan. Fodder and water sufficient.
5	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *aman* paddy sugarcane fair. Cultivation of *rabi* crops comme in Arambagh. No cattle-disease. Fodder and w sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7	7	The harvesting of winter paddy commenced. ou turn of the crop expected to be normal. Stan crops doing well. Common rice selling at 7¼ seer Uluberia. No cattle-disease. Fodder and w sufficient.
7	24-PARGANAS	Nil	8	7¾	Weather seasonable. Lands being prepared for crops, sowings of which have commenced in pla Harvesting of early *aman* begun. State of stand crops good. Prospects of sugarcane and *a* good. Total number of persons on relief dur the week in different thanas—Sonarpur 1 Tollygunge 158, Vishnupur 1,354, Behala 1 Canning 532, Mahestala 342, Baruipur 1,(Jaynagar 1,668, Mograhat 1,859, Diamond Harbo 32[illegible], Mathurapur 77, Kalpi 223, Joynagar 2,4 Dum-Dum 67, Khardaha 90, Barrackpore 50. Con tion of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
8	NADIA ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of standing crops good. Sowing of *r* crops nearly finished. Harvesting of *aman* co menced. No cattle-disease. Fodder and wa sufficient.
9	MURSHIDABAD	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing we *Rabi* sowing continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodd and water sufficient.
10	JESSORE ...	Nil	7⅜	6⅝	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops going o Harvesting of *aman* commenced in some place Condition of the crop fair. No damage by insect High prices and slight distress. No cattle diseas Fodder and water sufficient.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
11	KHULNA ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. State of winter rice fair. Outturn of jute estimated at 80 per cent. Sowing of summer rice commenced. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	Nil	7½ 11½	7-6/8 11-7/8	Weather hot in the day and cold at night. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of early rice commenced. *kabi*-sowings in progress and germination good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
13	GAYA ...	Nil	9 3/16 12 13/16*	8 3/16 12 5/16*	Weather cool and clear. Sugarcane and winter rice doing well. Pressing of sugarcane and harvesting of early sown paddy commenced in places. Sowing of *rabi* crops completed in Nawadah and Aurangabad. Some damage to *rabi* seedlings by insects in some parts of Pakri Barawan and Nawadah thanas. Prices almost stationary. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
14	SHAHABAD ...	Nil	10† 12*	10† 12*	Rain badly wanted for *rabi* crops. Harvesting of paddy commenced in places. Pressing of Sugarcane in progress. Old common rice selling at 8 seers per rupee at Sadar. Maize selling at 14½ seers at Sasaram. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	Nil	8½ 12*	8½ 12¾*	Weather seasonable. Pressing of sugarcane going on. Poppy sowings commenced. Rain wanted for *rabi* crops. 2 men, 15 women, 160 children on average daily received cooked food from the District Board funds in the Siwan subdivision; 106 men, 227 women, 316 children on average daily gratuitously relieved by the Hathawa Raj; 75 men, 141 women and 66 children on the District Board test-relief works in the Siwan subdivision; and 175 men, 68 women, 132 children on average daily on the Hathawa Raj relief-works. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	8½ 11*	8½ 11*	Weather bright and unseasonably hot in the day, but cold at night. Winter rice suffering much for want of rain throughout the district. Rain also wanted for *rabi* sowings which are in progress. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	7 11⅓*	7 11	Sky clear. Weather still slightly hot in the day. Early paddy ready for harvesting and being cut in some places. *kabi* sowings going on. Common rice and maize selling at 7½ and 11½ seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi, and 7¾ and 11⅛ seers a rupee respectively, at Hajipur. Daily average for gratuitous relief 4,427. Figures from four kitchens not received. Number of persons on test-work on the 17th instant: Katra 7, Belsand 175, Sursand 646, and Ramnayedpur 54. Cholera decreasing fast in Sitamarhi but still prevalent in the Sadar subdivision. No cattle disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.
† New rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
18	DARBHANGA ...	Nil	6 12*	6 11½*	Weather seasonable. Prospects of rice crop bad. Rain required for *rabi* sowings which are in progress. Number of persons relieved at kitchens on the last day of the week—Sadar thana 2,420, Bahera thana 5,935, Roserha thana 9,085, Madhubani subdivision 1,761, Samastipur subdivision 250. Number of persons on test-works for the last day available—Manihas 276, Ojhoul 276, Basaitha 730, Ratwara 217, Chakmehsi 159, Hathourighat 167, Sakarlohra 484, Gandah 308, Saleypur 589, Dasauth 759, Balha 3,007, Tolaparsa 1,389, Larjaghat 426, Ithor 3,534, Pindaruch 689, Warisnagar 454, Sahar 76, Manji Road 140, Dudhia 542. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	...	6¾* 12	Report not received.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	Nil	8⅛ 11½*	8½ 11⅞*	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on throughout the whole district. Winter paddy being harvested. Condition of *aghani* crop good in Banka and Madhipura subdivisions. Prospects of *kurthi* good. Cholera reported from thanas of Supaul and Pertabganj. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Pertabganj and Madhipura. Fodder and water sufficient.
21	PURNEA ...	Nil	6½	6	Weather seasonable. *Aghani* paddy being harvested in places. Paddy on high lands suffering from drought. Prospects not favourable. *Rabi* sowing going on, but rain wanted badly. Agricultural loans being given. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
22	DARJEELING ...	0·04	6 11*	6 11*	Weather cold. Hills—Wheat, barley and mustard in fair state. *Bhadoi dhan*, winter rice and *marua* being harvested. Terai—Winter rice not doing well. Mustard and tobacco being sown.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	Nil	12 3/11 16½*	8 18*	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of high land paddy commenced. Cattle-disease reported from Dumka and Deoghur. Fodder and water sufficient.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	10½	10½	*Laghu saradh* ripening and *guru saradh* in ear. Sugarcane growing well. *Arhar* in flower. No cattledisease. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	Nil	10	8½	Weather seasonable. *Saradh* ripening. Sugarcane and vegetables thriving. Sowing of *rabi* crops still continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
26	ANGUL ...	Nil	11½	11½	Weather fair and seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice in progress. *Rabi* and other crops growing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.
† New rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
27	Puri ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Sugarcane coming up well. Cotton flowering in some places and bearing pods at others. *Saradh* in ear. *Laghu* ripening in some places and being reaped at others. *Rabi* crops getting on well. Miscellaneous crops doing well. Price of common rice stationary. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
28	Sambalpur ...	Nil	11	11	Weather cloudy. Reaping of *mál dhan* finished and threshing in progress. Reaping of winter rice and harvesting of cotton and *maghi til* in progress. Condition of standing crops good. Outturn of autumn rice fair and estimated from 8 to 10 annas. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
29	Hazaribagh ...	...	10	10	Harvesting of paddy going on. Cattle-disease reported from four thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
30	Ranchi ...	Nil	11½	11	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy in full swing. *Rabi* crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from two thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	Palamau ...	Nil	11¼	10 11/16	Weather seasonable. *Rabi* sowings finished. Winter rice being harvested. Cattle-disease reported from some of the thanas. Fodder and water abundant.
32	Manbhum ...	Nil	9½	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. Outturn of winter-rice estimated at 83 per cent. Cattle-disease not reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
33	Singhbhum ...	Nil	9	9	Harvesting of winter paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops nearly finished. Rice selling at 12 seers per rupee at Kharsawan and Seraikella. Fodder and water sufficient.
34	Cooch Behar	Nil	6 2/13	6⅔	Weather seasonable. Preparation of lands for tobacco, wheat and mustard in progress. Reaping of *aman* paddy commenced. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Mathabhanga and Dinhata. Fodder and water sufficient.

General Summary.—During the week under report there was no rain in the Province except a very slight shower of 0·04 inches in Darjeeling. Rain is wanted for *rabi* crops in Shahabad, Saran, Champaran, Darbhanga and Purnea. Harvesting of sugarcane has commenced in parts of Bihar. Prospects of *aman* paddy are still reported to be unfavourable in Darbhanga, Champaran, Darjeeling and in parts of Purnea. Some damage has been done to *rabi* seedlings in Gaya. The number of persons receiving gratuitous relief is—24-Parganas 10,493, Saran 994, Muzaffarpur 4,427 and Darbhanga 19,454—total 35,368. The number of persons attending test-works is—Saran 657, Muzaffarpur 882 and Darbhanga 14,213—total 15,752. Cattle-disease exists in seven districts. Fodder and water are generally sufficient. Cholera continues in parts of Muzaffarpur and Bhagalpur. The price of common rice has risen in three and fallen in ten districts.

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Dept. of Agriculture, Bengal,

The 20th November 1906.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*)		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL	S. Ch.	Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	Burdwan				...	..	...	8 0	7 12	13 0	...	...	...
	Birbhum	8 8	9 0	12 0	...	.		6 12	7 8	13 8	...		..
	Bankura	11 0	1 0	13 0	...	...	..	Old 8 12 New 9 0	8 0	Old 14 0 New 15 8	...	...	...
	Midnapore	10 0	0 0	10 0	.	..	...	8 8	7 8	13 0	...	...	...
	Hooghly	8 8	8 8	8 8	...	.	.	6 9	6 9	10 0	...	...	...
	Howrah			12 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	11 8	...		...
	24-Parganas	10 0	10 0	10 1			...	8 0	8 0	11 4	...	.	...
	Calcutta	10 0	10 0	10 0	12 14	12 14	12 4	8 14	8 14	7 0	...	...	...
	Nadia	11 0	10 12	13 0	13 5	14 8	...	8 0	8 0	12 3	...	..	...
10	Murshidabad	10 8	10 8	15 0	16 0	15 8	24 0	7 8	7 0	13 0	...	..	...
	Jessore	8 0	8 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	11 4	7 12	7 4	11 0	...	..	...
12	Khulna				...	...	...	8 8	7 8	11 0	...	...	...
	BIHAR.												
13	Patna	12 6	12 4	13 8	14 4	13 4	18 0	7 8	8 8	15 0	11 14	...	...
14	Gaya	11 12	11 12	13 5	14 5	12 5	18 7	8 11	8 3	13 5	11 4	12 5	17 7
15	Shahabad	11 0	11 0	14 0	13 0	13 0	18 0	New 10 0 Old 8 0	New 10 0 Old 8 0	14 0	...	...	...
16	Saran	11 4	11 4	12 0	14 0	13 0	16 0	8 8	8 8	Old 10 0 New 14 0	...	...	...
17	Champaran ...	10 0	10 0	15 0	13 8	14 0	20 0	8 8	9 8	15 8	...	...	...
18	Muzaffarpur	10 0	10 8	11 0	11 0	12 0	18 0	7 0	8 0	11 0	...	...	...
19	Darbhanga	10 6	11 0	14 4	13 8	12 1	17 9	7 11	7 11	15 6	...	...	...

PRESIDENCY DIVISION

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 16 seers 8 chitaks; Raniganj 16 seers; Kalna

B. At Rampur Hat the retail price of salt is 15 seers 8 chitaks per rupee.

C. At Nabhnupur the retail price of salt is 18 seers per rupee.

D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contai 16 seers; Tamluk 16 seers; Ghatal 17 seers 8 chitaks.

E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 18 seers (Liverpool,); Arambagh 16 seers.

F. At Uluberiah the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee.

G. In the mart in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetla 16 seers; Barasat 14 seers; Baduria 16 seers (crushed); Mograhat 16 seers; Barrackpore 13 seers (karkatch).

H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 15 seers (panga); Chuadanga 18 seers (karkatch); Meherpur 16 seers (karkatch); Ranaghat 12 seers (crushed).

ts of Bengal on the 15th November 1906.

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

RAJRA OR CUMBU (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			MARUA OR RAGI (*Eleusine Coracana*).		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
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...	...	...	...	...	...
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11 6	...	9 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
13 4	...	...	14 0	14 4	...
...	...	...	15 6	15 6	20 8
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	12 0	16 0
...	...	...	12 0	12 0	25 0
...	...	...	11 0	12 0	19 0
...	...	...	12 1	11 0	24 3

WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS.						DISTRICTS	Number.	
SALT.			SALT.					
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	BENGAL.		
A 17 0	17 0	16 8	2 5 0	Karkatch 2 5 0	2 2 6	Burdwan.	1	BURDWAN DIVISION.
B 15 0	15 0	16 0	2 8 0	Karkatch. 2 8 0	2 7 0	Birbhum	2	
C 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	Panga. 2 8 0	2 4 0	Bankura	3	
D 14 0	Crushed. 14 0	16 0	2 4 0	Crushed. 2 4 0	2 3 0	Midnapore.	4	
13 12	Panga. 13 12	14 0	2 5 0	Panga. 2 5 0	2 6 0			
E 17 0	17 0	16 0	2 3 0	Panga. 2 3 0	2 6 0	Hooghly	5	
F 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	Howrah	6	
G 18 8	16 0	17 0	2 1 6	Panga. 2 2 0	2 4 0	24-Parganas.	7	PRESIDENCY DIVISION
16 0	16 0	18 0	2 2 0	Panga. 2 2 0	2 8 0	Calcutta	8	
H 16 0	13 0	14 4	2 4 0	Karkatch. 2 4 0	2 6 0	Nadia	9	
I 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	Karkatch. 2 8 0	2 8 0	Murshidabad.	10	
J 16 0	16 0	12 0	2 8 0	Panga 2 8 0	3 0 0	Jessore.	11	
K 13 5	13 5	13 0	2 12 0	Panga. 2 12 0	3 1 0	Khulna.	12	
						BIHAR.		
L 15 0	15 0	16 0	2 10 6	Panga. 2 4 0	2 8 0	Patna	13	PATNA DIVISION.
M 15 14	15 14	16 6	2 9 0	Panga. 2 9 0	2 8 0	Gaya.	14	
N 16 0	15 0	16 0	2 8 0	2 10 8	2 8 0	Shahabad.	15	
O 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	Panga. 2 8 0	2 6 0	Saran.	16	
P 15 0	15 0	15 0	2 10 9	2 10 9	2 13 0	Champaran.	17	
Q 14 8	14 8	14 0	2 10 6	Panga. 2 10 6	2 12 0	Muzaffarpur	18	
R 14 4	14 4	14 4	2 13 0	2 13 0	2 9 0	Darbhanga.	19	

...es of salt per rupee are—Jangipur 15 seers; Lalbagh 14 seers; Kandi 15 seers.
...prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 13 seers 12 chitaks (karkatch); Magura ...n 16 seers (panga) and Narail 14 seers 3 chitaks (panga).
...ces of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 12 seers (karkatch); Satkhira 16 seers.
...es of salt per rupee are—Barh 16 seers (panga); Dinapore 12 seers; Bihar 14 seers.
...rices of salt per rupee are—Jahanabad 16, Nawada 16 and Aurangabad 16 seers.
...es of salt per rupee are—Buxar 16 seers; Bhabua 14 seers and Sasaram 16 seers.
...es of salt per rupee are—Siwan 15 seers; Gopalganj 15 seers 5 chitaks (panga).
...is 14 seers 8 chitaks per rupee.
...alt per rupee are—Sitamarhi return not received; Hajipur 15 seers.

R. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 14 seers; Madhubani 14 seers 15 chitaks.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Number	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT. Present return.	WHEAT. Next preceding return.	WHEAT. Corresponding return of last year.	BARLEY. Present return.	BARLEY. Next preceding return.	BARLEY. Corresponding return of last year.	RICE, COMMON. Present return.	RICE, COMMON. Next preceding return	RICE, COMMON. Corresponding return of last year.	JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*). Present return.	JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*). Next preceding return.	JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*). Corresponding return of last year.
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	BIHAR—*concluded.*												
Bhagalpur Division. 20	Monghyr ...	10 8	10 15	14 2	Not sold.	12 9	...	7 0	6 12	12 4	...	...	...
Bhagalpur Division. 21	Bhagalpur ...	10 10	10 12	13 14	11 4	12 11	20 4	8 2	8 4	13 14	...	...	...
Bhagalpur Division. 22	Purnea ...	9 4	9 8	13 0	...	...	...	6 0 & 7 0	6 0 & 7 0	10 0	...	...	...
Bhagalpur Division. 23	Darjeeling ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	9 8	...	...	...
Bhagalpur Division. 24	Santhal Parganas.	10 0	9 0	11 0	13 0	12 0	19 0	New 11 0 Old 8 0	7 9	17 0	...	...	...
	ORISSA.												
Orissa Division. 25	Cuttack ...	11 13	11 13	11 13	...	...	...	9 13	9 13	13 12	...	...	...
Orissa Division. 26	Balasore ...	11 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	13 0	...	...	...
Orissa Division. 27	Angul ...	6 0	6 0	9 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 0	13 0			...
Orissa Division. 28	Puri ...	10 8	11 2	11 2	...	...	...	9 13	8 8	13 2	...	...	...
Orissa Division. 29	Sambalpur ...	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	16 8	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPUR.												
Chota Nagpur Division. 30	Hazaribagh ...	10 0	10 0	10 8	11 0	11 0	17 8	9 8	9 8	12 8	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur Division. 31	Ranchi ...	9 12 to 10 8	9 0 to 10 8	8 0 to 10 0	14 0	15 0	18 0	11 0	9 4	14 0	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur Division. 32	Palamau ...	11 4	11 13	15 12	13 8	16 14	20 1	11 4	10 2	13 8	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur Division. 33	Manbhum ...	12 0	10 8	12 0	10 0	12 0	14 0	10 0	10 8	12 8	...	...	...
Chota Nagpur Division. 34	Singhbhum ...	9 0	9 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	13 0	...	...	...

S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Jamui 16 seers; Begusarai 15 seers.
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 13¾ seers; Madhipura 13 seers and Supaul 13 seers.
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 14 seers; Basantpur 14 seers.
V. Darjeeling return not received.
W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Godda 14 seers; Jamtara 13 seers; Pakour 16 seers; Deoghur 16 seers and Rajmahal 16 seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 19th November 1906.

stricts of Bengal on the 15th November 1906 —concld.

					WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS.								
OR PEA nuts).	SALT.				SALT.						DISTRICTS.	Number.	
Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.						
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.				BIHAR—*concluded.*		
8 6	S 15 11	15 11	15 11		Panga. 2 10 0	2 10 0	2 8 0				Monghyr	20	BHAGALPUR DIVISION.
8 14	T 15 8	15 2	15 12		Panga. 2 6 9	2 6 9	2 8 0				Bhagalpur.	21	
7 0	U 13 0	13 0	13 0		Panga. 3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0				Purnea.	22	
6 4	V ...	12 0	12 0		...	3 5 0	3 4 0				Darjeeling.	24	
12 0	W 14 0	14 0	13 8		Panga. 2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0				Santhal Parganas.	24	
											ORISSA.		
14 7	X 18 0	18 0	16 0		Karkatch. 2 3 0	2 3 9	2 8 0				Cuttack.	25	ORISSA DIVISION.
8 0	Y 16 0	16 0	17 0		Parga. 2 5 0	2 5 0	2 6 0				Balasore	26	
36 0	Z 10 8	10 8	10 8		Karkatch. 3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0				Angul.	27	
9 13	a 18 0	19 0	15 0		2 2 0	2 1 0	2 8 0				Puri.	28	
9 0	b 13 0	13 0	11 8		Karkatch. 3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0				Sambalpur.	29	
											CHOTA NAGPUR.		
8 8	12 8	12 8	12 8		Panga. 3 1 3	3 1 3	3 1 3				Hazaribagh.	30	CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.
6 0	c 13 0	12 0	12 0		Panga 3 1 0	3 2 0	3 1 0				Ranchi.	31	
11 4	15 3	15 3	15 3		...	...	...				Palamau.	32	
9 8	d 15 0	14 0	15 0		Panga. 2 10 0	2 10 0	2 10 0				Manbhum.	33	
12 0	14 0	14 0	13 0		Panga. 2 10 0	2 10 0	3 0 0				Singhbhum.	34	

Retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 16 seers ; Jajpur return not received.

Price of salt is 14 seers per rupee (panga).

Prior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Saukhpur 11 seers 12 seers.

a. At Khurda the retail price of salt is 18 seers per rupee.

b. At Bargarh the retail price of salt is 11 seers (Bombay).

c. At Gumla the retail price of salt is 10 seers 8 chittaks per rupee (panga).

d. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Gobindapur 16 seers (panga) ; Jhalda 11 seers

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &

PRICE PER MA

Number.	Marts.	Rice (best sort).			Common rice (*mota chaul*).			Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).			Barley (*Hordeum vul*		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	R
1	Calcutta ...	6 12 0	6 12 0	6 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	1
2	Burdwan ...	5 0 0	6 4 6	3 3 0	4 13 0	4 13 6	2 14 6	...	...	...	...	...	
3	Midnapore ..	6 4 0	6 4 0	3 6 0	4 10 0	5 5 0	2 14 0	...	...	...	...	...	
4	Patna ..	6 3 0	6 0 0	4 0 0	5 3 0	4 12 0	2 11 0	3 3 0	3 5 0	2 15 0	2 10 0	3 0 0	2
5	Muzaffarpur ...	6 10 6	6 10 6	5 0 0	5 11 6	5 0 0	3 5 3	3 13 0	3 10 0	3 5 3	3 5 3	3 1 3	2
6	Bhagalpur .	6 11 0	7 6 0	3 10 0	4 14 9	4 13 6	2 14 0	3 12 0	3 11 6	2 14 0	3 9 0	3 2 6	2
7	Cuttack ...	5 5 6	5 8 6	5 0 9	4 1 0	4 1 0	2 14 6	3 7 6	3 7 6	3 3 9	...	...	
8	Sambalpur ...	4 3 0	4 3 0	3 13 0	3 9 6	3 9 6	2 6 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 15 0	...	...	
9	Ranchi ..	4 12 6	5 2 3	4 8 0	3 5 3	4 1 9	2 9 0	3 15 4	4 3 0	4 0 0 to 5 0 0	2 14 0	2 10 9	2

CALCUTTA,

The 19th November 1906.

40 STANDARD SEERS.

Juar or Cholum (*Sorghum vulgare*).			Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine corocana*).			Gram, Chana, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*).		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
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...	...	...	3 4 0	...	4 8 0	...	—	...	3 12 0	4 0 0	3 4 0
...	—	—	...	—	...	...	—	—	4 6 0	3 7 0	3 0 0
—	—	—	...	...	...	—	...	...	3 4 0 to 3 12 0	3 4 0 to 3 12 0	2 12 0 to 3 4 0
3 5 0	...	...	3 0 0	—	—	2 13 0	2 12 0	...	3 5 0	3 2 0	2 12 0
...	...	...	...	—	...	3 5 3	3 1 3	2 0 0	3 5 3	3 3 0	2 13 9
—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 5 0	3 4 0	2 7 0
									Biri or Kalai.		
...	...	—	...	...	...	—	...	...	3 3 6	3 3 6	2 12 3
—	...	...	...	—	—	—	...	...	3 11 6	3 3 6	3 0 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 10 6	3 13 0	3 1 0

PRICE PER MAUND OF

Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).			Arhar Dal or Thur — Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Linseed.			Mustard and Rapeseed.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 12 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 2 0	7 8 0	8 0 0	4 6 0
...	...	...	5 0 0	4 12 6	4 4 0	..	...	...	6 13 0	7 0 0	5 12 0
} ...	...	...	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 14 0	4 12 0	Black Mustard. 7 4 0 to 8 4 0	6 8 0 Rapeseed. 5 8 0	6 0 0 4 4 0
3 5 0	3 1 0	2 4 0	5 11 0	6 4 0	1 3 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	4 12 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	5 8 0
3 8 0	3 5 3	2 0 0	3 10 0	5 5 0	3 10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3 9 0	3 2 6	1 15 0	5 11 0	5 8 3	4 8 0	5 10 0	5 4 0	4 8 0	Mustard. 5 12 0 to ...	5 0 0 Rapeseed. ...	5 3 0 6 1 0
...	...	...	3 9 0	3 9 0	2 12 3	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 12 0
..	...	...	4 8 0	4 0 0	3 14 0	...	...	...	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 12 0
...	...	...	6 10 6	6 10 6	6 10 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 6 6 to 6 10 6	} 6 10 6	4 7 0 to 5 8 3

STANDARD SEERS.

Til or Jinjili seed			Sugar (raw).			Cotton (cleaned).			Jute		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
s. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs a. p.
3 12 0	6 12 0	4 8 0	6 12 0	6 12 0	6 4 0	19 8 0	19 8 0	17 0 0	10 6 0	10 6 0	7 0 0
...	...	...	5 13 0	5 13 0	6 0 0	...	...	21 0 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 4 0	7 4 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	20 0 0 to 25 0 0	...	...	...
7 0 0	7 0 0	...	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 8 0
...	...	...	4 7 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	4 9 9	4 8 0	4 6 0	21 0 0	19 8 0	22 0 0	...	...	...
5 11 6	5 2 3	5 5 8	3 10 0	3 10 0	6 8 0	20 5 0	22 13 0	22 13 0	...	...	...
6 0 0	5 8 0	4 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 4 0	...	...	...	...	6 4 0	...
...	...	...	5 11 6	5 8 0	5 12 0	22 12 0	22 12 0	23 0 0	...	...	...

PRICE PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.

Ghi (clarified butter).			Tobacco Leaf.			Hides (cow).			Grass.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
						Per 100 pieces.					
43 0 0	43 0 0	39 0 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 0 0	430 0 0	430 0 0	500 0 0	1 4 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
42 0 0	40 0 0	35 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
						Uncleaned per piece.					
			Madhukhali.			3 0 0 to 4 0 0	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	2 8 0 to 3 8 0			
43 0 0	42 0 0	38 0 0	7 0 0	7 0	6 0 0				...	...	...
			Pulta.			Cleaned per piece.					
						3 4 0 to 4 4 0	3 4 0 to 4 4 0	2 12 0 to 3 12 0			
			9 0 0	9 0 0	8 0 0						
38 0 0	38 0 0	36 0 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
40 0 0	40 0 0	35 9 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
39 6 0	39 6 0	42 10 0	6 5 9	6 5 9	5 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
						Per maund.					
38 1 6	38 1 6	38 1 6	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 1 6	30 0 0	30 0 0	25 0 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0
						Per maund.					
40 0 0	40 0 0	36 4 0	16 0 0	20 0 0	16 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	...	...	...
						Per piece.					
37 8 0 to 40 0 0	37 8 0 to 40 0 0	38 11 0 to 37 0 0	20 0 0	13 5 0 to [illegible] 0 0	10 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	0 5 4	0 4 0	0 3 4

undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 15th November 1906.

STRAW.			JUAR STALKS.			PRICE PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.									MARTS
						IRON.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
14 0	Per maund. 0 14 0	1 0 0	...	...	...	6 2 0	6 4 0	5 12 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	2 2 0	Panga. 2 2 0	2 10 0	1. Calcutta.
8 0	Per pan. 0 10 6	0 5 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 5 9	2 5 0	Panga. 2 5 0	2 2 6	2. Burdwan.
8 0	Per maund. 0 8 0	0 8 0	...	...	...	2 8 0 to 4 8 0	2 8 0 to 4 8 0	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 5 0 to 2 4 0	Panga. 2 5 0 to Crushed. 2 4 0	2 6 0 to 2 3 0	3. Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 0 0	0 6 0	0 5 6	0 6 0	2 8 0	Panga. 2 6 6	2 8 0	4. Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 11 6	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 4 0	2 10 6	Panga. 2 10 6	2 12 0	5. Muzaffarpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 9	2 6 9	2 6 9	2 8 0	6. Bhagalpur.
9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	3 13 4	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	2 2 0	Karkatch. 2 3 0	2 8 0	7. Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 4 0	0 3 6	0 4 0	3 0 0	Karkatch. 3 0 0	3 0 0	8. Sambalpur.
0 0	1 0 0	0 8 0	...	...	...	5 11 6	5 11 6	5 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 1 0	Panga. 3 2 0	3 1 0	9. Ranchi.

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METEOROLOGICAL REPORT OF THE PROVINCES OF BENGAL AND OF EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1906.

	District.	Representative Stations.	Air Pressure.					Wind.		Temperature.					Humidity.		Cloud.		Rainfall
			Highest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Lowest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Mean, 8 A.M., reduced to 32°.	Mean reduced to sea-level and constant gravity, Lat. 45°.	Departure from normal.	Mean direction at 8 A.M.	Mean velocity in miles daily.	Highest of month.	Lowest of month.	Mean daily maximum temperature.	Mean daily minimum temperature.	Mean daily temperature.	Departure from normal.	Mean, 8 A.M.	Departure from normal.	Mean cloud amount, 8 A.M.	Departure from normal, 8 A.M.	
			In.	In.	In.	In.	In.			°F.	°F.	°F.	°F.	°F.	°F.					In.
	Burdwan	Burdwan ...	29·915	29·641	29·826	29·875	+·010	N	36	92·9	67·3	88·5	75·3	81·9	+0·3	86	+5	3·3	−1·0	
		Raniganj ...	29·679	29·416	29·597	29·899	+·017	N	13	91·5	66·0	87·6	73·9	80·8	−0·5	88	—	2·5	—	
	Bankura	Bankura ...	29·684	29·438	29·605	29·873	+·018	N51°E	41	93·1	67·2	88·7	73·9	81·3	+0·5	80	—	1·8	—	
	Midnapore	Midnapore ...	29·852	29·630	29·766	29·804	−·001	N18°W	48	92·3	66·7	87·8	74·5	81·2	+0·3	82	—	2·1	—	
	Sandheads	P.V. "Fras r"	30·022	29·785	29·912	29·851	—	N8°W	192	—	—	—	—	—	—	76	—	4·0	—	
	24-Parganas	Sangor Island	29·984	29·774	2··897	29·836	+·017	N4°E	179	91·9	68·5	83·5	76·8	82·6	+1·1	87	0	4·8	−0·5	
	Calcutta ...	Calcutta	29·989	29·704	29·906	29·873	+·018	N32°W	64	91·9	67·4	87·3	74·2	80·8	+0·3	86	+3	2·8	−2·1	
	Nadia ...	Krishnagar ...	29·961	29·681	29·846	29·872	+·012	N6°W	11	91·6	67·0	88·4	74·0	81·2	+0·5	85	—	3·1	—	
	Murshidabad	Berhampore	29·952	29·688	29·860	29·877	+·011	N	33	90·8	70·2	87·4	74·7	81·0	+0·2	84	+2	4·2	−0·6	
	Jessore	Jessore ...	29·988	29·736	29·893	29·873	+·013	N27°E	29	92·0	66·7	87·9	74·3	81·1	−0·4	84	−3	3·3	−1·9	
	Rajshahi ...	Rampur Boalia	29·953	29·631	29·859	29·879	+·025	N16°E	30	90·1	68·1	86·7	74·4	80·5	+0·5	81	—	3·6	—	
	Dinajpur ...	Dinajpur ...	29·913	29·630	29·809	29·890	+·014	N2°E	23	89·8	65·0	86·7	72·0	79·4	−0·4	87	—	5·0	—	
	Jalpaiguri ...	Jalpaiguri ...	29·744	29·488	29·651	29·808	+·007	N66°E	28	88·9	61·6	85·5	73·5	78·1	+0·2	92	—	4·1	—	
	Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar	29·882	29·607	29·780	29·904	—	S82°E	30	89·3	61·6	86·2	71·6	78·9	—	84	—	4·0	—	
	Rangpur ...	Rangpur ...	29·918	29·618	29·818	29·899	+·023	N31°E	27	89·6	65·6	86·7	73·4	80·1	+0·7	85	—	5·5	—	
	Bogra ...	Bogra ...	29·939	29·624	29·848	29·863	+·007	E	22	90·7	67·7	86·7	74·0	80·3	+0·4	84	—	3·5	—	
	Pabna ...	Sirajganj ...	29·984	29·695	29·886	29·885	+·024	S45°W	15	89·3	68·7	86·0	74·6	80·3	+0·5	87	—	3·4	—	
	Dacca ...	Narayanganj	29·997	29·725	29·911	29·886	+·028	N53°E	52	90·5	70·8	87·7	75·7	81·7	+0·2	85	0	4·3	0	
	Mymensingh	Mymensingh	29·966	29·677	29·875	29·889	+·010	S8°E	25	90·2	68·5	86·7	74·3	80·5	+0·8	85	—	4·8	—	
	Faridpur ...	Faridpur ...	29·978	29·701	29·886	29·882	+·015	N8°E	37	89·1	67·9	86·9	74·2	80·6	+0·4	86	—	1·9	—	
	Backergunge	Barisal ...	30·009	29·773	29·916	29·874	+·016	N32°E	33	91·3	69·1	87·9	75·4	81·6	+0·5	83	—	1·7	—	
	Tippera ...	Comilla ...	29·981	29·740	29·893	29·877	+·011	S30°E	30	90·9	67·8	87·9	73·5	0 7	+0·2	87	—	2·5	—	
	Noakhali ...	Noakhali ...	29·942	29·772	29·882	29·8,2	+·018	N65°E	46	88·8	69·4	85·8	74·3	80·1	+0·2	88	—	3·6	—	
	Chittagong	Chittagong ...	29·930	29·759	29·840	29·876	+·012	N72°E	58	89·1	69·4	86·5	73·7	80·1	+0·2	91	+2	3·8	−1·3	
	Patna ...	Bankipore ...	29·824	29·582	29·740	29·878	+·007	S63°W	63	92·0	67·2	89·3	74·1	81·7	+1·4	75	−2	2·1	−1·5	
	Gaya ...	Gaya ...	29·618	29·385	29·549	29·883	+·016	S30°W	77	93·4	65·9	88·9	73·2	81·1	+0·8	76	+3	3·1	+0·6	
	Shahabad	Dehri ...	29·634	29·414	29·508	29·879	+·011	S20°W	82	92·3	61·1	89·4	72·8	81·1	+1·3	74	—	2·8	—	
		Buxar ...	29·753	29·521	29·658	29·878	+·009	S36°W	85	94·5	62·5	91·1	71·7	81 4	+1·8	76	—	2 1	—	
		Arrah ...	29·806	29·575	29·734	29·880	+·023	S27°E	24	92·9	59·6	89·8	71·2	80·5	+1·1	79	—	0·9	—	
	Saran ...	Chapra ...	29·805	29·565	29·727a	29·866a	0	N31°W	51	91·4	61·6	89·4	71·8	80·6	+1 0	83	—	0·5	—	
	Champaran	Motihari ...	29·769	29·542	29·702	29·890	+·017	N72°E	32	91·4	61 8	89·3	71·5	80·4	+2·2	86	—	1·7	—	
	Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	29·844	29·601	29·753	29·889	+·018	S63°E	11	91·7	66·5	88·8	72·3	80·6	—	84	—	0·6	—	
	Darbhanga	Darbhanga ...	29·875	29·610	29·770	29·891	+·020	Calm	817	91·6	65·8	88·6	72 6	80·6	+0·7	86	+1	1·6	−1·6	
	Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur ...	29·871	29·618	29·777	29·891	+·047	N27°W	40	92·7	65·8	88·9	72·5	80·7	+1·5	76	—	2·8	—	
	Darjeeling	Darjeeling ...	23·167	22·990	23·098	23·053	+·007	S84°E	62	66·2	45·1	61·8	50·0	55·9	+0·8	87	+10	5·4	−0·5	
	Purnea ...	Purnea ...	29·908	29·652	29·811	29·894	+·021	N74°E	40	90·7	63·8	87·5	70·8	79·2	−0·2	87	+1	3·6	+0·1	
	Malda ...	Malda ...	29·933	29·643	29·845c	29·870c	+·016	N6°E	2	89·8	66·3	86·5	72·1	79·3	+0·3	87	—	2·9	—	
	Sonthal Parganas.	Naya Dumka	29·521	29·261	29·435	29·890	+·029	N	21	91·5	65·9	87·1	71·8	79·4	+0·5	86	—	3·8	—	
	Sambalpur	Sambalpur ...	29·512	29·330	29·444	29·885	+·013	S67°E	96	91·1	65·1	87·8	72·8	80·3	−0·1	81	—	3·7	—	
	Angul ...	Angul ...	29·540	29·348	29·457	29·889	-	S47°W	101	92·1	63·1	88·3	71·7	80·1	—	84	—	3·4	—	
	Cuttack	Cuttack ...	29·625	29·723	29·844	29·869	+·019	N2°W	48	94·9	68·7	90·2	75·3	82·8	+0·6	81	+2	3·7	−0·7	
		False Point ...	29·493	29·785	29·909	29·872	+ 023	N32 W	98	92·1	66·6	88·1	74·4	81·3	+0 3	83	−3	5·1	+0·7	
	Balasore ...	Balasore ...	29·986	29·740	29·889	29·873	+·011	N24°W	15	92·4	65·9	88·5	74 0	81·2	+0·7	79	—	3·5	—	
	Puri ...	Puri ...	30·005	29·742	29 910	29·873	+·029	N1°E	183	92·6	71·1	89·0	77·0	83·0	—	84	—	2·6	—	
	Ganjam	Gopalpur ...	29·935	29·683	29·857	29·870	+·024	N32°W	249	92·7	68·5	88·5	75·3	81·9	+1·0	82	—	2·4	—	
		Calingapatam	29·972	29·653	29·891	29·830	—	N31°W	171	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	Hazaribagh	Hazaribagh ..	27·977	27·775	27·915	29·896	+·018	N49°W	132	85·7	60·7	82·6	67·8	75·3	+0·2	74	+2	3·7	−0·7	
	Ranchi ...	Ranchi ...	27·867	27·662	27·803	29·901	+·019	N62°W	159a	86·2	61·0	82·5	67·8	75·2	+0·9	75	—	3·9	—	
	Palamau ...	Daltonganj ...	29·257	29·049	29·189	29·894	—	S56°E	54	92·6	55·5	88·8	67·9	78 4	—	89	—	2·2	—	
	Manbhum ...	Purulia ...	29·161	28·940	29·103	29·881	—	N76°W	63	92·0	?	88·3	?	?	?	84	—	3·1	—	
	Singbhum	Chaibassa ...	29·220	29 003	29·150	29·874	+·007	N45°E	?	93·4	64·7	88·4	71·2	79·8	+0·3	86	—	3·5	—	
	Dibrugarh	Dibrugarh ...	29·697	29·461	29·597	29·917	—	N48°E	2	88·4	63·0	84·6	69·6	77·1	—	87	—	4·3	—	
	Sibsagar ...	Sibsagar ...	29·721	29·501	29·639	29·936	+·019	N34°W	30	87·1	63·2	83·1	70·7	76·9	−0·9	94	0	7·3	+0·7	
	Tezpur ...	Tezpur ...	29·741	29·506	29·702	29·917	—	N65°E	60	90·1	63·4	86·0	71·1	78·6	—	88	—	4·5	—	
	Kamrup ...	Gauhati ...	29·848	29·620	29·763	29·917	—	N32°E	46	90·0	63·5	86·7	70·6	78·7	—	91	—	7·7	—	
	Goalpara ...	Dhubri ...	29·912	29·617	29·814	29·887	+·001	N75°E	139	87·7	66·7	84·3	72·6	78·5	−0·2	91	−2	5·1	+2	
	Cachar ...	Silchar ...	29·928	29·739	29·840	29·899	+·015	Calm	7	92·5	66·3	88·5	72·1	80·3	−0·2	86	−4	4·7	−0·7	
	Khasia and Jaintia Hills.	Shillong ...	25·278	25·078	25·198	25·150	—	S8°E	5	74·9	44·7	70·8	53·9	62·4	—	76	—	4·1	—	
		Cherrapunji	25·812	25·651	25·743	25·694	—	N45°E	84	70·2	54·8	72·6	60·3	66·5	—	80	—	4·1	—	

(a) Mean of 30 days. (b) Mean of 27 days. (c) Mean of 29 days.

SUMMARY OF THE METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL AND IN EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1906.

During the last week of September the weather in the Province was mainly governed by a depression in Eastern Bengal, which gave abundant rain to Assam and Lower Bengal till the 2nd of October. Skies commenced to clear in Chota Nagpur, Orissa and Bihar on the 1st of the month, and by the 3rd were either clear or only lightly clouded over the whole of the reporting area. Monsoon conditions were feebly developed during the next few days, and the only heavy falls recorded took place in North Bengal and Assam. During this period northerly winds were slowly establishing themselves at the head of the Bay and in Bengal and the pressure gradient usually associated with the rains proper was gradually disappearing, leaving the area of uniform pressure which normally obtains in the Bay in October. From the 11th of the month to the 16th the monsoon continued generally to weaken, but moderate to heavy rain fell in North Bengal on the 12th. On the 13th a shallow depression extended over the south of the Bay, which after concentrating slightly passed inland on the 17th, without giving rise to a storm. No change of any importance occurred till the 20th, when it became clear that weather was becoming disturbed to the west of Port Blair. The depression continued to concentrate, and on the 24th had probably developed into a considerable storm. On the 26th it was moving in a north-westerly direction towards Masulipatam and during the next two days its course became more northerly, owing probably to the influence of the hills to the west of the Circars coast. On the 29th it was in the neighbourhood of Waltair, and probably not far from the coast. It continued to move in a north or north-easterly direction during the day, and observations received that night shewed that there was considerable danger of its recurving still further in an easterly direction. As this would have brought it dangerously near the head of the Bay by the next morning, it was considered advisable to indicate this contingency by a change of signals in the river ports. Fortunately it continued its northerly course and by 8 A.M. of the 30th had passed inland between Calingapatam and Gopalpur. It appears from the logs of ships that were in its neighbourhood to have been a fairly severe storm in its earlier stages, but it gradually dissipated its energy, and at the time of its arrival at the coast only indicated its existence by heavy rain and moderately strong winds along the Circars and Orissa coasts.

During the last three days of the month rain was fairly general in Bengal under the influence of the depression.

Summary of Temperature.—The average mean of the month was above the normal mean of the month in all the meteorological divisions except Assam. The excess was greatest in Bihar, and as is usually the case in the rains excess in temperature was associated with deficiency in rainfall. The highest temperature 94·9 recorded during the month was reported from Cuttack where the thermometer reached 94·9.

The following table gives the summary of the temperature of each of the seven Meteorological Divisions of the Provinces of Bengal and of Eastern Bengal and Assam for the month of October 1906:—

Meteorological Division.	Temperature.					
	Highest observed during month.	Lowest observed during month.	Average for month.			Average mean of month above or below normal mean of month.
			Of highest of each day.	Of lowest of each day.	Of mean for each day.	
South-West Bengal	93·1	66·0	88·0	74·5	81·3	+ 0·3
North Bengal	90·7	61·[illegible]	86·4	72·9	79·7	+ 0·3
East Bengal	91·3	67·8	87·1	74·4	80·8	+ 0·4
Bihar	94·5	59·6	88·8	72·2	80·5	+ 1·0
Orissa	94·9	63·1	88·6	74·4	81·5	+ 0·5
Chota Nagpur[1]	93·4	55·5	85·6	68·7	77·2	+ 0·5
Assam	92·5	44·7	82·1	67·6	74·7	— 0·4

[1] Purulia not included.

Summary of Rainfall.—The rainfall work of the Province has been placed in the hands of the Director of Agriculture, Bengal, and the usual data regarding the actual and normal rainfall during the month will be published by that Department. A short table, however, is attached to this report, giving the rainfall recorded during the month at the head-quarters of the various districts of the Province.

Rainfall was in general defect during the month in Bengal, a few stations only in Lower Bengal and North Bengal showing a considerable percentage excess.

Actual and average rainfall and departure from normal for October 1906.

Meteorological Division.	District.	Station.	Actual.	Normal.	Departure from normal.
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	Burdwan	6·90	3·93	+ 2·97
		Raniganj	3·45	3·22	+ 0·23
	Bankura	Bankura	7·21	4·05	+ 3·16
	Midnapore	Midnapore	4·19	4·42	— 0·23
	24-Parganas	Saugor Island	3·98	9·13	— 5·15
	Calcutta	Calcutta	5·50	3·87	+ 1·63
	Nadia	Krishnagar	6·38	4·20	+ 2·18
	Murshidabad	Berhampore	4·08	4·71	— 0·63
	Jessore	Jessore	5·68	5·30	+ 0·38
North Bengal	Rajshahi	Rampur Boalia	3·89	4·46	— 0·57
	Dinajpur	Dinajpur	7·84	4·30	+ 3·54
	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri	2·09	4·78	— 2·69
	Darjeeling	Darjeeling	0·62	5·35	— 4·73
	Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar	14·92	4·79	+ 10·13
	Rangpur	Rangpur	8·57	4·94	+ 3·63
	Bogra	Bogra	5·64	4·58	+ 1·06
	Pabna	Sirajganj	2·66	4·37	— 1·71
East Bengal	Dacca	Narayanganj	3·45	4·05	— 0·60
	Mymensingh	Mymensingh	7·96	5·35	+ 2·61
	Faridpur	Faridpur	5·31	4·49	+ 0·82
	Backergunge	Barisal	3·63	5·46	— 1·83
	Tippera	Comilla	3·13	5·43	— 2·30
	Noakhali	Noakhali	4·15	7·92	— 3·77
	Chittagong	Chittagong	2·57	6·41	— 3·84
Bihar	Patna	Bankipore	1·79	2·89	— 1·10
	Gaya	Gaya	3·67	2·32	+ 1·35
	Shahabad	Dehri	0·64	2·49	— 1·85
		Buxar	2·13	2·97	— 0·84
		Arrah	0·91	2·77	— 1·86
	Saran	Chapra	0·20	2·63	— 2·43
	Champaran	Motihari	0·48	3·38	— 2·90
	Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	0·52	2·92	— 2·40
	Darbhanga	Darbhanga	0·31	2·80	— 2·49
	Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur	1·18	3·54	— 2·36
	Purnea	Purnea	1·13	3·43	— 2·30
	Malda	Malda	9·33	4·18	+ 5·15
	Sonthal Parganas	Naya Dumka	9·18	3·91	+ 5·27
Orissa	Sambalpur	Sambalpur	1·98	2·13	— 0·15
	Angul	Angul	0·89	4·32	— 3·43
	Cuttack	Cuttack	5·76	5·73	+ 0·03
		False Point	10·01	9·56	+ 0·45
	Balasore	Balasore	4·02	6·59	— 2·57
	Puri	Puri	8·08	8·23	— 0·15
Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	Hazaribagh	2·74	3·31	— 0·57
	Ranchi	Ranchi	2·99	2·99	0
	Palamau	Daltonganj	2·01	2·40	— 0·39
	Manbhum	Purulia	2·41	3·24	— 0·83
	Singhbhum	Chaibassa	4·42	2·68	+ 1·74

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
The 20th November 1906.

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Vital Statistics of the districts of Bengal for the month of September 1906.

DIVISIONS.	DISTRICTS.	Population under registration.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.																AVERAGE OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS FIVE YEARS.		REMARKS.
					CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.		DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURY.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL OF ALL CAUSES.				
			Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	
	Burdwan	1,538,475	2,779	21·72	26	·19	60	·36	...	...	2,316	18·19	96	·72	19	·12	45	·24	483	3·72	3,045	23·76	3,554	27·72	
	Birbhum	902,220	1,413	18·72	69	·84	7	·08	...	...	1,738	23·04	14	·19	8	·09	36	·36	234	3·00	2,166	27·96	2,072	27·48	
	Bankura	1,116,411	2,402	27·84	9	·09	8	·08	...	...	1,409	15·12	34	·36	17	·12	23	·24	497	6·28	2,007	21·48	2,496	26·76	
...	Midnapore	2,789,114	4,899	21·00	355	1·44	14	·06	1	·003	4,247	18·24	215	·84	74	·24	84	·36	944	3·96	5,934	25·44	6,236	26·76	
	Hooghly, including Serampore.	1,049,322	1,816	20·76	19	·19	19	·12	...	...	1,452	16·56	138	1·56	31	·24	47	·48	347	3·96	2,083	23·40	2,982	34·08	
	Howrah	850,514	1,610	22·48	41	·48	52	·72	5	·06	613	8·64	207	2·88	35	·48	52	·72	435	6·12	1,440	20·28	1,995	28 08	
	24-Parganas	2,078,289	4,118	23·76	42	·24	46	·24	...	...	2,969	17·04	124	·60	38	·12	135	·72	610	3·48	3,964	22·80	4,187	24·00	
	Calcutta	847,796	1,198	16·80	72	·96	4	·04	38	·36	285	3·96	171	2·40	315	4·44	41	·48	863	12·12	1,783	25·20	1,759	24·84	
...	Nadia	1,667,491	3,149	22·32	11	·07	...	...	...	...	2,773	19·92	7	·04	4	·02	96	·60	425	3·00	3,318	23 76	5,068	36·36	
	Murshidabad	1,333,184	4,026	36·12	18	·12	15	·12	...	...	2,954	26·52	7	·06	...	...	92	·72	568	5·04	3,634	32·52	4,331	38·88	
	Jessore	1,513,155	3,092	20·28	36	·72	8	·04	...	...	3,342	22·08	11	·07	4	·02	88	·48	410	2·64	3,899	25·20	4,511	29·76	
	Khulna	1,253,043	2,299	21·56	178	1·68	1	·008	...	...	2,302	21·96	87	·72	1	·008	77	·72	851	8·04	3,497	33·48	3,307	31·56	
	Patna	1,624,985	6,744	46·08	261	1·92	21	·12	151	1·08	2,566	18·84	604	4·44	106	·72	145	·96	2,108	15·48	5,959	43·92	6,979	51·48	
	Gaya	2,089,933	8,919	51·24	841	4·80	15	·08	17	·09	6,007	34·32	97	·48	19	·04	144	·72	1,455	8·40	8,586	49·92	8,883	51·72	
	Shahabad	2,277,696	8,277	50·52	581	3·48	...	...	69	·36	5,545	33·84	24	·12	4	·02	127	·72	1,459	8·88	7,809	47·64	7,177	43·80	
...	Saran	2,409,409	7,167	35·64	512	2·52	5	·02	244	1·20	3,554	17·64	270	1 32	37	·12	315	1·56	2,643	13·08	7,580	37 68	7,786	38·76	
	Champaran	1,720,463	6,010	40·20	1,682	11·16	3	·01	...	...	4,045	27·00	45	·24	1	·006	162	1·08	1,290	8·64	7,328	48·36	6,031	40·32	
	Muzaffarpur	2,754,790	8,205	35 64	2,575	18·48	16	·06	43	·12	5,193	22·56	84	·36	1	·003	335	1·44	1,493	6·48	10,040	43·68	8,690	37·68	
	Darbhanga	2,912,671	8,858	36·36	1,404	5·76	2	·007	...	...	6,311	25·92	84	·24	...	...	288	1·08	1,028	4·20	9,117	37·56	7,719	31·80	
	Monghyr	2,068,804	7,368	42·36	435	2·52	11	·06	...	...	4,838	27·96	45	·24	3	·01	209	1·20	1,234	7·08	6,765	39 24	6,229	36·12	
	Bhagalpur	2,088,983	6,646	38·16	2,796	15·96	42	·24	3	·01	5,565	31·92	21	·12	7	·03	117	·60	775	4·44	9,326	53·52	5,634	32·64	
...	Purnea	1,874,794	5,308	33·84	216	1·32	49	·24	...	...	4,711	30·12	3	·01	...	...	135	·84	220	1·32	5,334	34·08	4,526	28·92	
	Darjeeling	249,117	564	27·12	28	1·32	1	·04	...	...	736	35·40	104	4·92	3	·12	6	·24	201	9·60	1,079	51·96	835	40·20	
	Sonthal Parganas	1,809,737	5,342	35·40	206	9·52	16	·09	...	...	4,330	28·68	95	·60	4	·02	83	·48	381	2·52	5,305	35·16	4,176	27·60	
	Cuttack	2,062,758	5,853	33·96	129	·72	9	·04	...	...	1,697	9·24	495	2·76	27	·12	120	·60	1,280	7 44	3,677	21·36	5,178	30·12	
	Balasore	1,071,197	2,013	22·48	34	·36	29	·24	...	...	1,009	11·16	184	2·04	1	·01	65	·72	1,200	13·44	2,515	28·08	2,676	29·88	
...	Puri	1,017,284	2,776	32·64	79	·84	189	2·16	...	...	467	5·28	307	3·60	95	1·08	66	·72	816	9·60	2,009	23·64	2,201	25·92	
	Sambalpur	636,880	2,159	40·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	687	12·84	186	3·48	55	·96	36	·60	544	9·36	1,468	27·60	Data not	available.	
	Angul and Khondmals ...																								
	Hazaribagh	1,177,961	4,552	46·32	283	2·88	1	·009	...	...	2,563	26·06	42	·36	...	...	63	·60	664	6·72	3,616	36·72	3,030	30·84	Not under registration.
Nag-	Ranchi	1,187,925	4,504	45·48	7	·06	...	...	...	...	2,187	21·72	326	3·24	7	·06	50	·48	697	6·88	2,454	24·36	2,831	28·56	
	Palamau	619,600	2,923	56·52	19	·36	...	...	...	...	1,569	30·36	14	·24	...	...	38	·72	430	8·28	2,070	40·08	1,828	35·40	
	Manbhum	1,391,364	3,946	36·36	49	·36	5	·03	...	...	1,676	15·36	20	·12	1	·008	39	·24	447	4·20	2,257	20·76	2,661	24·48	
	Singhbhum	613,579	1,970	38·52	2	·02	...	...	...	...	972	18·96	7	·12	...	...	27	·48	135	3·00	1,163	22·68	1,053	20·52	
	Total .	54,526,944	143,473	33·96	13,505	3·12	548	·12	565	·12	98,481	21·96	4,168	·96	918	·12	3,398	·72	27,354	6·48	143,087	33·96	138,601	33·24	
	Total, excluding Sambalpur district	49,891,164	141,314	33·96	13,505	3·24	548	·12	565	·12	91,794	21·96	3,962	·84	863	·12	3,362	·72	26,450	6·36	141,569	33·96	...	...	
	Average of the corresponding month of previous five years	.....	172,766	41·52	8,554	2·04	726	·12	Data not available.		91,482	21·96	4,267	·96	Data not available.		3,202	·72	29,337	6·96	139,601	33·24	...	...	
	Difference + or — ...	.....	—31,452	—7·56	+4,951	+1·20	—78	Equal			+312	Equal	—285	—·12			+160	Equal.	—2,837	—·60	+2,968	+·72	...	...	

OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,
The 17th November 1906.

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Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Vital Statistics of Towns in Bengal with a population of 20,000 and over during the month of September 1906.

District.	Town.	Population under registration.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.																		AVERAGE OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS FIVE YEARS.		Remarks.
					CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.		DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURY.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL OF ALL CAUSES.				
			Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	
Burdwan	1. Burdwan	35,246	30	10·20	2	·60	...	...	...	...	41	13·92	18	5·40	2	·60	1	·24	8	2·64	70	23·76	85	28·92	
Bankura	2. Bankura	20,737	38	21·96	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	5·76	1	·48	1	·48	...	...	4	1·44	24	13·80	41	23·64	
Midnapore	3. Midnapore	33,140	51	18·36	43	15·48	2	·72	...	...	55	19·80	4	1·44	...	...	...	...	11	4·44	58	23·64	118	49·72	
	4. Hooghly and Chinsura	39,383	59	24·00	...	...	1	·36	...	...	32	12·96	13	5·28	6	1·56	...	...	19	5·04	68	24·00	113	30·12	
Hooghly	5. Serampore	44,451	75	20·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	47	12·60	17	4·56	13	·96	3	·12	5	7·32	318	24·12	410	31·80	
Howrah	6. Howrah	137,594	295	22·44	15	1·08	2	·12	5	·36	126	9·48	47	4·32	...	...	2	·48	2	·48	24	6·96	39	8·76	
	7. Cossipore-Chitpur	40,750	25	6·72	1	·24	...	...	...	...	16	4·68	3	·84	...	...	...	...	4	1·44	19	6·96	23	8·04	
	8. Maniktala	32,387	35	12·96	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	4·80	2	·72	...	...	4	1·80	9	4·08	60	27·24	54	24·48	
	9. South Suburban	26,374	46	20·88	1	·36	...	...	...	...	42	19·08	8	1·32	1	·36	...	...	7	2·88	38	16·28	40	16·92	
Suburbs of Calcutta	10. Garden Reach	28,211	31	13·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	9·72	7	2·28	2	·84	2	·84	9	4·20	40	18·84	52	24·48	
	11. Bernagore	25,432	24	11·28	2	·84	...	...	...	...	20	9·36	5	1·56	1	·48	3	1·56	10	5·52	60	27·24	44	24·48	
	12. Bhatpara	21,540	48	26·52	...	...	...	...	32	·36	33	18·36	3	1·56	315	4·44	41	·48	803	12·12	1,783	25·20	1,759	24·84	
Calcutta	13. Calcutta	847,796	1,192	16·80	72	·96	4	·04	32	·36	285	3·96	171	2·40	...	...	...	...	3	1·44	15	2·28	47	22·92	
Nadia	14. Krishnagar	24,547	13	6·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	5·76	...	...	1	·36	2	·84	5	2·16	51	20·88	83	35·88	
	15. Santipur	26,898	47	20·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	43	19·08	...	...	...	...	1	·48	2	·96	70	34·32	69	33·84	
Murshidabad	16. Berhampore	24,397	49	24·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	65	31·92	2	·96	...	...	2	·96	3	1·56	147	13·08	361	32·04	663	58·92
Patna	17. Patna City	134,785	332	29·52	31	2·76	4	·24	9	·72	105	9·24	46	4·08	6	·48	...	...	22	5·76	62	16·44	121	32·16	
	18. Bihar	45,063	87	25·80	2	·48	1	·24	...	...	20	5·28	15	3·96	1	·24	...	...	16	5·64	53	18·84	112	39·84	
Gaya	19. Dinapore	33,099	43	15·24	6	2·01	...	...	1	·24	20	7·08	8	2·76	1	·24	1	·24	6	1·40	408	68·64	464	72·00	
	20. Gaya	71,289	202	33·96	57	9·48	...	...	...	...	223	37·44	53	8·88	2	·48	3	·72	19	4·92	61	15·84	99	25·68	
	21. Arrah	46,170	115	29·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	8·28	5	1·20	...	...	1	·48	5	2·52	59	29·88	81	41·01	
Shahabad	22. Sasaram	23,644	84	42·60	8	3·96	...	...	...	...	45	22·80	...	...	7	1·80	2	·48	70	18·24	202	52·80	278	72·60	
Saran	23. Chapra	45,901	157	41·04	71	18·48	...	...	...	...	40	10·44	13	3·12	...	...	1	·48	19	9·12	103	50·04	76	36·84	
	24. Bettiah	24,696	63	30·60	30	14·52	...	...	...	...	48	23·28	5	2·40	...	...	4	·96	87	22·80	158	41·52	124	32·52	
Champaran	25. Muzaffarpur	45,617	131	34·44	...	...	...	...	12	3·12	48	12·60	7	1·80	...	...	5	2·76	47	26·28	99	55·44	71	39·72	
Muzaffarpur	26. Hajipur	21,398	63	35·28	19	10·56	...	...	...	...	23	12·84	5	2·76	...	...	2	·36	11	16·44	134	24·24	171	30·96	
Darbhanga	27. Darbhanga	66,344	148	26·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	6·12	7	1·20	...	...	7	2·28	57	18·96	108	36·12	165	55·08	
Monghyr	28. Monghyr	35,880	136	45·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	10·32	11	3·60	2	·60	3	·36	7	5·28	118	18·60	172	27·24	
Bhagalpur	29. Bhagalpur	75,760	125	19·68	2	·24	6	·84	3	·36	63	9·96	5	·72	3	·60	2	·24	21	4·80	75	17·52	117	27·24	
Cuttack	30. Cuttack	51,364	93	21·96	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	8·40	15	3·48	...	...	...	...	13	7·44	29	16·56	33	18·96	
Balasore	31. Balasore	20,880	23	13·20	1	·48	...	...	...	...	8	4·56	6	3·36	...	...	1	·48	13	8·40	99	24·00	105	25·44	
Puri	32. Puri	49,334	53	19·84	9	2·16	5	1·20	...	...	36	8·64	9	2·16	...	...	5	1·20	35	8·40	99	24·00	31	15·60	
Ranchi	33. Ranchi	23,810	42	24·60	3	1·44	...	...	...	...	31	15·60	17	8·52	...	...	...	...	13	6·48	64	32·16			
	Total of all towns with a population of 20,000 and over	2,234,436	3,971	21·24	376	1·92	25	·12	62	·24	1,706	9·12	530	2·76	372	1·92	111	·48	1,529	9·72	5,011	26·88	5,955	31·92	
	Average of corresponding month of previous five years	.....	4,586	24·60	611	3·24	9	·04	Data not available.		2,151	11·52	652	3·48	Data not available.		117	·60	2,017	10·80	5,955	31·92	...	...	
	Difference + or −	.....	−615	−3·36	−235	−1·32	+16	+·08			−445	−2·40	−122	−·72			−6	−·12	−188	−1·08	−944	−5·04	...	...	

OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,
The 17th November 1906.

F. C. CLARKSON, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 17th November 1906, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 17th November 1906.			Week ending Saturday, the 18th November 1905.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	299	29,901	364	651	73,515	1,19[illegible]
Jute	972	2,56,740*	4,283	734	2,61,875†	4,111
Firewood	88	83,335	1,281	76	44,175	669
Other articles	858	2,11,550	2,545	851	1,73,515	2,372
Total ...	2,217	5,81,526	8,463	2,312	5,53,080	8,272

* Weight by canal measurement, 2,82,137½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto 2,58,212 do.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 11th to 17th November 1906.

1906		Maximum	Number of hours bright	Mean pressure reduced to 32°	Temperature. Mean	Mean	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Mean	Mean	Mean humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Cloud.	Rain.	Weather.
				Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inches	°	%			Inches.	
Nov.	11th	136·4	8·4	29·943	71·6	83·5	22·6	60·9	64·1	0·491	58·4	64	N by W and calm	30	Nil	Clear,
	12th	135·9	8·3	·925	73·1	84·4	21·5	62·9	67·4	·599	63·6	71	SW by W, NW by N and calm.	36		Clear, ☁.
„	13th	132·9	8·3	·963	75·2	85·9	20·3	65·6	69·1	·629	65·5	73	SW by W and NNW.	37		Chiefly clear,
„	14th	131·8	8·3	30 000	73·5	83·5	15·9	61·6	68·8	·630	66·0	76	NNW, N by W, and variable.	38		Chiefly clear, ☁.
	15th	135·4	6·9	29·981	73·9	82·9	16·8	66·1	69·3	·655	66·6	77	N by W, NNE and calm.	19	„	Partially cloudy,
	16th	137·1	8·1	·967	73·8	83·6	18·5	65·1	67·6	·590	63·6	71	SE by E and calm	33	„	Chiefly clear,
„	17th	141·1	6·3	·993	75·6	83·9	15·1	68·5	69·9	·667	67·2	77	ESE and calm ...	17	„	Partially cloudy.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·967
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·971
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	54·6
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	77·2
The mean temperature of the seven days	73·8
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	75·5
The extreme variation of temperature	25·0
The maximum temperature	85·9
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	6
	☁.
The mean relative humidity	73
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	72
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 11th to 17th November 1906	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	0·14
The total fall from 1st January to 17th November 1906	57·19
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor General's Office	65·26

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

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C. W. PEAKE,
for *Director-General of Observatories.*

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 19th November 1906.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 3rd November 1906 on 2,094·73 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
al traffic for the week ...	485,751‖	4,87,147 0 0	64,02,600 0	11,03,378 0 0	29,308 0 0	16,19,833 0 0	131,155	182,299	313,454
per mile of railway ...	.....	232 8 11	.....	526 11 10	13 15 11	773 4 8	.....	.....	.....
previous 17 weeks of half-year	7,606,25[illegible]*	71,70,186 0 0*	10,05,22,084 0†	1,64,86,492 0 0†	4,83,996 0 0‡	2,41,10,674 0 0	2,224,817§	2,913,211§	5,138,028
Total for 18 weeks ...	8,092,010	76,57,333 0 0	10,69,24,684 0	1,75,59,870 0 0	5,13,304 0 0	2,57,30,507 0 0	2,355,972	3,095,510	5,451,482
COMPARISON.									
al for corresponding week of revious year.	414,071	4,77,913 0 2	64,48,697 0	10,21,535 8 0	33,593 15 0	15,33,[illegible]92 7 11	131,925	182,522	314,447
r mile of railway corresponding eek of previous year.	.....	233 0 1	.....	498 0 10	16 6 1	7[illegible]7 7	.....	.....	.....
al for corresponding 18½ weeks of previous year.	7,652,293	76,54,685 11 5	10,61,03,089 0	1,64,14,400 0 10	5,38,789 7 4	2,46,07,8[illegible] 3 7	2,280,194	2,966,349	5,246,543

(a) The increase is chiefly in general merchandise.
* Deducted No. of passengers 12,038 and added Rs. 19,060 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 8th September
† Ditto Mds. 6,94,200 and ,, 81,527 } 1906.
‡ Added ,, 2,998
§ Audited figures up to 8th September 1906.

66. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.		Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
,078·13	Week ended 7th July	567,167	4,48,481	60,18,072	9,69,219	25,036	14,42,736	694	304,958	4 11 8
,078·13	,, ,, 14th ,,	460,864	4,04,849	63,54,825	9,32,554	23,603	13,67,006	658	301,065	4 8 8
,078·13	,, ,, 21st ,,	457,480	4,35,442	57,13,738	9,49,878	27,975	14,13,295	680	298,384	4 11 9
,078·13	,, ,, 28th ,,	420,063	4,03,955	46,30,696	8,04,569	28,678	12,39,202	596	274,042	4 8 4
,078·13	,, ,, 4th Aug.	487,011	4,43,518	59,95,837	9,09,114	28,810	13,81,542	665	303,109	4 8 11
,078·13	,, ,, 11th ,,	412,083	3,93,293	53,22,554	8,84,133	27,976	13,05,402	630	287,511	4 8 10
,087·62	,, ,, 18th ,,	410,076	3,75,272	54,48,275	9,14,251	28,706	13,18,229	631	285,186	4 9 11
,094·73	,, ,, 25th ,,	411,543	3,49,077	57,05,617	9,18,847	27,820	12,95,744	619	286,268	4 8 5
,094·73	,, ,, 1st Sept.	487, 15	4,45,077	62,03,480	10,92,339	30,916	15,68,332	749	312,885	5 0 3
,094·73	,, ,, 8th ,,	454,812	4,40,553	58,86,030	10,40,668	30,718	15,11,938	722	333,416	4 8 7
,094·73	,, ,, 15th ,,	437,516	4,25,606	66,15,856	10,47,913	28,648	15,02,157	717	314,360	4 12 5
,094·73	,, ,, 22nd ,,	469,387	4,88,535	63,51,477	10,26,493	28,099	15,43,127	737	305,924	5 0 8
,094·73	,, ,, 29th ,,	440,646	4,32,556	53 74,025	8,56,814	28,000	13,17,468	629	2[illegible],[illegible]00	4 6 5
,094·73	,, ,, 6th Oct.	416,385	4,04,053	55,7[illegible],945	9,08,061	28,099	13,40,213	640	292,121	4 9 5
,094·73	,, ,, 13th ,,	422,656	4,10,854	66,14,431	11,24,445	28,257	1[illegible],[illegible]5 6	746	315,547	4 15 3
,094·73	,, ,, 20th ,,	3[illegible]6,018	4,22,341	61,01,561	10,32,850	27,998	14,[illegible]189	708	311,854	4 12 1
,094·73	,, ,, 27th ,,	429,237	4,45,935	58,13,064	10,38,345	28,548	15,12,8[illegible]8	722	311,998	4 13 7
,094·73	,, ,, 3rd Nov.	485,751	4,87,147	64,02,600	11,03,378	29,308	16,19,[illegible]33	773	313,454	5 2 8
	Totals up to date	8,092,010	76,57,333	10,69,24,684	1,75,59,870	5,13,304	2,57,30,507	684	5,451,482	4 11 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905- concluded. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,041·33	First 8 days of July ...	569,904	5,07,593	73,45,703	10,75,471	[illegible],669	16,14,733	791	342,064	4 11 7
2,041·33	Week ended 15th ,, ...	530,091	4,60,390	55,14,313	8,18,137	29,093	13[illegible],026	641	291,785	4 7 9
2,041·33	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	453,067	4,41,892	54,65,118	8,81,667	28[illegible]75	13,[illegible],[illegible]34	662	286,188	4 11 7
2,041·33	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	423,430	4,40,780	60,89,666	8,88,062	27,926	13,[illegible],[illegible]68	665	280,085	4 13 6
2,041·33	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	425,583	4,14,472	60,12,732	8,20,683	28,304	12,63,[illegible]49	619	276,531	4 9 4
2,041·33	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	412,045	3,84,088	54,21,220	8,43, 15	25,863	12,[illegible],[illegible]06	614	274,061	4 9 0
2,045·03	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	422,019	3,76,084	49,30,968	7,43,810	26,601	11,46,495	561	260,757	[illegible] 4 0
2,049·96	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	373,357	3,73,641	64,79,724	8,63,018	26,808	12,[illegible],465	616	271,293	4[illegible]10 5
2,050·38	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	382,701	3,59,779	68,75,259	9,99,026	3[illegible]889	13,91,654	679	280,906	4 12 10
2,051·07	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	395,255	3,91,755	69,08,480	9,14,014	30,[illegible]13	13,35,982	651	293,120	4 8 5
2,051·07	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	443,159	4,35,554	57,01,210	8,92,604	30,737	13,58,895	663	301,798	4 8 1
2,051·07	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	403,130	4,09,056	51,58,016	8,77,050	31,121	13,17,827	644	292,798	4 8 0
2,051·07	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	403,409	4,40,809	54,22,807	9,27,713	29 638	13,98,160	682	283,380	4 14 11
2,051·07	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	439,829	4,51,703	52,28,286	8,59,059	32,551	13,43,073	655	287,109	4 10 10
2,051·07	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	403,814	4,33,585	50,49,453	8,29,841	29,348	12,92,774	630	276,483	4 11 1
2,051·07	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	385,224	4,37,172	64,05,073	10,08,[illegible]7	34,428	15,[illegible],677	750	301,896	5 1 6
2,051·07	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	365,710	4,18,983	62,65,838	10,00,[illegible]30	30,281	15,30,954	751	312,173	4 14 11
2,051·07	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	414,971	4,77,913	64,48,697	10,21,536	33,594	15,33,043	747	314,447	4 14 6
	Totals up to date ...	7,652,293	76,54,685	10,61,03,089	1,64,14,401	5,38,789	2,46,07,875	662	5,246,543	4 11 1

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 3rd November 1906 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	24,420	5,981 6 0	13,273 0	551 0 0	6 0 0	6,538 0 0	.....	225	1,188
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	269 0 10	.....	24 12 7	0 4 4	.....	.....	.....	.....
For previous 17 weeks of half-year	372,684*	87,153 0 0†	2,54,288 0†	10,318 0 0†	153 0 0‡	97,624 0 0	17,369§	3,809§	20,178
Total for 18 weeks ...	397,104	93,134 0 0	2,67,561 0	10,869 0 0	159 0 0	1,04,163 0 0	17,332	4,034	21,366
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	26,244	6,271 3 6	24,282 30	1,108 4 0	9 1 0	7,388 8 6	986		1,312
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.		282 1 9		49 13 8	0 6 6	332 5 11			
Total for corresponding 18½ weeks of previous year.	380,627	87,°58 8 11	2,64,598 10	9,700 6 0	145 0 9	97,193 15 8	17,544	4,068	21,612

† Deducted No. of passengers 1,389 and Added Mds. 515 and deducted
Deducted
Audited figures up to 8th September 1906.

Rs. 333, 54, 7 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 8th September 1906.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	Week ended 7th July ...	41,964	10,696	14,889	553	15	11,264	507	1,252	8 15 11
*22·23	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	24,540	5,737	10,816	416	13	6,166	277	1,190	5 2 11
*22·23	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	21,707	5,008	11,170	374	6	5,388	242	1,256	4 4 8
*22·23	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	17,649	4,140	5,048	242	9	4,391	198	1,126	3 14 5
*22·23	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	21,759	5,656	10,176	330	13	5,999	270	1,208	4 15 8
*22·23	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	20,034	4,601	7,934	330	12	4,943	222	1,100	4 7 11
*22·23	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	17,511	3,636	5,030	224	7	3,867	174	1,228	3 2 5
*22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	16,747	3,596	9,455	404	9	4,009	180	1,188	3 6 0
*22·23	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	16,049	3,471	6,250	270	7	3,748	169	1,190	3 2 5
*22·23	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	18,391	4,402	10,998	405	2	3,809	216	1,124	4 4 6
22·23	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	20,744	4,606	12,112	512	8	5,126	231	1,188	4 5 0
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	22,623	5,251	20,243	786	9	6,046	272	1,188	5 1 5
22·23	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	21,004	4,884	18,033	755	9	5,648	254	1,188	4 12 1
22·23	,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	23,020	5,721	25,345	987	9	6,717	302	1,188	5 10 5
22·23	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	23,703	5,261	30,691	1,312	9	6,582	296	1,188	5 8 8
22·23	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	22,345	4,945	27,208	1,188	8	6,141	276	1,188	5 2 8
22·23	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	24,894	5,542	28,010	1,230	8	6,780	305	1,188	5 11 4
22·23	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	24,420	5,981	13,273	551	6	6,538	294	1,188	5 8 1
	Totals up to date ...	397,104	93,134	2,67,561	10,869	159	1,04,162	260	21,366	4 14 0

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. 1905.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 8 days of July ...	25,207	5,782	11,209	394	19	6,195	279	1,228	4 13 4
22·23	Week ended 15th ,, ...	33,950	7,842	9,826	283	9	8,134	366	1,252	6 7 11
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	26,398	6,519	5,291	212	4	6,735	303	1,010	6 10 8
22·23	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	15,036	3,679	4,223	171	14	3,864	174	1,334	2 13 8
22·23	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	15,506	3,494	13,446	276	9	3,779	170	1,196	3 3 7
22·23	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	21,980	5,499	4,963	227	6	5,732	258	1,032	5 8 10
22·23	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	19,279	4,239	42,165	627	6	4,872	219	834	5 13 6
22·23	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	16,249	3,484	7,738	411	8	3,903	176	1,780	2 3 1
22·23	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	16,899	3,748	7,701	311	4	4,060	183	1,186	3 6 9
22·23	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	19,330	4,394	10,749	402	8	4,864	219	1,186	4 1 7
22·23	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	20,267	4,248	10,087	457	9	4,694	211	1,186	3 15 4
22·23	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	18,033	3,906	17,287	694	6	4,606	207	1,168	3 15 2
22·23	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	18,097	3,943	13,811	633	6	4,581	206	1,142	4 0 2
22·23	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	24,027	5,877	14,706	655	8	6,540	294	1,056	6 3 1
22·23	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	23,070	5,256	19,491	857	9	6,119	275	1,296	4 11 7
22·23	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	20,600	4,631	24,573	1,069	4	5,704	257	1,210	4 11 1
22·23	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	20,446	4,540	22,981	873	10	5,423	244	1,186	4 9 2
22·23	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	26,244	6,272	24,282	1,108	9	7,389	332	1,212	6 1 6
	Totals up to date ...	380,027	87,349	2,64,598	9,700	145	97,194	241	21,612	4 7 11

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 3rd November 1906 on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Traffic for the week	25,730	25,255 0 0	1,32,433 0	13,333 0 0	64 0 0		9,204	4,398	
Per mile of railway	.....	155 8 9	.....	82 1 11	0 6 4		.....	.....	
Previous 17 weeks of half-year	448,236*	3,41,782 0 0*	23,88,927 0†	2,44,002 0 0†	969 0 0‡		154,915§	61,389§	
Total for 18 weeks ...	473,969	3,67,037 0 0	25,21,360 0	2,57,335 0 0	1,033 0 0	6,25,405 0 0	164,209	68,787	232,996
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	24,104	26,960 9 1	2,52,367 10	22,721 0 0	76 14 9	49,758 7 10	9,539	4,283	13 822
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.		166 0 10		139 15 1	0 7 7	306 7 6			
Total for corresponding 18½ weeks previous year.	484,964	3,93,599 0 4	33,18,087 20	3,04,992 6 0	1,104 2 6	6,99,695 8 10	140,686	72,438	219 124

* Deducted No. of passengers 933 Rs. 1,613
† Added Mds. 31,214 ,, 3,109 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 8th
‡ Do. ,, 24 } September 1906.
§ Audited figures up to 8th September 1906.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.

Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
	No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
Week ended 7th July ...	31,157	21,273	1,36,000	13,005	58	34,336	211	18,124	2 9 10
,, ,, 14th ,, ...	28,355	20,955	98,230	15,313	54	36,322	223	14,036	2 9 3
,, ,, 21st ,, ...	27,950	20,413	1,49,343	16,782	71	37,266	230	13,717	2 11 6
,, ,, 28th ,, ...	26,476	18,151	1,71,547	16,351	67	34,569	213	12,986	2 10 7
,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	28,812	19,151	1,08,463	12,802	39	31,992	197	12,667	2 8 5
,, ,, 11th ,, ...	27,274	17,835	81,520	9,347	58	27,240	168	11,953	2 4 6
,, ,, 18th ,, ...	26,597	17,244	1,84,767	15,071	59	32,374	190	13,372	2 6 9
,, ,, 25th ,, ...	28,542	19,339	1,76,764	16,791	64	35,194	217	13,924	2 11 3
,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	29,027	20,453	2,28,587	12,858	63	33,374	206	11,795	2 13 4
,, ,, 8th ,, ...	23,797	18,595	1,09,597	16,297	78	34,970	215	12,168	2 13 0
,, ,, 15th ,, ...	24,167	17,884	1,21,591	11,728	51	29,663	183	12,805	2 4 11
,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	23,034	16,862	1,23,821	11,701	52	28,615	177	12,926	2 3 6
,, ,, 29th ,, ...	29,263	20,344	1,04,397	13,818	53	34,215	211	13,713	2 11 1
,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	25,689	21,009	1,34,302	16,411	52	37,503	231	13,038	2 14 0
,, ,, 13th ,, ...	25,204	22,119	1,37,840	15,155	49	37,323	230	12,721	2 14 11
,, ,, 20th ,, ...	23,609	26,007	1,24 313	14,637	53	40,697	251	12,807	3 2 10
,, ,, 27th ,, ...	23,886	24,078	1,40,005	16,945	59	41,082	253	13,402	3 1 1
,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	25,730	25,255	1,32,433	13,333	64	38,652	238	13,692	2 13 2
Totals up to date ...	473,969	3,67,037	25,21,360	2,57,385	1,033	6,25,405	214	2,32,996	2 10 11

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. 1905

	No of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P
First 8 days of July	33,258	24,092	2,64,455	20,023	63	44,178	272	14,024	3 2 7
Week ended 15th ,, ...	29,337	23,387	1,47,254	13,305	53	35,745	220	12,280	2 13 3
,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	27,096	19,733	1,60,854	17,037	62	36,832	227	10,970	3 5 9
,, ,, 29th ,, ...	27,252	19,942	2,63,735	24,858	48	44,848	276	11,076	4 0 9
,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	25,176	18,903	1,66,867	16,189	39	35,130	216	10,838	3 3 5
,, ,, 12th ,, ...	26,426	19,446	1,16,499	10,573	41	30,065	185	11,028	2 11 7
,, ,, 19th ,, ...	25,705	18,499	83,327	9,608	39	28,146	173	11,253	2 8 9
,, ,, 26th ,, ...	24,052	18,352	2,40,494	16,427	46	34,825	214	10,697	3 4 5
,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	25,359	20,111	1,65,001	16,460	76	36,647	313	14,380	2 14 4
,, ,, 9th ,, ...	25,907	19,386	1,69,211	19,002	68	38,456	237	11,686	3 5 8
,, ,, 16th ,, ...	21,640	18,950	2,11,073	16,996	112	36,058	222	11,100	3 4 9
,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	19,758	17,243	2,28,260	15,611	44	32,898	203	11,486	2 14 1
,, ,, 30th ,, ...	22,930	20,233	1,49,550	14,940	47	35,220	217	11,854	3 0 4
,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	25,626	21,618	1,23,536	15,744	60	37,422	230	11,653	3 3 5
,, ,, 14th ,, ...	25,286	21,568	1,49,682	20,291	55	41,914	258	10,918	3 13 5
,, ,, 21st ,, ...	24,455	23,526	1,71,414	16,622	82	40,120	247	14,351	2 13 9
,, ,, 28th ,, ...	21,568	23,051	1,62,488	18,695	88	42,424	201	10,021	2 10 4
,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	24,104	26,960	2 52,367	22,721	77	49,758	306	13,822	3 9 7
Totals up to date ...	484,964	3,93,599	33,18,087	3,04,992	1,104	6,99,695	238	219,124	3 3 1

* Audited figures.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 3rd November 1906 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and — additional 8 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	56,776	36,307 0 0	4,05,021 0	55,777 0 0	5,390 0 0	97,534 0 0	12,520	16,811	29,331
Or per mile of railway	73·93	47·35	525·32	72·34		126·38	16·30	21·80	38·
For previous 17 weeks of half-year ...	785,189	4,75,418 0 0	63,22,701 0	9,35,886 0 0	1,16,484 0 0	15,27,788 0 0	195,015	307,367	502,382
Total for 18 weeks* ...	841,965	5,11,725 0 0	70,27,722 0	9,91,663 0 0	1,21,874 0 0	13,25,322 0 0	207,535	324,178	531,713
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	48,649	2,169 0 0	2,83,754 0	43,300 0 0	7,630 0 0	83,099 0 0	10,810	14,670	25,480
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year .	66·01	43·65	383·45	58·51	10·31	112·47	14·67	19·82	34·
Total to corresponding date of previous year	893,625	4,37,836 0 0	47,37,491 0	7,53,975 0	99,033 0 0	12,90,944 0 0	187,736	327,119	514,855

* Includes Nonkhah Railway earnings Rs. 20,635 and train-mileage 15,372.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway

Receipts for week ending 3rd November 1906.			Receipts for week ending 4th November 1905.			Total receipts from 1st April 1906 to 3rd November 1906.			Total receipts from 1st April 1905 to 4th November 1905.			Total increase in 1906.	Total decrease in 1906.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.		Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
		Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
97,534		126·68	740	83,099	112·47	771	25,77,755	...	740	19,01,823	...	5,65,332	

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 3rd November 1906 on 1,548 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles ru		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Tot
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,548 miles open ..	518,229	(a) 2,15,660	7,88,600	(b) 1,20,790	(c) 21,280	3,60,670	51,556	(d) 43,201	94
Or per mile of railway	334·79	139·28	509·37	78·03	13·68	23·99			
For previous 17 weeks of half-year (e)	4,561,580	17,16,754	1,29,96,137	15,57,408	3,16,879	35,91,021	830,631	600,679	1,43
Total for 18 weeks ...	5,079,840	19,32,334	1,37,84,637	16,78,198	3,41,159	39,51,691	882,087	643,880	1,52
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,467 miles open	292,061	1,05,091	8,33,378	1,06,569	14,849	2,26,509	44,725	(f) 34,839	
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	158·19	71·64	568·08	72·65	10·12	154·40			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	4,426,055	17,23,374	1,30,18,670	14,70,932	2,95,914	34,90,220	836,872	590,424	1,42
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week		4·18		2·80		3·81			
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year ...		2·35		3·06		2·84			

(a) Increase mainly under local and foreign outward, and is chiefly due to Sonepore mela held earlier this year.
(b) Ditto chiefly under foreign inward; decrease in weight due to less local bookings owing to Sonepore mela.
(c) Ditto principally under steam-boat.
(d) Includes 360 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Ditto audited figures up to week ending 22nd September 1906.
(f) Ditto 5,762 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 3rd November 1906 on 1,271 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including steam-boat).	Total earnings.	Traffic		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	408,840	1,98 350 0 0	18,94,3'0 0	3,83,811 0 0	21,710 0 0	6,05,860 0 0	,61 534	63,654	125,188
Or per mile of railway ...	322	156 0 0	1,490 0	303 0 0	1 0 0*	460 0 0*	.....		
For previous 17 weeks of half-year†	6,140,642	25,98,433 0 0	8,46,14,780 0	57,71,1'6 0 0	4,60,081 0 0	88,38,700 0 0	1,035,006	957,411	1,992,477
Total for 18 weeks	6,549,482	27,96,773 0 0	8,65,09,110 0	61,56,996 0 0	4,80,791 0 0	94,44 560 0 0	1,096,600	1,021,065	2,117,665
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	386,813	1,75,389 0 0	15,06,423 0	3,20,788 0 0	17,560 0 0	5,13,986 0 0	58,507	48,701	107,208
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,230 miles)	315	142 0 0	1,274 0	261 0 0	1 0 0	401 0 0	.....		
Total to corresponding date of previous year	5,904,780	25,47,755 0 0	2,94,58,139 0	52 87,929 0 0	5,05,681 0 0	83,41,365 0 0	1,013,164	864,294	1,877,758

* Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 20,820.
† Audited up to week ending 22nd September 1906.
Increase chiefly in jute traffic.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 3rd November 1906 on 85 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	38,490	13,800 0 0	84,420 0	7,830 0 0	120 0 0	21,750 0 0	3,712	3,068	6,780
Or per mile of railway	448	161 0 0	992 0	91 0 0	1 0 0	253 0 0			
For previous 17 weeks of half-year*	5,91,146	1,80,871 0 0	10,44,737 0	93,498 0 0	3,957 0 0	2,78,326 0 0	75,332	29,441	1,04,773
Total for 18 weeks	6,29,636	1,94,671 0 0	11,29,157 0	1,01,328 0 0	4,077 0 0	3,00 076 0 0.	79.044	32,509	1,11,553
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	37,853	11,934 0 0	85,327 0	6,620 0 0	204 0 0	18,758 0 0	3,159	2,643	5,802
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	440	139 0 0	992 0	77 0 0	2 0 0	218 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	5,78,350	1,65,954 0 0	11,14,081 0	84,234 0 0	3,532 0 0	2,53,720 0 0	57,428	33,316	90,744

* Audited up to week ending 22nd September 1906.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 3rd November 1906 on 33 6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	11,660	4,170 0 0	16,760 0	1,160 0 0	10 0 0	5,340 0 0	480	(a) 976	1,456
Or per mile of railway	347	124 0 0	499 0	35 0 0		159 0 0	.....		
For previous 17 weeks of half-year*	45,812	17,432 0 0	5,54,684 0	30,293 0 0	294 0 0	48,099 0 0	7,279	23,614	80,890
Total for 18 weeks ...	57,472	21,602 0 0	5,71,444 0	31,453 0 0	304 0 0	53,349 0 0	7,759	24,587	32,346
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	3,560	1,403 0 0	12,371 0	1,107 0 0	11 0 0	2,521 0 0	476		
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	106	43 0 0	368 0	33 0 0	.....	75 0 0	.....		
Total to corresponding date of previous year	55,206	19,605 0 0	2,29,033 0	19,051 0 0	218 0 0	38,904 0 0	8,894	7,719	16,610

* Audited up to week ending 22nd September 1906.
(a) Includes ballast train miles 400.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 3rd November 1906 on 50·69 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
al traffic for the week ...	14,760	3,950 0 0	63,890 0	3,500 0 0	70 0 0	7,520 0 0	1,715	885	2,600
per mile of railway ...	291	78 0 0	1,260 0	69 0 0	1 0 0	148 0 0			
r previous 17 weeks of half-	169,961	48,371 0 0	7,21,709 0	41,709 0 0	737 0 0	93,817 0 0	23,012	13,243	36,255
Total for 16 weeks ...	184,721	52,321 0 0	7,85,599 0	48,209 0 0	807 0 0	1,01,337 0 0	24,727	14,128	38,855
COMPARISON.									
tal for corresponding week f previous year	10,743	2,965 0 0	43,734 0	2,240 0 0	56 0 0	5,270 0 0	1,140	512	1,652
r mile of railway correspond- ing week of previous year ...	209	58 0 0	851 0	44 0 0	1 0 0	103 0 0			
tal to corresponding date of previous year	158,336	44,428 0 0	7,30,062 0	35,935 0 0	598 0 0	80,961 0 0	20,707	9,586	30,293

* Audited up to week ending 22nd September 1906.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 10th November 1906	Coaching ...	9,518 0 0	
	Goods ...	9,845 0 0	19,508 0 0
	Other earnings ...	105 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1905 ..	Coaching ...	14,337 0 0	
	Goods ...	11,940 0 0	26,443 0 0
	Other earnings ...	166 0 0	
	Decrease ...		6,935 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 10th November 1906			382 8 2
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905			518 7 10
	Decrease ...		135 15 8
Receipts from 1st July to 10th November 1906			3,38,411 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905			3,52,412 0 0
	Decrease ...		14,001 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

TOUR PROGRAMME OF HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1906.

Month and date.	Day of the week.	Stations.	Standard time.	Remarks.
1906.				
28th November	Wednesday ...	Halt at Cooch Behar.		
29th „ ...	Thursday ...	Leave ditto ...	18	C. B. State Railway.
		Arrive Gitaldaha ...	20	
		Leave ditto ...	21	
30th „ ...	Friday ...	Arrive Saraghat ...	7 A.M.	
		Leave ditto ...	7-20 A.M.	
		Arrive Damukdiaghat	7-50 A.M.	
		Leave ditto ...	8-10 A.M.	
		Arrive Calcutta ...	11-30 A.M.	

NOTE.—(1) The party accompanying His Honour will be—

Lady Fraser.
Captain J. S. Maidlow, R.F.A., Private Secretary.
Mrs. Maidlow.
Captain J. F. Todd, Aide-de-Camp.

(2) The Commissioner and Collectors within their respective charges.

(3) Letters and telegrams should be addressed to the "Lieutenant-Governor's Camp, Bengal," without the addition of the name of any post-town.

(4) His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor's arrivals and departures will be private at all stations. The usual salutes will be fired at Calcutta.

By order,

J. S. MAIDLOW, CAPT.,
Private Secretary to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 19th November 1906.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4151A.—The 26th November 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 45 of the Indian Councils Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., c. 67), and section 1 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892 (55 and 56 Vict., c. 14), and the orders issued thereunder, and with the previous sanction of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to renominate the Hon'ble Mr. Robert Warrand Carlyle, C.I.E., Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, to be a Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, with effect from the 5th December 1906.

Council.

M. C. MCALPIN,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 4239A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 4154A.—The 26th November 1906.*—Mr. W. S. Adie, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Burdwan.

Burdwan. 24-Parganas.

Mr. Adie is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

No. 4160A.—The 26th November 1906.—Mr. J. A. Ezechiel, Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector, Nadia, *vice* Mr. R. S. Greenshields, on leave.

Nadia.

Mr. Ezechiel is appointed to act, until further orders, in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

No. 4162A.—The 26th November 1906.—Mr. F. W. Ward, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Nadia,

Nadia. Midnapore.

No. 4165A.—The 26th November 1906.—Mr. Manmatha Krishna Deb, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Gaya district.

Midnapore. Gaya.

No. 4187A.—The 27th November 1906.—Mr. F. R. Roe, District and Sessions Judge, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 4189A.—The 27th November 1906.—Mr. Shashi Bhushan Chaudhuri, District and Sessions Judge, Hooghly, is appointed to be Additional District and Sessions Judge, Jessore-Khulna, and also to act, until further orders, as Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, Hooghly.

Hooghly. Jessore. Khulna.

No. 4195A.—The 27th November 1906.—Maulvi Saiyid Ali Hasan, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darbhanga, is transferred temporarily to the Samastipur subdivision of that district.

Darbhanga.

No. 4224A.—The 27th November 1906.—Babu Narendra Kumar Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Kendrapara subdivision of that district, *vice* Babu Purna Chandra Mallik.

Cuttack.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 4179A.—The 27th November 1906.*—Major (Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel) W. R. Haughton, V. D., Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles, is appointed to act as Commandant of that Corps, during the absence, on leave, of Lieutenant-Colonel H. P. Burt, or until further orders.

POLICE.—*No. 4081A.—The 22nd November 1906.*—Mr. T. J. A. Craig, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is posted to Darbhanga, on being relieved of his appointment as Officiating Superintendent of Police of that district.

Darbhanga.

No. 4083A.—The 22nd November 1906.—Mr. G. C. Denham, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is appointed to be Assistant Superintendent of Police of the Bengal and North-Western Railway, on being relieved of his appointment as Officiating Superintendent of Police, Manbhum.

Manbhum.

No. 4085A.—The 22nd November 1906.—Mr. J. F. Dickinson, Assistant Superintendent of Police, on leave, is posted to the 24-Parganas district.

24-Parganas.

No. 4087A.—The 22nd November 1906.—Mr. F. C. Swaine, Assistant Superintendent of Police, on leave, is posted to Saran.

Saran.

No. 4089A.—The 22nd November 1906.—Mr. C. H. Waterworth, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Bhagalpur, is transferred to Shahabad.

Bhagalpur. Shahabad.

No. 4091A.—The 22nd November 1906.—Mr. W. A. P. Sealy, Probationary Assistant Superintendent of Police, Bhagalpur, is transferred to Patna.

Bhagalpur. Patna.

No. 4228A.—The 27th November 1906.—The Deputy Superintendents of Police named below, who are at present in the Bhagalpur Police Training School, are posted to the districts mentioned against them :—

Bhagalpur.

Maulvi Shahabuddin Khuda Bakhsh	...	...	Patna.
Babu Lalit Mohan Gupta	...	...	Burdwan.
„ Sakhi Chand	...	...	Bhagalpur.

JAILS.—*No. 4113A.—The 24th November 1906.*—Captain R. McL. Dalziell, Superintendent, Central Jail, Buxar, on leave, is appointed to be Superintendent, Central Jail, Midnapore.

Shahabad. Midnapore.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 4105A.—The 23rd November 1906.*—The Revd. H. B. Cogan, D.D., is appointed to be Chaplain of Barrackpore and Dum-Dum, with effect from the date on which he took over charge.

24-Parganas.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 4222A.—The 27th November 1906.*—Babu Purna Chandra Maulik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kendrapura, Cuttack, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1907.

Cuttack.

No. 4226A.—The 27th November 1906.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Khan Bahadur, Officiating Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, is allowed leave for six weeks under articles 260 and 345 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Calcutta.

No. 4234A.—The 27th November 1906.—Babu Nityananda Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darbhanga, was on leave on medical certificate from the 22nd October 1906 up to the 20th November 1906 under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Darbhanga.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 4184A.—The 27th November 1906.*—Lieutenant D. W. Macpherson, Cossipore Artillery Volunteers, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for nine months, with effect from the 10th November 1906.

No. 4185A.—The 27th November 1906.—Commander E. W. Petley, C.I.E (late Navigating Lieutenant, Royal Navy), Honorary Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Viceroy, Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence from the 4th August to the 31st December 1906.

No. 4186A.—The 27th November 1906.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. P. Burt, Commandant, Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence for one year, with effect from the 23rd November 1906.

POLICE.—*No. 4148A.—The 25th November 1906.*—Rai Dinabandhu Bhaumik Bahadur Deputy Superintendent of Police, Purnia, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 31st October 1906.

No 4202A.—The 27th November 1906.—Maulvi Masudul Husain, who has, under the order of the 29th August 1906, been appointed to be a Deputy Superintendent of Police and posted to the head-quarters station of the Bhagalpur district, is allowed leave for two weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 13th October 1906.

Bhagalpur.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal* and *Assam Gazette*, dated the 17th November 1906 :—

No. 11669C.—The 12th November 1906.—Babu Sharat Chandra Ghosh, Munsif of Netrokona, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for 32 days, viz., 6 days under Article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period under Article 271 of the Regulations, with effect from the 21st November 1906.

No. 11708C.—The 15th November 1906.—Mr. Gopal Chandra Banarji is appointed to be Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge of Dacca and Mymensingh.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4213A.—The 27th November 1906.—Mr. Sorab S. Day, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, now employed as Assistant Settlement Officer, Ranchi, having passed an examination in the Munda language, in accordance with the rules laid down in Appendix VI to the Rules for the Departmental Examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 28th May 1895, is authorised to draw the prescribed reward of Rs. 1,000 (one thousand).

Ranchi.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3049L.R.—The 23rd November 1906.—In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 10 of the Sonthal Parganas Settlement Regulation III of 1872, and section 30 of the Sonthal Parganas Rent Regulation II of 1886, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the following rule should be added to Rule 5, and numbered as Rule 5A of the Rules for the conduct of settlement operations in the Sonthal Parganas, published with Notification No. 1967L.R., dated the 10th April 1900, in Part I, pages 344 to 346 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, as amended by Notification No. 2431L.R., dated the 31st July 1903, published in Part I, page 1029 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th August 1906:-

Sonthal Parganas.

V-A. (1) "If any person, after being served with a notice to appear before a Settlement Officer or an Assistant Settlement Officer for any purpose connected with the preparation of the settlement record, fails, without due cause, to obey the notice, he may be summarily fined by such Settlement Officer or Assistant Settlement Officer in a sum not exceeding Rs. 20. Such fine may be realised by attachment and sale of the moveable property of the defaulter.

(2) "When a fine is inflicted under the above clause, the officer imposing it shall draw up a proceeding describing the nature of the offence, the proof of service of the notice and the plea, if any, of the defaulter."

(3) "Such orders when passed by an Assistant Settlement Officer shall be subject to appeal or revision by the Settlement Officer."

No. 3055L.A.—The 21st November 1906.—It is notified for general information that so much of the Declaration No. 2292L.R., dated the 17th July 1905, published at pages 1310 and 1311, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 26th idem, for land required to be taken up for Suburban Drainage Main Sewer No. 2, from Chuckerbere Road, North, to Puddopuker Road, as refers to the acquisition of premises Nos. 14, 15, 16, 17-1 and 18 Puddopuker Road, and premises Nos. 9, 9-1, 8, 5-2, 6, 7 and 5 Madhub Chatterji, 2nd Lane, and premises Nos. 37-1, 40, 46 and 46-1 Chuckerbere Road, North, is hereby cancelled.

24-Parganas.

No. 3059L.R.—The 21st November 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 55 of the Bengal Drainage Act, 1880 (Ben. Act VI of 1880), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower the Covenanted Deputy Collector of Howrah to do all acts, to discharge all functions, and to exercise all powers which may be done, discharged or exercised by a Collector under the said Act, as amended by the Bengal Drainage (Amendment) Act 1902 (Ben. Act II of 1902), in respect of the following schemes:—

Howrah.

(1) Howrah drainage scheme.
(2) Rajapur and Burajalla drainage scheme.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3050L.A.—The 21st November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of Chapra cutchery compound, in the village of Dahiawan, pargana Manjhi, zilla Saran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 2 cottahs 11 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Saran.

North—By a nala;
South—By Government land (Collectorate compound);
East—By a drain and the District Board road;
West—By the Opium godown and compound—

is required within the aforesaid village of Dahiawan.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Saran.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bankura.

No. 3051L.A.—The 21st November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Saltora outpost in the village of Saltora, pargana Mohisara, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha and 9 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By Kurharam Sadhu, Ambika Misir, Hrishikesh Porohit and Makhan Napit's *bastu* and *udbastu* lands;
East—By road to Purulia;
South—By pathway;
West—By Nilmony Babu's *bastu*—

is required within the aforesaid village of Saltora.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bankura.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Gaya.

No. 3052L.A.—The 21st November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of mufassal thana (police-station) compound, in the village of Nauranga, pargana Maher, zilla Gaya, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land measuring, more or less, 18 cottahs 13 chitaks of standard measurement—

First piece.—Bounded on the north by the waste land of village Nauranga and Gaya-Nawada Road, on the south by the waste land of Nauranga and Go-rakshni compound wall, on the west by Gaya-Nawadah Road, and on the east by mufassal thana building and its compound;

Second piece.—Bounded on the north by the waste land of Nauranga, houses of Audhi Halwayee, Baba Balik Dass and Mahadeo Kahar and Gaya-Nawadah Road, on the south by the Gaya-mufassal thana building and its compound, on the east by the waste land and pyne of Nauranga, and on the west by the waste land of Nauranga—

are required within the aforesaid village of Nauranga, pargana Maher.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Gaya.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Champaran.

No. 3053L.A.—The 21st November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for khalasis' shed at Malconia, in the village of Malconia, pargana Semrown, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

East—By Patahi Branch Canal,
North—By Motia Diversion,
West—By mangoe tope } of Chethuroo Singh, Jonokedhari Singh, Raj Koomer
South— Ditto } Singh, Sewnandan Singh,

is required within the aforesaid village of Malconia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3056L.A.—The 21st November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Municipality for a public purpose, viz., Suburban Drainage Main Sewer No. 2 and for widening portion of Chuckerbere Road, North, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose pieces of land, Nos. 37-1, 40, 41, 42, 42-1, 43, 44, 45, 48-3, 49, and 49-1 Chuckerbere Road, North, and No. 15 Puddopuker Road, in Calcutta, district 24-Parganas, measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 4 cottahs are required. The boundaries of the lands are as follows :—

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PLOT MARKED A ON PLAN.

On the north—Chuckerbere Road, North,
On the south—Puddopuker Road,
On the east—The remaining portion of premises No. 15 Puddopuker Road, and
On the west—Partly by Chuckerbere Road, North, and partly by Puddopuker Road.

PLOT MARKED A-1 ON PLAN.

On the north—Premises No. 1 Balaram Bose's 1st Lane,
On the south—Premises No. 48-2 Chuckerbere Road, North,
On the east—Chuckerbere Road, North, and
On the west—Partly by premises No. 1 Balaram Bose's 1st Lane, and partly by No. 12 Puddopuker Road.

PLOT MARKED B ON PLAN.

On the north and west—Chuckerbere Road, North,
On the south—The remaining portion of No. 45 Chuckerbere Road, North, and
On the east—Premises Nos. 43-1 and 46 Chuckerbere Road, North, and the remaining portion of premises No. 45 Chuckerbere Road, North.

PLOT MARKED C ON PLAN.

On the north and west—The remaining portion of premises No. 49 Chuckerbere Road, North,
On the south—Chuckerbere Road, North, and
On the east—Partly by Chuckerbere Road, North, and partly by Ram Mohun Dutt's Lane.

PLOT MARKED DD ON PLAN.

On the north and west—Chuckerbere Road, North.
On the south—The remaining portions of Nos. 40, 41, 42, 42-1 and 43 Chuckerbere Road, North, and
On the east—Madhub Chatterjee's 2nd Lane.

PLOT MARKED E ON PLAN.

On the north—Chuckerbere Road, North,
On the south—The remaining portion of No. 37-1 Chuckerbere Road, North,
On the east—No. 9 Madhab Chatterjee's 1st Lane (already declared for acquisition), and
On the west—No. 38 Chuckerbere Road, North, (already declared for acquisition).

A plan of the land may be inspected at the office of the Corporation.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3057L.A.—The 21st November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Howrah for a public purpose, viz., for widening the Angul Station Road, in the village of Jhorehat, pargana Arsha, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land

Hooghly.

measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs 5 chitaks 12 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By land and premises of Bhushan Chandra Ghose and others,
East—By land of Panchanon Das,
South—By Andul Feeder Road,
West—By land of Goloke Chandra Bank,

is required within the aforesaid village of Jhorehat.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector of Howrah.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 3058L.A.—The 21st November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for extension of Ballast siding, in the village of Bodma, taluk Pabia, zilla Sonthal Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 28 bighas 2 cottahs 10½ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the land of East Indian Railway Company, applied for relinquishment, on the south by waste land and Bodma hill, on the east by lands of Manmohan Das, Nityanand Das, Babal Das, Jugal Das, Dinu Mandal, Atal Das, Ramtanu Das, Godayee Das, Thakur Das, Lutu Manjhi, Phagou Manjhi, Hibayee Manjhi and Hiba Manjhi, and a bandh and chaukidari and chakran lands, and on the west by lands of Ramtanu Das, Jadavendra Gosain, Babal Dasi Jugal Das, Mandal Manjhi, Godayee Das, Atal Das, Muchi Ram Mandal, Chandrabati Dasi, Hebai Manjhi, Heba Manjhi and others and chaukidari and chakran lands, is required within the aforesaid village of Bodma.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Ranchi.

No. 3060L.A.—The 23rd November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the construction of the Purulia-Ranchi Railway, in the village of Siram, pargana Udaipur, zilla Ranchi, in addition to what has already been notified in Declaration No. 3613L.R., dated the 19th December 1905, published at pages 2046 and 2047, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th idem, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two strips of land on both sides and in continuation of the land already declared for acquisition, varying in width from 130 to 1,650 feet up to the Doranda river, and measuring, more or less, 285 bighas and 4 chittaks of standard measurement, are required within the aforesaid village of Siram.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the Office of the Land Acquisition Officer, Purulia-Ranchi Railway, at Ranchi.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 3103L.A.—The 24th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, for a public purpose, viz., for works to be constructed and carried out by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta under the provisions of Act III (B.C.) of 1890, in the town of Calcutta,

zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs 15 chittaks 5 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the north, east and west by the Port Commissioners' land and on the south by Upper Chitpore Road, is required within the aforesaid town of Calcutta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Chief Engineer to the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3104L.A.—The 24th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Delang outpost in the village of Rench, taluk Delang, tauzi No. 257, pargana Lembai, zilla Puri, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 acre only of standard measurement, bounded as follows :—

Puri.

North—Patnaikia Road,
South— } Land belonging to Ghansyam Naik of Rench,
West— }
East—Land belonging to Dharmu Khatai of Rench—

is required within the aforesaid village of Rench.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Superintendent of Police, Puri.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3105L.A.—The 24th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the protection of the Darjeeling Hill Cart Road in the village of Gyabari, pargana Darjeeling, zilla Darjeeling, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 13 poles, bounded on the—

Darjeeling.

North—By the land of the Gyabari Tea Estate ,
East—By the boundary of the short-cut reserve land ;
South—By the land of the Gyabari Tea Estate ;
West—By a *jhora* —

is required within the aforesaid village of Gyabari.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894 to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3106L.A.—The 22nd November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the site of the Tangy Police outpost in the village of Tangy, zilla Kuhuri, killa Khurda, zilla Puri, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·280 acre of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Puri.

North—By land belonging to Dasrathi Bahabalindra ;
South— } By Government waste land ;
East— }
West—By roadside land of Madras Trunk Road —

is required within the aforesaid village of Tangy.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Magistrate of Puri.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3121.—The 26th June 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for a frontage to the Temple Medical School and the Oriental Public Library, Bankipur, in the village of Muradpur, pargana Azimabad, zilla Patna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 11 bighas 9 cottahs 8·35 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Patna.

North—By the compound of the Temple Medical School,

South—By the main road from Bankipur to the Patna City,

East—By the compound of the Oriental Public Library and the houses of Khan Bahadur Dr Asdar Ali Khan and B. Deonath Sahay,

West—By the shop of Burman & Co. and waste land of Sital Kharadi,

is required within the aforesaid village of Muradpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Patna.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the provisions of section 20 of Act VI of 1876, as amended by Act V of 1884, Babu Srinath Chatterji, 2nd Manager of Wards' and Encumbered Estates in the district of Hazaribagh, is appointed in place of Babu Krishna Chandra Ghosh, 1st Manager, to be the Manager, and the management is vested in him, of the undermentioned six encumbered estates in the district of Hazaribagh, with effect from 1st November 1906:—

	Name of estate.			Name of proprietor.
1.	Nowdiha	...	...	Tikait Umaid Narain Singh.
2.	Dighi	...	...	Thakur Kharagdhari Singh.
3.	Chakmanjo	...	...	Tikait Tulsi Narain Singh.
4.	Jeridih	...	...	Tikait Bichitra Narain Singh.
5.	Morna	...	...	Babus Lachmi Prosad, Rudra Prosad and Kunj Behari Prosad.
6.	Satgawan	...	...	Tikait Kunj Behari Narain Deo.

E. A. GAIT, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RANCHI, *the 23rd October 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the provisions of section 2, Act VI of 1876, as amended by Act V of 1884, Babu Ashutosh Mukherji, 1st Manager of the Wards' and Encumbered Estates in the district of Ranchi, is appointed to be the Manager, and the management is vested in him, of the undermentioned immoveable property of Babu Padma Lochan Singh of Mardhan, and of any other immoveable property to which the said holder is entitled in his own right, or which he is entitled to redeem, or which may be acquired by, or devolve on, him or his heirs during the continuance of such management:—

Name of estate.	Name of holder.
Mardhan including 21 villages—	Babu Padma Lochan Singh.
1. Arahanga.	
2. Kuda.	
3. Selaidih.	
4. Baroo.	
5. Meramjanjha.	
6. Gumandih.	
7. Kutachauli.	
8. Udaidih.	
9. Madhudih.	
10. Kadamdih.	
11. Goolibarou.	
12. Dhachadih.	
13. Goora.	
14. Roladih.	
15. Japuo.	
16. Jargo.	
17. Boorosegoo.	
18. Booroodih.	
19. Domodih.	
20. Cheroodih	
21. Malhan.	

(As per settlement paper.)

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RANCHI, *the 14th November 1906.* F. A. GAIT, *Commissioner.*

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 890-O.—The 24th November 1906.—Mr. A. W. Ross, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Chapra. Chapra, is granted privilege leave for three months under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, combined with furlough for six months under article 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st December 1906, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 324Medl.—The 23rd November 1906.—Captain W. W. Clemesha, I.M.S., Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal and Orissa Circle, is allowed privilege leave combined with furlough for two years, viz., privilege leave for three months under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (*b*) of the Regulations, with effect from the 16th November 1906, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it. Calcutta.

No. 327Medl.—The 23rd November 1906.—The services of third grade Assistant Surgeon Bepin Chandra Das Gupta are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, with effect from the 30th November 1906.

No. 339Medl.—The 26th November 1906.—Major W. D. Hayward, I.M.S., is appointed to be Police Surgeon, and Professor of Medical Jurisprudence, Medical College, Calcutta, with effect from the afternoon of the 4th November 1906. Calcutta.

No. 374Medl.—The 27th November 1906.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Surat Lal Basu is promoted to the senior grade.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 691Medl.-P.—The 26th November 1906.—The following notifications issued by the Government of Madras are republished for general information.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, November 12, 1906.

No. 1393.—In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, the Governor in Council hereby appoints the Trichinopoly Fort, Trichinopoly Junction and Trichi Palakarai Railway Stations to be inspection stations under rule 16 of the Madras Plague Regulations in force outside the Presidency Town.

H. D. TAYLOR,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, November 12, 1906.

No. 1394.—Whereas the Governor in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague at Trichinopoly and Srirangam in the Trichinopoly district, if persons from the districts of Salem, Bellary, Malabar, South Canara and the Nilgiris, the Mysore State and other parts declared to be infected with plague are permitted to visit those towns on the occasion of the ensuing Srirangam Vaikunta Ekadasi festival:

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, the Governor in Council prohibits the attendance at the said festival from the 6th December 1906 to the 4th January 1907, inclusive, of persons from the said parts, and further directs that between the said dates no tickets to travel by rail shall be sold at the Gudupalli,

Kuppam, Mulanur, Patchur, Ettakot, Mahe and Tellicherry Railway Stations on the Madras Railway, at the Coonoor, Karteri Road, Runnymede, Hillgrove and Adderley Railway Stations on the Nilgiri Railway and at the Kottur, Ambali, Malavi, Hagaribommanahalli and Hampapatnam Railway Stations on the Southern Mahratta Railway, for the stations of Trichinopoly Fort, Trichinopoly Junction, Trichi Palakarai, Tiruverumbur, Murungapettai, Elamanur and Perugumani on the South Indian Railway to any person intending or believed to be intending to be present.

All persons proceeding to the said festival in contravention of this notification will be turned back.

H. D. TAYLOR,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 4240A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 4205A.—The 27th November 1906.—Babu Naresh Chandra Singh, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Srihari Lahiri, or until further orders.

Jessore.

No. 4230A.—The 27th November 1906.—Babu Gopeswar Banarji, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif, in the district of Birbhum, to be ordinarily stationed at Rampur Hât, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Jagan Mohan Sarkar, or until further orders.

Birbhum.

No. 4232A.—The 27th November 1906.—Babu Umesh Chandra Sen (No. 1), Subordinate Judge, Birbhum, is temporarily appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge, Muzaffarpur.

Birbhum.
Muzaffarpur.

LEAVE.

No. 4236A.—The 21st November 1906.—Babu Jagan Mohan Sarkar, Munsif of Rampur Hât, in the district of Birbhum, is allowed leave for one month, viz., four days under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period under article 271 of the same Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Birbhum.

No. 4237A.—The 22nd November 1906.—Babu Jogesh Chandra Mukharji, Munsif of Madhubani, in the district of Darbhanga, is allowed leave from the 18th September to the 5th November 1906 under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Darbhanga.

No. 4238A.—The 23rd November 1906.—Babu Sri Hari Lahiri, Munsif of Jessore, is allowed leave for twenty days, viz., two days under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period under article 271 of the same Regulations, with effect from the 3rd December 1906, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

Jessore.

POWERS.

No. 4118A..—The 24th November 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Mr. E. H. Berthoud, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Ranchi, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Ranchi.

Mr. Berthoud is vested, under section 407 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, with power to hear appeals from convictions by Magistrates of the second and third classes. Mr. Berthoud is also vested with powers under sections 110, 133, 186, 190 (1) (*c*) and 524 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 4171A.—The 27th November 1906.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers the officers named below to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language:—

Babu Suresh Chandra Sen, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, 24-Parganas.

Babu Jatindra Mohan Chatarji, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 4195A.—The 27th November 1906.—Mr. S. M. Khalil-ur Rahman, Munsif, Bihar, Patna, is vested with the powers of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs 50, within the local limits of the Bihar Munsifi.

Patna.

No. 4197A.—The 27th November 1906.—Mr. A. H. Vernede, Joint-Magistrate, Darbhanga, is vested, under section 407 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, with power to hear appeals from convictions by Magistrates of the second and third classes.

Darbhanga.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3313J.—The 22nd November 1906.—Babu Dina Nath Misra and Chowdhury Mahamad Buksh are re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Katihar, in the district of Purnea.

Purnea.

No. 3318J.—The 22nd November 1906.—Babu Gopal Chandra Palit is re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 3340J.—The 22nd November 1906.—Maulvi Muhammad Waheed is re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Samastipur, in the district of Darbhanga.

Darbhanga.

No. 3371J.—The 24th November 1906.—Mr. K. R Bery is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Daudnagar, in the district of Gaya.

Gaya.

No. 3381J.—The 24th November 1906.—Mr. Charles Thomas Foreman is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Jamalpur, in the district of Monghyr.

Monghyr.

No. 3385J.—The 26th November 1906.—Maulvi Najm-al-Hakk is re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Araria, in the district of Purnea.

Purnea.

No. 3388J.—The 26th November 1906.—Maulvi Muhammad Abdur Rahim and Maulvi Mir Akbar Ali are re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Sadar Independent Bench in the district of Purnea.

Purnea.

No. 3391J.—The 26th November 1906.—Babu Jagannath Trari and Maulvi Muhar Ali are re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Kishanganj, in the district of Purnea.

Purnea.

RESIGNATION.

No. 3316J.—The 22nd November 1906.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Hari Pada Banerjee of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

POWERS.

No. 3314J.—The 22nd November 1906.—Babu Dina Nath Misra and Chowdhury Mahamad Buksh, who have been re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Katihar, in the district of Purnea, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Purnea.

No. 3319J.—The 22nd November 1906.—Babu Gopal Chandra Palit, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Hooghly, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Hooghly.

No. 3341J.—The 22nd November 1906.—Maulvi Muhammad Waheed, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Samastipur, in the district of Darbhanga, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class. He is also authorized to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him.

Darbhanga.

No. 3372J.—The 24th November 1906.—Mr. K. R. Bery, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Daudnagar, in the district of Gaya, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class. He is also authorized to sit singly for the trial of cases, under the Bengal Municipal Act, arising within the Municipality of Daudnagar, which may be made over to him by the Subdivisional Officer of Aurangabad.

Gaya.

No. 3382J.—The 24th November 1906.—Mr. Charles Thomas Foreman, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Jamalpur, in the district of Monghyr, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Monghyr.

No. 3386J.—The 26th November 1906.—Maulvi Najm-al-Hakk, who has been reappointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Araria, in the district of Purnea, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Purnea.

No. 3389J.—The 26th November 1906.—Maulvi Muhammad Abdur Rahim and Maulvi Mir Akbar Ali, who have been re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Sadar Independent Bench in the district of Purnea, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Purnea.

No. 3392J.—The 26th November 1906.—Babu Jagannath Trari and Maulvi Muhar Ali, who have been re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Kishanganj, in the district of Purnea, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Purnea.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3339J.—The 22nd November 1906.—Whereas certain land was acquired by the Bengal Government, under the provisions of Act I of 1894 and Act XVIII of 1885, for a public purpose, viz., for the Chanch Branch of the East Indian Railway at about mile 146¼ from Calcutta, and whereas by Declaration No.1100L.A., dated the 26th February 1906, certain additional land was acquired for a public purpose, viz., for the safety of the Khudia Bridge of Chanch Branch, East Indian Railway, and whereas coal mines are situate under the said land, and whereas the Bengal Coal Company, Limited, have given notice to the Government of Bengal, in accordance with the provisions of Act XVIII of 1885, that the said Company intend to work the mines in question, and whereas the mines have been inspected by the officer appointed by the Bengal Government for the purpose under section 5 (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, and whereas it appears to the Bengal Government that the working out of the coal of the mines underlying the said land is likely to cause damage to the surface of the said land and to the works constructed thereon, and whereas the said Bengal Coal Company, Limited, have agreed not to work and get minerals underlying the land acquired for their siding, or underlying the land acquired for the branch or other lines with which the siding is connected or underlying the land of the branch or branches connecting the said siding with the main line, in such a manner as to injure or to endanger the safety of the undertaking or any part thereof, nor to claim any compensation for any restricted working:

Now, therefore, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to declare, under section 5, sub-section (2), clause (*b*) of the abovementioned Act XVIII of 1885, that the working shall be carried on by the said Bengal Coal Company, Limited, in the manner and subject to the restrictions below specified, viz.—

That the dip gallery marked G on the plan may be made not more than 8 feet high and 8 feet wide; and that one more gallery only may be driven to cross the acquired land between the east and west abutments of the bridge. This new gallery will be a continuation of the gallery marked H on the plan; and that all other workings of the mine under the acquired land shall be in conformity with the dimensions set forth in Declaration No. 1214-T.R., dated the 12th June 1905, and that in all the above cases no further excavation shall be made in any of the galleries which already have been driven, the actual heights and widths of which have been carefully recorded on the plan marked LAMA No. 60 signed by the Chief Inspector of Mines.

The plan referred to may be seen in the office of the Chief Inspector of Mines in India by the parties concerned.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3374J.—The 24th November 1906.—Whereas certain land was acquired by the Bengal Government, under the provisions of Act I of 1894 and Act XVIII of 1885, for a public purpose, viz., for the Bengal Coal Company's Damoodarpore Colliery Assisted Siding and the "Catch Siding" of the East Indian Railway taking off from the Ikrah Branch at about mile 126½, and whereas coal-mines are situate under the said land, and whereas the Bengal Coal Company, Limited, have given notice to the Government of Bengal, in accordance with the provisions of Act XVIII of 1885, that the said Company intend to work the mines, and whereas the mines have been inspected by the officer appointed by the Bengal Government for the purpose under section 5 (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, and whereas it appears to the Bengal Government that the working out of the coal of the mines underlying the said land is likely to cause damage to the surface of the said land and to the works constructed thereon, and whereas the said Bengal Coal Company, Limited, have agreed not to work and get minerals underlying the land acquired for their siding, or underlying the land acquired for the branch or other lines with which the siding is connected or underlying the land of the branch or branches connecting the said siding with the main line, in such a manner as to injure or to endanger the safety of the undertaking or any part thereof, nor to claim any compensation for any restricted working:

Now, therefore, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to declare, under section 5, sub-section (2), clause (*b*) of the abovementioned Act XVIII of 1885, that the working shall be carried on by the said Bengal Coal Company, Limited, in the manner and subject to the restrictions below specified, viz —

The galleries should be made not more than 12 feet wide and 10 feet high, with centres not less than 62 feet apart, forming coal pillars not less than 50 feet square, and in all the above cases no further excavation shall be made in any of the galleries which already have been driven, the actual heights and widths of which have been carefully recorded on the plan marked L. A. M. A. No. 62 signed by the Chief Inspector of Mines.

The plan referred to may be seen in the office of the Chief Inspector of Mines in India by the parties concerned.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

POLITICAL.

No. 2221P.—The 26th November 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12 of the Angul District Regulation, 1894 (I of 1894), as amended by Regulation IV of 1904, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the Court established under the aforesaid section by Notification No. 864P.D., dated the 26th July 1905, shall, notwithstanding anything contained in the said notification, consist of so many officers as the Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time appoint thereto.

Angul.

No. 2225P.—The 26th November 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12 of the Angul District Regulation, 1894 (I of 1894), as amended by Regulation IV of 1904, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Murari Misra, Sub-Deputy Collector, to be a member of the Court established by Notification No. 864P.D., dated the 26th July 1905, read with the subsequent Notification No. 2221P., dated the 26th November 1906.

Angul.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

POLICE.

No. 2158P.—The 26th November 1906.—It is hereby notified that the Proclamation No. 1652P.D., dated the 26th July 1906, published at page 1477, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st August 1906, regarding the quartering of an additional Police force in the villages of Googachi, Kishenpur, Balarampur, Tepra, Chharamari, and Basantpur within the jurisdiction of the Manihari outpost, subordinate to police-station Katihar (Saifgunge) within the Sadar subdivision of the district of Purnea, will take effect from the 21st September 1906 the date on which the additional Police force was entertained.

Purnea.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

POLICE.

No. 2188P.—The 26th November 1906.—Under section 4 (*l*), clause (s) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal declares the undermentioned police-stations on the Bengal and North-Western Railway, including the Tirhoot Railway line, within the limits of Bengal, to be Government Railway police-stations for the local areas specified :—

Champaran.

Police-station.	Magisterial District.	Jurisdiction according to mileage of Railway.	Railway-stations within jurisdiction of Police-station.
		Bettiah to Bagaha.	
Narkatiganj ...	Champaran ...	Distance from Katihar—	Bettiah.
		251·2875 feet to 300·2961 feet.	Chanpatia.
			Sathi.
			Narkatiaganj.
			Harinagore.
			Bhairaganj.
			Khorportira.
			Bagaha.
		Narkatiaganj-Bhikna Thoru Branch.	
		274·1590 feet to 296·1670 feet.	Amalwa.
			Gannaha.
			Bhikna Thoru.
		Narkatiaganj-Bairagnia.	
Raxaul	Ditto	0 to 58·16 chains ...	Bairagnia.
			Khandua.
			Chandpur.
			Ghoora Sohun.
			Chhoru Dana.
			Adupore.
			Raxaul.
			Sikta.
			Gokhula.
			Narkatiaganj.

No. 2232P.—The 26th November 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon each of the undermentioned Presidents of Panchayats in the district of Murshidabad the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by the said officers within the limits of the unions noted against their respective names.

Murshidabad.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by each of the said officers for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

Name of President.	Name and number of Union.
Thana Shahanagar.	
Babu Banku Bihari Sarkar ...	... Muragoaur, I.
Munshi Ghulam Sabdar *alias* Jibu Munshi	... Chunakhali, II.
Thana Manullabazar.	
Babu Ashwini Kumar Sarkar ...	... Beliapukhur, I.
Thana Assanpur.	
Babu Gopi Charan Nashipuri ...	... Assanpur, I.
„ Janaki Nath De ...	... Dahapara, II.

Name of President.	Name and No. of Union.
Sagardighi Independent outpost.	
Babu Girish Chandra Bhattacharji ...	... Bokhara, I.
Maulvi Mahib-ul-lah Haji ...	... Popara, II.
Babu Shashi Bhushan Shaha ...	... Kumarthi, III.
„ Radha Gopal Singh ...	... Balia, IV.
Hemaj-ud-din Haji ...	... Shahapur, V.
Kifayat-ul-lah Sarkar ...	... Gobardhandanga, VI.
Thana Bhagwangola.	
Babu Baidya Nath Parey ...	... Arizpur, I.
„ Sarada Prasad Shaha ...	... Mahisasthali, II.
Sarafat Mandal	... Kantanagar, III.
Babu Surendra Nath Mukharji ...	... Keshaydanga, IV.
„ Pran Krishna Mazumdar ...	... Nazirer Chak, V.
„ Shashi Bhushan Sarkar ...	... Debaipur, VI.
„ Braja Gopal Shaha ...	... Dakshinsahar, VII.
„ Gouri Kanta Das ...	... Radhakantapur, VIII.
„ Kazi Vilayat Husain ...	... Bahadurpur, IX.
„ Radha Mohan Gupta ...	... Paschimpara, X.
Thana Nabagram.	
Munshi Saiyid Hefajat-ul-lah ...	... Panchgram, I.
Babu Rajani Kanta Khamaru ...	... Bilol, II.
Subid Sarkar	... Baghrepara, III.
Babu Dwaraka Nath Raut ...	... Singar, IV.
„ Twarita Nanda Dutta ...	... Nabagram, V.
„ Mahesh Chandra Chatarji ...	... Jalukhan, VI.
„ Hara Kumar Bhattacharji ..	... Kiriteswari, VII.
„ Dina Bandhu Bagchi ...	... Khekul, VIII.
„ Jogendro Nath Bhattacharji ...	... Amarkundu, IX.
Jellanghi Outpost.	
Munshi Taib-ud-din Biswas ...	... Debipur, I.
Babu Nabadwip Chandra De ...	... Dhanirampur, II.
„ Shashadhar Sarkar ...	... Sagarparah, III.
„ Hari Lal Goswami ...	... Dayarampore, IV.
Shashi Bhushan Mazumdar ...	... Jellinghi, V.
Chandra Nath Ray	Shahebrampur, VI.
Kedar Nath Ray	Kuchamara, VII.
Bihari Lal Ray	Garaimari, VIII.
Nabadwip Chandra De	Kusabaria, IX.
Sri Bhushan Sarkar	Bagdanga, X.
Rajendra Nath Pande	Raipur, XI.
Radha Raman Ghosh	Jitpore, XII.
Harendra Narayan Bagchi	Sadmirpore, XIII.
Thana Raninagar.	
Babu Udai Chandra Misra ...	... Majardiar, I.
„ Adhar Chandra Sarkar ...	... Jagirpara, II.
Munshi Yusuf Ali Chaudhuri ...	... Rajapur, III.
„ Jogendra Nath Banerji ...	... Katlamari, IV.
Munshi Haji Hafiz-ud-din Sarkar ...	... Raninagar, V.
„ Sabit Rahman Khan ...	... Gawas, VI.
Babu Rajendra Narayan Das Gupta	... Islampore, VII.
„ Shashi Bhushan Ghosh ...	... Herampore, VIII.
Munshi Ghulam Abbas Mandal ...	... Kalinagar, IX.
Hurshi Outpost.	
Mr. R. G. Macdonell ...	... Murcha, I.
Babu Gobinda Lal Thakur ...	... Hurshi, II.
Munshi Kazi Tufail Husain ...	.. Pamaipore, III.
„ Sadagar Sarkar ...	... Bardhanpur, IV.

Name of President.		Name and No. of Union.
	Thana Damkal.	
Babu Charu Krishna Chaudhuri	...	Bhagirathpur, I.
Mr. W. Stenhouse ...	...	Damkal, II.
Babu Ram Brahma Sarkar	...	Dakhinnagar, III.
„ Debaki Nandan Sen	...	Juginda, IV.
	Thana Nawada.	
Babu Kedar Nath Mukharji	...	Trimohini, I.
„ Radhika Prasad Bajpai	...	Ryepur, II.
„ Shashi Bhushan Rudra	...	Madhupur, III.
„ Ram Sagar Biswas	...	Sakoan, IV.
„ Paresh Nath Banarji	...	Nawada, V.
Mr. E. B. Hill ...	...	Chandpur, VI.
Babu Kali Pada Mazumdar	...	Bali, VII.
„ Gobinda Chandra Bajpai	...	Sarbangapur, VIII.
	Thana Hariharpara.	
Babu Jiban Gopal Banarji	...	Khedirpur, I.
„ Raman Das Ghoshal	...	Hariharpara, II.
„ Tarini Shankar Mazumdar	...	Sankarpur, III.
„ Gaur Chandra Banarji	...	Tartipur, IV.
Munshi Aziz-ullah Biswas	...	Suruppur, V.
Mr. F. L. Perrin ..	...	Choan, VI.
Babu Gopi Nath Misra ...	...	Pratappur, VII.
„ Sarada Prasad Chakrabatti	...	Rukumpur, VIII.
„ Kali Krishna Mazumdar	...	Behara, IX.
	Thana Sujaganj.	
Mr. R. Dubas ...	...	Bazarpara, I.
Babu Jogesh Chandra Sen	...	Tarakpur, II.
Munshi Abdul Karim Mollah	...	Shailadanga, III.
Babu Trailokya Nath Chaudhuri	...	Choanpur, IV.
	Rangamati Outpost.	
Babu Rama Prasad Chaudhuri	...	Bahural, I.
„ Ram Krishna Goswami	...	Rangamati, II.
„ Upendra Narayan Chattarji	...	Bhagwanbati, III.
	Saktipore Outpost.	
Babu Krishna Chandra Parey	...	Moshimpore, I.
Munshi Eshan Shaikh ...	...	Nabagram, II.
Babu Baidyanath Ray	...	Saktipore, III.
Munshi Badi-uz-zaman	...	Mankahar, IV.
„ Jiban Shaikh	...	Narikelbari, V.
Babu Nitai Sundar Singh	...	Basra, VI.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 2147P.—The 21st November 1906.—Babu Atul Krishna Ghosh, Rural Sub-Registrar, Pandua, in the district of Hooghly, is allowed leave for one month and fifteen days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 29th June 1906.

Hooghly.

No. 2149P.—The 21st November 1906.—Babu Satish Chandra Banarji, Rural Sub-Registrar, Hooghly, acted as Rural Sub-Registrar, Pandua, in that district, from the 5th July to the 13th August 1906, both days inclusive, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Atul Krishna Ghosh.

Hooghly.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 27th November 1906.

No. 224.—Mr. B. G. Gwyther, Assistant Engineer, is transferred from the Central to the Western Circle, and is attached to the office of the Superintending Engineer until further orders.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 27th November 1906.

No. 225.—The following extract from a notification issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department is republished for information :—

No. 161, dated the 19th November 1906.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to order the following promotions and reversions in the classes of Superintending Engineers of the Public Works Department,, with effect from the dates specified :—

NAMES.	From—	To—	With effect from—
*	*	*	*
Arnott, M. H.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd Class, *temporary rank.*	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, *temporary rank.*	12th September 1906.
Butler, T.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class.	Superintending Engineer, 1st Class, *temporary rank.*	14th ,,
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Finnimore, B. K.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd Class.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, *temporary rank.*	2nd October 1906.
Arnott, M. H.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, *temporary rank.*	Superintendent of Works	2nd
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Banarji, K. C.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, *temporary rank.*	Executive Engineer, 1st grade	16th October 1906.
Gwyther, W. B.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class.	Superintending Engineer, 1st Class, *temporary rank.*	1st November ,,
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Carter, R. E.	Officiating Superintending Engineer.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd Class, *temporary rank.*	1st November 1906.

No. 226.—Mr. W. J. Kerr, Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the office of the Superintending Engineer, Gandak Circle, to the Champaran Division.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

[Fourth Publication.]

The 6th November 1906.

No. 8.—*Notification.*—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 99 and 78 of Act III (B. C.) of 1876, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal proposes to make the following additions and alterations in rule 5 of the Water-rate Rules for the Orissa Canals and in items 2 and 5 of the Schedule of rates to be charged for water supplied from the said canals.

Existing rule and rate.	Proposed rule and rate.
Rule 5 (1st portion only).—The preliminary application for a lease for a term of years, either new or renewal, may be of an informal nature, but it must be in writing. It may be presented at any time; but, if	*Rule 5 (1st portion only).*—The preliminary application for a lease for a term of years, either new or renewal, may be of an informal nature, but it must be in writing. It may be presented at any time; but, if presented

Existing rule and rate.	Proposed rule and rate.
presented after the 31st March in the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of one pice per *goont* of local measure, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, will be made for the year following that in which the lease has been applied for.	after the 31st March in the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of 1 pice per *goont* of local measure, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, will be made *on all lands leased at Rs. 1-12 per mán, and an additional charge of 1 pie per goont of local measure, equivalent to 2 annas and 1 pie per mán, will be made on all lands leased at 8 annas per mán* for the year following that in which the lease has been applied for.
Item 2 of the Schedule (portion only).—Provided that in all cases in which the preliminary application for the lease has been presented on any date subsequent to the 31st of March of the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of 1 pice per *goont*, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, shall be made on all lands in the lease for the year subsequent to that from which the lease commences.	*Item 2 of the Schedule (portion only).*—Provided that in all cases in which the preliminary application for the lease has been presented on any date subsequent to the 31st of March of the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of one pice per *goont*, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, shall be made *on all lands leased at Rs. 1-12 per mán, and an additional charge of 1 pie per goont of local measure, equivalent to 2 annas and 1 pie per mán, will be made on all lands leased at 8 annas per mán*, for the year subsequent to that from which the lease commences.
Item 5 of the Schedule.—For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June—Rs. 3-8 per *mán*.	*Item 5 of the Schedule.*—(*a*) For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June *on lands leased for a term of years at Rs. 1-8 per mán—Rs. 3-8 per mán.* (*b*) *For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June on lands leased for a term of years at Rs. 1-12 per mán—Rs. 3-4 per mán.*

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 24th November 1906.

No. 126 Marine.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the port of Verawal, in the Bombay Presidency, is declared free from plague, and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea, which were imposed in the ports of Orissa against vessels arriving from Verawal, are hereby withdrawn.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 26th November 1906.

No. 127 Marine.—Mr. H. Huntly, Licensed Branch Pilot, in command of the Steam Pilot Vessel *Fraser*, is granted shore leave for one month, with effect from the 16th November 1906, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

W A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 27th November 1906.

No. 128 Marine.—The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the following promotions in the Bengal Pilot service:—

Name.	From—	To—	Nature of promotion.	Date of promotion.
E. P. Bryant ...	Acting Senior Master Pilot.	Senior Master Pilot ...	Permanent ...	7th December 1906.
A. F. Paull ...	Junior Master Pilot ...	Acting Senior Master Pilot.	Acting ...	Ditto.
S. A. Glanley ...	Mate Pilot ...	Junior Master Pilot ...	Permanent ...	Ditto.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 27th November 1906.

No. 227.—Babu Jagat Bandhu Bagchi, Supervisor, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the Gandak to the Akhoyapada-Jajpur Division.

No. 228.—Babu Jagat Bandhu Bagchi Supervisor, Akhoyapada-Jajpur Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for one month and fifteen days, with effect from the forenoon of 10th November 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 4241A.

No. 4191A.—The 24th November 1906.—Babu Baij Nath Sahay (No. II), Sub-Deputy Collector, Sasaram, Shahabad, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1907.

Shahabad.

No. 4200A.—The 27th November 1906.—Babu Sushil Kumar Gangali, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Jessore, is transferred to the Bagerhat subdivision of the Khulna district.

Jessore.
Khulna.

No. 4211A.—The 27th November 1906.—Babu Hara Krishna Naik, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Presidency Division, is posted to the Lalbagh subdivision of the Murshidabad district.

Murshidabad.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 10602, dated Calcutta, the 14th November 1906.—Assistant Surgeon Ram Chunder Mozumder made over charge of the Daltonganj Jail to Dr. J. L. Hendley on the forenoon of the 29th October 1906.

W. J. BUCHANAN,
Inspr.-Genl. of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 6932, dated Calcutta, the 20th November 1906.—The undermentioned 4th-year student of the Temple Medical School, Patna, passed the final examination for Hospital Assistants on the 12th November 1906:—

2nd Division.

Syed Zainuddin Ahmad.

No. 7169, dated Calcutta, the 23rd November 1906.—Babu Shashi Bhushan Banarji, second grade Assistant Surgeon, Deoghar Subdivision and Dispensary, in the Sonthal Parganas, is appointed to the Asansol Subdivision in the district of Burdwan, *vice* second grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Ras Bihari Maitra, transferred.

No. 7175, dated Calcutta, the 22nd November 1906.—Babu Rash Bihari Maitra, second grade Assistant Surgeon, Asansol Subdivision, in the district of Burdwan, is appointed to the Deoghar Subdivision and Dispensary, in the Sonthal Parganas, *vice* second grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Shashi Bhushan Banarji, transferred.

No. 7196, dated Calcutta, the 26th November 1906.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Gyanendra Nath Kanjilal, 2nd Demonstrator of Anatomy, Medical College, Calcutta, is granted leave on medical certificate for two months, under Article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th November 1906.

No. 7202, dated Calcutta, the 26th November 1906—The following Civil Hospital Assistants of the Bengal establishment have passed the Professional and English Qualification Examination held on the 22nd October 1906 and are promoted to the grades noted against their names.

Names of Candidates who have passed the Professional Examination held on the 22nd of October 1906.

Present grade.	Name.	Attached to—	Date of declaration.	Class to which promoted.	Date of rank, with effect from—
			1896.		1907.
3rd	Jogendra Chandra Mukerji.	Madhipura Subdivision and Dispensary, Bhagalpur.	13th April	2nd	1st January.
3rd	Shashi Bhusan Gangali	Daulatpur Dispensary, Khulna.	1st June 1900.	2nd	1st ,, 1903.
4th	Suresh Chandra Mandol.	Officiating Police and Jail Hospitals, Howrah.	2nd May 1901.	3rd	15th October
4th	Shasho Dhar Chaterji	Supernumerary duty, Campbell Hospital.	22nd April	3rd	22nd April.
4th	Aghor Nath Das ...	T. H. A., Panaghat-Murshidabad Branch State Railway.	26th ,,	3rd	26th ,,
4th	Purna Chandra Chakrabarti.	Pankhabari Dispensary, Darjeeling.	20th May	3rd	20th May.
4th	Kali Pada Gupta ...	Banpur Dispensary, Puri	14th June	3rd	14th June.
4th	Abinash Chandra Ghosh.	Bhowanipore Lunatic Asylum.	21st August	3rd	21st August.

Name of Candidate who has passed the English Qualification Examination for higher pay held on the 22nd October 1906.

Name.	Attached to—	Remarks.
Basharat Hossain ...	Arwal Dispensary, Gaya ...	Promoted to the 3rd grade, with effect from the 15th October 1906.

A. M. CROFTS, COL., I.M.S.,
Offg. Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU SURENDRA NATH GHOSH, who has been placed temporarily in charge of the Darbhanga Treasury, *vice* Babu Nityanand Ghosh, is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

F. W. DUKE, *Offg. Addl. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 23rd November 1906.*

HIGH COURT NOTICE

BABU PURNA CHANDRA DE, Sub-Judge, Khulna, in the district of Jessore, is appointed to be a District Delegate under section 295A of Act X of 1865 and section 52 of Act V of 1881 within the local limits of his jurisdiction.

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT
(CIVIL);
The 22nd November 1906.

By order of the High Court,
A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Registrar.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 21st November 1906.—Babu Upendra Kumar Chatterji, Assistant Master, Arrah Zilla School (class VI), is allowed leave of absence for two months, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 29th October 1906.

Babu Bhirgu Nath Sahay, B.A., is appointed to act as an Assistant Master in the Arrah Zilla School and in class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service on an allowance of Rs. 37-8 a month, with effect from the 7th November 1906, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Upendra Kumar Chatterjea or until further orders

The orders of the 24th October 1906, appointing Maulvi Muhammad Mohsin, B A., an Assistant Master on probation in the Muzaffarpur Zilla School, on a salary of Rs. 30 a month, to be a Sub-Inspector of Schools, in the district of Gaya on probation for one year and substantively *pro tempore* to class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, are cancelled.

The 22nd November 1906.—Maulvi Muhammad Ismail, B.A, a Sub-Inspector of Schools, Singhbhum (class VIII), is appointed to be an Assistant in the office of the Hindi Translator to Government and the Bengal Library, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Jalil, transferred.

Babu Kesav Lal Shaha, an Assistant Master in the Hooghly Collegiate School (substantively *pro tempore* in class VII), is appointed to be a Sub-Inspector of Schools, Khulna, *vice* Babu Anadi Nath Ray, transferred.

Babu Hari Das Chakravarti, M.A., Temporary Assistant Master, Hindu School (class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for two months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in continuation of the Puja Vacation of the School, which commenced on the 22nd September 1906.

The 23rd November 1906.—Babu Hara Chandra Mazumdar, Head Clerk, Krishnagar College (class VII), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 19th November 1906, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Babu Hari Mohan Roy, Second Clerk, Krishnagar College, on a salary of Rs. 35 a month, is appointed to act as Head Clerk of that College and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Hara Chandra Mazumdar, or until further orders.

The 26th November 1906.—Babu Narendra Nath Ganguli, B.A., Joint-Superintendent, Eden Hindu Hostel (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service), is allowed leave of absence for one month, viz., fifteen days under article 272 and the remaining period under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st November 1906, or any subsequent date on which he may have availed himself of it

Babu Bhupendra Nath Banerji, a clerk in the office of the Principal, Presidency College, on a salary of Rs. 20 a month, is appointed to act as Joint-Superintendent, Eden Hindu Hostel, and in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Narendra Nath Ganguli, or until further orders.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

ADDENDUM.

Vernacular Mastership Examination—December 1905.

ORISSA DIVISION.

THE undermentioned candidate having gained 60 per cent. of the marks allotted to Drawing in the Vernacular Mastership Examination held in December 1905 is hereby declared to be entitled to a special certificate for proficiency in Drawing:—

Name of candidate	...	...	...	Jagannath Nayak.
Age ...	...	...	...	22 years.
Name of school	...	...	...	Cuttack Training School.

CALCUTTA,
The 26th November 1906.

W. W. HORNELL,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College.—

I.—Engineer Department.

A four-year course leading to the Engineering Degrees of the Calcutta University. Admissions made yearly in June. Admission qualification, the First Arts examination of the Calcutta University or its equivalent.

II.—Apprentice Department.

The full course of study covers five years. There are special classes in Mining and in Electrical Engineering.

After 1½ years the Sub-Overseer examination is held.

After 3½ years the Final or Overseer examination is held with special modification for Mining students.

After a further 1½ years' practical training the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate is given.

Admissions are made yearly in June to 1st year and in March to 2nd and 3rd years. Admission qualifications—

To 1st-year class, Entrance examination of Calcutta University or equivalent, to the Middle School.

To 2nd-year class, the Final examination of B Course of zilla schools.

To 3rd-year class, the Sub-Overseer examination of affiliated Technical schools.

III.—Workshops.

Artisan classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine,
Blacksmiths';	Turners;	and Foundry.

IV.—Agricultural Department.

Admission made by nomination of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor. Application to be sent to the Principal. A two-year course leading to the Agricultural Diploma of the College. Admission made yearly in November.

Admission qualifications—

As general student, B. A., B Course, of Calcutta University or equivalent.

As special student, satisfactory evidence that the candidate can benefit by the instruction.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

SIBPUR, B. HEATON,
The 7th June 1906. *Principal.*

NOTIFICATION.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA.

Regulations made by the Board of Examiners under Rule 30 of the rules applying to coal-mines made under section 20 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, for the conduct of examinations for managers' certificates of competency.

1. No member of the Board of Examiners shall act as a local examiner, except in emergent cases.

2. When possible, one or more members of the Board of Examiners shall attend every examination on at least one of the days.

3. So far as is practicable, the local examiners shall be—

(*a*) An Inspector of Mines, who shall be Secretary to the local examiners.

(*b*) Two Mining Engineers or Colliery Managers who must be the holders of first class certificates Provided that a Mining Professor may be appointed instead of one of the Mining Engineers or Managers.

4. The remuneration of each local examiner shall be Rs. 150 for each examinations, and a capitation fee of Rs. 2 for each first class candidate and Re. 1 for each second clas candidate examined, and travelling expenses and halting allowances on the first class scale under the Civil Service Regulations; but an Inspector of Mines, acting as a local examiner, shall not be entitled to any fee or remuneration whatsoever, beyond the travelling expenses and halting allowances due to him in his official capacity.

5. The subjects for examination shall

(*a*) *Arithmetic and Handwriting.*

(*b*) *Practical and Theoretical Coal-mining*, including surface and underground arrangements, sinking, timbering, ventilation, gases met with in coal-mines, a knowledge of plans, surveying and levelling, and of the various instruments used in mining. Questions may also be asked upon geology, sanitation, hydraulics, explosives, safety lamps and similar subjects. The candidates may also be required to show how to arrange the ventilation and haulage of a mine on a given plan.

(*c*) *Practical Mechanics*, including steam, steam-engines, steam-boilers, pumps and strength of materials; and questions may be asked upon electricity and compressed air as applied to coal-mining.

(*d*) *The Indian Mines Act, 1901*, and rules made under the Act.

6. The examinations shall be both written and oral, and the subjects and conditions shall be the same for candidates for both classes of certificates; but the examination questions shall be made suitable for each class of certificate.

7. The following shall be the maximum number of marks given for each subject:—

Subject.	First Class.			Second Class.		
	Papers.	*Viva voce.*	Total.	Papers.	*Viva voce.*	Total.
(*a*) Arithmetic and Handwriting.	50	...	50	50	...	50
(*b*) Mining	160	60	220	140	80	220
(*c*) Mechanics ...	110	40	150	100	50	150
(*d*) Indian Mines Act ...	60	20	80	50	30	80
Total ...	380	120	500	340	160	500

8. No candidate who fails to obtain 66 per cent of the total number of marks, or 33 per cent. in either of the subjects of Mining or Mechanics, shall be passed by the examiners, and if a candidate fails to obtain 33 per cent. of the marks given for either of the subjects of Arithmetic and Handwriting or the Indian Mines Act, any marks he may have obtained in such subjects shall not be included when the total is determined.

9. Before each examination each candidate shall declare whether he presents himself for a first or second class certificate. No candidate for a second class certificate shall be eligible at that examination for a first class certificate, but a candidate for a first class certificate, who does not reach the necessary standard, may, nevertheless, at the discretion of the local examiners, be recommended to the Board of Examiners for a second class certificate, if, in their opinion, he has done sufficiently well to deserve it.

10. The Secretary to the local examiners shall report, by registered post, the result of the examinations giving the number of marks obtained by each candidate in each subject, to the President of the Board of Examiners within one month of the close of the examination.

11. The questions which the local examiners intend to put in the examination papers shall be submitted in draft to the Board of Examiners, for approval, at least six weeks before the date of the examination.

12. At least one examination shall be held annually in the Bengal coal-fields; and in other parts of India examinations will be held whenever, in the opinion of the Board of Examiners, the number of candidates in a coal-mining centre justifies the holding of an examination.

W. H. PICKERING,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India.

The 27th November 1906.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 6472B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1904-05, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 4th December 1906, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,400 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of	...	2,200
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of	...	2,200
Total	...	4,400

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 28th November 1905, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 19th December 1906, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 10th December 1906, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 19th December 1906.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
J. P. YAKCHER, for *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 24th October 1906.*

No. 7054B.

OPIUM.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1907, will consist of about 26,400 chests prepared at the Patna Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chitaks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chitaks used for pasting the leaves of the shell, and about 26,400 chests prepared at the Ghazipur Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chitaks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chitaks used for pasting the leaves of the shell, being of the seasons 1904-1905 and 1905-1906 in the proportion marginally noted.

Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory.

		Chests.
Supply from 1904-1905	...	... 20,868
Ditto 1905-1906	...	... 5,532
Total	...	26,400

Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

		Chests.
Supply from 1904-1905	...	... 15,595
Ditto 1905-1906	...	... 10,805
Total	...	26,400

2. The dates on or about which the sales will be held, and the total quantity of opium, as well as the respective quantities manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories which will be brought forward for sale every month, are specified below. The Board of Revenue reserve to themselves the right of altering the dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so. In accordance with the Notification of the Government of India, No. 3494A., dated 22nd June 1906, 2,200 chests of Patna and 2,200 chests of Benares opium will be sold monthly from January to December 1907:—

DATES.		Chests manufactured at the Patna Factory.	Chests manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.	Total chests.
		2	3	4
On or about Thursday, 3rd January	1907 ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 5th February	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 5th March	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd April	„ ..	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday, 1st May	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 4th June	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd July	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 6th August	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday, 4th September	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Thursday, 3rd October	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Friday, 1st November	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 3rd December	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
	Total ...	26,400	26,400	52,800

The following are the conditions of sale:—

1. The opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

2. The opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 800 per chest, and sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for which, provision is made by clause 13 of these conditions of sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

3. The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M., but if at that hour any

of the lots advertised for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of the Board of Revenue, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday), at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or if the whole quantity advertised shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Board of Revenue may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

4. Each lot shall contain five chests.

5. A Promissory Note for a sum, calculated according to the scale, noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room and before the lot is registered in the sale-book, and all such Promissory Notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this office by Bank of Bengal receipts or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India, on or before 3-30 P.M., in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the said notes must be redeemed by 1-30 P.M., or, on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as the Board of Revenue shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

DEPOSIT.

When the amount bid is less than Rs. 1,200 per chest, Rs. 200 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,200 and upwards, but less than Rs. 1,600 per chest, Rs. 300 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 2,000 per chest, Rs. 400 per chest.
And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400.

6. The said Promissory Notes shall be absolutely payable in any event, and the amount thereof shall be absolutely forfeited upon such default as before mentioned, and the amount thereof shall not go or be credited in reduction of any loss on re-sale or expenses thereby incurred, but shall be recoverable whether such re-sale shall be had or not, or whether there shall be a loss on such re-sale or not.

7. The Promissory Notes taken on the day of sale under the fifth condition, if remaining unredeemed at 3-30 P.M. of the fifth day following the day of sale or 1-30 P.M., if the last day falls on a Saturday, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

8. No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities, on account of opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before the prescribed time in clause 5 on the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted. Provided always that money so subsequently tendered may be taken in payment of the said Promissory Note, but such acceptance of money shall in no way entitle the payer thereof to any right to delivery of the lot or lots in respect whereof the said note was given, or to any of the rights of a purchaser thereof, or release the payer from liability for any unpaid balance of such notes or from the additional liability for the loss and expenses of such re-sale as provided for in clauses No. 5 and No. 6.

9. The opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than by 3-30 P.M. of the fifteenth day from the day of sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the opium must be paid for by 1-30 P.M.; and, in case any lots of such opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth condition, or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as the Board of Revenue shall think fit; and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good all expenses and any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale, and the liability for the loss or difference of price and expenses shall be in addition to, and wholly independent of, the amount of the deposit so forfeited.

10. Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of opium, after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorizing the delivery of single lots or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests ordinarily required to be included in each certificate or order.

11. No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present conditions will be received in this office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale-book, or his authorized agent. The receipt for deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

12. The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall on demand render at the time a deposit either in Government of India Notes, Bank of Bengal receipts, or Government securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a Promissory Note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these conditions.

13. With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up

again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually by Rs. 5 at a time until a bid is obtained; and the first *bonâ fide* bidder for a lot, after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described, shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 800 specified in the second of these conditions.

14. The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of the same Agency opium not exceeding altogether twenty-five lots, provided always that there remains a sufficient number of lots of the opium to complete the said twenty-five.

15. In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

16. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue:—

No. 1, Certificate of the opium advertised for sale;

No. 2, Report of the examination of such opium.

17. The public are hereby informed that in providing the investment of the opium manufactured at the Patna Factory and the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory for the year 1905-1906, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug, when packed at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken, for the purpose of comparison, from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

18. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the opium advertised for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Board of Revenue entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the opium for shipment.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA,
Offg. Secretary.

CALCUTTA,
The 27th November 1906.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1926B.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.,

Member in charge.

WITH the approval of the Lieutenant-Governor, the Board are pleased to cancel Rule 6 of the Rules published with their Notification No. 22B., dated the 8th January 1885, as subsequently amended by Notification No. 21, dated the 9th December 1904, and reproduced on page 2 of the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878, corrected up to the 30th September 1905.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA,
Offg. Secretary.

MISC. REVE. DEPT., CUSTOMS BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 21st November 1906.*

IV.

Accidents and inspections.

No. of separate accidents reported during the year.			No. of persons.		No. of prosecutions under the Act, with the section under which the prosecution was instituted.	No. of persons convicted under the Act, with the sections under which the convictions were obtained.	No. of inspections.		
Fatal.	Serious.	Total.	Killed.	Seriously injured.			By District Officers.	By Mines Inspector.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

Signature of Managing Agent, Owner, Agent, or Manager.

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NOTES AND INSTRUCTIONS.

(1) Failure to forward a correct return to the Chief Inspector of Mines not later than the 1st February in each year will render the managing agent, owner, agent, or manager liable on conviction to a penalty which may extend to Rs. 500.

(2) It will greatly facilitate the preparation of the statistics if the return is despatched as soon as possible after the close of the year.

(3) The output should be given—

(*a*) in troy ounces in the case of gold;
(*b*) in carats in the case of gem-stones;
(*c*) in cwts.,—or in cwts. and lbs. where the circumstances require greater particularisation in order to give an accurate estimate of small outputs,—in the case of alum, amber, asbestos, cromite, corundum (not being gem corundum), graphite, jade-stone, mica, steatite and tin ore; and
(*d*) in tons, in the case of clays, coal, coke, iron-ore, limestone, magnesite, manganese-ore, other unspecified metalliferous ores, salt and slate.

(4) The total amount of mineral raised during the year must be given, including, in the case of coal mines, the colliery consumption and the coal made into coke.

(5) The value of the mineral given should be based on the actual or estimated wholesale price of the mineral at the pit's mouth. In the case of coal sold into wagons at the colliery, the cost of loading should be deducted from the selling price.

(6) In the case of mica mines a "plot" is to be regarded as a "pit" for the purposes of statements Nos. II and III and the figures to be entered in columns 4 and 5 of statement No. III relate to the quantity and value of marketable mica consigned.

(7) The average number of persons employed daily should be obtained by dividing the aggregate number of daily attendances (permanent and temporary) by the number of working days.

(8) Every person of or above the age of 12 years should be entered as an adult.

W. L. HARVEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.



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PART IA.

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FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 6th November 1906.

No. 58-A.—His Excellency the Grand Master of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India and of the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire will hold an Investiture of both Orders in the Fort at Agra on the 12th January 1907 at 9 P.M. Members of either of the Orders who will be present in Agra on the date stated will be expected to attend, and they are requested to communicate their names and addresses to me not later than the 1st December 1906.

L. W. DANE,
Secretary to the Orders
of the Star of India and the Indian Empire.

[Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 24th November 1906.]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 22nd November 1906.

No. 511.—The Reverend H. T. Ottley held charge of the office of Domestic Chaplain to the Most Reverend the Lord Bishop of Calcutta and Metropolitan in India and Ceylon from the 17th to the 26th October 1906.

No. 514.—The Reverend W. A. G. Luckman, Archdeacon of Calcutta, was appointed to officiate, as a temporary measure, as Domestic Chaplain to the Most Reverend the Lord Bishop of Calcutta and Metropolitan in India and Ceylon, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 27th October 1906.

No. 515.—The Most Reverend the Lord Bishop of Calcutta has appointed the Reverend J. Gedber to be His Lordship's Domestic Chaplain, with effect from the 6th November 1906.

G. B. H. FELL,
for *Secy. to the Govt. of India.*

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th November 1906.

No. 2768-G.B.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. Charles Aubert as Acting Vice-Consul for Portugal at Calcutta, during the absence of Monsieur Jambon.

L. W. DANE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, are republished for general information.

Fort William, the 23rd November 1906.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 608.—Lieutenant Hugh Walken (supernumerary list) resigns his commission. Dated 29th August 1906.

No. 609.—Second-Lieutenant Bertram Ernest Higgs (supernumerary list) resigns his commission. Dated 28rd August 1906.

2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 614.—Maurice Bryan O'Connor, gentleman, to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* Emmerson, promoted. Dated 1st April 1906.

Caleb Killik, gentleman, to be Lieutenant, *vice* Gethen, resigned. Dated 1st August 1906.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Lieut.-Col.*,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

THE following notification is republished for general information.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 8496—92, dated Simla, the 26th October 1906.

NOTIFICATION—By the Govt. of India, Dept. of Commerce and Industry.

THE following draft of a rule which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the power conferred by section 20 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901 (VIII of 1901), is published as required by the said section for the information of persons concerned.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor-General in Council on or after the 26th January 1907, and any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before that date will be considered by the Governor-General in Council.

Draft Notification.

IN exercise of the power conferred by section 20 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901 (VIII of 1901), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following rule for application to all mines in British India in supersession of the Rule published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, No. 3842—86-15, dated the 8th December 1904.

RULE.

Form of Annual Return.

The following form shall be correctly filled up in duplicate by the managing agent, or if there is no managing agent, by the owner, agent or manager of a Mine, and one copy forwarded to the Chief Inspector of Mines and the other to the District Magistrate not later than the 1st February in each year.

I.

Year ending on the 31st December 190

1. Name of Mine.
2. Date of opening.
3. Date of closing.
4. Nature of moving power.
5. Situation of Mine — District; Province
6. Name and postal address of — Owner; Managing Agent; Agent; Manager; Assistant Manager

II.

Average number of persons employed daily during the year ending on the 31st December 190

Name or No. of pit or excavation.	Below ground.				Above ground.				Gross total below and above ground.
	Male adults.	Female adults.	Children under 13.	Total.	Male adults.	Female adults.	Children under 13.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
TOTAL ...	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...

III.

Output of Mineral during the year ending on the 31st December 190

Name or No. of pit or excavation.	Depth from the surface of the lowest point of the seam or vein worked, in feet.	Name of mineral worked.	Total amount of mineral raised.	Total value of mineral at the mine.	Number of days worked.	In case of coal mines.		
						No. of coke ovens.	System of coking adopted, viz., bee-hive, Simon-Carves, etc.	Tons of coke produced.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
TOTAL	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

IV.

Accidents and inspections.

No. of separate accidents reported during the year.			No. of persons.		No. of prosecutions under the Act, with the section under which the prosecution was instituted.	No. of persons convicted under the Act, with the sections under which the convictions were obtained.	No. of inspections.		
Fatal.	Serious.	Total.	Killed.	Seriously injured.			By District Officers.	By Mines Inspector.	Total.
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Signature of Managing Agent, Owner, Agent, or Manager.

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(*a*) in troy ounces in the case of gold;
(*b*) in carats in the case of gem-stones;
(*c*) in cwts.,—or in cwts. and lbs. where the circumstances require greater particularisation in order to give an accurate estimate of small outputs,—in the case of alum, amber, asbestos, cromite, corundum (not being gem corundum), graphite, jadestone, mica, steatite and tin ore; and
(*d*) in tons, in the case of clays, coal, coke, iron-ore, limestone, magnesite, manganese-ore, other unspecified metalliferous ores, salt and slate.

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(6) In the case of mica mines a "plot" is to be regarded as a "pit" for the purposes of statements Nos. II and III and the figures to be entered in columns 4 and 5 of statement No. III relate to the quantity and value of marketable mica consigned.

(7) The average number of persons employed daily should be obtained by dividing the aggregate number of daily attendances (permanent and temporary) by the number of working days.

(8) Every person of or above the age of 12 years should be entered as an adult.

W. L. HARVEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2191L.S.-G.—The 22nd November 1906.—Under section 154, Act IX (B.C.) of 1880, it is hereby notified that the District Road Committee of Darjeeling have determined to levy road cess for the cess year, commencing from the 1st April 1907, at the maximum rate of six pies, or two pice, on each rupee of the annual value of lands and on the annual net profits from other immoveable property assessed under the Act.

Darjeeling.

No. 2193M.—The 22nd November 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Berhampore Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, of Babu Sasi Sekhar Banarji to be their Chairman, during the absence, on leave, of Maharaja Manindra Chandra Nandi.

Murshidabad.

No. 2201M.—The 23rd November 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Naihati Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, of Mr. G. Robertson to be their Chairman.

24-Parganas.

No. 2206M.—The 23rd November 1906.—It is hereby notified that under sections 14 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Sub-Deputy Magistrate of Bettiah to be a Commissioner *ex-officio* of the Bettiah Municipality, in the district of Champaran, *vice* Maulvi Anwar Karim, resigned.

Champaran.

No. 2211M.—The 26th November 1906.—Whereas a notification No. 1980M., dated the 9th August 1906, was published at page 130, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem, declaring the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to extend the provisions of section 241 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, to the Motihari Municipality in the district of Champaran, and whereas no objection has been raised to the proposal within one month from the date of the publication of the above notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified for general information that in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 221 of the Act, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Motihari Municipality, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the extension of the above provisions of the Municipal Act to the said Municipality.

Champaran.

No. 2219L.S.-G.—The 26th November 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Syad Mohammad Mottakee to be a member of the Basirhat Local Board, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Babu Iswar Chandra Ghosh.

24-Parganas.

No. 2224M.—The 26th November 1906.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 8 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Lieutenant-Governor intends to declare the town of Khagole, including the villages named in the margin, in the district of Patna, to be a Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within six weeks from the date of publication of this Notification within the area affected.

Patna.

Badalpura Kalan.	Bara Khagole.
Badalpura Khurd.	Khagole Railway Station.
Saidpur.	Dulloo Chak.
Jai-ambasar.	Rampur Adampur.
Chota Khagole.	Rampur Khas.

The boundaries of the proposed Municipality of Khagole will be as follows:—

On the North.—The villages of Lakhmi bigha, Adampur, Mustafapur, Hase Chak, Kothawan, Dulloo Chak and Badalpura Khurd.

On the South.—The villages of Salimpur Chattra, Saidpur and the Sone Canal.

On the East.—The Sone Canal in village Badalpura Kalan.

On the West.—The villages of Salimpur Chattra, Mohamadpur, Salimpur Chattra, Jamaluddin Chak, Railway Khata lands of Babu Dwarka Prasad, Mustafapur Khagole, Makhdumpore, Jintipur, and Lakhmibigha.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 2203L.S.-G.—The 23rd November 1906.—In Government Notification No. 2199T.M., dated the 16th October 1906, published at page 163, Part IB, of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 24th October 1906, containing the names of the elected and appointed members of the District Board of Jessore, *for* "Babu Hemendra Prasad Ghosh," one of the appointed members of the Board, *read* 'Babu Debendra Prasad Ghosh."

Jessore.

H. J McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by the East Indian Railway Company, situated along the East Indian Railway, chord line, in the subdivision of Jamtara, district Sonthal Parganas, will be put up to sale at 12 A.M. on the 10th day of January 1907, corresponding with the 26th Pous 1313, Bengali, in the Court compound, Jamtara.

The purchaser of the plot of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the plot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th.—The purchaser shall be put in possession on receipt by the Subdivisonal Officer of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Serial number of plot.	Name of the sub-district and district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situated.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of the plot in bighas and acres. B. K. G.	Acres.
	Jamtara, Sonthal Parganas.	Bodmá and Nugdee, taluk Pabia.	The land is situated between mile 152 feet 2,427 and mile 152 feet 1,622 from Howrah.	West side of the Railway line.	39 16 5	13 17

Dated Jamtara, the 10th November 1906.

P. MEREZA, Subdivisional Officer.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at 12 noon for the said arrears :—

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
38-4	Mondleghat, pargana Mondleghat.	3,23,423 3 8	Nil	5g. 11k. 3 til share of the estate.	Jahar Lal Seal ...	3,070 5 2	Nil	89 7 5	Arrears of March 1905.

M. A. KADIR, Dy. Collr. in charge, for Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th November 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 4th February 1907, at 12 o'clock noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate not specifically mentioned in column 5 are excluded from sale.

Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification such sh or shares.	Names of the proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due	Nature and amount of demand for which to be ...
	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
166 Ta. Ganeswarpur, Ph. Banchas.	1,619 0 0		Kismat	Baladeb Prakash Brahmachari.	910 11 0	.....	455 0 0	Due for kist No vember 1906.
166 2 Ditto ...	1,619 0 0		Do.	Chadmoni Dibya, mother and guardian of Hanuman Khuntia minor, and others.	708 5 0		354 0 0	Ditto.
66 Ma. Drugadaspur, Ph. Kotrahang.	879 0 0	Whol		Bhikari Misra and others.	.....	439 0 0		Ditto.
171 Ma. Gope, Ph. Banchas.	555 0 0	Do.		Satyabadi Patra and others.	.....	273 4 10		Ditto.
Killah Balarampur, Ph. Pachhimduai.	2,657 0 0	...	Kismat ... 4	Mussummat Sadaian Nissa Begum *alias* Chunee Begam and others.			332 2 0	Ditto.

Puri Collectorate, the 15th October 1906. P. C MITTER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on the 15th December 1906 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
241	Udanpur, pargana Khatanga.	971 12 0		Residuary share, 8 annas 5 gandas of the entire ... copting separate account No. 1.	Rajendra Kishore Mukerjee and others.	501 0 11		5 7 5
				All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.				

Birbhum Collectorate, the 29th October 1906. H. FOSTER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1907 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		3						
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
				PART II.				
				Temporarily-settled Estate.				
1433	Akberpur Barari, pargana Malki.	2,306 14 0	*	12a. 8g. ijmali share ...	Nilkanth Singh and others	1,787 13 0		2 14 6

Monghyr Collectorate, the 16th November 1906. H. McPherson, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
		Rs. A. P.					Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3521	Digra, pargana Boro ...	530 3 5	Entire	Nil.	Shaikh Mohammad Ali	Nil.	188 0 0	Nil.
2092	Krishnabati Chhecharhar, pargana Rajpur.	1,092 6 0	Do.	Nil.	Rajendra Nath Roy, Manager to the estate of Brindaban Chandra Tagore.	Nil.	150 10 0	Nil.

Hooghly Collectorate, the 8th November 1906. K. N. MITRA, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		3	4					
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
397	Rashulpur, pargana Sherpur.	.....	.....	14a. 8g. 1k. 1k. ijmali share	Khondkar Mehedi Hosen and others.	2,267 4 6		1 7 1
861	Ghar Kanthalia, pargana Fateshingha.	1,325	Whole ...		Dwijendra Narain Ray and others.		55 2 7	
						Revenue ...	3 13 8	
						Dak cess ...	3 13 8	
						Penalty ...	9 8 4	
						Road cess ...	72 6 8	

Berhampore, the 10th November 1906. R. S. BHATTACHARJEE, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in th district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on 20th of December 1906 at 12 noo for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understo that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1575	Baghelpore, pargana Chausa.	Rs. A. P. 565 0 0	The whole	.....	Moons Kuar ...	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 35 5 0	Rs. A. .....
1796	Kanauli, pargana Chausa.	952 0 0	Ditto	.....	Deoki Thakur and others.	.....	2 15 7	.....
2075 21, 86, 88, 90, 97 and 98.	Amaon, pargana Chainpur.	11,261 13 8	.....	The share to be sold is as follows :—	.....	292 9 8	.....	210 5
				A. P. K. M. D.		77 8 10		
				Khata 21—	Mohiuddin Khan and others.	40 3 4	.....	17 9
				Amarha 0 9 0 0 0		106 0 8		
				Anantpur Khilopur ... 0 10 10 0 0		105 9 4		
				Bahari 0 9 0 0 0		30 9 0		
				Bararhi 1 1 10 0 0				
				Piparia 0 10 10 0 0				
				Bhadaura 0 5 8 0 0				
				Nati 0 9 0 0 0				
				Pipra Sakarwar 0 9 0 0 0				
				Pakarihar 0 9 0 0 0				
				Chintamanpur 0 9 0 0 0				
				Jamurni 0 9 0 0 0				
				Chauthi 0 9 0 0 0				
				Chak Kalandi *alias* Chakia 0 9 0 0 0				
				Dandwa Viran 1 1 10 0 0				
				Dasanti 1 0 0 0 0				
				Dewana 0 9 0 0 0				
				Darwa dakhli Fakhrabad 0 5 8 0 0				
				Rampur 1 0 0 0 0				
				Siardaur 0 10 10 0 0				
				Sahehaho 1 0 0 0 0				
				Semaria 0 9 0 0 0				
				Sarsila 0 9 0 0 0				
				Sarai Dandahar 0 9 0 0 0				
				Sikandarpur... ... ... 0 5 8 0 0				
				Sikara 1 0 0 0 0				
				Surhia 0 4 10 0 0				
				Kulharia 0 9 0 0 0				
				Gorahand 0 9 0 0 0				
				Kohari 0 9 0 0 0				
				Karausi 0 9 0 0 0				
				Ismailpur 0 9 0 0 0				
				Kunrwa 0 11 2 0 0				
				Kharsaunda 0 9 0 0 0				
				Gangapur 0 5 8 0 0				
				Mehia 0 9 0 9 0				
				Nanan Beje 0 10 10 0 0				
				Bagchhara 0 10 10 0 0				
				Khata 86—				
				Sikara 2 3 3 6 10	Phul Kuar.			
				Bahari 2 3 3 6 10				
				Khata 88—				
				Amaon 0 4 10 0 0	Lala Gaya Pershad			
				Aaila Patna 0 4 10 0 0				
				Lahopakar 0 4 10 0 0				
				Dighi 0 4 10 0 0				
				Khata 90—				
				Bhadaura 0 1 16 0 0	Thakur Kuldip Narain.			
				Ismailpur 0 4 10 0 0				
				Karansi 0 4 10 0 0				
				Kunrwa 0 2 8 0 0				
				Gangapur 0 1 16 0 0				
				Rampur Saraju 1 0 0 0 0				
				Sikandarpur 0 1 16 0 0				
				Darwa dakhli Fakhrabad 0 1 16 0 0				
				And 8p. in each of the following villages :—				
				Amarha, Anantpur, Khilopur, Bahari, Piparia, Nati, Pakarihar, Jamurni, Pipra Sakarwar, Chauthi, Diwana, Chintamanpur, Kulharia, Gorahand, Kohari, Khorsaunda, Sarsila, Siarduar, Semaria, Nauan Beje, Mehia, Chak Kalandi *alias* Chakia, Sarai, Dhandahar and Bagachhara.				
				A. P. K. M. D. B.				
				Khata 97—				
				Surhia 6 1 13 6 16 0	Raghunath Rai.			
				Khata 98—				
				Chintamanpur 0 10 3 9 9 19	Bhagirathi Kuar.			
				Kohari 0 10 6 10 14 0				
				Khatas 1, 19, 24, 93, 94, 96, 30, 40, 51, 83 will also be sold.				
				Other shares are excluded from sale.				
2008 Ijmali, 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39.	Umapur, pargana Chainpur.	5,942 6 4	.....	The share to be sold is as follows :—	.....	392 12 10	.....	269 9
				A. P. K.				
				Ijmali—				
				Umapur 0 6 0	Kandhaya Lal Sahoo and others.	13 14 8		
				Chandrauli 7 7 0		35 13 4		
				Sarisaon 5 0 0		1 13 7		
				Semaria 8 0 0		14 5 9	.....	9 13
				Chaukhanda 10 0 0		65 9 10	.....	4 1
				Chak Bhagwat 8 0 0				
				Harkataya 8 0 0				
				Kuthanpur 8 0 0				
				Dohar Pat Sarwa 8 0 0				
				Sarai Belhharpur 3 9 0				
				Kishunpura 6 3 0				

Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs. A. P.		A. P. K. Khata 35— Sahijna ... ... 1 3 0 Khata 36— Sariaon ... ... 2 6 0 Khata 37— Lahangpatti ... ... 5 6 10 Khata 38— Sariaon ... ... 1 0 0 Khata 39— Chandrauli ... ... 8 5 0 Sahijna ... ... 3 0 0 Other shares are excluded from sale.	Ram Chandrika Dubey. Ramdahin Rai. Raghunath Rai. Deonandan Rai. Lachhuman Rai and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Khopira Bichhunon, pargana Pawar.	660 10 8	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is as follows:— A. P. K. Khopira ... ... 13 4 19 Bichhuaon ... ... 12 11 0 Other shares are excluded from sale.	Jhumak Lal and others.	544 14 3	....	8 7 5
Dihra, pargana Sasaram.	1,280 14 1	The whole	.....	Shaikh Karamat Husain and others.	. .	1 5 1	.....

rah, the 20th November 19 6.

ANIS-UZ-ZAMAN KHAN, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary rights of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Hooghly will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 21st December 1906, corresponding with 6th Pous 1313 (B.S.).

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale is to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate, pargana or thana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
		A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4588	Panchla, thana Jagatballavpur ..	10 1 27	63 3 0	
4609	Khantora, " " ..	0 1 8	4 8 0	
4752	Kullya and others, " " ...	0 2 22	9 12 0	
4795	Bamanpara, " " ...	2 3 12	28 6 0	
4796	Jagonathpur, " " ...	1 0 13	10 10 0	

Chinsurah, the 21st November 1906.

CHANDRA S. KAR, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 21st December 1906, corresponding with 6th of Paus 1313 B.S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in each estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and the purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of the resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount of bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate, pargana or thana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue.	Remarks.
		A.	Rs. A. P.	
1908	Haribati, thana Pandua	0	7 4 0	
2009	Ditto ditto	0	0 8 0	
4071	Masuria, thana Balagar	0	4 13 0	
4602	Dwarpara ditto	6 1 0	39 10 0	
4603	Srikristapur, thana Dhaniakhali	3 3 7	24 14 0	
4604	Serampur, ditto	0 3 21	5 8 0	
4625	Atty, thana Pandua	1 1 36	9 0 0	
4626	Toregram, ditto ...	1 1 10	20 12 0	
4627	Tunney ditto ...	1 1 1	8 1 0	
4640	Telipara, ditto ..	0 1 7	5 6 0	
4647	Sankarpur, thana Dhaniakhali	0 2 1	3 13 0	
4648	Sirijpur, ditto	2 3 4¼	20 15 0	
4658	Guptipara, thana Balagar ...	0 1 29	2 15 0	
4661	Koachmali, thana Pandua	0 0 26⅔	0 8 0	
4668	Dhopur Mullickpur, ditto	5 0 14⅓	25 14 0	
4677	Digra, thana Dhaniakhali ...	3 0 32⅔	19 6 0	
4070	Kowgachi, thana Balagar ...	6 1 17	28 14 0	
2079	Pandua, thana Pandua ...	0 0 14	0 6 0	
4810	Srikristapur, thana Dhaniakhali	3 3 0	24 1 0	
4820	Inchura, thana Pandua ...	26 0 0	175 3 0	
4825	Srikristapur, thana Dhaniakhali	4 0 6	30 4 0	
4826	Dwarpara, thana Balagar	10 1 20	63 0 0	
3687	Telimpara, ditto	0 1 1	0 8 0	
4073	Gopalnagore, thana Pandua ...	3 0 32	7 6 0	
3760	Ditto, ditto	3 1 32	3 3 0	
4479	Dwarpara, thana Balagar	18 0 10	54 10 0	
3420	Pandua, thana Pandua	0 0 13	0 5 0	
3419	Ditto, ditto	0 1 29	0 8 0	
3169	Ditto, ditto	0 0 29	0 7 0	
3032	Ditto, ditto	0 1 2⅓	2 0 0	
2378	Rameswarpur, thana Pandua ...	0 3 0	1 0	
3548	Ditto, ditto	0 1 18	1 0	
1041	Kanoor, ditto	0 1 32½	3 0	
3417	Pandua, ditto	0 2 21	8 0	
3773	Pandua Ramkanaipur, thana Pandua ...	0 2 30	1 0	
3060	Pandua, thana Pandua	0 0 39	3 0	
4774	Srikristapur, thana Dhaniakhali ...	2 3 30	27 0 0	

Chinsura, the 21st November 1906.

CHANDRA S. KAR, for Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Darbhanga will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 17th December 1906 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realised in the same manner as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, a separate account is kept for such share, and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
6507 Rcs.	Ganeshbanaul, pargana Havi.	Rs. A. P. 618 4 9	.....	Residuary share in— As. Ganeshbanaul ... ... 16 Benipore ... ... 16 Gonapore ... ... 16 Mohamadpore ... ... 16 All other shares besides that stated above are excluded from sale.	Babus Ganga Pershad Sahoo, Mathura Dass, Hanuman Dass, Musamat Jewachli Choudhurani and others.	Rs. A. P. 507 14 5	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 79 13 0
12897	Rashout, pargana Gopalpore.	589 8 3	Whole ...	.....	Mussamat Manjhari Kuer.	.....	178 11 0	.....

Lahoria Sarai, the 21st November 1906. S. N. GHOSE, Deputy Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate on Friday, the 4th January 1907, corresponding to 1313 (B.S.).

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estates and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	
3271	Bartoil, pargana Bhanderdah, thana Kushtia	64·66	161 11 0	
2204	Billagram pargana Bagowan, thana Nakasipara ...	·15	0 11 6	

Nadia Collectorate, the 23th November 1906, S. HALDAR, for Collector

District Charitable Society.

Abstract of Cash Accounts of the Central Office for the month of October 1906.

Budget for 1906	RECEIPTS.	October 1906.	From 1st January to 31st October 1906.	Budget for 1906	PAYMENTS.	October 1906.	From 1st January to 31st October 1906.
Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	Subscriptions—						
14,400	From Government	1,200 0 0	12,000 0 0	14,898	Grant to District Committees ...	1,232 0 0	12,434 0 0
2,929	,, the public	*378 0 0	**9,004 0 0	3,500	,, to Commissioner of Police for Establishment	250 11 0	2,734 5 9
6,067	Donations and new subscriptions ...	225 0 0	7,359 14 0	26,994		75 0 0	750 0 0
	Allowances towards cost of establishment—				Grant to Native Committee	2,097 0 0	20,792 12 0
3,800	From Government	250 0 0	2,500 0 0	9,906	Pensions paid through Central Office	809 8 0	8,231 0 0
				624	Schooling fees ditto ...	35 0 0	513 0 0
350	Interest on General Reserve Fund ...	20 0 0	160 0 0	2,550	Special Relief (on private orders) ...	191 12 0	2,805 4 3
40,770	,, on Trust Funds	.....	20,717 15 4	3,012	Alms House :—Establishment ...	267 0 0	2,575 0 0
682	Bakery proceeds	†20 6 0	††466 4 6	5,905	Dieting ...	†702 14 3	††6,361 1 3
2,627	Workshed proceeds	§203 8 0	§§2,450 12 0	1,512	Contingencies ...	125 0 0	1,403 13 9
1,104	Refund on Casual Relief Account ...	104 12 0	1,271 6 0	..	Boots and Shoes ...	.....	.....
2,650	,, on Special ,, ,, ...	183 8 0	2,284 0 3	431	Clothing and bedding ...	.....	251 13 0
...	Legacies	.....	.....	1,450	Repairs ...	44 7 6	392 5 9
20	Miscellaneous accounts	.....	1 7 3	2,092	Bakery	151 2 6	¤2,174 14 3
955	Deposits	.....	223 13 4	2,350	Workshed	§79 14 6	§§3,387 3 3
317	X'mas Dinner account	.....	317 0 0	7,056	Central Office :—Establishment ...	623 0 0	6,320 2 1
...	G. P. Notes withdrawn from Bank's safe custody.	.....	.....	375	Commission on collections.	29 12 9	303 6 10
...	G. P. Notes by Corpus of Trust Funds ...	.....	500 0 0	500	Auditing fees ...	.....	500 0 0
...	,, by Security Deposit ...	.....	.....	500	Rent (nett) ...	.....	330 6 3
200	Donation to Native Committee ...	.....	50 0 0	450	Contingencies ...	33 0 9	487 2 0
...	Govt. grant for Alms House repairs	.....	7,215 0 0	750	Printing and advertising.	20 4 0	736 12 6
...	Cash towards Corpus of Trust Funds ...	.....	19,249 3 11	..	Interest on overdraft	.....	0 7 10
...	Sale proceeds of stocks (Osmond Fund and General Reserve Fund).	.....	2,363 6 10	62	Bank's commission	1 0 0	61 7 10
				300	Law charges	.....	8 14 0
				170	E. I. Railway Co. for Passes	.....	‡251 14 6
				905	Deposits	.....	225 11 4
				150	X'mas Dinner account	.. ...	319 0 0
				...	Sale custody deposit of G. P. Note ...	.. ...	500 0 0
				..	Security refunded	.....	.....
				...	Investment	.....	19,364 11 10
				...	Duty on legacy of Osmond Fund ...	.....	404 10 0
82,971	Total ...	2,594 2 0	94,234 3 5	86,791	Total ...	6,858 7 8	93,982 4 3

New subscriptions * Rs. ; ** Rs. . | ‡ Rs. for casual relief ; Rs. for special relief.

Excluding cost of bread from Bakery for A. H. Dieting, † Rs. 315-4-0 ; †† Rs. 2,964-11-0 ; Budget being Rs. 2,970.
Excluding cost of flour from Workshed to Bakery, § Rs. 47-8-0 , §§ Rs. 437-13-0 ; Budget being Rs. 650.

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	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Receipts as above	.....	94,234 3 5	Payments as above	.....	93,982 4 3
Balance at credit in Bank of Bengal on 1st January 1906	6,676 4 11		Balance at credit in Bank of Bengal on 31st October 1906	6,857 4 2	
Opening cash balance on that date	261 5 6		Cash balance in hand on that date	332 5 5*	
		6,937 10 5			7,189 9 7
			* Excluding 1 outstanding cheque for Rs. 85.		
Total ..		1,01,171 13 10		Total ...	1,01,171 13 10

CALCUTTA,
The 10th November 1906.

K. C. GANGULY,
Cashier.

H. S. CASHMAN,
Secretary.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

Statement of Unclaimed Sums deposited with the Bengal Military Orphan Society in trust for Soldiers' Children, exclusive of those of minors who have not attained the age of 21.

Date of deposit.	Name and Rank of Father.	Corps.	Names of Children.	Amount. Rs. A. P.
Prior to 1842	Collins, ——, Sergeant ...	.....	Two children ...	167 14 1
,,	Lee, E., Corporal	.....	Two children ...	111 9 6
,,	Smith, Henry, Sergeant ...	.....	Elizabeth	828 0 0
,,	Smith, D, Sergeant-Major ...	.....	Margaret	78 6 5
,,	Story, ——, Sergeant ...	.....	Thomas	117 5 4
,,	MacConnell, Sergeant ...	.....	John	77 15 3
,,	Ratherford, Sergeant ...	.....	Margaret	138 10 8
,,	Hewetson, William, Gunner ...	.....	John	47 5 7
,,	Taylor, John, Private ...	.....	John	214 11 1
,,	Conroy, Peter, Corporal ...	.....	Thomas	274 14 6
,,	McCullum, ——, Conductor ...	.....	John	354 6 10
,,	Gordon, James	59th Foot	James	589 2 2
,,	Casey, Jeremiah	87th Foot	Daniel	109 12 4
,,	Corbolly, Thomas, Private ...	59th Foot	Samuel	62 12 3
,,	Cassidy, ——, Corporal ...	.....	John	61 3 9
,,	Hyde, Henry, Conductor ...	.....	Thomas	187 1 10
,,	Hedgkinson, E., Troop Sergeant-Major.	11th Dragoons ...	William	6 8 0
,,	Anderson, William, Corporal ...	H. C. 1st En. Regt. ...	Mary Anne Margaret ...	124 11 6
,,	White, W., Private ...	3rd Buffs ..	George and Mary Anne.	13 13 9
,,	Minogue, T., Private ...	3rd Buffs ...	Thomas	23 11 0
,,	Tailor, John, Bombardier ...	.....	Elizabeth	43 0 0
,,	Neal, James, Private ...	59th Foot ...	James	43 0 0
,,	Sherrock, J., Corporal ...	.....	Joseph	160 0 0
,,	Moore, Bombardier ...	.....	Dorothy	5 9 5
,,	Lawson, Henry, Laboratory Sergeant.	.....	George	11 8 2
,,	Creighton, James, Corporal ...	13th L. Infy. ..	Mary Ann	16 12 0
,,	McCoy, ——, Sub-Conductor ...	.....	John and George ...	958 3 2
,,	Long, R., Sergeant ...	Allahabad Magazine Establishment.	Ann and Robert D. ...	127 3 9
,,	Baker, H., Gunner ...	4th Co., 3rd Bn. Arty. ...	James	32 1 4
,,	Hills, ——, Gunner ...	1st Co., 3rd Bn Arty. ...	Sophia	30 1 1
,,	Burns, James, Gunner ...	Artillery	Hannah	10 5 9
,,	McKenney, R, Bombardier ..	1st Co., 4th Bn. Arty. ...	Ann Eliza	134 6 5
,,	Smith, J., Gunner ...	1st Co., 2nd Bn. Arty. ...	Margaret	6 6 5
,,	Byrne, F., Hospital Sergeant ...	2nd Bn. Arty. ...	Charles	123 13 4
,,	Flynn, J., Gunner ...	3rd Troop, 1st Bde., H. Arty.	Elizabeth	6 1 4
,,	Fagan, J., Gunner ...	1st Co., 3rd Bn. Arty.	Mary and James ...	11 12 9
,,	Johnson, C., Gunner ...	1st Co., 5th Bn. Arty. ...	William ...	3 0 6
,,	Twoomey, M., Gunner ..	4th Co., 3rd Bn. Arty....	Michael, William and Margaret.	21 2 11
,,	Ahern, William, Gunner ...	4th Co., 2nd Bn. Arty. ...	John ...	65 11 9
,,	McCormick, J., Gunner ...	4th Co., 2nd Bn. Arty. ...	Bernard ..	116 10 9
,,	Gavin, J., Gunner ...	2nd Co., 3rd. Bn. Arty.	Thomas and James ...	189 3 6
,,	Bryan, D., Sergeant ...	.....	Mariner ...	12 10 11
,,	Reid, ——, Sergeant ...	Sappers and Miners ...	Eleanor and Eunice ...	68 6 5
,,	South, ——, Sergeant ...	.....	Elizabeth Martha ...	310 0 0
,,	Cunningham, Mathew, Private	44th Foot ...	Michel ...	37 14 6
,,	Blyth, John, Conductor ...	.....	Children (names not recorded).	12 12 3
,,	Smith, T., Sergeant ...	.....	Esther and Emelia ...	23 15 0
,,	Pierce, Qr. Mr. Sergeant ...	20th N. I. ...	Thomas ...	711 15 2
,,	Driver, J., Sergeant-Major ...	.....	Robert Charles and John.	141 7 1
,,	Davis, D., Farrier-Sergeant ...	4th Troop, 1st Bde., H. Arty.	Thomas ...	23 15 2
,,	Canty, John, Bombardier ..	3rd Co, 4th Bn. Arty.	John (died 11th May 1842).	272 2 8
June 29, 1863	(Not recorded) ...	.....	Bryon, Margaret, and William.	53 8 3
,, 29, 1849	(Not recorded) ...	.....	Daly Robert ...	23 9 1
Mar. 24, 1843	Nowlon, L., Farrier Sergeant	4th Troop, 2nd B. H. A.	Ellen ...	112 9 0
Apl. 3, 1843	Farrel, James, Gunner ...	2nd Co., 5th Bn. Arty.	Charlotte ...	4 2 8
,, 3, 1843	Rosch, Edward, Private ...	1st En. Lt. Infy. ...	David and Austel ...	7 13 3
Mar. 9, 1843	Sheehan B., Gunner ...	3rd Co., 3rd Bn. Arty. ...	John and Patrick ...	2 . 8
June 21, 1844	Evans, George Sergeant ...	1st Co, 2nd Bn. Arty. ...	Mary Ann and Catherine.	19 14 9
Sept. 19, 1841	Andrews, ——, Private ...	44th Foot ...	George ...	200 0 0
Oct. 30, 1887	Ward, J, Gunner ..	O. Batty., 3rd Bde., R.A.	Julia ...	277 11 11
Dec. 31, 1887	Bunn, T, Gunner ...	G. Batty, B. Bde., R. H. A.	William Thomas ...	63 9 8
			James John ...	63 9 8
Apl. 20, 1886	Farrell, James, Sergeant ..	2nd B... Manchester Regt.	Mary	300 0 0

Date of deposit.	Name and Rank of Father.	Corps	Names of Children.	Amount. Rs A. P.
Mar. 29, 1888	Oxford, W., Private	2nd Royal Lanc. Regt.	A. L. and A. ...	20 6 5
Nov. 16, 1844	Gale, ——, Private	10th Foot ...	ohn Thomas ...	28 12 0
„ 20, 1844	Sullivan, John, Bombardier ...	1st Co., 2nd Bn. Arty.	ohn	130 0 0
Jan. 6, 1845	Monaghan, Michael, Sergeant	1st Co., 2nd Bn. Arty.	ames	166 12 5
„ 15 1845	Godfrey, ——, Sergeant-Major	.....	Harriett M. and James	31 14 1
Feb. 14, 1845	Fry, ——, Bugle-Major ..	6th Bn. of Arty.	James.	12 6 9
„ 3, 1842	Wilson		ophia, Thomas and Elizabeth.	204 7 8
.. ... 1842	McCarthy, Qr. Mr. Sergeant ...	.....	ohn	61 2 3
„ 14, 1845	Hannoo, J., Drummer ...	68th Regt., N. Infy. ...	Mary	28 8 3
July 7, 1845	Hay, A., Sergeant-Major ...	.....	Thomas	101 5 4
.. 9, 1845	Meaney, John, Sergeant-Major	2nd Bde., H. Arty. ..	Henry and James ...	292 15 8
„ 9, 1846	Murphy, Thomas, Bombardier	2nd Troop, 3rd Bde., H. Arty.	Ellen	77 4 11
„ 9, 1845	Fate, William, Staff Sergeant	4th Co., 15th Bn. of Arty	atherine Ann ...	167 15 5
„ 9, 1845	Daley, Owen, Gunner	3rd Co., 5th Bn. of Arty	Owen	7 1 7
Sept. 1, 1845	Ryan, ——, Sergeant ..		ulia B. and George J.	120 13 0
Aug. 8, 1846	McEnerney, Thomas, Sub-Conductor.		Hannah	152 0 9
	Glasscan, John, Corporal ...		Ellen Sarah	66 10 3
	Ridley, Henry, Gunner ...		Henry	34 9 3
Oct. 16, 1846	Lewis, Thomas, Gunner	Arty.	Thomas ...	20 5 3
July 6, 1847	Dobbins, Francis, Gunner ..		Martha ...	83 3 6
„ 19, 1847	Lunn, Adam, Farrier ...	.....	Adam T. and John	79 14 0
„ 19, 1847	Clarke, William, Bombardier ...	1st Troop, 3rd Bde., H Arty.	Not recorded	104 10 8
„ 19, 1847	Prince, W., Sergeant ...	1st Troop, 1st Bde., H Arty.	Ditto ...	125 15 10
Jan. 11, 1848	Byrnes, ——, Corporal ...		Maria	59 0 0
July 6, 1848	Braithwaite, W., Staff Sergeant.		C. William and William H.	148 3 5
Oct. 16, 1848	Butcher, H., Sergeant-Major ...	Sirmoor Bn.	Johannah, Frederick and David Edwin.	99 6 1
May 9, 1849	Sheehan, D. Private ..	2nd En. R gt.	James	36 5 6
June 2, 1849	Moore, Benjamin, Private ...	st En. B. F.	Sarah C.	9 8 4
„ 2, 1849	Crowley, Charles, Private ...	st En. B. F.	John	7 6 1
Oct. 12, 1849	Deare, W., Conductor ..		Emeline	50 0 0
Nov. 21, 1849	Moget, ——, Sergeant Major ...	.....	George	69 14 4
Feb. 18, 1850	Boote, Daniel, Gunner ...	st Co., 4th Bn. of Arty.	James and another .	26 3 5
June 29, 1850	Uniack, Patrick, Sergeant ...	st Co., 3rd Bn. of Arty.	John and another .	29 15 0
Aug. 19, 1850	Sheehan, P., Gunner ..	Arty.	Patrick	23 5 6
Oct. 29, 1850	Lees, James, Corporal ..	2nd En. Regt. ..	Elizabeth	25 14 6
Nov. 4, 1852	Hodgins, Adam, Gunner ..	2nd Co., 5th Bn. of Arty	William	9 11 11
Feb. 1, 1853	Edwards, Michael, Sergeant ..	2nd Co., 5th Bn of Arty	Jane and Bridget .	36 5 9
Apl. 21, 1853	Staples, Edward, Sergeant	Sappers and Mirers ..	E. W. H.	97 2 6
Sept. 13, 1853	Brown, Michael, Sergeant ...	Arracan Bn. ..	John	49 10 3
Jan. 24, 1854	Galway, Robert, Bombardier ...	1st Co., 3rd Bn. of Arty	William	206 1 2
„ 18, 1855	Munrowd, George, Sub-Conductor.	Ordnance Dept. .	Georgiana ...	61 10 3
Sept. 24, 1855	Franks, G., Bazar Sergeant ...	.....	Mary Harriet .	283 1 11
Oct. 15, 1857	Earle, Edward, Sergeant ...	Calcutta Town Guard ...	William Edward .	209 14 0
Dec. 4, 1860	MacDonnel, John, Private ...	97th Foot	Charles ...	25 15 6
June ... 1862	Keddie, J., Private ...	2nd En. R. F. ...	Jane and James	86 0 0
July 22, 1863	Lawton, William, Color-Sergeant.	24th Foot	William and Joseph	152 14 2
Jan. 25, 1864	Jones, John, Gunner ..	G. Battery, 22nd Bde., Royal Arty.	Henrietta Dalzell	39 5 10
Mar. 10, 1864 / May 19, 1864	Anderson, William, Gunner	5th Bn., 25th Bde. Royal Arty.	Duncan ...	35 4 11
July 18, 1865	Rowland, J., Private ..	2nd Dragoon Guards ...	Sophia M. and Elizabeth Ann.	8 0 0
June 25, 1866	Mead, William, Bombardier ..	4-25th Royal Arty.	Mary and Thomas	4 0 0
Oct. 9, 1871	York, R., Sergeant ...	Arty. ...	Henry J. ...	21 1 4
May 8, 1884	Claydon, Daniel, Color-Sergeant.	2nd Lanc. Fus.	Thomas Patrick	60 0 0
July 6, 1887 / June 2, 1888 and Sept. 7, 1888	Simmons, J., Lance-Corporal	2nd Bn., The Queen's Royal West Surrey Regt.	Annie Isabella and John Thomas.	358 14 0
Apl. 11, 1889	Hyland, M., Drummer .	2nd Bn., The Queen's Royal West Surrey Regt.	Patrick, Emily, Matilda, and Rosanna.	558 9 8
Dec. 22, 1888	Squire, Richard, Sergeant	2nd West York Regt. ...	John Robert ...	554 14 0
Aug. 31, 1889	Neil, Thomas, Color-Sergeant	Ditto Ditto ...	Alfred William ...	199 9 10
Nov. 26, 1889	Foster, G., Private .	Ditto Ditto ...	George, E. Ernest ...	113 13 9
Nov. 5, 1890	Loades, R. H., Sergt. .	1st Bn., Suffolk Regt. ...	Robert, Henry ..	1,685 2 6

Application for payment of the deposits should be made to the Pay Examiner, Eastern Command, Calcutta.

G. W. S. FRYER, LIEUT.-COL.,
Pay Examiner, Eastern Command, and ex-officio
Secretary, Military Orphan Schools.

PAY EXAMINER'S OFFICE, EASTERN COMMAND;
Calcutta, the 16th November 1906.

Notice of Deaths sent to the Administrator-General of Bengal under section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported and when.	REMARKS.
Mr. Wilfred Arthur Stuart William, late temporary Engineer, Katihar-Godagiri Railway, Rohanpur.	General Hospital, Calcutta.	11th September 1906.	District Judge, Rajshahi, on 3rd November 1906.	No Will. No application.
Mrs. Louisa Blewitt ...	Kurseong	26th October 1906	District Judge, Purnea, on 7th November 1906.	Left a Will.
Mr. Joseph Charles Leyons	Eden Sanitarium, Darjeeling.	9th ,, ,,	District Judge, Purnea, on 6th November 1906.	Not known whether the deceased left a Will.
Mr. P. Drumm, late of Chunar, a Civil pensioner.	Chunar	8th November 1906.	District Judge, Mirzapur, on 17th November 1906.	Left No Will.
Mr. Alexander Turbayne, late Engineer of Messrs. Mohr Bros. & Co., Bassein.	Bassein, Burma ...	18th April 1906 ...	District Judge, Bassein and Henzada, on 1st November 1906.	No Will. No application.
Mr. Hine, late a pensioner and formerly employed as a Superintendent of Police.	.....	1st August 1906 ...	District Judge, Lahore, on 13th November 1906.	Ditto. Ditto.
Mr. J. D. MacGuire, retired District Superintendent of Police.	Jubbulpore ...	28th October 1906	District Judge, Jubbulpore, on 14th November 1906.	Ditto. Ditto.
Mr. Philip Bell Fitter, late a Chargeman of the G. I. P. Railway Company.	Frere Temperance Hotel, Fort Bombay.	On or about 22nd September 1906.	District Judge, Jubbulpore, on 14th November 1906.	Left a Will, and daughter of the deceased has applied for Probate.

3, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET,
Calcutta, the 26th November 1906.

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 20th November 1906.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 71,21,307 7 10			
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 62,31,790 0 2	1,33,53,097	8	0
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	13,07,78,133	14	6
Bank Post Bills, &c.	6,50,666	9	10
Sundries	26,14,614	2	3
Rupees ...	18,18,96,542	2	7

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	85,01,703	0	0
Other authorised investments ...	48,07,403	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	4,18,13,847	12	
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	4,52,95,417	15	1
Bills discounted and purchased	3,35,86,388	14	
Balances with other Banks	8,60,986	4	1
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	18,35,911	0	1
Stamps	10,926	13	
Sundries	6,27,491	14	
	13,73,40,129	11	
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office ... Rs. 1,92,84,138 13 0*			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches ... ,, 2,52,72,273 10 1†	4,45,56,412	7	
Rupees ...	18,18,96,542	2	

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 2,22,510 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 3,08,490 0 0
Rs. 5,31,000 0 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 22nd November 1906.

C. M. BASTIN, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans, 7 per cent.
Percentage 30·22.

HENRY GRAY,
Offg. Secretary and Treasurer.
(1245—1)

Wanted.

A MANAGER for the Boinchee Behari Lal Mukerjee's Trust estate, in the district of Hooghly, on a salary of Rs. 150 a month. Preference will be given to those who combine zamindari experience with knowledge of law and office routine. The selected candidate shall have to give security in cash or promissory note to the extent of Rs. 2,000 for the due performance of his duties, and shall have to execute an agreement for an equal amount for liquidated damages.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 30th instant.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Persl. Asstt.*,

for *Offg. Commr. on tour.*

Burdwan Commissioner's office, Chinsura, the 12th November 1906.

(1183—3)

Wanted

A RECORD-KEEPER and Peshkar for the Settlement Work of Dehi Bhadra, in Satkhira, Khulna, for a period of two and-a-half years on Rs. 25 per mensem. An Entrance passed candidate with experience of Khasra and area sections will be preferred. Selected candidate will have to furnish cash security Rs. 100 on joining and Rs. 100 by deduction from pay at Rs. 5 a month.

SARAT CHANDRA MUKERJEE,

Settlement Officer.

Satkhira, the 23rd November 1906.

Wanted.

A HEAD CLERK on Rs. 90 rising to Rs. 100, by a yearly increment of Rs. 2, for the office of the Settlement Officer of Bihar, at present at Bhagalpur. Long experience of correspondence work in Government offices essential. One with Settlement experience preferred. The candidate selected will be expected to stick to the post for at least three years. Applications with copies of testimonials stating age and qualifications should be addressed to—"The Settlement Officer, Bhagalpur" so as to reach not later than the 16th of December 1906.

P. W. MURPHY, I.C.S.,

Settlement Officer.

Bhagalpur, the 22nd November 1906.

Wanted

FOR the Office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Barharwa-Azimgunge-Katwa Railway:—

One Draughtsman Surveyor on Rs. 40 per month.
One Surveyor on „ 30 „

Applications which should be accompanied by certificates, and in the case of the draughtsman by a copy of a Tracing and Printing in his own hand should be submitted at once to the undersigned.

BHADATARAN CHATTERJEE,

Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector,
B. A. K. Railway, Jangipore,

Jangipur P. O., district Murshidabad, the 23rd November 1906.

Khulna District Board.

WANTED an Overseer—Rs. 50—2—60; travelling allowance Rs. 35 per month. Apply to undersigned on or before the 30th November current.

H. D. CHATTERJEE, District Engineer, Khulna.

The 15th November 1906. (1186—2)

Notice.

WANTED a Muhammadan candidate duly qualified under the rules for the post of a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the Midnapore district on a salary of Rs. 50 a month *plus* the travelling allowance under the Civil Service Regulations. The applications will be received up to the 5th December 1906.

MUHAMMAD IBRAHIM,

Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

Hooghly, the 22nd November 1906.

[Second Publication.]

Irrigation Department.

NOTICE is hereby given for general information that the Orissa Coast Canal, Range V, from Kansbans at the 116th mile-post to Charbettia, 132nd mile-post, will be closed for silt-clearance from the 15th December 1906 to 31st May 1907, both days inclusive.

W. A. INGLIS.

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

Calcutta, the 20th November 1906.

Notice under section 10A, clause (1) of Act I of 1906 (B.C).

NOTICE.

THE estate of late Kumar Gopalendra Narayan Roy of Puthia Ekani which descended to his minor sons Nripendra Narayan Roy and Khagendra Narayan Roy has been taken charge of by the Court of Wards. Notice is hereby given, under the provisions of section 10A, clause (1) of Act I of 1906 (B.C.) that all persons who have any claim against the said wards or their immoveable property do submit their claims in writing to the Court of Wards at the Rajshahi Collectorate within six months from the date of the publication of this notice, and that any claim not put forward within the said period shall cease to carry interest on the expiry of the said period.

HARA CHANDRA GHOSE, *for* Collector.

The 7th November 1906.

নোটীশ।

পুটীয়ার কুমার মৃত গোপালেন্দ্র নারায়ণ রায়ের সম্পত্তি তাঁহার নাবালক পুত্রদ্বয় নৃপেন্দ্র নারায়ণ রায় ও খগেন্দ্র নারায়ণ রায় উত্তরাধিকারী সূত্রে প্রাপ্ত হইয়াছে। ঐ সম্পত্তি কোর্ট অব্ ওয়ার্ডসের তত্ত্বাবধানে লওয়া হইয়াছে। অতএব ১৯০৬ সনের ১ আইনের ১০ এ ধারার (প্রকরণ ১ম) বিধান মত সর্ব্বসাধারণকে জানান যাইতেছে যে যে সমস্ত পাওনাদার উল্লিখিত নাবালগ দ্বয়ের নিকট অথবা তাহাদের স্থাবর সম্পত্তির উপর পাওনার দাবী রাখেন, তাহারা এই নোটীশ প্রকাশের তারিখ হইতে ছয় মাসের মধ্যে রাজসাহীর কালেক্টরীর কোর্ট অব্ ওয়ার্ডস্ বিভাগে নিজ নিজ পাওনার বিষয় লিখিত দরখাস্ত দ্বারা জানান। ঐ সময়ের মধ্যে না জানাইলে, ঐ সময়ান্তে তাহারা সুদ পাইবেন না।

H. C. GHOSH *for* Collector.

The 7th November 1906. (1122—3)

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

Notification.

THE following return of gentleman appointed by the Calcutta Trades Association, under section 62 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, to be a Commissioner under that Act, is hereby published in pursuance of the sub-section 2 of section 58 of the Act:—

Mr. William Heath Phelps, of the Firm of Messrs. Phelps & Co., in place of Mr. Trevor John Phelps resigned.

C. G. H. ALLEN,

Chairman of the Corporation.

The 23rd November 1906. (1252—1)

Road Cess Notice.

THE District Board of Midnapore, at a Special Meeting held on the 5th November 1906, resolved that the Road Cess be levied in the district at the maximum rate of 6 pies in the rupee during the year 1907-1908 as heretofore.

DONALD WESTON, I.C.S.,

Chairman, District Board, Midnapore.

Midnapore District Board, dated the 16th November 1906. (1247—1)

SARAT KUMAR CHAKRAVARTI, M.A., B.L., intends to apply to be admitted to practise as a Vakil in the Calcutta High Court. (1248—4—1068)

NOTICE.

Bank of Bengal.

THE Directors have made the following changes in the Bank's European Establishment:—

Sir William Dickson Cruickshank C.I.E., has returned from leave and resumed the Office of Secretary and Treasurer.

Mr. Henry Gray has been granted 12 months' leave from the 1st December.

By order of the Directors,

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Calcutta, the 27th November 1906. (1265—1)

Notice

IS hereby given that Pandra Prospecting and Mining Company, Limited, have gone into liquidation, and there has been a breach of condition contained in clause 9 of the lease, dated 22nd Asarh 1302, and the undersigned by virtue of the said clause 9 has entered into possession of the coal property subject of the said lease, namely, mauzas Ramkanali, Biljore, Kuhuka, Mugma, Markora, Nirsa, Durlavdi, Debiana, Bhamal in pargana Pandra, subdivision Gobindpur, in the district of Manbhum.

E. B. CLAIRSMITH,

General Manager, Wards and Encumbered Estates, Manbhum.

Dated Purulia, the 24th November 1906.

(1250—1 1087)

Notice.

PURSUANT to section 320 of Act X of 1865 and section 42 of Act XXVIII of 1866, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Allan Archibald Mackay, deceased, formerly of No. 21 Theatre Road, Calcutta, but late of No. 62 Camden Square, in the County of London, who died at Glasgow on the 18th day of September 1905, should send in their claims to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of January next after which date no claim will be admitted and the assets of the estate will be administered.

ORR, DIGNAM & Co.,

Attorneys for Thomas Everard Tichborne Upton, the Administrator in India.

32, Dalhousie Square, South, Calcutta, 14th November 1906. (1181—1—1085)

Notice.

PURSUANT to section 320 of Act X of 1865 and section 42 of Act XXVIII of 1866, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Elizabeth Masters Campbell, deceased, late of Palmerston, North in the Colony of New Zealand, widow, who died at Palmerston, North, aforesaid on the 13th day of July 1905, should send in their claims to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of January next after which date no claim will be admitted and the assets of the estate will be administered.

ORR, DIGNAM & Co.,

Attorneys for Thomas Everard Tichborne Upton, the Administrator in India.

32, Dalhousie Square, South, Calcutta, the 14th November 1906. (1182—1—1086)

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875 and under section 20 of Act I of 1887.

TO ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVISION No. U, GRAND DIVISION No. 6, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, within the municipal limits of Calcutta, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,

Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 20th November 1906.

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875 and under section 20 of Act I of 1887.

TO ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVISION No. 14, GRAND DIVISION No. 2, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,

Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 20th November 1906.

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875 and under section 20 of Act I of 1887.

TO ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVISION No. 13, GRAND DIVISION No. 2, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,

Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 20th November 1906.

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875 and under section 20 of Act I of 1887.

TO ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBDIVISION No. 6, GRAND DIVISION No. 1, DIHI PANCHANNOGRAM.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,

Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 20th November 1906

Notification.

THE Dumka *mela* begins on the 1st February next and lasts a fortnight. The *mela* site has now been removed to the heart of the town, and allotments of space will be made free of all charge by the Committee on application.

From the 7th to the 10th February, there will be daily sports, fireworks and amusements for the public in the *mela* grounds, ending with an exhibition of produce and cattle. Rupees 500 will be given away as prizes at the sports, and the same amount or more at the exhibition.

Traders, shop-keepers, exhibitors and itinerant performers are requested to communicate with the Secretary as soon as possible.

W. H. THOMSON,

Subdivisional Officer.

Dumka, the 13th November 1906.

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APPENDIX TO

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1906.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 24th November 1906.*

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

South Patches—Light vessel to be temporarily removed from her station.

No. 448 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 295, dated the 17th August last, issued by this office, the Port Officer, Chittagong, has given further notice that the South Patches light-vessel will be removed from her station on the 3rd January 1907, and replaced on the 5th March 1907. A red barrel buoy with staff will mark the position during her absence.

Approximate position, lat. 21° 29′ N., long. 91° 36′ E.

The 22nd November 1906.

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA—HOBSON BAY.

Gellibrand point light-house—Fog signal established.

No. 449 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 289, dated 10th August 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further Notice (No. 1210 of 1906) that a fog-horn and a fog rocket have been established at the pile light-house of Gellibrand point, Hobson bay. During thick or foggy weather the horn will be sounded and the rocket fired, alternately, *every five minutes.*

Approximate position, lat. 37° 52¾′ S., long. 144° 55′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Philip, No. 1171b; Hobson bay, No. 624: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 1320; Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897, page 459; and Supplement, 1900, page 17.

The 23rd November 1906.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Spencer gulf.

Corny point light—Intended red sector.

No. 450 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1211 of 1906), that it is intended, on 1st January 1907, to alter Corny point light, Spencer gulf, to show *red* over Webb rock between the bearings of N. 50° E. and N. 25° E. in place of the present obscured arc. The red light will be visible in clear weather from a distance of 14 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 54′ S., long 137° 1′ E.

(*Variation 4° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Gulf of St. Vincent, &c., No. 2389a; Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 1218; Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897, page 219 : and Supplement, 1900, page 14.

KOREA—EAST COAST.

Goshkevitch bay—Rock.

No. 451 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1222 of 1906) of the existence of a rock, with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, in Goshkevitch bay, situated in a position from which the southern extremity of Red island bears N. 64° E., distant 8½ cables, and West point N. 75° W.

Approximate position, lat 42° 18¼′ N., long. 130° 32¼′ E.

This rock, named Gyokugan, is steep-to, having depths of 14 to 15 fathoms around it.

(*Variation 7° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Tumen Ula to Strelok bay, No. 2432; Goshkevitch bay on chart No. 1186 : Also, Sailing Directions for Japan and Korea, 1904, page 155.

CHINA, NORTH—Manchuria—Liau tung gulf.

Kwang tung peninsula, north coast—Mines removed.

No. 452 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 420, dated 20th October 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further Notice (No. 1223 of 1906) that sweeping operations for mines over an area to the northward of a line joining cape Collinson and Iron island in a north-east direction to Kin Chau bay were completed on August 26th last.

The cautionary note respecting mines has therefore been removed from the undermentioned charts.

Approximate position, Iron island, lat. 38° 56¾′ N., long. 120° 59E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Gulf of Pechili and Liau tung, No. 1256; Kwang tung peninsula, No. 1798; Pechili strait, No. 1392 : Also, China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, pages 634, 635.

PERSIAN GULF—Mouths of the Euphrates.

Shatt-al-Arab—Regulations regarding speed of vessels.

No. 453 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1226 of 1906) that, in consequence of the damage caused by vessels proceeding at a high rate of speed in the Shatt-al-Arab and the adjacent rivers and tributaries, the Turkish Government has notified, through the Vali of Basra, that the speed of all vessels after passing Fao must not exceed five knots. Legal proceedings for damages will be taken against Mariners who contravene this regulation.

Approximate position, Fao, lat. 29° 58½′ N., long. 48° 29½′ E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Shatt-al-Arab, No. 1235; Also Persian Gulf Pilot, 1898, page 289; and Supplement, 1905, page 28.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Malacca strait.

One Fathom Bank light—Alteration postponed.

No. 454 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 2, dated 8th January 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further Notice (No. 1227 of 1906) that the alteration in the light exhibited from the One Fathom Bank light-house, Malacca strait, from revolving to a *white group flashing* light, showing groups of four flashes *every fifteen seconds*, will not be completed before the close of 1907.

Approximate position, lat. 2° 53′ N., long. 101° 0′ E.

Further notice will be given when this alteration has been made.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Malacca strait, Nos. 1355 and 794; cape Rachado to Singapore, No. 795; Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 423; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 182.

CHINA, NORTH—Manchuria, south coast.

Ta lien hwan—Regulations relative to, cancelled.

No. 455 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 312, dated the 3rd September 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1228 of 1906) that the regulations respecting Ta lien hwan contained in the above-mentioned notice have been cancelled and are no longer in force. The pecked lines from San shan tau light-house, indicating the limits of the districts, have therefore been erased from the charts, and also the note that inside those pecked lines Japanese harbour regulations are to be followed.

Approximate position of San shan tau light, lat. 38° 51½′ N., long. 121° 50¼′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Kwantung peninsula, No. 1798; Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 586.

JAPAN, NAIKAI (INLAND) SEA—Simonoseki strait.

Moji ko—Wreck.

No. 456 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1244 of 1906) that the wreck of the S.S. *Naka Maru* lies sunk, with masts and funnel above water, in Moji ko, in a position from which Moji machi harbour office flagstaff bears S. 56° E., distant 3$\frac{1}{10}$ cables, and Kojo yama (Moji hill) N. 52° E.

Approximate position, lat. 33° 57′ N., long. 130° 57¼′ E.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Simonoseki strait, No. 1678; Moji ko, No. 3114. Also Sailing Directions for Japan, 1904, page 502.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Krishna shoal light-vessel will shortly resume her station.

No. 457 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 408, dated 23rd October 1906, issued by this office, a further telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Rangoon, stating that the Krishna shoal light-vessel will resume her station on or about the 29th November 1906, exhibiting original light. The temporary light-vessel will be withdrawn.

The 24th November 1906.

BAY OF BENGAL—Chittagong coast.

Kurnafuli river—Depth of water in the channels.

No. 458 (first publication).—The Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the channels by soundings taken on the 22nd November 1906.

	Ft.	in.
Track No. 1.—Outer bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	0
Marks open to the north	14	0
Track No. 2.—Inner bar—		
Batten beacon on pillar	12	0
Track No. 3.—		
Triangle on cross and ball	16	6
Track No. 4.—Guptakhally crossing—		
Tripod on diamond	18	0

The 26th November 1906.

JAPAN—HONSHU (NIPON), NORTH-WEST COAST.

Caution—Floating mines.

No. 436 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1168 of 1906) that floating mines are still occasionally seen near the north-west coast of Honshu (Nipon), between the Oki islands and Tsugaru strait; vessels are therefore recommended not to navigate along this coast at night. The Japan sea, also, cannot yet be considered entirely free from danger from these mines.

A cautionary note to the above effect has been placed on the chart.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Nipon, Kiusiu, and Shikoku, No. 2347: Also Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, pages 636—682.

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND—PORT NICHOLSON.

Lambton harbour—Lights established on wharf.

No. 437 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1175 of 1906) that two *green fixed* lights, placed vertically 8 feet apart, the upper light being elevated 37 feet above high-water, have been established near the outer end of Taranaki Street wharf.

These lights are visible from all points of approach for a distance of 3 miles in clear weather.

Approximate position, lat. 41° 17¼′ S, long. 174° 46¾′ E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Nicholson, No. 1423; Lambton harbour, &c., No. 803: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906 page 273; and New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 172.

AUSTRALIA—NEW SOUTH WALES.

Newcastle harbour—Additional beacon light and leading mark established.

No. 438 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1180 of 1906) that, on and after 1st September 1906, a *green fixed* light, elevated 30 feet above high water, would be exhibited from a pile-beacon recently erected on the northern side of the entrance to Newcastle harbour, at a distance of 300 yards, S. 58° W, from the existing red pile-beacon with *green fixed* light.

Approximate position, lat. 32° 55¼′ S., long. 151° 47½′ E.

Vessels entering the harbour should keep the above *green fixed* lights in line, bearing S. 58° W., which will lead in least depth of 22 feet at low-water springs, until the lights on the fairway leading towers (*fixed white* and *fixed red*) come into line, bearing S. 42° W.

(*Variation 10° Easterly in 1906.*)

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Jackson to port Stephens, No. 1021; Newcastle harbour, No. 2119: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 231; and Australian Directory, vol. II, 1898, page 81.

CHINA SEA—SINGAPORE STRAIT.

Raffles light.—Limits of obscured sector uncertain.

No. 439 (second publication).—With reference to notice to Mariners No. 367, dated 29th September 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1182 of 1906) that the limits of the sector within which Raffles light is obscured are at present uncertain.

Further notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 10′ N., long. 103° 14½′ E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Singapore strait, Nos. 2403, 2404: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 437; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 201.

CHINA SEA—Gulf of Siam—Chentabun River.

Lemsing.—Light established.

No. 440 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1183 of 1906) that, on the 1st September 1906, a *white occulting* light *every thirty seconds* thus:—light, *twenty-five seconds;* eclipse, *five seconds*, elevated about 280 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles, would be established on Lem sing, at the entrance to Chentabun river.

The exact position of this light is not stated.

Approximate position, lat. 12° 28′ N., long. 102° 2½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of Siam, No. 2414; cape Liant to Koh kut with plan of Chentabun river, No. 2721: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 113; and China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 381.

AFRICA SOUTH COAST—Cape Colony—Algoa bay.

Cape Recife light.—Description given.

No. 441 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 423, dated the 1st November 1906, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1197 of 1906) of the following description of the light on cape Recife, Algoa bay:—It is a *white fixed* and *flashing* light *every minute*, showing *red* between the bearings of S. 39° W. and S. 11° W., and *white* in other directions; the light-power of the fixed light being 9,000 candles, and of the flash 115,000 candles. The power of the light in the red sector is considerably reduced. Under certain atmospheric conditions the fixed light may become invisible, the flash only appearing.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 1¾′ S., long. 25° 42′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Indian ocean, No. 748a; Hondeklip bay to port Natal, No. 2095; cape St. Francis to Waterloo bay, No. 2086; Algoa bay, No. 642: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 15; and Africa Pilot part, III, 1905, page 125.

CHINA SEA—Philippine Islands—Luzon eastcoast—Lamon bay Approach.

Makulabo island—Shoal to the South-Westward.

No. 442 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1199 of 1906) that a shoal of coral and rock of large extent exists south-westward of Makulabo island. A depth of 3 fathoms was found on it situated in a position from which the southern extremity of Makulabo island bears N. 65° E., distant 2¾ miles, and the northern extreme of the same island N. 32° E.

There appeared to be less water on this shoal; an examination of it is in progress.

Approximate position, lat. 14° 24½′ N., long. 122° 39′ E.

(*Variation Nil in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—The Philippine islands, No. 943; Philippine islands between St. Bernardino and Mindoro straits, No. 2577: Also, Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 374; and Supplement, 1906, page 30.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Sumatra West coast—Benkulen.

Pulo Tikus light—Intended alteration.

No. 443 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No 1201 of 1906) that it is intended to alter pulo Tikus light from white fixed to a *white flashing* light *every five seconds*, the flashes being of very short duration; it will be visible in clear weather from a

distance of 16 miles, and exhibited from a white open iron framework support, 98 feet high, erected near the position of the present light.

The light will be of the 5th order.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 50½′ S., long. 102° 11′ E.

Further Notice will be given when received.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Sumatra with plan of Benkulen, No. 2761: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 462; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 312.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—SUMATRA, EAST COAST—MALACCA STRAIT.

Langsar bay—Light intended.

No. 444 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1202 of 1906) that it is intended to establish a *white flashing* light *every three seconds* on a white open iron framework support, 65 feet high, erected on Pasir Puti, Langsar bay, the duration of each flash being one second. The light will be of the 4th order.

Approximate position, lat. 4° 32½′ N., long. 97° 59′ E.

Further Notice will be given when received.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Acheh head to Tyinykok bay, No. 2760; Diamond point to Pulo Berhala, No. 1353; and Langsar bay, No. 3574: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 63; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 71.

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND, EAST COAST.

Little Barrier island—Rock.

No. 445 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1203 of 1906) of the existence of a rock, awash at low-water springs off the north-west coast of Little Barrier island, situated in a position from which White cliffs (600 feet) bear S. 75° E., distant about 2 cables, and the northern point of Little Barrier island N. 55° E., distant 2 miles.

This rock is about 60 feet long in a north-easterly and south-westerly direction and 5 feet broad.

Approximate position, lat. 36° 10¾′ S., long. 175° 3½′ E.

(Variation 14° Easterly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Tutukaka harbour to Mayor island, No. 2543; Bream head to Tepaki point, No. 3565: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 47; Supplement, 1906, page 4.

COMPASS—*Variation of, on certain charts.*

No. 446 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1205 of 1906) that observations obtained during recent years show that the secular change in the variation of the compass is in some cases greatly different from what was anticipated.

The results have been embodied in the variation chart for the Epoch 1907, and this chart should be consulted on all occasions before deciding on the variation to be allowed in shaping course, &c.

The compasses on the charts may be in some cases as much as 2° in error.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Caution—Wreck of a Pattimar off Vingorla.

No. 447 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 428, dated the 1st November 1906, issued by this Office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 119 of 1906) that the Master of S.S. *Loodiana* reports that he passed a wrecked Pattimar in lat. 15° 41′ N., long. 73° 26′ E., Vingorla Rock Light-house, bearing N. 5° E. (True), distant 12 miles. The vessel is lying on her side and is laden with logs of timber; she bears the following mark on her port quarter :—240·5· C.

The derelict is a great danger to navigation.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Karáchi to Vengorla, No. 826; Vengorla to Cape Comorin, No. 827; Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug No. 2736; Viziadrug to Cochin, No. 2737; and Achra River to Cape Ramas, No. 740 : Also, West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 168.

The 17th November 1906.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Rajpuri Point—Red buoy replaced in position.

No. 432 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 239, dated 26th June 1906, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 116 of 1906) that the red buoy on the north side of the 'Whale Reef,' off Rajpuri Point at the entrance of the Janjira Harbour that had been removed for the south-west monsoon was replaced on the 10th October 1906.

PACIFIC OCEAN, SOUTH—Solomon islands—Florida island.

Sandfly passage—Pinnacle rock.

No. 433 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1142 of 1906 that a pinnacle rock, awash, exists nearly in the centre of North channel, Sandfly passage) in a position from which the northern of the two pinnacle rocks at present shown on the chart bears, approximately, S. 78° E. distant about three cables.

It is proposed to place a buoy on this rock.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 59′ S., long. 160° 5′ E.

(*Variation 8° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Plan of Sandfly passage on No. 2873 : Guadalcanar and Florida islands, No. 1469 : Also Pacific Islands, vol. I, 1900, page 292.

CHINA SEA—Philippine islands—Mindoro islands.

Port Galera—Colour of light altered.

No. 434 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1155 of 1906) that the colour of port Galera light (*fixed*) has been altered from white to *red* and the power of the light has been increased, so that it is now visible in clear weather from a distance of 7 miles.

In other respects the light is unaltered.

Approximate position, lat. 13° 30½′ N., long. 120° 57′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Port Galera, etc., on No. 949: Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 660; and Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1902, page 229; and Supplement, 1906, page 16.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Kurnafuli river—Depth of water in the Channels.

No. 435 (third publication).—The Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the channels by soundings taken on the 8th November 1906.

	Ft.	In.
Track No. 1—Outer bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	6
Marks open to the north	13	6
Track No. 2—Inner bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	0
Batten beacon on pillar	12	0
Track No. 3—		
Triangle on cross and ball	17	6
Track No. 4—Guptakhally crossing—		
Tripod on diamond	18	0

The 12th November 1906.

ST. L. S. WARDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

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RELIGION.				
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14	The Students' Magazine. A monthly paper. Vol. I. No. 5. pp. 30. The Managing Committee, Eden Hindu Hostel, Calcutta. 6-3-06. Rl. 8vo. 1st. As. 4.	Náráyan Chandra Ghosh, 115, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	500	516	The Managing Committee, Eden Hindu Hostel Calcutta
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No.	Language.	Books.		Total.
		Non-educational.	Educational.	
	Uni-linguals.			
1	Assamese	16	3	19
2	Bengali	144	58	202
3	English	40	27	67
4	Hindi	18	4	22
5	Mundari	1	...	1
6	Musalmani-Bengali	6	...	6
7	Pahary	1	...	1
8	Persian	2	...	2
9	Sanskrit	12	1	13
10	Urdu	7	...	7
11	Uriya	52	4	56
	Total Uni-linguals ...	299	97	396
	Bi-linguals.			
1	Abraic and Urdu	3	1	4
2	Bengali and English	3	22	25
3	Bengali and Sanskrit	20	4	24
4	Bengali and Urdu	3	...	3
5	Bengali and Uriya	1	...	1
6	English and Sanskrit	4	3	7
7	English and Santali	...	1	1
8	English and Uriya	...	1	1
9	Hindi and Sanskrit	3	...	3
10	Sanskrit and Uriya	7	1	8
	Total Bi-linguals	44	33	77
	Tri-linguals.			
1	Bengali, English and Sanskrit ...	...	2	2
2	English, Hindi and Sanskrit ...	1	...	1
	Total Tri-linguals ...	1	2	3
	Uni-lingual Periodicals.			
1	Assamese Periodicals	1	...	1
2	Bengali Periodicals	90	...	90
3	English Periodicals	77	...	77
4	Garo Periodicals	3	...	3
5	Hindi Periodicals	20	...	20
6	Sanskrit Periodicals	5	...	5
7	Urdu Periodicals	3	...	3
	Total Uni-lingual Periodicals ...	199	...	199
	Carried over.	543	132	675

No.	Language.	Books.		Total.
		Non-educational.	Educational.	
	Brought forward ...	543	132	675
	Bi-lingual Periodicals.			
1	Bengali and English Periodicals ...	7	...	7
2	Bengali and Sanskrit Periodicals ...	4	...	4
3	English and Sanskrit Periodicals ...	1	...	1
	Total Bi-lingual Periodicals ...	12	...	12
	Grand Total of Books, &c., &c. ...	555	132	687

Calcutta,
The 14th September 1906.

RÁJENDRA CHANDRA SÁSTRÍ, M.A.
Librarian of the Bengal Library and Keeper of the Catalogue of Books under Section XVIII of Act XXV of 1867.

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REPORT ON THE STATE OF THE SALT MARKET FOR THE SECOND QUARTER OF 1906-1907.

No. 6765B., dated Calcutta, the 12th November 1906.

From—PANDIT RAMA BALLABHA MISRA, M.A., Offg. Secretary to the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department.

I AM directed to submit the following report on the state of the salt market for the second quarter of the year 1906-1907, comprising the months of July, August and September 1906.

Member in charge:
THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

2. The quantity of salt of every description cleared during the quarter amounted to 21,55,780 maunds, as compared with 33,10,896 maunds in the previous quarter, and 21,78,015 maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year. The net amount of duty levied thereon was Rs. 29,43,586, as against Rs. 45,57,288 in the previous quarter, and Rs. 30,40,075 in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.*

* The figures cited for the previous years in paragraphs 2 to 4 of this report do not include figures for the Eastern Bengal districts which were transferred on 16th October 1905 to the Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

3. The subjoined Table I shows in detail the importations into the port of Calcutta and the total clearances of sea-imported salt during the quarter, as compared with the figures of the corresponding quarters of the two previous years :—

TABLE I.

WHENCE IMPORTED.	1904-1905. Second quarter.		1905-1906. Second quarter.		1906-1907. Second quarter.	
	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom	18,14,015	10,87,820	11,66,958	8,19,892	16,29,088	9,20,959
Hamburg and Bremen	5,52,951	2,18,685	2,58,135	2,56,381	1,05,960	1,27,235
Port Said	.....	.....	1,00,300	70,215	65,333	68,562
Spain	.....	.....	2,76,336	1,38,891	3,41,514	2,98,570
France	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....
Salif	3,97,062	3,05,824	4,93,914	2,94,668	3,31,010	3,65,695
Rawayah	4,83,751	2,99,499	.....	58,844	.....	13,900
Aden	5,47,961	2,49,799	6,33,108	3,78,298	1,69,277	1,58,236
Muscat, Linga, Hanjam, &c.	.....	.....	.....	8,100	.....	1,200
Japan	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....
Rock salt	5,359	5,910	5,444	8,280	5,444	4,700
North Africa, Egypt, &c.	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	 1
East Africa, Mauritius, &c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bombay	87,764	1,48,705	.....	1,18,203	58,726	1,77,958
Madras and Coconada	8,200	8,200	10,000	10,000	.....	.....
Ceylon	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....
Straits Settlements	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	1
New South Wales	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fiji Islands	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....
Turkey (Asiatic)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
Total	39,97,063	23,26,457	29,44,195	21,61,823	27,06,352	21,34,017

Compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year and the same quarter of 1904-1905, importations were less by 8·08 per cent. and 32·3 per cent., respectively, and clearances by 1·3 and 8·3 per cent.

4. Table II shows the quantity of sea-imported salt remaining in the warehouses at the close of the quarter, as compared with the previous four quarters :—

TABLE II.

WHERE STORED.	Second quarter of 1905-1906.	Third quarter of 1905-1906.	Fourth quarter of 1905-1906.	First quarter of 1906-1907.	Second quarter of 1906-1907.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Sulkea Government Salt golas	14,22,356	9,27,155	12,09,169	11,75,305	14,34,711
Kidderpore Dock ditto	6,28,978	6,26,631	4,07,851	6,94,857	7,27,569
Chandbali (private bonded salt warehouses)	9,200	10,400	3,000	8,200	13,000
Total	20,60,534	15,64,186	16,20,020	18,78,362	21,75,280

Stocks at the close of the quarter were greater than in any of the previous four quarters.

5. For the reason given in paragraph 5 of the last quarter's report, Table III which showed the despatches of salt from Calcutta by different routes has been omitted from this report. The figures showing such despatches

during the quarter under report will be published as usual in the *Calcutta Gazette* by the Director-General of Commercial Intelligence when they are available.

6. No salt was despatched during the quarter by the East Indian Railway to stations beyond Buxar, as against 405 maunds despatched both in the previous quarter and in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

7. The quantity of saltpetre salt excised in the refineries of the Lower Provinces during the quarter amounted to 3,516 maunds, as compared with 4,955 maunds in the previous quarter and 3,162 maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

8. The shipments of Liverpool salt during the quarter for the port of Calcutta, according to the published market reports, amounted to 29,874 tons. It is reported that the vessels noted in the margin* are afloat for Calcutta with cargoes of salt from Hamburg. The quantity given against each ship is approximate only.

	Tons.
* Liebenfels ...	2,000
Ockenfels ...	3,000
Schonfels ...	1,250
Tamenfels ...	1,600

9. Table IV shows the average wholesale prices per 100 maunds of Liverpool and other descriptions of salt during each fortnight of the quarter: —

TABLE IV.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	Fortnight ending 15th July 1906.	Fortnight ending 31st July 1906.	Fortnight ending 15th August 1906.	Fortnight ending 31st August 1906.	Fortnight ending 15th September 1906.	Fortnight ending 30th September 1906
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Liverpool *panga*	48 6 10	47 0 0	47 2 0	46 13 1	48 12 8	50 10 3
Hamburg *karkatch*	51 0 0	50 8 0	.....	46 10 2	45 15 4	47 9 7
Muscat *ditto*	41 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	36 0 0
Bombay *ditto*	42 6 8	41 10 0	40 3 2	39 2 0	39 0 0	39 0 0
Aden crushed	42 0 0	.....	.....	.....	40 10 8	40 0 0
Salif ditto	43 7 3	43 2 3	43 0 0	42 11 5	42 0 0	42 0 0

During the quarter the prices of Liverpool *panga* fell and rose again while those of Hamburg *karkatch* and Salif crushed rose and fell. The prices of Muscat *karkatch* and Aden crushed fell and those of Bombay *karkatch* showed a downward tendency. There were no imports of Madras salt during the quarter

10. The quantity of sea-imported salt admitted into, and cleared from, bond at the inland warehousing station of Chandbali in the district of Balasore, during the quarter and the corresponding quarter of the previous year, is shown below:—

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	ADMITTED INTO BOND.		CLEARED.	
	Second quarter of 1905-1906.	Second quarter of 1906-1907.	Second quarter of 1905-1906.	Second quarter of 1906-1907.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
English *panga*	14,200	27,000	16,192	21,763

As compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year, there was a great increase both in the quantity admitted into bond and in that cleared.

11. The quantity of Madras and Bombay salt imported inland and consumed in each of the districts of the Orissa Division, including the Tributary States, during the quarter and the previous two quarters, is given below :—

Name of District.	Madras Salt.			Bombay Salt.			Remarks.
	Fourth quarter of 1905-1906.	First quarter of 1906-1907.	Second quarter of 1906-1907.	Fourth quarter of 1905-1906.	First quarter of 1906-1907.	Second quarter of 1906-1907.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	
Cuttack	1,02,562	1,31,999	1,42,202	9,131	37,235	889	
Balasore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Puri	47,400	84,150	46,165	.....	.....	.....	
Total ...	1,49,962	2,66,050	1,88,367	9,131	37,235	889	

RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE ON LAND REVENUE ADMINISTRATION FOR THE YEAR 1905-1906.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT—LAND REVENUE.

Calcutta, the 8th November 1906.

RESOLUTION—No. 3125.

READ—

The Report of the Board of Revenue on Land Revenue Administration for the year 1905-06.

THE Report was submitted to Government punctually.

2. *Collections, balances and remissions.*—The total demands and collections of the year were higher than in any of the four preceding years, and the total remissions and balances the lowest on record.

3. *Road and Public Works Cesses.*—The current demand of cesses slightly increased, while the total collections increased by over half a lakh. The percentage of collections on the current demand rose from 100·8 in the previous year to 101·4. Revaluation operations in Hooghly, Champaran, and Muzaffarpur were completed in the year under review.

4. *Money orders.*—The number of revenue money-orders and the amount of land revenue and cesses remitted thereby continue to increase. The number of rent money-orders shows a slight decrease, but the amount remitted increased. In districts where settlements have been or are still in progress, there is a tendency for the number to increase. The total number of refusals was larger than in the previous year. In Bhagalpur, this is attributed to the fact that some of the landlords still object, on principle, to receiving rent by money-order. The privilege was extended to the tenants of the districts of Cuttack and Balasore during the year under review.

5. *Coercive measures.*—The Revenue Sale Law continued to be worked with leniency and moderation; and, although the number of defaulters in the payment of Government dues increased by 747, the number of sales declined by 42. The total number of certificates, filed during the year, was 150,446, against 132,076 in the preceding year. The number of cases disposed of fell short of the cases instituted in all the Divisions, except in the Presidency and Chota Nagpur Divisions. There is a marked improvement in the district of the 24-Parganas. The falling off in the number of disposals in the district of Burdwan appears to require further examination.

6. *Condition of the raiyats in Government estates and expenditure on improvements, and education.*—The condition of the raiyats in Government estates throughout the Province was on the whole satisfactory, except where there was a partial failure or loss of the crops in Nadia, Jessore, the Madhipura subdivision of Bhagalpur, and the Kalimpong Khas Mahals in Darjeeling. The expenditure incurred on miscellaneous and sanitary improvements, during the year, amounted to Rs. 1,87,907, against Rs. 1,43,352 in the previous year. There was a large increase in the number of schools and pupils on Government estates. This increase was most marked in Midnapore, where it is attributed to the inducements held out to *gurus* to establish schools by the grant of allowances. There is also a marked improvement in Chota Nagpur.

7. *Cadastral survey and settlement.*—The new system introduced, during the year, in Ranchi and Midnapore, and also in several minor settlements, under which the control of cadastral survey and khanapuri was transferred to the Settlement Department, has worked satisfactorily. The Munsifs, who were deputed to settlement, took the greatest interest in their work and identified themselves completely with it, and their relations with the other officers on settlement were entirely satisfactory. As it was impossible to give these officers satisfactory training in all branches of the work in six months, their period of training has, with the consent of the High Court, been extended. Copies of zincographic reproductions of village maps in the

Orissa Division were issued for sale. In Balasore, particularly, they had a wide sale. This is attributed to their usefulness to the public in the amicable adjustment of petty disputes.

8. *Land Registration.*—The Bill to amend the Land Registration Act, 1876, was passed during the year, and came into force on the 11th April 1906. The Board have addressed Commissioners on the subject of the improvements which can be introduced in the Land Registration registers in consequence of the amending Act.

9. *Partition.*—There was a slight increase both in the number of institutions and disposals, as compared with those of the previous year. Institutions slightly exceeded disposals. The general question of expediting *butwara* work is under the consideration of the Board.

10. *Sundarbans.*—The reclamation operations at Frasergunge in the Sundarbans, continued during the year: 3,300 acres were cleared and partly embanked during the cold weather and 27 tenants were settled. More tenants are expected to settle there this year.

11. *Working of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, Act VI (B.C) of 1862, and Act I (B.C.) of 1879.*—The Tenancy Act is reported to have generally worked smoothly during the year, and there are signs that landlords and tenants are becoming more familiar with its provisions; but illegal exactions and cesses still continue to exist. Where a survey and settlement has been made, they are reported to have declined. It is hoped that in Orissa they will receive a further check by the introduction of the system of payment of rent by money-order. With the sanction of the Secretary of State, the Bill to amend the Bengal Tenancy Act was introduced in the Bengal Legislative Council on the 10th November 1906. The Lieutenant-Governor would be glad to receive the opinion of the Board and the Commissioner of Chota Nagpur on the large number of rent-suits in Palamau in which damages were granted to the plaintiffs.

12. *Tours and inspections.*—The desirability of curtailing and omitting many details from the part of the Report that deals with tours and inspections, is suggested for the consideration of the Board of Revenue.

13. *Weather and crops, Prices of food, wages, and material condition of the people.*—The rainfall was above the normal. The effect of this was, generally speaking, as follows:—The *bhadoi* crop was seriously injured by excessive rain in July and August; winter rice suffered by the early cessation of the rains; and the *rabi* crops suffered, from want of moisture, at the sowing time, and, later on, from heavy rain in February. Prices of food-grains ruled high. This is due to various causes, such as exports to other provinces, local deficiency in outturn, local damage to the crops and shortage of grain in other places, such as Backergunge, from which large exports are made. Wages show an upward tendency in the districts near Calcutta, owing to the great demand for labour caused by the increased commercial activity of factories and mills, and the development of railways and the coal industry. The condition of the people was generally satisfactory, except where there was a partial failure or loss of the crops, particularly in the Bhagalpur Division, where crops were in some places largely destroyed by floods. Where wages did not rise in proportion to the rise in the prices of food, as in the Orissa Division, the landless classes and labourers were more than usually pinched.

14. The Lieutenant-Governor thanks the Board for their administration of the Land Revenue Department. The names of officers mentioned as deserving of special commendation have been noted by the Lieutenant-Governor and will be recorded by the Appointment Department.

15. Extracts from the Report are appended, giving more detailed information.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

R. W. CARLYLE,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Extract from the Report of the Board of Revenue on Land Revenue Administration for the year 1905-06.

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2. Under the orders of the Government of India, noted on the margin, the districts of Dacca, Mymensingh, Faridpur, Backergunge, Tippera, Noakhali, Chittagong, the Chittagong Hill Tracts, Rajshahi, Dinajpur, Jalpaiguri, Rangpur, Bogra, Pabna and Malda which formed part of Bengal, were transferred to the new Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam, and the district of Sambalpur (except the Chandarpur-Pachampur zamindari and the Phuljhar zamindari) which formed part of the Central Provinces, was placed under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal and transferred to the Orissa Division. The district of Darjeeling, which was previously included in the Rajshahi Division, was transferred to the Bhagalpur Division.

Proclamations Nos 2832 and 2833, dated the 1st September 1905.
Notification No. 3340, dated the 16th October 1905.

3. These changes took effect from the 16th October 1905. It was decided by Government that no reference should be made in the Board's Land Revenue Administration Report to the districts transferred to the Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam. Accordingly this report deals only with the districts at present under the Board.

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5. The Land Revenue Department of the Board was administered by the Hon'ble Mr. L. Hare, C.I.E., C.S.I., throughout the year. Work in the Partition and Land Acquisition Branches (paragraphs 116 to 125), though included in the Land Revenue Administration Report, was in charge of the Hon'ble Mr. K. G. Gupta, I.C.S., from the 1st April to the 3rd October 1905, and of the Hon'ble Mr. F. A. Slacke, I.C.S., from the 4th October 1905 to the close of the year.

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7. The statistics of demands, collections, remissions and balances of land revenue (including malikana, revenue of police lands and quit-rents of Tributary Mahals) for the year under report, the details of which are given in Appendix I, are compared with the figures for the preceding four years in the statement below:—

Statistics of demands, collections, remissions and balances

Appendix I.

Demands.			Collections.			Remissions.	Balances.			Percentage to total collections on total demand.	Percentage of total collections on current demand.	Percentage of current collections on current demand.
Current.	Arrear.	Total.	Current.	Arrear.	Total.		Current.	Arrear.	Total.			
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
2,79,71,473	8,93,145	2,88,62,618	2,73,31,735	6,91,939	2,79,95,804	81,461	6,57,377	1,30,311	7,77,066	97·03	10[illegible]	97 63
2,80,01,992	7,86,865	2,88,56,257	2,74,41,240	6,05,532	2,80,46,772	84,513	5,03,907	1,31,155	7,25,124	97 19	9[illegible]93	97·90
2,82,31,396	7,14,349	2,89,47,745	2,76,28,256	5,50,000	2,81,78,256	52,505	5,81,140	1,35,534	7,16,684	97 34	98·81	97 90
2,83,36,642	7,73,264	2,91,09,910	2,76,16,776	6,21,498	2,82,37,274	73,447	6,47,090	1,12,209	8,00,189	97 00	99 65	97·46
2,85,94,038	8,25,757	2,94,09,795	2,79,07,089	6 38,892	2,85,56,591	51,851	5,77,854	1,23,495	7,01,373	97·44	100·23	97 95

* Includes figures for Sambalpur.

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11. The amounts remitted during the year were Rs. 1,200 in permanently-settled estates, Rs. 685 in temporarily-settled estates, and Rs. 49,966 in estates held direct by Government, making a total of Rs. 51,851 of which Rs. 17,286 represented remissions of grace, Rs. 15,492 remissions of right, and Rs. 19,073 nominal remissions. The total remissions showed a decrease of Rs. 29,596 as compared with the previous year.

Remissions.

12. The remissions of grace were allowed mainly in estates under direct management on account of death, desertion or poverty of raiyats, failure of crops and deterioration of soil. The largest amount under this head was Rs. 10,691 in Midnapore.

Remissions of grace.

13. The remissions of right were due chiefly to diluvion, acquisition of lands for public purposes and reductions in revenue with retrospective effect. The largest remissions were Rs. 5,306 in Midnapore, Rs. 3,563 in Monghyr, and Rs. 3,819 in Bhagalpur.

Remissions of right.

14. The remissions of this description were large in Midnapore (Rs. 4,567) and Gaya (Rs. 12,720). The former was on account of Government having abandoned its claim to proprietary rights in respect of the Ghatal and Chetua Circuit embankment lands, and the latter was mainly due to erroneous assessment of lands, non-settlement of relinquished holdings and decrease in rent owing to the conversion of produce rents into cash.

Nominal remissions.

25. The total collections of miscellaneous revenues, including receipts from forest lands in Government estates, were Rs. 5,22,099 as against Rs. 10,59,577 in the previous year. The difference was due to a large decrease, amounting to Rs. 5,66,123, in receipts on

Forest and miscellaneous revenue.

Appendix II.

account of survey and settlement charges in the Bhagalpur Division. Recovery of costs in Monghyr and North Bhagalpur had been practically completed in the previous year, and no area was ready for recovery operations in Purnea during the year under report. The largest amounts realised under the head "Other receipts" were Rs. 57,510 in Burdwan and Rs. 65,107 in the Sonthal Parganas. Almost the whole of the former represented the charges for repairs to Government embankments (*pulbandi*) realized from the Burdwan Raj, and the latter consisted mostly of fees for fuel and royalties on *sabai* grass and *hâts*. The total remissions (Rs. 21,888) and balances (Rs. 28,694) were chiefly in respect of fines under the Land Registration Act, VII (B.C.) of 1876 and Act XX of 1848 in the Patna and Bhagalpur Divisions. The balances are in course of recovery.

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Road and Public Works cesses.

28. The working of the Cess Act is briefly noticed here, as a separate report on the subject is submitted.

Both cesses were levied at the maximum rate of one anna in the rupee in the 30 districts (including the Sonthal Parganas) of the province as now constituted, in which the Act is in force. In the Sonthal Parganas the provisions of the Cess Act were extended by Government Notification No 480R.P., dated the 25th October 1905, to all parts of the district to which they were not extended by Notifications No. 4782R.P., dated the 21st November 1903, and No 648T.—F., dated the 19th May 1904, and No. 998R.P., dated the 14th February 1905. The levy of cesses in this district began for the first time from the beginning of the year and then only in a few estates of which the settlement had been completed. The Act is not in force in Angul and the Khondmals, or in Sambalpur. The current demand of land revenue of the 30 districts was Rs. 2,82,99,982 and the valuation, or gross rental, amounted to Rs 12,64,57,129. As compared with the preceding year, the current demand of cesses showed an increase of Rs. 6,045, being Rs. 69,55,856 as against Rs 69,49,811. The collections amounted to Rs. 70,59 858, as compared with Rs 70,06,776 in the preceding year, the increase being more than half a lakh. The percentage of total collections on the current demand was 101·4 as against 100 8 in the previous year. The collections were above the prescribed standard of 100 per cent on the current demad in 19, and below in 11 districts. Of the latter, six attained percentages above 95, three (Jessore, Hazaribagh and Ranchi) above 90, and two (the Sonthal Parganas and Muzaffarpur) fell below 90. The falling-off in Jessore (from 106·3 to 92·7) was due to the non-payment of cesses by the Tagore and Janbazar Wards' Estates and the withholding of payment by the proprietors of some big estates up to the end of the 15 days' grace allowed by law. In Hazaribagh the decline is ascribed partly to the smaller arrear demand at the commencement of the year and partly to the fact that a sum of Rs. 8,353 was realized in advance in the preceding year. In Ranchi, where the percentage fell from 116 2 to 91 8, the short collections were due to the non-payment by the Chota Nagpur Estate of the greater portion of the cesses due, owing to its inability to recover the arrears due to it by certain tenure-holders who have obtained protection under the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates' Act, VI of 1876. In the Sonthal Parganas, the cesses were imposed for the first time, and since the people are unaccustomed to the demand, a full collection was not to be expected. In Muzaffarpur the percentage of collections was 88·7 as against 99 4 in 1·04 05. The fall is ascribed partly to the failure of crops and partly to a general decrease in voluntary payments. It is reported that the issue of certificates was delayed owing to the whole establishment being employed in writing out the new registers necessitated by the revaluation proceedings. The remissions and deductions which amounted to Rs 69,916 as against Rs 57,183 in the previous year occurred chiefly in the districts of Burdwan, Gaya, Manbhum, Muzaffarpur, Murshidabad, Patna, Hazaribagh and Singhbhum on account of revaluations under section 3 of the Cess Act, erroneous and double assessment and diluvion. It is satisfactory to note that the percentage of the outstanding balance on the total demand decreased from 16·1 to 15·2 in the year under review. During the year revalution proceedings on an extensive scale were in progress in the districts of Burdwan, Birbhum, Bankura, Midnapore Hooghly, Champaran, Muzaffarpur, Bhagalpur, Manbhum and Palamau. The work in Hooghly, Champaran and Muzaffarpur has been completed.

Redemption of land revenue.

Appendix VI.

29. The total number of redemptions effected during the year under the orders of Government was 403 as against 458 in the previous year, and they were mostly in respect of the small rent-paying holdings in the Government estates of Calcutta and the Suburbs, which the proprietors are allowed to redeem by one payment of thirty times the yearly rent.

Only 5 estates formed by partition were redeemed under section 11 of the old Partition Act, VIII (B.C.) of 1876, as against 7 in the previous year. The reason for the gradual decrease is that the new Act V (B.C.) of 1897 does not provide for the redemption of petty estates created by partition.

Remittances of land revenue cesses and rent by means of special money-orders.

Appendix XXX.

30. The number of revenue money-orders and the amount of land revenue and cesses remitted thereby increased from 200,771 and Rs. 15,70,780 in the preceding year to 216,506 and Rs. 16,23,235, respectively, in the year under report, which indicates the growing popularity of the system among petty landlords. The average value of an order was Rs. 7-3 as against Rs 7-13-2 in the previous year. The increase in the number of orders is attributed to the reduction in the money-order fee for sums of Rs. 5 and less, and also to the introduction of separate

forms of money-order for land revenue and cesses. The remittances exceeded a lakh of rupees in each of the districts of Midnapore, Jessore, Shahabad, Muzaffarpur, Monghyr and Cuttack.

31. As in the preceding year, the system of payment of rent by money-order was in force throughout the Province, except in the districts of Cuttack, Balasore, Angul, Darjeeling, the Sonthal Parganas and the Chota Nagpur Division. In the last quarter of the year under review the privilege was extended to the tenants of the districts of Cuttack and Balasore by Government Notification No. 207L.R., dated the 13th June 1906. In paragraph 7 of the Government Resolution on the Report for the year 1904-05 the Board were requested to consider and report whether the system might not now be introduced in the Chota Nagpur Division. It has been decided that the matter will be considered by the Select Committee when dealing with the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act Amendment Bill of 1906. Though the system is not at present in force in this Division, rents remitted by money-orders are accepted in the case of Government *khas* mahals.

Appendix XXXI.

32. The total number of money-orders issued during the year in the Lower Provinces, as now constituted, was 37,173 (for a sum of Rs. 5,87,113) as against 37,374 (for Rs. 5,81,951) in 1904-05. There was an increase in the number of money-orders issued in the Bhagalpur, Patna and Orissa Divisions and a decrease in the others. The increase in the amount in the Bhagalpur district was, it is said, chiefly due to the settlement operations, which have enabled the raiyats to ascertain without difficulty from the finally published *khatians* made over to them, the amount payable by them to their landlords. The rise in the district of Purnea is ascribed to the fact that the raiyats are under the impression that such payments would assist them in the determination of their rents in the settlement proceedings in progress.

The total number of refusals and also the percentage of refusals to the number of money-orders issued, rose during the year. The percentage increased markedly (viz., 34·1 in 1905-06 as against 21·6 in 1904-05) in the district of Bhagalpur, and is said to be due to the fact that some of the zamindars still object, on principle, to receiving rents by money-orders. There were no refusals in Puri, and the smallest percentage (11·1) was reported from the district of Patna.

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33. Appendices VII and VIII show the operation of the sale laws. During the year under review the number of estates, shares and interest which defaulted rose to 10,591 from 9,844 in 1904-05. The number of sales actually held fell, however, to 798 from 840 in the preceding year, and the percentage of sales to defaults to 7·5 from 8·5 in 1904-05. The amount realized by sale was Rs. 4,48,251, or 4·5 times the revenue demand, as compared with Rs. 6,33,571, or 4·7 in the previous year. One hundred and twenty-eight appeals against sales were preferred before Commissioners, and of these, 24 sales were annulled by the Commissioners under section 2 of Act VII (B.C.) of 1868 and 16 cases were recommended under section 26 of Act XI of 1859 for annulment of the sales on the ground of hardship.

Operation of the sale laws.

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36. Defaults among co-sharers, insolvency of proprietors, diluvion, neglect of agents to pay the revenue demand in time, wilful defaults made with the object of annulling incumbrances, and difficulties experienced by purchasers in getting possession of estates which re-form after diluvion are reported to have been, as usual, the chief causes leading to the sale of estates.

37. The proportions of sales to defaults in the districts in which sales were numerous are noted in the margin. The sale law continued to be administered with leniency and moderation; and the rule that the sales of one *kist* should be held before the next *kist* day was generally observed.

District.	Percentage of sales on defaults.	District.	Percentage of sales on defaults.
Jessore	44·8	Hooghly	13·0
Burdwan	30·25	Murshidabad ...	14·1
Bankura	24·4	Bhagalpur	10·5
Purnea	17·4	Saran	10·4
Nadia	17·1	Monghyr	7·8
Khulna	14·8	Sonthal Parganas ...	7·6
24-Parganas	14·3	Puri	5·7
Shahabad	13·5	Patna	5·7

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39. The total number of certificates filed in the several districts of the province as at present constituted, during the year under review was 150,446 as against 132,076 in the preceding year, showing an increase of 18,370.

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40. The number of disposals fell short of the cases instituted in all the Divisions, except in the Presidency and Chota Nagpur Divisions. The percentage of the total number of cases disposed of to the total number for disposal was 77·6, as against 80·8 in 1904-05. As in 1904-05, the Orissa Division returns the highest percentage, viz., 86·8. The lowest percentage was reported from the Burdwan Division (72·6). There was a marked improvement in the 24-Parganas, the percentage rising from 65·5 in 1904-05 to 78·1 in the year under review. The falling-off in the Burdwan Division has been explained by the Commissioner as follows:—

* * * * * "The falling-off in Burdwan is, in the opinion of the Collector, due to the fact that the office could not maintain the high pressure at which it worked in the

previous year. The Collector adds that it is fairly certain that an all-round average of 1,200 cases per man per annum is not possible in this district. * * * * * * * * * *

42. The different stages of procedure at which demands were satisfied are tabulated in the statement below :—

Division.	Number of cases in which payments were made on mere issue of notices.	Number of cases in which payments were made on attachment of property.	Number of cases in which recourse to actual sale was necessary.	Number of cases in which warrants were issued and the amounts were paid without imprisonment of defaulters.	Number of Debtors imprisoned.	
					Number released on payment of debt before expiration of imprisonment.	Number released without payment of debt.
Burdwan ...	8,180	25,155	568	637	3	7
Presidency ..	5,204	8,001	561	599	8	3
Patna ...	15,332	34,625	3,168	193	3	8
Bhagalpur ...	3,044	6,165	602	64	...	7
Orissa ...	5,027	6,110	52	28	...	...
Chota Nagpur ...	1,526	2,447	68	700	...	1
Ttotal 1905-06	38,313	82,303	5,019	2,221	14	26
Ttotal 1904-05	33,944	80,040	4,796	2,013	17	41

43. The percentages of cases in which demands were realized on the issue of notice and on attachment of property, to the total number of cases disposed of during the year were 27·0 and 58·1 respectively, as against 25·2 and 59·4 in 1904-05.

44. The working of section 21 of the Certificate Act which permits a judgement-debtor, to redeem his property after sale on certain conditions, continued to be satisfactory. Out of 568, 561, 3,163 and 602 sales held in the Burdwan, Presidency, Patna and Bhagalpur Divisions, respectively, 97, 93, 727 and 127 sales were set aside under this section. Paucity of bidders occasionally causes inadequacy of price, but this is due not to the working of the section, but usually to uncertainty regarding the situation of the property put up for sale, especially in the case of rent-free tenures. And in many districts certain persons make a regular practice of bidding at sales for the sake of the profit of 10 per cent. allowed by the law when the sales are set aside under this section.

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59. The expenditure on roads and communications in Government estates amounted to Rs. 92,546, as against a Government grant of Rs. 58,099 The expenditure exceeded the grant in all Divisions except the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions.

Roads and communications.

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61. The condition of the raiyats in the Government estates in the Burdwan Division was generally good, although the crops suffered to some extent in certain khas mahals from heavy rains and defects in drainage. The high price of food-grains that ruled during the year enabled the tenants of the Contai khas mahals to pay off their dues without any difficulty. Public health was not good in Contai owing to outbreaks of cholera and small-pox. The condition of the tenantry is reported to be generally fair in the 24-Parganas. The crops were damaged to a certain extent by floods in the Port Canning Government estate and the Government estates of the Diamond Harbour subdivision, but the condition of the tenants was not materially affected. In Nadia and Jessore their condition was not satisfactory owing to the failure of crops. There was a partial failure of the *rabi* crops in Murshidabad, but the outturn of winter rice was satisfactory. In Khulna the crops were good in all the Government estates except Char Baniary and the tenants were fairly prosperous.

Condition of raiyats in Government estates.

62. The condition of the raiyats in the Patna Division was, on the whole, satisfactory The tenants of some of the estates in the districts of Patna, Gaya, Shahabad and Saran suffered from plague, and partial damage to the crops caused by heavy rain or want of proper irrigation has been reported from some places in the districts of Patna, Shahabad and Darbhanga. An outbreak of cattle-disease occurred in the Bakhtiyarpur estate in Darbhanga. The condition of the raiyats in the Bhagalpur Division was fair except in the Sonthal Parganas, in the Madhipura subdivision of Bhagalpur and in the Darjeeling hills. In the Sonthal Parganas owing to heavy rains in August and September, the outturn of the *bhadoi* crops was poor, and the early cessation of the monsoon resulted in a deficient winter rice crop. Thus the cultivators could not benefit by the very high prices which have been prevalent owing to outside demand, and those whose supplies were short have been unable to afford these prices. The wet weather in February and March and a heavy fall of hail seriously affected the *mahua* crop which is of value when there is a deficiency in the yield of food-grains. This has caused no real distress, but considerable tension which still continues. Serious loss of crops from floods caused by the rivers from Nepal affected the tenants of the Madhipura subdivision in Bhagalpur, and with a view to afford them some relief, the Board

have sanctioned the suspension until October 1906 of the collection of one-fourth of their rents. As regards the raiyats in the Darjeeling hills, the late Deputy Commissioner (Mr. Garrett) has left the following note:—

"The maize crop was very poor throughout the district. When I went on tour I discovered that the outturn reported by the Police was much in excess of the reality. I have since taken steps with a view to securing greater accuracy in these reports. Owing to the partial failure of the maize this year after a poor crop in 1904, the condition of the raiyats in the Kalimpong khas mahal was far from satisfactory at the close of the year. To add to all their troubles, rinderpest played great havoc with the cattle in some blocks. I have issued Rs. 2,800 in agricultural loans and obtained permission for the raiyats to remove from the forests without charge edible plants, fruits and roots, and they will be able to maintain themselves for the next few months. Should, however, this year's maize crop not be at any rate a fair one, great difficulty will be experienced, and I anticipate that there will be a large number of desertions in the newly-surveyed tracts, where the pinch is being most felt at present."

63. The condition of the raiyats of all the Government estates in the Orissa Division was, on the whole, prosperous during the year under report. In Birso and a few villages of the Government estates in Balasore the outturn was poor, and in a small area of the Khurda Government estate the deficient rainfall in October caused a failure of the *laghu* crops. Takavi advances were liberally given according to requirements. There was no general epidemic disease of a serious nature, but cholera broke out in some villages in Nayanund and Birso, to relieve which proper medical aid was sent. Some 23 raiyats of Banpur in Khurda are reported to have deserted their villages; six of them are living in other villages of the estate, and the remainder have gone to Ganjam and Rangoon in the hope of earning better wages.

The condition of the raiyats in the Hazaribagh khas mahals was good and there were no desertions during the year. In Ranchi, owing to failure of the rains in the latter part of the season, the outturn of the crops was uneven, but on the whole the condition of the tenants was satisfactory. In Palamau much money has been spent of late on original and repair works of irrigation, and the tenants have thus been put in a position to expect a successful instead of an unsuccessful harvest. They have been given loans at reasonable rates of interest for bullocks and seed; and, generally speaking, their condition has been greatly improved. The number of desertions is now small. During the year under report only 111 relinquishments took place, the holdings affected by which were not settled during the year. Seventy-nine holdings deserted in previous years have been resettled and again brought on the rent-roll, while 117 new families settled in the Government villages during the year under review.

In Singhbhum a full crop was harvested and the people are prosperous. Matters of importance to the people of the Kolhan which came prominently into notice during the year, were the prevalence of cattle thefts and the presence of undesirable foreigners, mostly Muhammadan hide-dealers and Biharis in the trade centres of Monoharpur, Jaintgarh and Jagannathpur. A gang of Muhammadans, Ghasis and Hos was successfully prosecuted under section 110 of the Criminal Procedure Code, in the south of the Kolhan, with the result that cattle thefts practically ceased in that part. Two other gangs were similarly prosecuted near Chaibassa. In both cases the prosecution was successful. The Deputy Commissioner reports that the hide-dealers were undoubtedly at the bottom of these systematic thefts. They made advances to the Ghasis who were thus in a measure bound to supply them with hides. A number of these persons and their local agents were ordered by the Deputy Commissioner to leave the Kolhan; but as his powers in enforcing orders of this nature are said to be ill-defined, some difficulty was experienced in obtaining immediate compliance.

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Abandonment of dual control of cadastral survey and record-writing.

68. The new system of transferring the control of Cadastral Survey and Khanapuri to the Settlement Department was introduced in Ranchi and Midnapore and also in several minor settlements. In Ranchi the results were highly satisfactory, largely owing to the amount of European supervision which it was possible to give to the work. In the smaller settlements it is not possible, as a rule, to provide direct European supervision, and difficulty has in some cases been experienced in the control of the amins who have hitherto been accustomed to work under European officers of the Survey Department. These difficulties will, it is anticipated, be removed in time, especially as detailed rules for the working of the new system are now being drawn up by the Settlement Officer of Ranchi, and these will be available for the use of officers in charge of the smaller settlements. Arrangements have been made for training officers who will be required to work the new system next field season. It is hoped to introduce it in Bihar from the field season of 1907-08, and thereafter the Survey Department will only be required in this Province for carrying out the traverse survey.

Settlement.

69. The progress made in the settlement operations under the control of the Director of Land Records, Bengal, for the survey year ending the 30th September 1906, has been described in his report for that year. Appendix XI to the present report gives the results of the settlements of Government and temporarily settled estates, inclusive of the operations under the control of the Director. A net increase in revenue of Rs. 1,06,240 was obtained as against Rs. 37,557 in the preceding year.

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Irrigation and Drainage.

79. The large irrigation and drainage schemes which are maintained by the Public Works Department are not noticed in this report. The usual irrigation reservoirs, tanks and wells were maintained last year in the Government estates out of the Improvement grant.

80. A considerable part of the Contai subdivision of Midnapore is water-logged, and the improvement of the drainage in those tracts is urgently necessary. The silt clearance of the 10 khals falling into the Contai nala was completed. The provision of clause (*b*) of section 76 of Act II (B C.) of 1882 has been extended to the beds and channels of the khals and in future any person obstructing these water-courses will be proceeded against in the proper court at the discretion of the Collector. A scheme for the drainage of the Argowal circuit has recently been sanctioned by Government at an estimated cost of Rs. 1,29,193, and arrangements are being made to acquire the land and to take up the work.

Burdwan Division: Midnapore.

81. In Hooghly the collections on account of the Rajapur and Howrah schemes including interest amounted to Rs. 21,895 and Rs. 1,500, respectively, leaving balances of Rs. 6,77,183 and Rs. 81,188 as against Rs. 6,83,884 and Rs. 80,838, respectively, at the close of the year 1904-05. The adjustment of the Rajapur Drainage accounts has been completed and notices are being issued upon the landholders inviting objections. The accounts of the Howrah Drainage are being revised, and it is expected that their adjustment will be completed shortly.

Burdwan Division: Hooghly.

82. In the Burdwan district the only irrigation canal is the Eden canal, which is 45⅛ miles in length. The receipts and working expenses were Rs. 24,452 and Rs. 34,594, respectively, as against Rs. 30,832 and Rs. 43,804 in the year 1904-'05. The area irrigated during the year was 26,372 acres as compared with 28,471 acres in the preceding year.

Burdwan Division: Burdwan.

83. As was reported last year, the construction of the Magrahat drainage works in the 24-Parganas has been entrusted to the Public Works Department. The Collector reports that satisfactory progress was made during the year.

Presidency Division: 24-Parganas.

84. Administrative sanction of Government has now been obtained to the scheme for the drainage of the Chorulcole swamp under section 4 of the Bengal Drainage Act at an estimated cost of Rs. 24,644. A Committee has been appointed to carry out the provisions of the Act.

Presidency Division: Nadia.

85. In Murshidabad the proposal for constructing a sluice at Manganpara was abandoned, as it was found that a sluice at Lowjola would be more useful. Administrative sanction to the latter project was obtained during the year, and it will be shortly taken in hand. The projects of the Basantpur cut and the excavation of the old drainage channel at Poramari were completed and made over to the Public Works Department. These works are, as reported last year, intended to drain the country subject to the Bhagirathi floods owing to the abandonment of the Laltakuri embankment.

Presidency Divisions, Murshidabad.

86. In Jessore the District Board spent Rs 557 and Rs. 76 in executing the work for the improvement of the drainage of the Magura and Narail subdivisions respectively. Two new khals, one from Belmogra to the Gorai and the other from Kakshipara to Saladah, were excavated by the villagers at their own expense. The important scheme of the drainage of the Bhairab Valley was under the consideration of Government during the year. Government expressed its willingness to bear a portion of the cost to the extent of 1½ lakhs, and the District Board have been asked to submit a revised application under section 3 of the Sanitary Drainage Act. The proposal to open out the mouth of the Muchikhali khal in the Magura subdivision of the Jessore district was under the consideration of the authorities. His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor paid a visit to Magura in August last in order to inspect the khal.

Presidency Division: Jessore.

87. Government issued an order under section 3 (1) (*a*) of the Sanitary Drainage Act in respect of the scheme for the drainage of Bagerhat and the surrounding villages in Khulna. A Committee of Drainage Commissioners has been duly formed, but work was not commenced during the year under report.

Presidency Division: Khulna.

88. Local subscriptions were being raised in Patna and Gaya for the scheme for diverting the water of the Phalgu river into its old channel for the purpose of irrigation, but in consequence of the difficulty experienced in realizing the subscriptions, the proceedings are at a standstill. It is now under consideration whether the scheme should be carried out under the provisions of the Irrigation Act.

Patna Division: Patna and Gaya.

89. In Champaran the Masan *pyne* or canal continued to be useful for irrigation purposes. The management of the *pyne* was entrusted to the District Engineer, and all necessary repairs were executed under his supervision. Out of the total assessment of Rs. 2,853, a sum Rs. 229 only was realized. As subscribers do not pay regularly, the Collector is in consultation with the District Engineer as to the advisability of giving up the management. In Patna and Gaya the old system of irrigation by *pynes* and *ahars* and wells continues.

Patna Division: Champaran.

90. There are no irrigation works in this Division maintained by Government. No progress has been made in the Rajmahal Drainage Scheme in the Sonthal Parganas. It was found that the main drain had not been properly completed, and a revised estimate which will include provision for certain cross drains and channels now considered necessary is under preparation by the District Engineer. Loans under the Land Improvement Loans Act were freely granted in the Sonthal Parganas to private individuals for the construction of irrigation bunds and tanks.

Bhagalpur Division.

91. In Cuttack several minor distributaries were constructed for the irrigation of areas not hitherto served by the canals. An irrigation dam at Narlabhanja Killa Sukinda is under construction at a cost of about Rs. 2,000 which was contributed by the proprietor of Sukinda.

Orissa Division: Cuttack.

92. In Angul, eight dams were improved for irrigation purposes at a cost of Rs. 5,000.

Orissa Division: Angul.

93. In the Government estates of Puri ordinary irrigation and drainage works were constructed and repaired at a cost of Rs. 4,335.

Orissa Division: Puri.

94. In Palamau, 28 chief irrigation works were taken in hand. All of these are valuable, and will protect large areas. In Singhbhum 11 new *bunds* were constructed in the Kolhan Government estate at a total cost of Rs 1,365·10. There is no artificial drainage in this district.

Chota Nagpur: Singhbhum, Palamau.

95. The embankments are reported to have been generally maintained in good condition during the year.

Embankments.

96. The 53 miles of Government embankments on the banks of the Damodar and 22 miles on the right bank of the Ajai in the district of Burdwan were efficiently maintained. They and the country protected by them were nowhere damaged by floods during the year. The breach at Srikrishnapur on the right bank of the Damodar which occurred during the floods of the year 1904, when it was 270 feet wide, was closed by spur works before the flood season of the year under report. The river has now taken a new and more dangerous turn, having shifted towards the south side. As a remedial measure it has been proposed to construct a double line of spurs, for which an estimate has lately been sanctioned, and the work will be completed before the rains set in. The protective works of the Ajai were slightly damaged by the floods of the year. The Kumirkola protective works constructed in 1901-02 and the Berugram Government embankment constructed in 1894 stood well during the year and protected the villages from inundation. The protective works at Shushunpur on the right bank of the river Damodar stood well during the floods of the year and saved the crops of 10 square miles. The main channel of the Damodar below the Begna breach is silting up very rapidly. The bed of the river being higher than the Begna channel, no water can go down the river below Begna during the cold and hot seasons. A proposal to improve the main channel and to prevent the river-water from flowing off through the Begna breach is under the consideration of Government. His Honour Sir Andrew Fraser visited the breach on the 8th March.

Burdwan Division: Burdwan.

97. In Birbhum the Nakasipara to Debgram embankment on the river Brahmani is out of repair. The Collector is endeavouring to get the zamindars interested to repair it. There is a breach in the Zamindari Embankment along the Bakreswar river, and it is reported that the repair of the embankment is necessary for the protection of the villages and fields in the neighbourhood. The Executive Engineer, Nadia Rivers Division, reported that the crest of the embankment on the left bank of the river Brahmani near the village of Kundupara in thana Nalhati requires raising. As it forms a part of the embankment in pargana Rukinipur, in the Murshidabad district, for which Government pays a *pulbandi* allowance to the proprietor, the Collector of Murshidabad has been requested to withhold the payment of the *pulbandi* allowance till the crest is raised and the embankment is approved by the authorities.

Burdwan Division: Birbhum.

98. In the year under report there were 26 embankments in Midnapore, of which 3 are maintained by the Executive Engineer of the Balasore Division and the remainder by the Executive Engineer of the Cossye Division. Of the 26 embankments, 19 are maintained under the contract system and 7 by the apportionment of the actual expenditure incurred by the Public Works Department. The new contract with regard to the 18 embankments maintained by the Executive Engineer of the Cossye Division has been sanctioned for a period of 15 years from April 1904 at an annual *jama* of Rs. 49,763. The contract of another embankment, the Joki Embankment, in the Contai subdivision, which is maintained by the Executive Engineer of the Balasore Division, has been sanctioned for 15 years from 1901-02 at an annual *jama* of Rs. 994. Out of a total demand of Rs. 1,04,284 including the balance of the last year, Rs. 79,055 were realized, including Rs. 6,101 as advance payment. Twenty-four cases were instituted by the Executive Engineer of the Balasore Division under the Bengal Embankment Act, II (B.C.) of 1882, during the year, as against 10 in the previous year. Twenty-three of these ended in conviction and one was withdrawn. All these cases related to the erection of *bunds* on lands within the prohibited area.

Burdwan Division: Midnapore.

99. In Hooghly, out of the total amount of Rs. 40,631 advanced up to the 31st March 1906 for the four projects, viz., (1) the Kumrul sluice, (2) the Madaria Khal Left Embankment, (3) Naya Chak, and (4) the Rampur West drain cut, Rs. 28,763 was realized up to the end of the year, leaving a balance of Rs. 11,868: of this balance, a sum of Rs. 10,904 due from the Burdwan Raj having been struck off under the orders of Government, the actual balance unrealised comes to Rs. 964.

Burdwan Division: Hooghly, Howrah.

The Covenanted Deputy Collector of Howrah has been vested with the powers of a Collector under the Embankment Act in respect of the Zamindari Embankment on the Hooghly river. Three projects, viz., (1) Remodelling of the Chakkasi embankments,

(2) Filling up of breaches in the Chakkasi embankment, and (3) Remodelling of the embankment from Ulubaria to Champa khal were taken up under section 25 of the Act, as there was imminent danger of loss of life and property within the area protected.

Presidency Division.

100. In the 24-Parganas the total length of Schedule D embankments was 210 miles, as in the previous year. There are 73 sluices in these embankments, of which 48 are maintained at the cost of Government, while the remainder are *takavi* sluices maintained at the cost of the zamindars. Three Government sluices which were maintained formerly by the Calcutta Corporation were transferred to the Public Works Department during the year under report. All the sluices in the district are reported to be in good order. A retired line of embankment at Akalmegh was under construction during the year. In Murshidabad the Zamindari Embankments are generally in good condition In a few cases steps were taken to have the necessary repairs carried out by the zamindars concerned, and in two cases the *pulbandi* allowances payable to the zamindars were stopped, as they neglected to execute the repairs. The question of improving the village sites in the area liable to floods owing to the abandonment of the Laltakuri Embankment, is still under consideration in the Public Works Department.

In Khulna new embankments were constructed in the Government Estates of Chandkhali, Katipara and Gobindpur at a cost of Rs. 1,101. The Collector of Khulna reports that the embankments in the Sunderbans area are not properly maintained and the question of revising the form of lease of the lot-holders in order to provide for this is under consideration. There are no embankments in Nadia and Jessore.

Patna Division.

101. The Gandak embankment which runs through the four North Gangetic districts of this Division is maintained under the contract system. Out of a total demand of Rs. 74,361, a sum of Rs. 55,338 was collected and Rs. 7,905 adjusted from the previous advance collections. The balance outstanding at the close of the year was Rs. 11,118, out of which Rs. 2,932 from the district of Champaran has been realized since the close of the year. Steps are being taken for the recovery of the balance. The Turki and Daudpur embankments in Muzaffarpur and the Ganges embankments in Darbhanga and the Sakri Band in Patna and Gaya were maintained under the *takari* system, and the cost of their upkeep was recovered from the persons benefited by the apportionment of the expenditure incurred.

Bhagalpur Division.

102. There are three public embankments in this Division, namely (1) the Monghyr Embankment in the Begusarai subdivision, (2) the Chandan Embankment in the Banka subdivision of the Bhagalpur district, and (3) the Belwa Embankment in Purnea. Government maintains all these; but the cost is recovered from the proprietors of the estates benefited, with the exception of the share which Government itself contributes to the maintenance of the second project on account of the protection it affords to the Banka civil station. As reported last year, arrangements have been made to take the embankment known as the Gupta Bund near Begusarai under the Embankment Act, and notices under section 8 of the Act have been issued.

Orissa Division.

103. All the embankments which are under the charge of the Public Works Department are maintained at the cost of Government. No breaches of any importance are reported from any of the districts except Cuttack, where some damage was caused by flood to the stone-paved weir across the head of the Janardan *ghai* on the Brahmani which was completed during the year at a cost of Rs. 12,141. Besides the Janardan *ghai* two other *ghais*, Palasi and Simli, on the Kharsua right embankment have been provided with flood escapes. The work of closing three other *ghais* was in progress during the year. The Collector's report in regard to these *ghais* is quoted below:—

"The Subdivisional Officer of Jajpur, within whose jurisdiction the above *ghais* are situated, reported that the effect of closing the *ghais* had been very favourable to the crops in that part of the country which was hitherto seriously affected by floods on account of those *ghais*. The Collector recommended the extension of the system of closing the *ghais* to the other rivers in the district. But as the last rainy season was abnormally low and unfavourable for the observation of the effect of flood action on the *ghais*, the Commissioner has directed to watch the works until a more favourable opportunity of estimating the effects of the floods occurs. A further report has been called for by the Commissioner after the next rainy season."

The embankments in this Division are maintained in good order. A retired line is under construction at Sanktaras in the Sarnah right embankment and another at Balda on the Diab left embankment. Slope cutting has been done at Kachramad, on the 7th mile of the Kunkhai left embankment where the river had been cutting away the bank. The revetment on the left bank of the Chittratola at Kendupatna has been repaired and extended. In Balasore there were at the beginning of the year 26 embankments of 80 miles in length and at its close 24 embankments of 79 miles, two embankments having been abandoned. In Puri two escapes to discharge 10,000 cubic feet per second each were constructed on the right and left banks of the Khushbhadra river, and a retired line of embankment was constructed at Achootpur on the left bank of the Bhargavi river.

Chota Nagpur Division.

104. In Ranchi a sum of Rs. 3,026 was expended on account of embankments. No particulars have been furnished.

120. The reports indicate that the Act of 1897 continues to work smoothly. No case of enhancement of rents by landlords made immediately after a partition is mentioned. Mr. E. W. Collin, Commissioner of the Presidency Division, states that, as reported last year, the provision* in the new Act for the distribution among the tenants of *parchas* which contain particulars of the holdings and the existing rents serves to check any subsequent attempt on the part of zamindars to enhance the rents.

Working of the Estates Partition Act of 1897.

* Section 48 of Act V (B.C.) of 1897 and Rule 18, Part II, page 51 of the Butwara Manual, 1902.

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122. Proceedings for the acquisition of land required by Government or by local bodies, to the extent of 6,269 acres in all, were confirmed by the Board during the year at a total cost of Rs. 31,58,841 as compared with an area of 4,716* acres, costing Rs. 22,08,354* during the preceding year. Detailed particulars for each district will be found in Appendix XVI, which has been prepared in the revised form recently prescribed. The abatements of annual revenue allowed on account of land acquired for the purpose of Government, including those of State Railways, amounted to Rs. 834, and a sum of Rs. 28,496-11-11 was paid to Government as the capitalized value of the Government revenue, amounting to Rs. 1,139-13-11, abated on account of lands taken up for other purposes.

Land Acquisition.

Appendix XVI.

Of the total expenditure incurred, over 18½ lakhs were for acquisition of lands for Government purposes, including those of State Railways, and over 13 lakhs for all other purposes, viz., those of Municipalities, District Boards, Railway Companies, etc. The following projects, of which the cost exceeded Rs. 1,00,000, may be specially mentioned:—

		Rs.
(1)	Public offices in the town of Calcutta	8,02,868
(2)	Midnapore-Jharia Extension of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway in Bankura	3,50,601
(3)	Cossipore-Chitpur terminal improvements, Block No. II, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the 24-Parganas	1,93,629
(4)	Midnapore-Jharia Extension of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway from miles 24 to 41 in Midnapore	1,41,063
(5)	Circuit House at Patna for the stay of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal when in Bihar	1,33,416
(6)	Extension of the Dufferin Victoria Hospital in Calcutta ...	1,15,314
(7)	Staff quarters of the Eastern Bengal State Railway in Calcutta ...	1,05,000
(8)	Staff quarters of the Bengal and North-Western Railway at Sonepur in Saran	1,02,204

The average cost per acre of the lands acquired, for which the proceedings were confirmed during the year, was Rs. 504 against Rs. 468* in the preceding year. Omitting lands of special value, the average cost per acre during the year under review was Rs. 256.

123. Lands for the large projects below named were also under acquisition during the year:—

The extension of the Bengal Veterinary College at Belgachia in the 24-Parganas; the new Nurses' quarters in connection with the Calcutta Medical College Hospital; the new Rifle-range at Jaffarpur in the 24-Parganas for the use of troops at Calcutta, Barrackpore and Dum-Dum; the Bairagnia-Shikarpur Extension of the Tirhut State Railway in Muzaffarpur and Champaran; Bhagalpur-Kachari Extension of the Hajipur-Katihar Branch of the Tirhut State Railway in Bhagalpur; the Purnea portion of the railway line from Katihar to Malda; and the Police School and quarters for Government officers at Ranchi.

124. The most important new projects for the acquisition of land, for which orders were received during the year, were the following:—

(1) Offices and officers' quarters, etc., for the proposed new district to be made out of part of Midnapore.
(2) Zone of safety for sanitary purposes at the Lillooah station of the East Indian Railway in Howrah.
(3) New jail, police-lines and official residences at Ramkrishnapur, Howrah.
(4) Extension of Sir Stuart Hogg Market in Calcutta.
(5) Provision of offices for Private and Military Secretaries and the extension of the stabling of the Government House in Calcutta.
(6) Sonthal Railways, Bhagalpur-Banka section, in Bhagalpur.
(7) Purulia-Ranchi Railway in Ranchi and Manbhum.
(8) Location of an Engineering College and a Model School and College and a Demonstration farm at Ranchi.
(9) Experimental Agricultural farm at Patna.
(10) Siwan-Gopalganj and Doronda-Maharajganj Extensions of the Bengal and North-Western Railway in Saran.

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126. The number of current leases granted under the rules of 1853 in the 24-Parganas and Khulna Sundarbans was the same as in the previous year, viz., 115. The rent payable on account of these leases rose from Rs. 1,01,346 to Rs. 1,01,874. No new cultivation leases were

Waste Lands.

* Revised—excluding the figures for the districts transferred to the Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

granted during the year either to large or small capitalists. The number of leases granted to large capitalists at the close of the year was 193 as against 203 in the preceding year. The decrease is due to the determination of ten leases for failure on the part of the lessees to comply with the clearing conditions and to make protective works. The leases were resumed under Government orders. The area covered by the existing leases is 345,571 acres. The revenue payable during the year was Rs. 28,383. The number of leases granted to small capitalists remained nine as in the preceding year, covering an area of 11,842 acres. The present revenue payable for these leases is Rs. 14,729 which will eventually rise to Rs. 14,916.

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128. The levy of illegal cesses in addition to rent continues to prevail to a considerable extent, though no suit was brought under section 76 of the Bengal Tenancy Act during the year. Long custom, traditional homage to landlords and a desire to live in amity with them explain the acquiescence of the tenants to these demands in some cases, while in others excess payments are made for small concessions received. The exactions are reported to be diminishing in areas for which a survey and record-of-rights have been made * * *

Zamindari cesses.

129. In Ranchi disputes between raiyats and petty landlords regarding rates of rent, predial services, etc., are still common. As in the previous year, five cases for commutation of services into their money value were instituted by the zamindars. Two of these were decided according to the prayer of the plaintiffs and one was struck off, as the case appertained to Karra thana where commutation of services had already been ordered to be undertaken by the Settlement Department. The remaining two cases were pending at the close of the year.

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135. The following statistics have been compiled in compliance with Government order No. 112, dated the 15th January 1903, to show the net financial results to the State of the loans granted under the Land Improvement Loans Act during the period 1899-1900 to 1905-06. Against a total sum of Rs. 7,31,346 advanced, Rs. 2,89,118 were realized and Rs. 1,286 remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 4,37 587 at the close of 1905-06, excluding Rs. 3,355 on account of loans outstanding in the Chandrapur and Padampur taluks transferred from the Sambalpur district to Bilaspur in the Central Provinces. The interest that accrued on the total amount of the loans advanced during the period in question was Rs. 67,571, and of this sum Rs. 62,291 were realized and Rs 409 remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 4,871. The interest that is demanded is 6¼ per cent, and assuming that the money was borrowed by Government at 3½ per cent, or that interest at the latter rate must be recovered unless Government is to lose by the transaction, then the difference between the interest at 6¼ and 3½ per cent., amounting to Rs. 24,451, may be set off against the loss already accepted of Rs. 1,695.

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138. The following statistics have been compiled in compliance with Government order No 112, dated the 15th January 1903, to show the net financial results to the State of the loans granted under the Agriculturists' Loans Act during the period 1899 1900 to 1905-06. Out of a total sum of Rs. 12,55,065 advanced, Rs. 8 99,590 were realized (including Rs. 26 paid in excess) and Rs. 2,179 remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 3,53,322 at the close of 1905-06. The interest that accrued on the total amount of the loans advanced during the period in question was Rs. 92,051, and of this sum Rs. 78,490 were realized (including Rs. 290 collected in advance), and Rs. 393 remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 13,458. The interest that is demanded is 6¼ per cent., and assuming that the money was borrowed by Government at 3½ per cent., or that interest at the latter rate must be recovered unless Government is to lose by the transaction, then the difference between the interest at 6¼ and 3½ per cent., amounting to Rs. 26,942, may be set off against the loss already accepted of Rs. 2,572.

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140. In the greater part of the Lower Provinces the Bengal Tenancy Act governs the relations between landlord and tenant. It is generally reported that the Act worked smoothly throughout the year under report, and that there are signs that landlords and tenants are becoming more familiar with its provisions. The Collector of Nadia remarks that in several instances proceedings under Chapter X of the Act were instituted on the application of the raiyats, and that they often sought the protection of the Civil Courts when the landlords interfered with their rights. In some places, however, the object of the law is frustrated by powerful and unscrupulous zamindars who endeavour to exact illegal demands, such as marriage fees, periodical services, price of rent receipt forms, *nazar*, etc. It is reported that in the Orissa Division, though the beneficial effect of the Act is understood by all, yet the tenants, being poor, are not always able to preserve their rights in cases where they are violated by the landlords. It is hoped that the introduction of the system of payment of rent by money-order will operate as a salutary check on illegal exactions. In Birbhum also the District Judge has observed the existence of strained relations between landlord and tenant from the increase in the number of rent deposits in the Munsif's Court at Bolepur.

The Bengal Tenancy Act.

Maintenance of land records.

180. This subject is now dealt with in the Director's Settlement Report for the survey year ending 30th September. The orders of the Secretary of State on the question of the maintenance of settlement records in Orissa and Bihar have been received. It has been decided that in the temporarily-settled districts of Orissa the records should be kept up continuously, and a scheme for the purpose has been prepared and is under the consideration of the Government of India. With regard to Bihar, however, the decision of the question has been postponed until Government is in a position to frame proposals based on the experience gained of the working of the system in Orissa. An interesting experiment was initiated during the year by Mr. H. Savage, C.S.I., in a small area in the Balasore district with the object of associating the village panchayats with the work of the maintenance of the records. It was found that in the ten years which have elapsed since the record was finally published, there has been an increase of plots by 10 per cent. and that changes have affected about 80 per cent. of the original *khatians*, which have increased in number by 21 per cent. On the recommendations of the last Darjeeling Conference some additions have been made to the Tippera rules for the maintenance of records in Government estates, and the revised rules have been circulated in draft to local officers for remarks.

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Weather and crops.

183. Appendix XXVII shows the mean rainfall of each district for the last five years, and also the normal mean. The rainfall of the province was above the normal during the year in all districts except in the Orissa Division and part of the Chota Nagpur Division. There was abundant rain in the early part of the year in the Burdwan Division which facilitated the preparation of the ground for rice crops; during the sowing and transplanting season rain was plentiful and evenly distributed throughout the Division, so that most of the high lands were brought under cultivation and the crops promised well up to the month of September. A break in the rains in October caused the crops on the high lands to wither, and the outturn was below the normal. The heavy rainfall in Burdwan caused floods in the neighbourhood of the head-quarters town and other places, and was followed by an unprecedented amount of fever in the southern and eastern parts of the district. In Birbhum also, widely extended sickness, fever, small-pox and cholera, caused heavy mortality. In the Ghatal subdivision of the Midnapore district the heavy floods and breaches in the Panna, Ghatal, Sakhpur and Chetua circuit embankments and in the right and left Darkessur embankments destroyed the seedlings. The greater part of the flooded area was replanted when the flood subsided, and on the remainder *boro* paddy was sown later on. The heavy downpour in January and February last caused much damage to the *rabi* crops of the Division and the outturn was consequently low. In all the districts of the Presidency Division the mean rainfall in the year under report was much in excess of the normal. The rainfall was, however, not favourably distributed. It was heavy in April and May, scanty in June, and again excessive in July to September. The October rains were sufficient, but there was an entire cessation in November. The rainfall was again abnormally heavy in January and February. In the 24-Parganas there was, on the whole, a good harvest on the higher lands, but the low-lying areas, especially those in the Sundarbans tracts of the Diamond Harbour and Basirhat subdivisions were flooded at the time of planting and the yield of winter rice was below the normal in consequence. In some parts of the district the heavy rain in May induced the people to sow jute, but the drought in June injured the crop. The *rabi* crops were also damaged by excessive rain. In Nadia both the *bhadoi* and winter rice crops are said to have suffered greatly. The *rabi* crops also fared badly in consequence of the heavy rains in February. In Murshidabad the *bhadoi* rice gave an outturn of 75 per cent., and jute 115 per cent. The winter rice suffered from the cessation of rain in November, while the *rabi* crops were injured by the rain in February. In Jessore the heavy rain between July and September prevented a full crop of winter rice from being sown. The outturn of both autumn and winter rice however was fair, but the *rabi* crops were poor. In Khulna much injury was done to the winter rice in the Bagerhat subdivision by an insect pest. In the Patna Division the mean rainfall of the year was above the average in all the districts of the Division, especially in Darbhanga. The distribution was most uneven and therefore not favourable to the crops. There was delay in the commencement of the rains in June, and this was followed by very heavy rain from the middle of July till the end of September, which caused floods in almost all the districts of the Division with considerable damage to the *bhadoi* crops. This rainfall was to some extent favourable to the paddy crop, although in some districts the newly transplanted seedling were washed away, and the fields had to be replanted. The outturn of the winter rice was on the whole good. The season was favourable for the sowing of the *rabi* crops, and prospects were excellent at first, but the cloudy weather in January and the untimely rain in February and in the beginning of March, accompanied by hail in certain districts, did some harm to the crops. The yield was, however, not unsatisfactory on the whole. The rainfall in every district of the Bhagalpur Division was much in excess of the normal, but it was so unseasonably and unequally distributed that it practically benefited no kind of crop. May was unusually rainy everywhere, but in June the rains held off completely, and the monsoon did not set in until the beginning of July. From the middle of that month until towards the middle of September the fall was very heavy; but with the exception of some rain in the third week of October in certain localities, there was very little rain in that month and none fell in November. The weather continued fine

up to the third week of January when there was generally good rain in the Division, but in Monghyr, Bhagalpur and the Sonthal Parganas it was accompanied by a severe hailstorm which caused much damage to the standing crops. The rainfall in February was exceptionally heavy for the season and that of March was also unusual. The general result on the harvests of the year was that the *bhadoi*, after suffering from want of rain in June, was seriously damaged by the excessive fall in July and August: the winter rice except where rain fell in the middle of October, suffered generally from the early cessation of the rains; while the *rabi* crops suffered from want of moisture at sowing time and later on from the heavy rain in February, and in certain tracts also from the hailstorm of the 22nd January. In Monghyr the heavy rains in July and August seriously damaged the *bhadoi* and prolonged flooding of the northern part of the district destroyed not only the *bhadoi*, but also the winter rice crops in a large part of that area. The *rabi* crop was much damaged by unseasonable rain in February. The same causes, as in Monghyr, operated in Bhagalpur and there were floods in the Madhipura and Sapaul subdivisions. Owing however to rain in the third week of October, the winter rice was nearly an average crop. In Purnea the harvests were on the whole better than in Bhagalpur, but the *bhadoi* and *rabi* were considerably below the average, owing to the heavy rain of July and August in the former case, and rain and cold in February in the latter. Maize and other *bhadoi* crops in the Sonthal Parganas suffered seriously, as elsewhere, from the heavy rain of July and August. The yield of the winter rice was decidedly poor in a good part of the district. The *rabi* crops suffered serious damage from the heavy rain in the spring and also, in part of the district, from hail. In Darjeeling the maize crop was poor throughout the district, and particularly so in the Kalimpong subdivision The winter rice was up to the average, but the *rabi* crops were poor. The outturn of opium which is grown in Monghyr and Bhagalpur was 75 and 90 per cent., respectively, as against 70 and 100 in the previous year Tobacco was a better crop than in the previous year. The cultivation of jute is being greatly extended in Purnea at the expense of rice and the crop was estimated at 91 per cent. as against only 81 in the preceding year. The outturn of indigo, the cultivation of which is gradually dying out, was generally poor. The yield of sugarcane, which is grown principally in Bhagalpur and the Sonthal Parganas, was on the whole satisfactory, especially in the latter district where it was a bumper crop. In Orissa the rainfall during the year was below the normal in all the districts, and the lowest in the quinquennium excepting that of 1901-02. Except in Sambalpur the *bhadoi*, the winter rice, and the *rabi* crops throughout the Division suffered on account of the scanty rainfall. It was deficient both at the sowing time and during growth. Over a great part of the Division the rains stopped early in October before the winter rice was in ear, and the outturn was diminished accordingly. A considerable area near the coast, however, received heavy rain in the latter part of October and here the winter rice gave a good yield. The distribution of the rainfall was also uneven and resulted in the loss of crops on high lands. The *rabi* in the Cuttack district was damaged to some extent by the rain of February 1906, which in Angul, however, is reported to have somewhat improved the *rabi*. The total rainfall of the year in Sambalpur was only slightly below the normal. It was not, however, evenly distributed, and want of rain in October led to some shortage in the crops. The rainfall of the year was in excess of the normal in the districts of Ranchi, Palamau and Singhbhum, and slightly below it in Hazaribagh and Manbhum. Its distribution, however, was everywhere most irregular and the crops suffered in consequence. The heaviest downfall was in the month of July, while there was very little rain in October, November and December, when the winter rice was ripenning. The *rabi* crops were much damaged by excessive rain and cloudy weather in January and February.

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Prices of food and labour.

184. Appendix XXIX shows the average prices of the principal food-grains—rice, wheat, barley, gram and maize—and of salt for the past three years.

It will be seen that the prices of food-grains everywhere ruled much higher than in the preceding year except in the Sonthal Parganas where the price of common rice remained practically the same as before; in Balasore and Singhbhum there was a slight fall in the price of wheat, while in Angul it was stationary; the price of barley fell in the districts of Hooghly and Nadia, and in Singhbhum it was the same as in the previous year; in Khulna, Puri and Sambalpur there was a decline in the price of gram, while in Cuttack it remained the same as in the previous year; the price of maize continued to rise except in Manbhum where there was a very slight fall. The cause of the high price of rice in the Burdwan Division is attributed to exports in large quantities in consequence of the failure of crops in other parts of the country; the rise in price of other food-crops was due to the poor outturn. The short harvest in the districts of Backergunge and Burdwan prevented the usual importation of rice into the Presidency Division, and the result was a rise in the price of common rice as well as other food-grains. In the Patna Division the rise is attributed to the export of grains to other provinces where there has been scarcity rather than to any decrease in the local outturn during the year. The chief cause of the high level of prices in the Bhagalpur Division is said to be the heavy exports to Eastern Bengal and elsewhere In Darjeeling and the eastern part of Purnea, however, prices rose high before this export set in, and there they are attributed to local deficiency in outturn, the failure of the maize crop having been serious in part of Darjeeling and jute cultivation having largely extended in the Kissenganj subdivision of Purnea at the expense of rice.

Circumstances generally have been such as to lead grain merchants to hold up stocks. Owing to the low outturn of the *bhadoi* and winter rice crops in the Orissa Division and to large exports to other places beyond the Division, the price of rice ruled high throughout the year. The price of common rice in Ranchi was abnormally high owing to successive bad harvests. Wheat, gram and barley are generally imported to Ranchi from the Gaya district and their prices depend on the prices ruling there. In Hazaribagh the high prices of the principal food-grains are ascribed partly to a large export trade owing to higher prices elsewhere; and many cultivators are said to have held on to their stocks in the hope of higher prices later on. The rise in the price of barley and gram in the Manbhum district was due to the damage done to these crops by heavy rains. There was a fall in the price of salt throughout the province except in Sambalpur, and this is due to the reduction of the duty on this commodity.

185. Wages show an upward tendency in several localities. In Bankura the rise as in the previous year was due to the opening of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway which has given extra employment in the district and facilities for obtaining employment elsewhere. In Hooghly and Howrah the continued rise was due to the great demand for labour in mills and factories, and the same cause produced a similar result in the Barrackpore subdivision of the 24-Parganas. In the Diamond Harbour subdivision there was a large demand for common labourers in connection with the Mograhat-Kamrapekur drainage scheme. In Jessore and Khulna there was a considerable rise in the prices of labour during the year. The Collector of Jessore ascribes it to the rise in the prices of food-grain as well as to the *Swadeshi* movement which, it is said, has led many artisans and weavers to resume their former occupations in preference to working for wages. The Collector of Khulna attributes it to the rise in the prices of food-grains, to the greater demand for masons and carpenters, to the improvement in the general condition of the people and to the demand for labourers in the jute season. In the Patna Division the difficulty of obtaining unskilled labour at the old customary rates is becoming more and more apparent. This is probably due to the increase in the number of people who emigrate to large towns, or mills, or to places where railway construction work is in progress and where they can secure perhaps double the wages offered to them at home. In the town of Deoghur the wages of common masons and superior blacksmiths showed a slight rise owing to the extension of building operations that is taking place there and elsewhere along the chord line. There was a slight rise in Puri owing to the high price of rice and the demand for labour in the town. In Ranchi the wages of ordinary labourers rose owing to the demand for labour for the construction of the Ranchi-Purulia Railway line, and of several public buildings. Unskilled labour now earns three annas a day while on railway work four annas are paid In Manbhum also there was an upward tendency owing to the development of Railways and the coal industry and to increased commercial activity in other directions.

Material condition of the people (including inter-district immigration and emigration).

186. There was no appreciable change in the material condition of the people in the district of Burdwan. In Birbhum the lower classes suffered somewhat, as owing to the failure of the *rabi* crops they could not get as much local labour as usual, and wages remained the same, while the prices of food-grains rose considerably. The condition of the middle classes was fairly satisfactory. In Bankura the people are generally poor, all the zamindars except the Burdwan Raj are encumbered and consequently give very little assistance to their tenants, who are compelled, when necessary, to borrow money from the local *mahajans* at an exorbitant rate of interest The Commissioner states that the establishment of Co-operative Credit Societies will benefit such people immensely; two such societies have been created in this district, and he hopes the Collector will be able to induce the cultivators to start others. The condition of the people of Midnapore was good, though prices were comparatively high throughout the district towards the latter part of the year owing to large exports. The condition of the people generally in the Hooghly district continued satisfactory, except in portions of Arambagh, where a large tract is subject to periodical inundations. Many of the raiyats are heavily indebted. The weavers in Arambagh and other places did very well during the year owing to the greater demand for India-made cloth due to the *Swadeshi* movement. Heavy floods in the Hooghly and the Damodar rivers in July caused damage to the crops in parts of the Hooghly and Howrah districts The produce of food-grains was below the average and prices ruled higher than usual.

187. The material condition of the agricultural classes was not as satisfactory as in the previous year in the districts of the 24-Parganas, Nadia and Jessore. The rise in the price of food-grains was met in Jessore and Khulna by a rise of wages. In the Sadar subdivision of Jessore the rate of unskilled labour is reported to have risen from 5 annas to 8 annas a day. In Murshidabad the harvests were on the whole better than in the previous year, and there was no deterioration in the condition of the agricultural population. The Collector of Khulna says that the harvests in his district, though not so good as in the preceding year, were average, and the high prices were actually advantageous to the agriculturists. The condition of the labouring classes in the manufacturing centres in the 24-Parganas continued to be prosperous. Mr. Bernard notices the general immunity from disease enjoyed by these people, which he attributes to the improved sanitary conditions under which they live. Artisans and skilled labourers are much in request in the 24-Parganas, and their condition is generally satisfactory. The Collector reports that the condition of the middle landless classes is deteriorating for want of sufficiently remunerative employment. This remark, the Commissioner states, is probably equally true for other districts. The Collector of Nadia states that in the Kushtia subdivision the weaving industry received an impetus from the *Swadeshi*

movement and the weavers have prospered in consequence. He remarks that the whole body of artisans in his district constitute only 4·84 per cent. of the population, and the material condition of the people generally has not been much affected. The Collector of Jessore (Mr. B. C. Sen) also notices the effects of the *Swadeshi* movement on the district industries. He says:—

"The native weavers, who had given up their calling owing to competition of foreign piece-goods, resumed their former avocation in view of the sudden demand for cloths made in the country. The hand looms are now in full swing in some places, but there is yet no sign of improvement in the quality of the cloths manufactured, and unless cloths of equally good quality can be offered as cheap as foreign cloths, the movement is doomed to ultimate failure. The sugar industry at Kotchandpur, which was almost in a moribund condition, also received an impetus from the *Swadeshi* movement. The new industry of curing tobacco, started by Mr. Macleod, was in a flourishing condition. Another industry, that of manufacturing safety matches, which found a ready market, was started in the Narail subdivision, and is making fair progress."

There was an outbreak of cholera in the Diamond Harbour subdivision and in parts of the Basirhat and Barrackpore subdivisions in the 24-Parganas. The last named subdivision was also visited by an epidemic of small-pox, but plague, from which it had suffered in the previous year, was happily almost entirely absent. Apart from these visitations the district was healthier than usual. As usual, Nadia and Jessore suffered much from malarial fever. Plague appeared in an epidemic form in the town of Santipur in the former district and the latter was visited by cholera which claimed many victims.

188. The majority of the people in the Patna Division are dependent on agriculture or agricultural labour, and their material condition is consequently directly dependent on the vicissitudes of the season. The poor outturn of the *bhadoi* crops caused some distress, but as the winter paddy and *rabi* yielded a fair outturn, the year was not, on the whole, unfavourable for the agricultural classes, although the landless labourers and people of small means have suffered considerably on account of the high prices of food-grains which have ruled generally. The public health has, generally speaking, been up to the normal standard. Plague was of less extent and intensity than in former years, though the actual cases have in many places taken a very severe and fatal form. This disease was worst in the districts of Patna, Gaya, Shahabad and Saran. In Muzaffarpur and Darbhanga it was not so widespread. In Champaran there were only 34 cases of plague, but fever and cholera were responsible for about 36,000 deaths. There were also outbreaks of cholera in Gaya, Shahabad and Muzaffarpur. There was no change in the standard of living among the different classes of the community.

189. The condition of the people in the Bhagalpur Division has everywhere been depressed, while there has been considerable stress in certain tracts, particularly in the northern half of the Santhal Parganas and the adjoining portion of Bhagalpur, in the areas in North Monghyr and North Bhagalpur where the crops were to a great extent lost by prolonged inundation from the hill rivers, and in the eastern portion of the Darjeeling district. Added to this, the prices of food-grains maintained an exceptionally high level in the latter part of the year, and this caused much distress among the labouring class and those whose income is fixed. The rise came too late to benefit the agriculturists who had surplus produce to sell, except in the east of Purnea where prices were forced up early owing to the extension of jute cultivation at the expense of rice. The people there were enriched by the jute crop, and so could afford to pay a high price for their food. The strain has been greatest in the Santhal Parganas, where the harvests have been unsatisfactory for the past two or three years, and the *mahua* crop, which was being looked forward to relieve the tension, turned out most disappointing. But, as in the preceding year, a good outturn of lac, coupled with high prices, proved a compensating feature in the eastern portion of the district, and the stone quarries there have provided a certain amount of employment. In the Jamtara subdivision the poorer classes find a good demand for their labour in the coal-fields of adjoining districts. In the tracts that suffered from inundation in North Monghyr and North Bhagalpur, timely relief was afforded by advances under the Agriculturists' Loans Act, and also by a grant from Babu Ramlal Mukerjee's Fund. In the Government estates known as Rajanpur in the Madhepura subdivision the suspension of one-fourth of the rent demand until October next has been sanctioned. As regards Darjeeling, the late Deputy Commissioner, Mr. J. H. E. Garrett, left on record the following remarks:—

"All classes have felt the high prices which have ruled during the year, though the cultivators have suffered most. In the newly-surveyed tract of the Kalimpong khas mahal far more of the raiyats than usual emigrated for the cold weather seeking work."

Relief was afforded by advances under the Agriculturists' Loans Act in the Kalimpong subdivision—an unusual occurrence in the district of Darjeeling. In the towns of Bhagalpur, Monghyr and Jamalpur, and also in the rural portion of the Monghyr district, plague appeared in epidemic form, though the visitation was not quite so severe or prolonged as in the previous year. It caused much dislocation of business of all kinds and serious inconvenience to the people who deserted the infected localities in large numbers. In the Purnea district there was a severe outbreak of cholera in the autumn, but malarial fever worked much less havoc than in the preceding year.

190. In the Orissa Division the condition of the people on the whole was not unsatisfactory, although the year was not a prosperous one from an agricultural point of view. The outturn of the *bhadoi* and winter crops, though below the average and partially depleted by exports, was sufficient to meet the consumption of the people. Substantial cultivators who had stocks of food-grains from previous years or who reaped more paddy than they

required for their own consumption gained considerably by disposing of their surplus stocks at high prices. Partial failure of the crops owing to deficient rainfall and its uneven distribution necessitated the grant of *takavi* advances in Balasore and Angul, to enable the tenants of the affected tracts to tide over the difficulty of growing crops for the next season. In the villages situated in the Government estate of Khurda, where the crops failed, the tenants will have to be granted remissions of rent, either wholly or in part, according to the circumstance of each villager. Several works of improvement in these villages were sanctioned in order to afford work to the poorer classes. The areas in which the failure was such as to leave the people nothing to sell were comparatively limited. The landless classes, however, were undoubtedly more than usually pinched, for the wages of labour do not readily respond to fluctuations in prices. There has been no material change in the people's standard of living. The material condition of the people of the Sambalpur district was, it appears, much better than that of other parts of the Division. The crops were fair, and though the better prices obtained for them stimulated exports, it is believed that a sufficient stock is maintained in the district for its own requirements.

191. On the whole the people of the Chota Nagpur Division were fairly prosperous. The passing of the amendment of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act which prohibits private sales of agricultural holdings, has had a considerable effect, not only directly, but also in reducing the borrowing power of the raiyats; and as this power was usually exercised by the aboriginal tribes in order to launch out into useless and unnecessary expenditure at marriages and other festivals, its restriction has done much good. High prices would have caused some distress in Hazaribagh but for a very abundant *mahua* crop and an ample demand for labour at the coal and mica mines and on the Gaya-Katras Railway line. Advances under the Agriculturists' Loans Act were given to relieve distress caused by frost during the winter of 1904-05. Mr. Lyall writes as follows regarding the Palamau district:—

"The material prosperity of the district as judged by that of the khas mahals has never been so high, for while prior to last year, the utmost we have been able to collect on account of rent was Rs. 78,572. this year no less than Rs. 1,11,615 was realized, and that without any very great difficulty * * * * There has been an undoubted improvement in general prosperity. Labour is more difficult to secure and more expensive. Bazars settle at higher rates."

In Manbhum and Ranchi the construction of the Ranchi-Purulia Railway afforded work to a large number of the labouring classes. The coal-mines of the former district gave employment to 27,703 labourers. The year was a prosperous one in Singhbhum owing to the good harvests. Plague prevailed sporadically over a considerable area in Palamau. There was also an outbreak in Jheria which, however, was promptly dealt with and suppressed.

192. The immigration of Sonthals and other aborigines into Hooghly and Burdwan for cultivation and work in the coal-mines and brick-fields continued. There was no immigration into Bankura, Birbhum and Midnapore. The number of registered emigrants with dependants who went from Bankura to the Assam tea-gardens was 27 as against 233 in the previous year. The closing of a depôt for the recruitment of coolies by garden sardars under class IV and the special facilities for free emigration under Chapter V of the Emigration Act, account for the decrease in the number of emigrants recruited under Chapter III. The Collector of Midnapore reports that recruitment of coolies to Assam was carried on entirely by free recruiters working under section 92 of Act VI of 1901. As in previous years, a number of emigrants from Chota Nagpur and the Sonthal Parganas came to the Sundarbans tracts and other parts of the 24-Parganas. Some of them settled permanently in the Sundarbans. Sonthals in large numbers went to Murshidabad for earthwork on the railway. There is practically no immigration in the Patna Division. In Champaran there was a fair influx of labourers from other districts for work on the Tribeni Canal and the railway lines. A large number of labourers go to Assam and Eastern Bengal from the North Gangetic districts and Shahabad, but they return home after a few months. Another important form of emigration from the district of Shahabad, is to two grants in Burma, held by Mr. Mylne of Bahea and Babu Hari Har Singh of Dumraon. A considerable number of families are sent yearly by these gentlemen to colonise their grants, and plenty of candidates are apparently available. The emigrants are said to be doing well there. In the Sonthal Parganas no less than 1,184 emigrant coolies were registered for employment in the tea districts as against 704 in the preceding year, the marked increase being due to hard times, while in Monghyr only 36 emigrants were registered as against 98, the falling-off being due to the outbreak of plague during the recruiting season. As usual, a large number of pilgrims visited Puri throughout the year, and more specially during the *Dol* and *Rathjatra* festivals. There was also a great rush of pilgrims on the occasion of the *Raghunath Besh* in April 1905. A few families came from the districts of Gaya and Monghyr and settled in the district of Hazaribagh. There is no immigration into other districts of the Chota Nagpur Division except of labourers who come to work in the mines or on the railways. Including dependants, 6,083 persons were registered as emigrants from the Chota Nagpur Division to Assam to labour in the tea-gardens there. This number does not include those sent from Palamau, for which district no figures have been received, nor does it include the larger number of residents of the district who were somehow or other induced to go to Asansol or Raniganj and were registered there. Cases of fraudulent recruitment are unfortunately not rare. The emigration to the Duars, Calcutta, etc., was on the usual scale.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 26th November 1906.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* and harvesting of early winter rice going on. Condition of sugarcane good. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
2	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	9†	7½	Standing crops doing well. Old common rice selling at 7½ seers a rupee. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	9½†	9½†	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. Old common rice selling at 8½ seers a rupee. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops commenced. Prospects good. Fodder and water sufficient.
5	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy and sugarcane fair. Reaping of winter paddy commenced and sowing of *rabi* crops going on in Arambagh. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	7	7	Harvesting of winter paddy commenced. Standing crops doing well. Common rice selling at 7¼ seers at Ulubaria. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
7	24-PARGANAS	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on and harvesting of early *aman* begun. State of standing crops good. Prospects of sugarcane and winter rice good. Total number of persons on relief during the week in different thanas—Tollygunge 158, Vishnupur 1,328, Behala 92, Canning 360, Baruipur 1,530, Falta 1,014, Sonarpur nil, Mahestala nil, Mograhat 1,859, Diamond Harbour 322, Mathurapur 77, Kulpi 223, Joynagar 2,407, Dum-Dum 70, Khardaha 89, Barrackpore 30. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
8	NADIA ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of standing crops good. Winter rice being harvested. Sowing of *rabi* crops still going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
9	MURSHIDABAD	Nil	7	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops favourable. Sowing of *rabi* crops continuing. *Aman* paddy being reaped. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JESSORE ...	Nil	7½	7⅝	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on. Harvesting of *aman* commenced. Condition fair. High prices and slight distress. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.

† New rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
11	KHULNA ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of summer rice continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	Nil	7½ 11½*	7½ 11½*	Weather cold. Sowing of *rabi* crops approaching completion. Harvesting of paddy and pressing of sugarcane continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
13	GAYA ...	Nil	9 3/16† 13 5/16*	9 3/16† 12 13/16*	Weather cold and clear. Harvesting of paddy and pressing of sugarcane going on. *Rabi* crops doing well. Prices stationary. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
14	SHAHABAD ...	Nil	9¾† 12½*	10† 12*	Harvesting of paddy in progress. Sugarcane-pressing continuing. *Rabi* crops germinating. Old common rice selling at 8 seers per rupee at Sadar, and makai selling 14½ seers a rupee at Sasaram. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	Nil	9 11½*	8½ 12*	Weather seasonable. Paddy being harvested. Pressing of sugarcane and sowing of poppy going on. Rain wanted for *rabi* crops. 26 men, 121 women, and 142 children on average daily relieved at kitchens food from the District Board funds in the Siwan subdivision; 73 men, 142 women, 193 children gratuitously relieved by the Hathawa Raj. No person on the District Board test-relief works during the week owing to the rate of wages having been reduced. 48 men, 38 women, and 35 children on average daily on the Hathwa Raj relief-works. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	8½ 11½*	8½ 11*	Weather slightly hot in the day, but cold at night. *Rabi* sowings in progress. Germination good. Rain wanted for *rabi* crops. Poppy sowings in full sowing. About balance in exports and imports of food-grains since 15th October. Ordinarily exports much in excess at this season. Small-pox among cattle reported in four villages of Dhanaha in the Bettiah subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	7 12½*	7 11½*	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy commenced. *Rabi*-sowings approaching completion. Common rice and maize selling at 7½ and 11½ seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi, and 7¾ and 11½ seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur. Test-works and kitchens going on; but numbers decreasing. Daily average for gratuitous relief 4,419. Number of persons on test-works on the 24th instant—Katra 8, Helsand 135, Sursand 33, and Ranisayedpur 58. Cholera practically died out in Sitamarhi and decreasing in the Sadar subdivision. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.
† New rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
18	DARBHANGA ...	Nil	6 12*	6 12*	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops still going on. Number of persons relieved at kitchens on the last day of the week—Sadar thana 2,100, Bahera thana 5,280, Roserha thana 10,069, Madhubani subdivision 1,461, Samastipur subdivision 231. Number of persons on test-works for the last day available—Manihas 65, Ojhoul 290, Dudhia 607, Pindaruch 1,127, Basaitha 666, Ratwara 344, Warisnagar 443, Hathourighat 168, Sakarlohra 805, Gangdah 491, Muzi Road 477, Larjaghat 109, Sakar 2, Lagna 776, Balha 3,718, Dasauth 873, Bagmati Bund 556, Ithor 1,821, Tolaparsa 1,137. Cholera reported from Madheypur in the Madhubani subdivision. One authenticated case of plague occurred in Rosera poor-house and no further cases reported. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
19	MONGHYR ...	Nil	7 11½*	7 11½*	Prospects of winter rice fair, but more rain wanted. Sowing of *rabi* crops continuing. High prices continuing unchanged. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Surajgarh and Berbigha. Fodder and water sufficient.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	Nil	8 11½*	8 11½*	Weather seasonable. *Aghani* paddy being harvested. Outturn fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops nearly finished. Rain reported to be badly needed for *rabi* crops in the Supaul subdivision. *Kurthi* doing excellently. Cholera reported from thanas Supaul and Pertabganj and cattle-disease reported from thanas Madhipura and Pertabganj. Fodder and water sufficient.
21	PURNEA ...	Nil	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aghani* paddy going on. Paddy on high lands damaged on account of drought. Prospects not favourable at places. *Rabi* sowings going on, but rain urgently required. Cattle-disease reported from Islampore thana. Fodder and water sufficient.
22	DARJEELING ...	Nil	6 12*	6 11*	Weather cold. Hills—Wheat, barley and mustard in fair state. Winter and *bhadoi* rice and *marua* being harvested. Terai—Cutting of winter rice commenced, sowing of mustard finished. Tobacco being transplanted.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	Nil	11 16½*	12 8/16 16½*	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of early winter rice commenced. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Deoghur report not received.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	10½	10½	*Laghu saradh* ripening. *Guru saradh* in ear. Early cotton being plucked. Sugarcane growing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient
25	BALASORE ...	Nil	10	10	Weather cold. *Saradh* ripening. Sugarcane and vegetables doing well. *Rabi* sowings continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water available.
26	ANGUL ...	Nil	11½	11½	Weather cold. Harvesting of winter rice in full swing. *Rabi*, sugarcane and other crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
27	PURI ...	Nil	9 1/8	8½	Weather seasonable. Sugarcane and *rabi* crops getting on well. *Sarad* in ear. *Laghu* paddy being reaped. Miscellaneous crops doing well. Small-pox reported from Khurda and Bhubaneswar. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	Nil	11½	11	Weather cool and occasionally cloudly. Threshing of autumn rice continuing. Reaping of winter rice and harvesting of cotton and *maghi til* in progress. Condition of standing crops good. Out-turn of *bahal* paddy estimated at 105 to 120 per cent. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
29	HAZARIBAGH ...	...	10	10	Prospects of standing crops good. Harvesting of paddy going on. Cattle-disease reported from two thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
30	RANCHI ...	Nil	11⅓	11¼	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy continuing. State of standing crops good. Cattle-disease reported from Lohardaga thana. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	Nil	10 1/8*	11¼*	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice going on. Pressing of sugarcane commenced. *Rabi* crops doing well. A few cases of cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water abundant.
32	MANBHUM ...	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. Cattle-disease not reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	Nil	9	9	Harvesting of winter paddy continuing. Common rice selling at 12 seers a rupee at Seraikella and Kharsawan. Cattle-disease reported from thana Chakradharpur and outpost Bahragora. Fodder and water sufficient.
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	6 2/3	6 2/3	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of tobacco seedlings and sowing of mustard continuing. Prospects of *aman* paddy fair. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Mathabhanga and Meckliganj. Fodder and water sufficient.

* New rice.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—There was no rain in the Province during the week. Sowings of *rabi* crops still continue. Rain is reported to be needed for them in Saran, Champaran, Monghyr, Bhagalpur and Purnea. Harvesting of winter rice has commenced in places. Paddy on high lands has suffered from drought in Purnea. Sugarcane is being pressed in parts of Bihar. The number of persons receiving gratuitous relief is:—24-Parganas 9,559, Saran 697, Muzaffarpur 4,419, Darbhanga 19,141,—total 33,816. The number of persons attending test-works is—Saran 121, Muzaffarpur 234, Darbhanga 14,476—total 14,831. Cattle-disease is prevalent in nine districts. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cholera still continues in parts of Muzaffarpur and Bhagalpur, and is also reported from Darbhanga. Small-pox has made its appearance in Puri. The price of common rice has risen in four and fallen in six districts.

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DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,

The 27th November 1906.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 24th November 1906, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 24th November 1906.			Week ending Saturday, the 25th November 1905.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	226	19,820	243	585	55,717	780
Jute	942	2,58,825*	4,385	686	2,20,060†	3,562
Firewood	65	51,780	741	71	65,000	971
Other articles	834	1,60,675	2,152	731	1,53,106	2,070
Total ...	2,067	4,91,100	7,521	2,023	4,93,883	7,383

* Weight by canal measurement, 2,74,740½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto 2,33,265 do.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 18th to 24th November 1906.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rains.	Weather.
					Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1906.		°		Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Inches	°	%			Inches.	
Nov.	18th	134·9	6·1	29·983	74·7	83·2	15·8	67·4	69·6	0·668	67·2	80	NNE and calm ...	19	Nil	Partially cloudy, O, ☁.
,,	19th	135·7	7·8	30 0/7	73·7	83·4	18·3	65·1	67·6	·589	63·6	71	NNE and N by E	48	,,	Chiefly clear, ☁.
,,	20th	132·5	7·9	·066	75·3	83·1	18·5	64·6	67·6	·596	63·9	72	N by E, ESE and calm.	24	,,	Chiefly clear, ☁.
,,	21st	135·6	7·9	·073	73·7	83·4	18·3	65·1	68·0	·606	64·4	72	ESE, NNW and calm.	37	,,	Chiefly clear, ☁.
,,	22nd	133·9	7 0	054	72·7	81·5	16·5	65·0	67·9	·614	64·8	75	N, NNW and calm.	71	,,	Partially cloudy.
,,	23rd	130·4	8·1	·047	72·3	80·6	15·5	65·1	66·1	·555	61·9	69	N by E, N and N by W.	75	,,	Chiefly clear, ☁.
,,	24th	131·8	8·1	·030	69·3	79·9	20·0	59·9	63·9	·481	58 0	67	N by W, N and calm.	63	,,	Clear, ☁.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	30·037
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	29·993
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	52·9
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	76·6
	°
The mean temperature of the seven days	72·8
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	72·9
The extreme variation of temperature	23·5
The maximum temperature	83 4
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	10
	°
The mean relative humidity	72
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	70
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 18th to 24th November 1906	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	0·01
The total fall from 1st January to 24th November 1906	57·19
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	65·27

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

O, overcast. ☁, dow.

C. W. PEAKE,
for *Director-General of Observatories.*

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 26th November 1906.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Statement of Goods Traffic in Staples carried during the four weeks ending 26th May 1906 as compared with the same period of 1905.

Staples.	1905.		1906.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes	3,869	3,430	7,520	6,995	3,651	3,475	.....	.....
Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways	1,38,10,113	17,75,370	1,45,65,544	18,72,727	7,55,432	97,357	.....	.....
Cotton—	67,920	30,429	57,014	33,947	.....	3,518	10,906	.....
(1) Raw								
(2) Manufactured—								
(a) Twist and Yarn, European	2,167	2,467	2,003	2,329	.....	.....	164	138
(b) Ditto, Indian	35,415	13,607	33,156	14,662	.....	1,055	259	.....
(c) Piece-goods, European	1,76,798	1,74,294	1,63,047	1,65,883	.....	.....	13,751	8,411
(d) Ditto, Indian	20,216	11,700	18,322	9,647	.....	.....	1,894	2,053
(e) Others	4,347	3,681	2,202	1,775	.....	.....	2,045	1,906
Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	7,399	4,435	11,979	6,729	4,080	2,294	.....	.....
Drugs—	301	173	328	199	27	26	.....	.....
1.—Intoxicating, other than opium	10,587	4,510	6,536	5,360	.....	850	4,051	.....
2.—Non-intoxicating								
Dyes and Tans—	14	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	2
1.—Al (Morinda citrifolia)	332	262	283	159	.....	.....	49	83
2.—Alizarine and aniline dyes	3,141	1,492	2,781	1,256	.....	.....	360	236
3.—Cutch	66	59	175	75	90	16	.....	.....
4.—Indigo	11,678	3,284	14,958	4,218	2,980	934	.....	.....
5.—Myrabolams	11,789	3,225	16,263	1,346	3,473	.....	.....	1,879
6.—Tanning barks	16,496	10,044	18,650	15,374	2,154	5,330	.....	.....
7.—Turmeric	7,360	2,110	11,936	5,445	4,336	3,335	.....	.....
8.—Others								
Fodder—	68,124	12,934	77,791	16,667	9,672	3,733	.....	.....
1.—Oilcake	40,002	4,022	1,45,966	9,366	1,05,964	4,444	.....	.....
2.—Hay, straw and grass	13,438	5,876	20,640	10,941	7,202	5,065	.....	.....
Fruits and vegetables, fresh								
Grain and Pulse—	14,02,590	3,00,980	7,86,419	1,71,173	.....	.....	6,16,471	2,19,807
1.—Wheat	87,074	2,332	98,194	25,432	11,620	2,100	.....	.....
2.—Wheat flour	42,931	4,433	44,365	2,944	2,344	.....	.....	1,489
3.—Rice in the husk	4,82,904	82,801	4,96,160	64,999	3,552	.....	.....	17,902
4.—Rice not in the husk	2,292	3,379	37,614	5,833	15,321	2,454	.....	.....
5.—Jowar and bajra	4,48,656	1,20,542	5,52,199	1,55,207	1,43,653	34,666	.....	.....
6.—Gram and pulse	91,260	19,493	1,36,278	44,281	.....	24,788	.....	.....
7.—Others					1,05,019			
Hides and Skins—	50,341	26,614	73,854	40,987	23,495	14,373	.....	.....
1.—Hides of cattle	32,062	19,391	44,940	25,057	11,588	5,676	.....	.....
2.—Skins of sheep, &c.	618	224	1,458	760	1,329	536	.....	.....
Horns								
Hemp (Indian) and other fibres (excluding jute)	72,625	15,437	72,829	16,445	274	1,008	.....	.....
Jute—	13,934	3,341	65,015	13,231	51,081	9,890	.....	.....
1.—Raw	1,72,201	1,03,664	1,29,241	66,032	.....	.....	40,960	36,732
2.—Gunny-bags and cloth	55,322	19,426	30,425	18,086	.....	.....	7,897	1,340
Lac								
Leather—	2,422	2,546	2,658	2,403	236	.....	.....	143
1.—Unwrought	561	547	2,136	2,143	1,575	1,596	.....	.....
2.—Wrought, excepting boots and shoes								
Liquors—	13,159	3,867	9,630	4,604	.....	937	3,529	.....
1.—Ale and Beer	5,053	5,476	5,896	5,537	843	61	.....	.....
2.—Spirits and wine of all kinds, including country spirit								
3.—All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer	269	68	1,084	441	815	373	.....	.....
Metals—	1,066	342	1,209	517	143	175	.....	.....
1.—Brass, unwrought	17,053	7,192	18,578	9,746	1,525	2,554	.....	.....
2.—Do., wrought	338	316	384	448	51	138	.....	.....
3.—Copper, unwrought	1,541	1,208	1,524	1,526	.....	228	17	.....
4.—Do., wrought								
5.—Iron and steel—	32,756	9,904	25,815	11,790	.....	1,886	6,941	.....
(a) Cast	1,03,830	5,762	71,959	20,675	.....	14,913	31,871	10,332
(b) Unwrought	1,07,703	40,556	84,412	39,174	.....	.....	23,291	.....
(c) Wrought	42,367	17,149	37,980	12,246	.....	97	4,387	.....
(d) Manufactures of iron and steel	3,971	2,938	4,384	1,511	612	.....	.....	1,427
6.—Zinc and spelter	11,694	7,694	12,410	9,518	716	1,824	.....	.....
7.—Others								
Oils—	1,60,112	51,035	1,55,424	44,732	.....	.....	4,688	6,303
1.—Kerosine	3,531	1,245	2,576	1,350	.....	105	955	.....
2.—Castor	5,295	1,083	3,603	2,699	.....	716	1,692	.....
3.—Cocoanut	12,900	5,761	7,905	4,686	.....	.....	4,995	1,075
4.—Mustard and rape	30,979	6,464	17,852	7,541	.....	1,077	13,127	.....
5.—Others								
Oilseeds—	1,10,251	24,128	1,59,874	41,792	49,623	17,664	.....	.....
1.—Castor	9	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	2
2.—Earthnuts	3,17,899	70,091	5,97,686	1,37,856	2,79,787	67,765	.....	.....
3.—Linseed	2,50,990	61,441	3,57,358	87,804	1,00,368	27,427	.....	.....
4.—Poppy	5,09,722	1,67,805	6,19,930	2,08,163	1,10,208	40,358	.....	.....
5.—Rape and mustard	7,889	2,503	8,989	1,923	1,100	.....	.....	580
6.—Til or jinjili	25,404	6,526	77,323	14,388	51,929	7,862	.....	.....
7.—Others	20,871	17,109	27,953	27,035	7,082	9,866	.....	.....
Opium	19,077	13,134	20,922	12,662	1,245	.....	.....	472
Paper and pasteboard								
Provisions—	7,807	4,076	10,613	5,195	2,716	1,119	.....	.....
1.—Dried fruits and nuts	1,95,119	60,534	27,556	19,899	.....	.....	77,563	40,635
2.—Ghee	83,606	21,405	98,189	37,125	15,583	15,720	.....	.....
3.—Potatoes	51,264	17,649	64,357	24,632	13,093	6,983	.....	.....
4.—Others								
Railway plant & rolling-stock carried for the public & foreign railways—	1,469	419	2,328	624	859	205	.....	.....
1.—Locomotives, engines and tenders and parts thereof	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Carriages and trucks and parts thereof								
3.—Materials—	29,109	10,259	24,950	7,286	.....	.....	4,159	2,973
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates								
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron	6,578	1,141	8,385	1,620	1,807	479	.....	.....
(c) Other sorts	5,08,260	63,743	3,80,423	43,163	.....	.....	1,27,837	20,580
Salt	5,23,493	1,04,388	5,16,469	1,01,295	.....	.....	7,024	3,093

Staples.	1905.		1906.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
1.—Saltpetre	49,194	19,348	40,927	14,846	.....	.....	8,269	4,502
2.—Other saline substances	56,192	15,641	53,103	14,735	.....	.....	3,091	906
Silk—								
1.—*Raw*—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	1,408	766	1,189	438	.....	.....	219	328
2.—*Piece-goods*—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	5,226	1,870	480	273	.....	.....	4,746	1,597
Spices—								
1.—Betelnuts	23,291	20,268	22,667	15,714	.....	.....	624	4,549
2.—Cardamoms	1,187	1,047	1,444	1,382	257	335	.....	.....
3.—Chillies	14,366	8,255	25,023	17,677	10,657	9,422	.....	.....
4.—Ginger	1,800	607	2,428	1,072	628	465	.....	.....
5.—Pepper	2,360	2,101	3,496	3,660	1,136	1,559	.....	.....
6.—Others	40,450	22,939	25,166	13,840	.....	.....	15,284	9,099
Stone and lime	8,47,490	1,09,137	8,77,246	1,14,609	29,756	5,472	.....	.....
Sugar—								
1.—Refined	46,345	19,564	60,186	23,397	11,841	3,833	.....	.....
2.—Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	1,75,579	26,594	2,27,613	62,825	52,034	36,231	.....	.....
(b) *Gur, rab*, jaggree, molasses and other saccharine produce ...	2,01,983	30,798	2,29,902	30,941	27,919	143	.....	.....
Tea—								
1.—Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Indian	2,183	1,630	4,021	3,569	1,838	1,939	.....	.....
Tobacco	1,37,640	58,364	1,28,576	47,411	.....	.....	9,065	10,953
Wood—								
1.—Timber, unwrought	3,39,001	42,209	1,87,457	33,710	.....	.....	1,51,544	8,499
2.—Manufactures	18,390	6,700	21,094	7,083	2,714	383	.....	.....
Wool—								
1.—Raw	5,271	2,762	2,935	1,932	.....	.....	2,336	830
2.—Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs	1,092	1,441	1,269	1,292	177	.....	.....	149
(b) Piece-goods, European	624	254	490	225	.....	.....	134	29
(c) Ditto, Indian	459	362	395	265	.....	.....	64	97
(d) Other sorts of manufactures ...	546	302	1,451	897	905	595	.....	.....
All other articles of merchandise—								
1.—Bones	29,848	5,787	63,370	13,792	33,522	13,005	.....	.....
2.—Firewood	91,568	4,419	1,00,342	6,095	8,774	1,676	.....	.....
3.—Indigo seed	564	139	927	438	363	299	.....	.....
4.—Paints and colours	2,901	1,423	2,065	1,652	44	229	.....	.....
5.—Seeds other than oilseeds	9,336	1,281	3,473	535	.....	.....	5,863	956
6.—Others	8,43,199	2,16,331	6,05,390	2,01,108	.....	.....	2,37,809	15,223
Total ...	2,33,50,443	43,42,787	2,37,06,207	44,29,823	328	87,036	6,45,176	.....
Military stores	33,895	48,078	34,223	55,355	.....	7,277	.....	.....
Coal for railway	16,81,600	1,28,962	15,09,384	1,14,604	.....	.....	1,72,115	14,348
Railway materials	31,53,743	86,887	21,27,621	77,985	.....	.....	13,36,122	8,902
Live-stock	.....	5,803	.....	16,129	.....	10,326	.....	.....
Total ...	2,85,19,580	46,12,510	2,63,76,495	46,93,896	.....	81,386	21,43,085	.....

T. JACKSON,

for *Chief Auditor.*

TRAFFIC AUDIT OFFICE, GOODS DIVISION, CALCUTTA, *the 20th November 1906.*

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 10th November 1906 on 2,094·73 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Tot
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	443,268	4,66,757 0 0	63,15,680 0	11,79,502 0 0	30,723 0 0	16,76,982 0 0	130,867	192,960	32
Per mile of railway ...	.....	223 12 2	.....	563 1 4	14 10 8	800 9 2	.....	.....	...
For previous 18 weeks of half-year	8,088,899*	76,36,885 0 0*	10,70,57,960 0†	1,75,62,836 0 0†	5,20,004 0 0‡	3,57,19,725 0 0	2,384,679§	3,086,808§	5,46
Total for 19 weeks ...	8,532,167	81,03,642 0 0	11,33,73,630 0	1,87,42,338 0 0	5,50,727 0 0	2,73,96,707 0 0	2,485,546	3,279,768	5,76
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	403,756	4,91,090 2 7	59,88,762 0	10,91,573 9 9	31,687 6 11	16,14,351 3 3	130,824	186,615	31
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	239 6 11	.....	533 3 2	15 7 2	787 1 3	.....	.....	....
Total for corresponding 19½ weeks of previous year.	8,116,649	81,45,775 14 0	11,20,92,441 0	1,75,05,078 10 7	5,70,476 14 3	2,63,22,226 6 10	2,411,018	3,152,964	5,56

(a) The increase is chiefly in coal.

* Deducted No. of passengers 3,111 and Rs. 20,448 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 15th Septe
† Added Mds. 1,33,266 and ,, 2,966 } 1906.
‡ Added ,, 6,700

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rs.
*2,078·13	Week ended 7th July ...	567,107	4,48,481	69,19,073	9,69,219	25,096	14,42,796	694	304,958	4 1
*2,078·13	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	460,864	4,04,849	63,54,825	9,32,554	29,603	13,67,006	658	301,065	4
*2,078·13	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	457,480	4,35,442	57,13,738	9,40,878	27,975	14,13,295	680	298,384	4 1
*2,078·13	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	420,063	4,03,955	45,30,696	8,06,569	28,678	12,39,202	596	274,042	4
*2,078·13	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	437,011	4,45,618	59,95,837	9,09,114	28,810	13,81,542	665	303,109	4
*2,078·13	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	442,083	3,93,303	53,22,554	8,88,133	27,976	13,09,402	630	287,511	4
*2,087·63	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	410,076	3,75,272	54,48,275	9,14,251	28,706	13,18,229	631	285,186	4
*2,094·73	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	411,543	3,49,077	57,06,617	9,18,847	27,820	12,95,744	619	286,208	4
*2,094·73	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	487,315	4,45,677	62,03,480	10,22,339	30,916	15,68,932	749	314,885	5
*2,094·73	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	454,812	4,40,553	58,85,630	10,00,668	30,718	15,11,938	722	333,416	4
*2,094·73	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	426,906	4,05,248	66,40,122	10,50,879	35,243	14,91,375	712	304,359	4 1
2,094·73	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	469,387	4,88,535	63,51,477	10,26,493	28,099	15,43,127	737	305,924	5
2,094·73	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	446,646	4,32,556	53,74,025	8,50,813	28,099	13,17,468	629	299,400	4
2,094·73	,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	416,385	4,04,053	55,71,945	9,08,061	28,099	13,40,213	640	293,121	4
2,094·73	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	422,556	4,10,854	66,14,432	11,24,445	28,257	15,63,556	746	315,547	4 1
2,094·73	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	396,018	4,22,341	61,01,561	10,33,350	27,998	14,83,189	708	311,854	4 1
2,094·73	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	429,237	4,45,936	59,13,064	10,38,345	28,598	15,12,878	722	311,998	4 1
2,094·73	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	485,751	4,87,147	64,02,600	11,03,378	29,308	16,19,833	773	313,464	5
2,094·73	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	443,268	4,66,757	63,15,680	11,79,502	30,723	16,76,982	801	323,837	5
	Totals up to date ...	8,532,167	81,03,642	11,33,73,630	1,87,42,338	5,50,727	2,73,96,707	690	5,765,308	4 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rs.
2,041·33	First 8 days of July ...	569,904	5,07,593	73,45,162	10,75,471	31,669	16,14,733	791	342,061	4 1
2,041·33	Week ended 15th ,, ...	530,099	4,59,596	55,14,313	8,18,437	29,993	13,08,026	641	291,735	4
2,041·33	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	453,067	4,41,362	54,65,115	8,81,067	28,775	13,32,204	652	286,188	4 1
2,041·33	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	435,430	4,40,780	60,89,666	8,88,062	27,926	13,56,768	665	280,065	4 1
2,041·33	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	425,563	4,14,473	60,12,732	8,90,683	28,394	13,63,549	619	276,531	4
2,041·33	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	412,045	3,84,686	54,23,290	8,43,045	25,863	12,53,596	614	274,661	4
2,043·03	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	422,019	3,76,094	49,30,908	7,63,810	26,601	11,46,495	561	269,757	4
2,049·98	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	373,357	3,72,941	64,79,724	8,63,016	26,808	12,62,465	616	271,293	4 1
2,050·28	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	382,791	3,59,779	68,75,259	9,09,026	24,849	13,91,654	679	289,906	4 1
2,051·07	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	395,255	3,91,755	62,93,490	9,14,014	26,213	13,35,982	651	295,126	4
2,051·07	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	443,159	4,35,554	57,01,210	8,92,604	30,737	13,58,895	663	301,798	4
2,051·07	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	403,136	4,09,656	51,58,016	8,77,050	31,121	13,17,827	643	292,798	4
2,051·07	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	409,409	4,40,809	54,22,807	9,27,713	29,636	13,98,160	682	283,380	4 1
2,051·07	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	439,829	4,51,763	52,28,286	8,50,639	32,551	13,43,973	655	287,199	4 1
2,051·07	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	403,914	4,33,585	50,43,453	8,29,841	29,348	12,92,774	630	275,583	4 1
2,051·07	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	385,224	4,37,172	64,05,073	10,08,077	32,428	15,37,677	750	301,995	5
2,051·07	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	365,710	4,18,983	62,68,838	10,00,600	30,281	15,39,954	751	312,178	4
2,051·07	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	414,971	4,77,913	64,48,597	10,21,536	33,594	15,33,043	747	314,447	4 1
2,051·07	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	443,756	4,91,090	59,88,762	10,91,573	31,688	16,14,351	787	317,439	5
	Totals up to date ...	8,116,649	81,45,775	11,20,92,441	1,75,05,974	5,70,477	2,63,22,226	669	5,563,982	4 1

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 10th November 1906 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	25,626	6,078 6 0	22,012 0	1,089 0 0	5 0 0	7,173 0 0	963	225	1,188
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	273 6 7	.....	48 15 10	0 3 7	322 10 0	.....	.....	.....
Per previous 18 weeks of half-year	396,093*	92,602 0 0*	2,67,187 0†	10,668 0 0†	168 0 0‡	1,03,028 0 0	17,340‡	4,046§	21,386
Total for 19 weeks ...	421,721	98,680 0 0	2,89,199 0	11,957 0 0	163 0 0	1,10,800 0 0	18,303	4,268	22,568
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	27,665	6,453 7 0	23,886 0	1,300 9 0	4 1 9	7,758 1 9	858	198	1,056
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	290 4 10	.....	58 8 1	0 3 0	348 15 11	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 19½ weeks of previous year.	408,392	93,801 15 11	2,93,434 10	11,000 15 0	149 2 6	1,04,952 1 5	16,402	4,266	20,668

* Deducted No. of passengers 1,009 and Rs. 533
† Do, Mds. 374 and Rs. 1
‡ Do, Rs. 1
§ Audited figures up to 15th September 1906.
} On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 15th September 1906.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	Week ended 7th July ...	41,964	10,696	14,889	553	15	11,264	507	1,252	8 15 11
*22·23	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	24,540	5,737	10,816	416	13	6,166	277	1,190	5 2 11
*22·23	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	21,707	5,008	11,170	374	6	5,388	242	1,256	4 4 6
*22·23	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	17,649	4,140	5,948	242	9	4,391	198	1,126	3 14 5
*22·23	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	21,759	5,656	10,176	330	13	5,999	270	1,208	4 15 5
*22·23	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	20,034	4,601	7,934	330	12	4,943	222	1,100	4 7 11
*22·23	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	17,511	3,936	5,030	284	7	3,807	174	1,228	3 2 5
*22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	16,747	3,596	9,455	404	9	4,009	180	1,188	3 6 0
*22·23	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	16,049	3,471	6,350	270	7	3,748	169	1,190	3 2 5
*22·23	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	18,391	4,402	10,948	405	2	4,809	218	1,124	4 4 6
*22·23	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	19,735	4,074	11,768	511	7	4,592	207	1,202	3 13 2
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	22,623	5,251	20,343	786	9	6,046	273	1,188	5 1 5
22·23	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	21,004	4,884	18,033	755	9	5,648	254	1,188	4 12 1
22·23	,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	22,020	5,721	25,345	987	8	6,717	302	1,188	5 10 5
22·23	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	22,703	5,261	30,691	1,312	9	6,582	296	1,188	5 8 8
22·23	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	23,345	4,945	27,208	1,188	8	6,141	276	1,188	5 2 8
22·23	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	24,894	5,512	26,010	1,230	8	6,780	305	1,188	5 11 4
22·23	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	24,420	5,981	13,273	551	6	6,538	294	1,188	5 8 1
22·23	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	25,626	6,078	22,012	1089	5	7,172	323	1,188	6 0 7
	Totals up to date ...	421,721	98,680	2,89,199	11,957	163	1,10,800	262	22,568	4 14 7

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 8 days of July ...	25,207	5,782	11,269	394	19	6,195	279	1,208	4 12 4
22·23	Week ended 15th ,, ...	33,950	7,842	9,826	283	9	8,134	366	1,252	6 7 11
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	26,386	6,519	5,291	212	4	6,735	303	1,010	6 10 8
22·23	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	15,036	3,679	4,292	171	14	3,864	174	1,384	2 12 8
22·23	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	15,506	3,404	13,446	276	9	3,779	170	1,196	3 2 7
22·23	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	21,980	5,499	4,945	227	6	5,732	258	1,032	5 8 10
22·23	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	19,279	4,239	42,165	627	6	4,872	219	834	5 13 6
22·23	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	16,249	3,484	7,728	411	8	3,903	176	1,780	2 8 1
22·23	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	16,899	3,745	7,701	311	4	4,060	183	1,186	3 6 9
22·23	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	19,339	4,394	10,749	462	8	4,864	219	1,186	4 1 7
22·23	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	20,207	4,948	10,087	487	9	4,894	211	1,186	4 15 4
22·23	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	18,033	3,906	17,287	694	6	4,606	207	1,166	3 15 2
22·23	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	13,097	3,943	13,811	638	6	4,581	206	1,142	4 0 2
22·23	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	24,027	5,877	14,796	665	8	6,540	294	1,086	6 3 1
22·23	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	23,070	5,256	19,491	857	6	6,119	275	1,296	4 11 7
22·23	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	20,600	4,681	24,573	1,069	4	5,754	257	1,210	4 11 1
22·23	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	20,446	4,540	22,981	873	10	5,423	244	1,186	4 9 2
22·23	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	26,244	6,272	24,289	1,108	9	7,389	332	1,212	6 1 6
22·23	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	27,665	6,453	26,836	1,301	4	7,758	349	1,056	7 5 7
	Totals up to date ...	408,392	93,801	2,93,434	11,001	119	1,04,952	247	22,668	4 10 1

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 10th November 1906 on 182·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	25,146	25,057 0 0	1,77,483 0	15,234 0 0	69 0 0	40,360 0 0	9,104	4,191	13,295
Or per mile of railway	.....	154 5 3	.....	93 13 3	0 5 10	246 9 4	.....	.....	.....
Per previous 18 weeks of half-year	473,378*	3,66,243 0 0*	27,11,210 0†	2,62,405 0 0†	1,087 0 0‡	6,29,735 0 0	164,287§	68,754§	233,041
Total for 19 weeks ...	498,424	3,91,300 0 0	28,88,693 0	2,77,639 0 0	1,156 0 0	6,70,095 0 0	173,391	72,945	246,336
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	23,409	29,677 8 5	1,83,359 20	19,950 13 0	73 12 3	49,702 1 8	9,617	5,166	14,783
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	162 12 3	.....	122 14 1	0 7 3	306 2 0	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 19½ weeks of previous year.	513,463	4,23,276 3 9	34,00,947 0	3,24,943 3 0	1,177 14 9	7,49,397 10 6	156,303	77,604	233,907

* Deducted No. of passengers 691 and Rs. 794
† Added Mds. 1,99,850 „ 5,070 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 15th
‡ Do. „ 54 } September 1906.
§ Audited figures up to 15th September 1906

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*182·36	Week ended 7th July ...	21,157	21,273	1,86,000	17,009	58	34,336	211	13,124	2 9 10
*182·36	„ „ 14th „ ...	23,355	20,955	98,220	15,313	54	36,322	223	14,036	2 9 3
*182·36	„ „ 21st „ ...	27,950	20,413	1,49,543	16,783	71	37,266	230	13,717	2 11 6
*182·36	„ „ 28th „ ...	26,476	18,131	1,71,547	16,351	57	34,539	213	13,986	2 10 7
*182·36	„ „ 4th Aug. ...	23,312	19,161	1,08,463	12,802	39	31,992	197	13,667	2 6 8
*182·36	„ „ 11th „ ...	27,274	17,835	81,520	9,347	55	27,240	168	11,953	2 4 6
*182·36	„ „ 18th „ ...	26,597	17,941	1,84,767	16,071	59	33,374	199	13,372	2 6 9
*182·36	„ „ 25th „ ...	28,542	19,539	1,76,784	15,791	64	35,194	217	13,024	2 11 3
*182·36	„ „ 1st Sept. ...	29,037	20,453	2,28,597	12,558	63	33,374	206	11,785	2 13 4
*182·36	„ „ 8th „ ...	23,797	18,596	1,09,597	16,297	78	34,970	215	13,168	2 14 0
*182·36	„ „ 15th „ ...	19,476	17,090	3,11,371	16,798	105	33,993	209	12,910	2 10 2
182·36	„ „ 22nd „ ...	23,034	16,862	1,35,831	11,761	52	28,675	177	12,926	2 3 6
182·36	„ „ 29th „ ...	29,263	20,344	1,04,497	13,848	52	34,244	211	13,713	2 11 1
182·36	„ „ 6th Oct. ...	25,689	21,049	1,34,302	16,911	52	37,852	231	13,038	2 14 1
182·36	„ „ 13th „ ...	25,204	22,119	1,37,640	15,155	49	37,323	230	13,721	2 14 11
182·36	„ „ 20th „ ...	23,509	26,007	1,24,513	14,637	53	40,697	251	13,807	2 2 10
182·36	„ „ 27th „ ...	23,886	24,078	1,40,005	16,945	59	41,082	25	13,402	2 1 1
182·36	„ „ 3rd Nov. ...	25,730	25,255	1,32,633	13,333	54	38,662	238	13,693	2 13 2
182·36	„ „ 10th „ ...	25,146	25,057	1,77,483	15,234	69	40,360	249	13,295	3 0 7
	Totals up to date ...	498,424	3,91,300	28,88,693	2,77,639	1,156	6,70,095	217	2,46,336	2 11 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1905 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
182·36	First 6 days of July	22,353	24,092	2,64,445	20,023	63	44,178	273	14,034	3 2 7
182·36	Week ended 15th „ ...	20,337	23,277	1,47,354	13,305	53	36,745	230	12,230	2 3 3
182·36	„ „ 22nd „ ...	27,096	19,733	1,80,354	17,037	62	36,832	227	10,970	3 5 9
182·36	„ „ 29th „ ...	27,252	19,942	2,53,735	24,853	48	44,843	276	11,076	4 0 9
182·36	„ „ 5th Aug. ...	25,176	18,903	1,66,867	16,189	39	35,130	216	10,939	3 3 5
182·36	„ „ 12th „ ...	26,436	19,448	1,16,689	10,573	46	30,065	185	11,028	2 11 7
182·36	„ „ 19th „ ...	25,705	18,499	83,837	9,608	39	28,146	178	11,353	2 8 8
182·36	„ „ 26th „ ...	24,053	18,353	2,40,494	16,427	48	34,828	214	10,637	3 4 5
182·36	„ „ 2nd Sept. ...	58,358	39,111	1,65,001	16,460	76	55,647	343	14,980	3 14 4
182·36	„ „ 9th „ ...	25,907	18,286	1,66,211	19,002	68	38,456	237	11,685	3 4 8
182·36	„ „ 16th „ ..	21,040	18,960	2,11,973	16,996	112	36,068	222	11,100	3 4 9
182·36	„ „ 23rd „ ...	19,756	17,343	2,29,260	15,511	44	32,898	203	11,426	2 14 1
182·36	„ „ 30th „ ...	22,930	20,233	1,49,550	14,940	47	35,220	217	11,653	3 0 4
182·36	„ „ 7th Oct. ...	23,626	21,618	1,23,886	15,744	60	37,422	230	11,652	3 3 5
182·36	„ „ 14th „ ...	25,286	21,568	1,49,662	20,291	55	41,914	258	10,918	3 13 5
182·36	„ „ 21st „ ...	24,685	23,128	1,71,414	16,522	88	40,139	247	14,561	2 12 9
182·36	„ „ 28th „ ...	21,568	23,651	1,62,128	18,685	88	42,424	261	16,021	2 10 4
182·36	„ „ 4th Nov. ...	24,104	26,269	2,63,267	22,731	77	49,756	306	13,822	3 9 7
182·36	„ „ 11th „ ...	23,499	26,577	1,62,260	19,951	74	46,702	306	14,765	3 5 10
	Totals up to date ...	513,463	4,23,276	34,00,947	3,24,943	1,178	7,49,397	241	233,907	3 3 3

* Audited figures.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 17th November 1906 on 2,094·73 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
			Mds. s.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week ...	421,291	4,23,977 0 0	62,67,916 0	12,14,068 0 0	32,562 0 0	16,71,207 0 0	131,821	191,406	323,227
Or per mile of railway	...	202 6 5	...	579 13 11	15 8 8	797 13 0	...	...	...
For previous 19 weeks of half-year	8,551,314*	80,71,180 0 0*	11,45,43,813 0†	1,88,13,906 0 0†	5,60,827 0 0‡	2,74,45,913 0 0	2,487,703§	3,274,165§	5,761,868
Total for 20 weeks ...	8,972,605	84,95,157 0 0	12,08,11,729 0	2,00,28,574 0 0	5,93,389 0 0	2,91,17,120 0 0	2,619,224	3,465,571	6,084,795
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	453,062	4,47,806 11 2	69,05,228 0	10,94,589 8 10	35,301 2 6	15,77,697 6 6	132,077	181,329	313,406
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...		213 5 3		533 10 8	17 3 5	769 3 ,,			
Total for corresponding 20½ weeks of previous year	8,569,711	85,93,582 9 2	11,89,97,669 0	1,86,00,563 3 5	6,05,778 0 9	2,77,99,923 13 4	2,543,095	3,334,293	5,877,388

(a) The increase is chiefly in coal and food-grains.

* Added No. of passengers 19,147 and deducted Rs. 32,463 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended
† Do. Mds. 11,70,183 and ,, 71,508 } 22nd and 29th September 1906.
‡ Do. ,, 10,100 }

§ Audited figures up to 29th September 1906.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.

	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	
*2,078·13	Week ended 7th July ...	567,167	4,48,491	69,10,072	9,69,219	25,096	14,42,796	694	304,958	
*2,078·13	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	460,804	4,04,849	63,54,825	9,32,554	29,603	13,67,006	658	301,065	
*2,078·13	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	467,480	4,35,442	57,13,738	9,89,873	27,975	14,13,295	680	298,384	
*2,078·13	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	420,063	4,03,955	45,30,696	8,06,560	28,678	12,39,202	596	274,042	
*2,078·13	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	487,011	4,43,613	59,95,837	9,09,114	28,810	13,81,542	665	303,100	
*2,078·13	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	442,083	3,93,293	53,23,554	8,83,133	27,970	13,09,902	630	287,511	
*2,087·62	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	410,076	3,75,272	54,48,275	9,14,251	28,706	13,18,229	631	285,186	
*2,094·73	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	411,543	3,49,077	57,05,617	9,18,847	27,820	12,95,744	619	286,268	
*2,094·73	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	497,315	4,45,677	62,03,480	10,92,339	30,913	15,68,932	749	312,885	
*2,094·73	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	454,812	4,40,552	58,85,630	10,50,668	30,718	15,11,938	722	333,416	
*2,094·73	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	424,405	4,05,248	60,49,122	10,50,879	35,248	14,91,375	712	304,359	
*2,094·73	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	472,490	4,69,642	71,17,830	10,40,203	28,662	15,47,507	739	299,321	
*2,094·73	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	462,690	4,18,987	57,77,855	9,95,671	37,436	13,62,294	650	312,083	
2,094·73	,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	416,385	4,04,953	55,71,945	9,08,061	28,099	13,40,213	640	292,121	
2,094·73	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	422,656	4,10,954	66,14,432	11,24,445	28,257	15,63,556	746	315,547	
2,094·73	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	396,018	4,23,341	61,01,561	10,32,850	27,998	14,83,189	708	311,854	
2,094·73	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	429,237	4,15,935	59,13,004	10,38,346	28,538	15,12,878	722	321,908	
2,094·73	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	485,751	4,67,147	64,02,600	11,04,378	29,308	15,19,834	774	313,454	
2,094·73	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	443,268	4,60,757	63,15,680	11,79,502	30,723	16,76,982	801	323,827	
2,094·73	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	421,291	4,23,977	62,67,916	12,14,068	32,562	16,71,207	798	322,927	
	Totals up to date ...	8,972,605	84,95,157	12,08,11,729	2,00,28,574	5,93,389	2,91,17,120	697	6,084,795	4 12 7

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	1905.
1·33	First 8 days of July	569,904	5,07,503	78,45,702	10,75,471	31,669	16,14,733	791	342,064	
1·33	Week ended 15th July	530,099	4,59,596	55,13,313	8,18,437	29,993	13,08,026	641	291,785	
1·33	,, ,, 22nd ,,	453,067	4,41,862	54,05,115	8,81,667	28,775	13,52,304	662	285,188	
1·33	,, ,, 29th ,,	423,450	4,40,780	60,89,606	8,88,003	27,926	13,56,708	665	240,065	
1·33	,, ,, 5th Aug.	425,573	4,14,472	61,12,732	8,20,683	28,324	12,63,547	619	276,331	
5·03	,, ,, 12th ,,	418,045	3,83,088	54,93,290	8,43,045	25,963	12,53,596	614	274,961	
3·96	,, ,, 19th ,,	422,019	3,76,084	49,30,068	7,43,810	26,101	11,46,495	561	269,757	
0 28	,, ,, 26th ,,	373,357	3,72,641	64,79,724	8,63,016	26,808	12,62,465	616	271,298	
1·07	,, ,, 2nd Sept.	382,791	3,59,779	68,75,259	9,24,026	32,849	13,91,654	679	289,906	
1·07	,, ,, 9th ,,	395,255	3,91,755	62,93,480	9,14,014	30,213	13,35,982	651	295,120	
1·07	,, ,, 16th ,,	443,159	4,35,554	57,01,310	8,92,604	30,737	13,58,895	663	301,793	
1·07	,, ,, 23rd ,,	403,136	4,00,666	51,58,016	8,77,050	31,121	13,17,837	644	292,798	
1·07	,, ,, 30th ,,	409,400	4,40,809	54,22,807	9,27,713	29,639	13,98,160	682	283,380	
1·07	,, ,, 7th Oct.	419,829	4,51,703	52,28,286	8,69,650	32,551	13,43,973	655	287,109	
1·07	,, ,, 14th ,,	403,914	4,33,585	50,43,453	8,20,851	28,348	12,92,774	630	275,483	
1·07	,, ,, 21st ,,	385,224	4,37,172	64,05,673	10,08,077	32,428	15,37,677	750	301,895	
1·07	,, ,, 28th ,,	365,710	4,18,983	62,65,838	10,90,690	30,281	15,39,954	751	312,123	
1·07	,, ,, 4th Nov.	414,971	4,77,013	64,48,697	10,21,536	33,594	15,33,043	747	314,447	
1·07	,, ,, 11th ,,	463,756	491,090	59,88,752	10,91,573	31,688	16,14,351	787	317,439	
1·07	,, ,, 18th ,,	453,062	4,47,807	69,05,228	10,94,590	35,301	15,77,698	769	313,406	
	Totals up to date	8,569,711	85,93,582	11,89,97,669	1,86,00,564	6,05,778	2,77,99,924	674	5,877,388	4 11 8

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 17th November 1906 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	26,861	6,037 0 0	23,129 0	1,151 0 0	6 0 0	7,194 0 0	968	225	1,193
Or per mile of railway	...	271 9 1	...	51 12 5	0 4 4	323 9 10	...	..	
For previous 19 weeks of half-year	421,828*	98,156 0 0†	2,89,546 0†	12,038 0 0†	161 0 0‡	1,10,355 0 0	18,397§	4,283§	22,680
Total for 20 weeks ...	448,689	1,04,193 0 0	3,12,677 0	13,189 0 0	167 0 0	1,17,549 0 0	19,360	4,508	23,868
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	25,829	5,753 5 11	39,167 10	995 4 0	6 15 0	6,755 8 11	961	225	1,186
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...		258 13 0		44 12 4	0 5 0	303 14 4			
Total for corresponding 20½ weeks of previous year	434,121	99,555 5 10	3,39,601 20	11,996 3 0	156 1 6	1,11,707 10 4	19,363	4,491	23,854

* Added No. of passengers 107 and deducted Rs. 524 and Mds. 349 Rs. 81 Deducted " 2 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 22nd and 29th September 1906.

§ Audited figures up to 29th September 1906.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	Week ended 7th July ...	41,964	10,696	14,880	553	15	11,264	507	1,252	8 15 11
*22·23	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	24,540	5,737	10,816	416	13	6,166	277	1,190	5 2 11
*22·23	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	21,707	5,008	11,170	374	6	5,388	242	1,256	4 4 8
*22·23	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	17,649	4,140	5,948	242	9	4,391	198	1,126	3 14 5
*22·23	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	21,759	5,056	10,176	330	13	5,399	270	1,208	4 15 5
*22·23	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	20,034	4,601	7,934	330	12	4,943	222	1,100	4 7 11
*22·23	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	17,511	3,636	5,030	224	7	3,867	174	1,228	3 2 5
*22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	16,747	3,596	9,465	404	9	4,009	180	1,188	3 6 0
*22·23	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	16,049	3,471	6,250	270	7	3,748	169	1,190	3 2 5
*22·23	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	18,391	4,402	10,948	405	2	4,809	216	1,124	4 4 6
*22·23	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	19,735	4,074	11,703	511	7	4,592	207	1,203	3 13 2
*22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	20,847	4,537	22,509	902	8	5,507	248	1,256	4 6 2
*22·23	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	22,887	5,014	16,026	730	8	5,742	258	1,232	4 10 7
22·23	,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	22,020	5,721	25,315	987	9	6,717	302	1,188	5 10 5
22·23	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	23,763	5,261	30,491	1,312	9	6,582	296	1,188	5 8 8
22·23	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	23,345	4,945	27,208	1,188	8	6,141	276	1,188	5 2 8
22·23	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	24,894	5,542	28,010	1,230	8	6,780	305	1,188	5 11 4
22·23	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	24,426	5,981	13,273	551	6	6,538	294	1,198	5 8 1
22·23	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	25,626	6,078	22,012	1,089	5	7,172	323	1,198	6 0 7
22·23	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	26,861	6,037	23,129	1,151	6	7,194	324	1,198	6 0 11
	Totals up to date ...	448,689	1,04,193	3,12,677	13,189	167	1,17,549	264	23,868	4 14 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1906.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 8 days of July ...	26,207	5,782	11,209	394	19	6,195	279	1,398	4 12 4
22·23	Week ended 15th July ...	33,950	7,842	9,826	283	9	8,134	366	1,332	6 7 11
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	26,398	6,519	5,291	212	4	6,735	303	1,099	6 10 6
22·23	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	15,036	3,670	4,322	171	14	3,864	174	1,[illegible]	3 13 6
22·23	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	15,506	3,494	13,446	276	9	3,779	170	1,196	3 3 7
22·23	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	21,980	5,499	4,043	227	6	5,732	258	1,032	5 8 10
22·23	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	19,279	4,339	42,165	627	6	4,972	219	834	5 13 6
22·23	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	16,249	3,484	7,738	411	8	3,903	176	1,780	2 3 1
22·23	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	16,899	3,745	7,701	311	4	4,060	183	1,186	3 6 9
22·23	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	19,339	4,394	10,749	462	8	4,864	219	1,186	4 1 7
22·23	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	20,207	4,948	10,087	437	9	4,694	211	1,186	3 15 4
22·23	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	18,033	3,906	17,287	694	6	4,606	207	1,136	3 15 2
22·23	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	16,097	3,942	13,811	633	6	4,581	206	1,142	4 0 2
22·23	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	24,027	5,877	14,796	655	8	6,540	294	1,056	6 3 1
22·23	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	23,070	5,256	19,491	857	6	6,119	275	1,296	4 11 7
22·23	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	30,600	4,631	24,573	1,069	4	5,704	257	1,210	4 11 1
22·23	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	20,448	4,540	22,081	873	10	5,423	244	1,186	4 9 2
22·23	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	24,244	6,272	24,282	1,108	9	7,389	332	1,212	6 1 6
22·23	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	27,065	6,453	23,836	1,301	4	7,758	349	1,056	7 5 7
22·23	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	25,829	5,754	39,167	995	7	6,756	304	1,186	5 11 2
	Totals up to date ...	434,121	99,556	3,32,601	11,996	156	1,11,708	249	23,854	4 10 11

' Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 17th November 1906 on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	24,304	22,958 0 0	1,64,682 0	16,019 0	74 0 0	39,051 0 0	9,292	4,146	13,438
Average per mile of railway	...	141 6 5	...	98 13 7	0 7 4	240 11 4	...	...	...
Total for previous 19 weeks of half-year.	498,028*	3,95,385 0 0*	29,84,500 0†	2,84,820 0 0†	1,201 0 0‡	6,81,406 0 0	173,082§	73,615§	246,697
Total for 20 weeks	522,332	4,18,343 0 0	31,49,182 0	3,00,869 0 0	1,275 0 0	7,20,487 0 0	182,374	77,761	260,135
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	25,683	22,215 10 5	1,96,013 20	18,834 12 0	51 8 6	41,101 14 11	9,474	3,618	13,092
Average per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year		136 13 3		116 0 1	0 5 1	253 3 5	...	...	..
Total for corresponding 20 weeks of previous year	539,446	4,45,492 3 2	35,96,960 20	3,43,777 15 0	1,220 7 3	7,90,499 0 5	165,777	81,223	246,999

* Deducted No. of passengers 396 and added Rs. 4,085 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 22nd
† Added Mds. 95,807 ,, ,, 7,181 } and 29th September 1906.
‡ Do. ,, ,, 45
§ Audited figures up to 29th September 1906.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*162·36	Week ended 7th July ...	31,157	21,271	1,34,000	19,005	58	34,336	211	13,124	2 9 10
*162·36	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	28,355	20,055	98,220	15,213	54	35,322	223	14,036	2 9 3
*162·36	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	27,950	20,413	1,49,343	16,782	71	37,266	230	13,717	2 11 6
*162·36	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	26,476	18,731	1,71,547	16,351	57	35,139	213	12,986	2 10 7
*162·36	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	28,312	19,151	1,04,463	12,892	39	31,992	197	12,667	2 8 5
*162·36	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	27,274	17,835	81,520	9,347	58	27,240	168	11,983	2 4 6
*162·36	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	26,507	17,244	1,84,767	15,071	59	32,374	199	13,372	2 6 9
*162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	28,542	19,339	1,76,784	15,791	64	35,194	217	13,024	2 11 3
*162·36	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	29,027	20,453	2,28,587	12,858	63	33,374	206	11,785	2 13 4
*162·36	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	23,797	16,795	1,63,597	16,207	78	34,970	215	12,168	2 14 0
*162·36	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	19,476	17,090	3,11,371	16,798	105	33,993	209	12,010	2 10 2
*162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	25,425	20,204	1,06,108	16,586	90	36,880	227	12,968	2 13 6
*162·36	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	26,406	21,187	1,38,017	16,204	59	37,350	230	13,032	2 13 10
162·36	,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	25,699	21,099	1,34,312	16 111	52	37,563	231	13,038	2 14 1
162·36	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	25,204	22,110	1,37,640	15,155	49	37,313	230	12,721	2 14 11
162·36	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	23,509	20,007	1,24,313	14,637	53	40,097	251	12,807	3 2 10
162·36	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	23,886	24,078	1,40,005	16,915	59	41,052	253	13,402	3 1 1
162·36	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	23,730	25,255	1,32,433	13,333	64	38,652	238	13,693	2 13 2
162·36	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	25,146	25,057	1,77,483	15,231	69	40,360	249	13,235	3 0 7
162·36	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	24,304	22,958	1,64,682	16,049	74	39,081	241	13,438	2 14 6
	Totals up to date ...	522,332	4 18,343	31,49,182	3,00,869	1,275	7,20,487	223	2,60,135	2 12 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concld. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 8 days of July ...	32,258	24,092	2,64,455	20,023	63	44,178	272	14,024	3 1 7
162·36	Week ended 15th ,, ...	29,337	22,387	1,47,254	18,306	53	35,745	220	12,380	2 13 3
162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	27,096	19,733	1,50,854	17,037	62	36,832	227	10,970	3 5 9
162·36	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	27,252	19,942	2,63,735	24,858	48	44,848	276	11,076	4 0 9
162·36	,, ,, 5th Aug. ..	25,176	18,903	1,68,807	16,189	38	35,130	216	10,938	3 3 5
162·36	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	26,426	19,446	1,16,599	10,573	46	30,065	185	11,028	2 11 7
162·36	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	25,705	18,499	83,527	9,608	39	28,146	173	11,2 3	2 8 0
162·36	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	24,052	16,352	2,41,494	16,427	46	34,825	214	10,637	3 4 5
162·36	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	58,858	39,111	1,65,001	16,460	76	55,647	343	14,280	3 14 4
162·36	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	25,907	19,386	1,68,211	19,002	68	38,456	237	11,685	3 4 8
162·36	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	21,640	18,950	2,11,973	16,996	112	36,058	222	11,100	3 4 9
162·36	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	19,758	17,243	2,28,260	15,611	44	32,898	203	11,436	2 14 1
162·36	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	23,930	20,333	1,49,530	14,940	47	35,320	217	11,653	3 0 4
162·36	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	23,626	21,618	1,23,536	15,744	60	37,422	230	11,652	3 3 5
162·36	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	25,298	21,568	1,49,652	20,291	55	41,914	258	10,918	3 13 5
162·36	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	24,485	23,525	1,71,414	18,522	82	40,129	247	14,361	2 12 9
162·36	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	21,503	23,051	1,62,338	18,095	88	42,424	261	16,021	2 10 4
162·36	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	24,104	26,960	2,52,367	22,721	77	49,758	306	15,832	3 9 7
162·36	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	23,499	29,677	1,82,96)	19,951	74	49,702	306	14,783	3 5 10
162·36	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	25,983	23,216	1,96,013	18,835	51	41,102	253	13,092	3 2 3
	Totals up to date ...	539,446	4.45.492	35,96,960	3,43,778	1,220	7,90,490	242	2,46,999	3 3 3

* Audited figures.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 10th November 1906 on 769 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	57,639	83,753 0 0	4,07,814 0	68,398 0 0	5,790 0 0	97,941 0 0	13,413	18,031	31,444
Or per mile of railway ..	75·05	43·95	528·94	75·74	7·51	127·20	17·46	23·39	40·85
For previous 18 weeks of half-year	839,360	5,10,070 0 0	70,35,734 0	9,94,820 0 0	1,21,004 0 0	16,25,894 0 0	209,014	336,212	545,226
Total for 19 weeks* ...	896,999	5,43,823 0 0	74,43,548 0	10,63,218 0 0	1,26,794 0 0	17,23,835 0 0	222,427	354,243	576,670
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	50,326	33,058 0 0	3,16,768 0	46,791 0 0	4,884 0 0	84,733 0 0	10,449	19,973	30,422
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ..	6·828	44·85	429·06	63·23	6·60	114·68	14·18	26 99	41·17
Total to corresponding date of previous year	743,952	4,70,893 0 0	50,52,200 0	8,00,766 0 0	1,03,917 0 0	13,75,576 0 0	198,185	347,092	545,277

* Includes Noakhali Railway earnings : Rs. 30,318 and train-mileage 16,226.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 10th November 1906.			Receipts for week ending 11th November 1905.			Total receipts from 1st April 1906 to 10th November 1906.			Total receipts from 1st April 1905 to 11th November 1905.			Total increase in 1906.	Total decrease in 1906.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Tot	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs			Rs.		Rs.	
771	97,941	127·20	740	84,733	114·68	771	26,75,65			20,70,556		5,79,112	

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 10th November 1906 on 1,548 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,548 miles open ...	390,280	(a) 1,72,300	10,84,610	(b) 1,07,510	(c) 21,310	3,01,150	50,376	(d) 47,843	98,219
Or per mile of railway	252·12	111·30	700·65	108·23	13·77	233·30			
For previous 18 weeks of half-year (e)	5,076,044	19,50,643	1,87,59,502	17,05,301	3,39,658	30,95,602		644,581	1,537,726
Total for 19 weeks	5,466,324	21,22,943	1,48,44,172	18,72,841	3,60,968	43,56,752		692,424	1,635,939
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,467 miles open	364,187	1,72,865	7,19,328	97,348	17,146	2,87,359	50,894	(f) 33,336	83,230
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	248·25	177·8	490·34	66·36	11·69	195·88			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	4,790,242	16,96,239	1,37,37,993	15,68,280	2,13,060	37,77,579	887,760	628,760	1,516,526
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week		5·42		3·50	·22	9·68			
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year		3·40		3·01	·21	2·65			

(a) Increase in number with slight decrease in amount due to short lead mela traffic.
(b) Ditto chiefly under foreign inward, grain for Bengal.
(c) Ditto principally under steam-boat.
(d) Includes 788 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Ditto audited figures up to week ending 6th October 1906.
(f) Ditto 2,984 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 10th November 1906 on 1,271 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including steam-boat).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	501,460	2,10,370 0 0	16,84,370 0	3,38,820 0 0	21,220 0 0	5,60,410 0 0	62,253	63,544	125,797
Or per mile of railway	395	166 0 0	1,327 6	259 0 0	1 0 0	426 0 0*	.....	.....	.....
For previous 18 weeks of half-year†	6,549,432	27,96,773 0 0	3,65,03,110 0	61,56,996 0 0	4,90,791 0 0	94,44,560 0 0	1,096,600	1,021,065	2,117,665
Total for 19 weeks ...	7,050,942	30,07,143 0 0	3,81,95,480 0	64,85,816 0 0	5,12,011 0 0	1,00,04,970 0 0	1,158,853	1,084,609	2,243,462
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	467,616	2,19,886 0 0	15,12,122 0	2,95,669 0 0	19,175 0 0	5,34,730 0 0	61,239	45,513	106,752
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,235 miles)	379	178 0 0	1,224 0	239 0 0		419 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	6,372,396	27,07,849 0 0	3,09,70,271 0	55,83,593 0 0	5,24,857 0 0	88,76,295 0 0	1,074,703	909,807	1,984,510

* Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 19,490.
† Audited up to week ending 22nd September 1906.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 10th November 1906 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	47,660	14,470 0 0	75,370 0	6,550 0 0	50 0 0	21,070 0 0	3,707	3,093	6,800
Or per mile of railway	554	168 0 0	876 0	76 0 0	1 0 0	245 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 18 weeks of half-year*	6,29,636	1,94,671 0 0	11,29,157 0	1,01,328 0 0	4,077 0 0	3,00,076 0 0	79,044	32,509	1,11,553
Total for 19 weeks ...	6,77,296	2,09,141 0 0	12,04,527 0	1,07,878 0 0	4,127 0 0	3,21,146 0 0	82,751	35,602	1,18,353
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	41,391	11,994 0 0	99,786 0	7,891 0 0	261 0 0	20,146 0 0	3,090	1,998	5,088
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	481	130 0 0	1,160 0	92 0 0	3 0 0	234 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	5,99,750	1,77,948 0 0	12,13,867 0	92,125 0 0	3,793 0 0	2,73,866 0 0	60,518	35,314	95,832

* Audited up to week ending 22nd September 1906.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 10th November 1906 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	6,390	2,490 0 0	17,160 0	1,270 0 0	10 0 0	3,770 0 0	488	(a)1,336	1,724
Or per mile of railway	190	74 0 0	511 0	38 0 0		112 0 0			
For previous 18 weeks of half-year*	57,472	21,602 0 0	5,71,444 0	31,443 0 0	304 0 0	53,349 0 0	7,759	24,587	32,346
Total for 19 weeks	63,862	24,092 0 0	5,88,604 0	32,713 0		57,119 0 0	8,247	25,923	34,070
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	5,316	2,002 0 0	11,072 0	936 0 0		2,947 0 0		310	860
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	158	60 0 0	330 0	28 0 0		88 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	60,522	21,607 0 0	2,40,105 0	19,957 0 0	254 0 0	41,851 0 0	9,361	8,059	17,440

* Audited up to week ending 22nd September 1906.
(a) Includes ballast train miles 609.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 10th November 1906 on 50·69 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	12,350	3,740 0 0	60,660 0	2,960 0 0	80 0 0	6,780 0 0	1,712	888	2,600
Per mile of railway ...	244	74 0 0	1,197 0	58 0 0	2 0 0	134 0 0			.....
... previous 18 weeks of half-year*	184,721	52,321 0 0	7,85,599 0	48,209 0 0	807 0 0	1,01,337 0 0	24,727	14,128	38,855
Total for 19 weeks	197,071	56,061 0 0	8,46,259 0	51,169 0 0	887 0 0	1,08,117 0 0	26,439	15,016	41,455
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	10,475	3,050 0 0	58,810 0	2,764 0 0	51 0 0	5,874 0 0	1,164	872	2,036
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	204	59 0 0	1,165 0	54 0 0	1 0 0	114 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	168,810	47,467 0 0	7,88,872 0	38,699 0 0	649 0 0	86,885 0 0	21,871	10,457	32,328

* Audited up to week ending 22nd September 1906.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 17th November 1906	Coaching ...	9,017 0 0	
	Goods ...	9,469 0 0	18,559 0 0
	Other earnings ...	73 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1905 ...	Coaching ...	8,718 0 0	
	Goods ...	8,812 0 0	17,600 0 0
	Other earnings ...	70 0 0	
	Increase ...		959 0 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 17th November 1906			363 14 5
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905			345 1 7
	Increase ...		18 12 10
Receipts from 1st July to 17th November 1906			3,56,970 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905			3,70,012 0 0
	Decrease ...		13,042 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 4507A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 4513A.—The 30th November 1906.*—Maulvi Muhammad Yusuf Ali, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Manbhum district.

Manbhum.

No. 4489A.—The 3rd December 1906.—Mr. C. W. E. Pittar, District and Sessions Judge, on leave, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Murshidabad.

Murshidabad.

No. 4434A.—The 4th December 1906.—Mr. A. W. Watson, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Murshidabad.

Murshidabad. Ranchi.

No. 4443A.—The 4th December 1906.—Mr. A. W. Cook, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Hooghly district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Jessore,-Khulna, and Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, Hooghly.

Jessore-Khulna. Hooghly.

No. 4446A.—The 4th December 1906.—Babu Chandra Shekhar Kar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is appointed to have charge of the Arambagh subdivision of that district.

Hooghly.

No. 4448A.—The 4th December 1906.—Babu Jogendra Kumar Singh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Arambagh, Hooghly, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Patna district.

Hooghly. Patna.

No. 4465A.—The 4th December 1906.—Mr. Satyendra Chandra Mallik, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Monghyr district on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Bankura.

Bankura. Monghyr.

No. 4473A.—The 4th December 1906.—Mr. H. W. C. Carnduff, C.I.E., District and Sessions Judge, on furlough, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Patna.

Patna.

No. 4481A.—The 4th December 1906.—Mr. Alexander Keith Jameson, who has recently been appointed to be a member of the Indian Civil Service, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Burdwan Division, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district.

Midnapore.

No. 4483A.—The 4th December 1906.—Mr. Francis George Rowland, who has recently been appointed to be a member of the Indian Civil Service, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Chota Nagpur Division, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district.

Ranchi.

No. 4485A.—The 4th December 1906.—Mr. Henry Duncan Graves Law, who has recently been appointed to be a member of the Indian Civil Service, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Patna Division, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Patna district.

Patna.

No. 4487A.—The 4th December 1906.—Mr. Joseph Charles French, who has recently been appointed to be a member of the Indian Civil Service, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Patna Division, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Patna district.

Patna.

No. 4490A.—The 4th December 1906.—Mr. F. MacBlaine, District and Sessions Judge, Nadia, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Saran.

Nadia. Saran.

No. 4492A.—The 4th December 1906.—Mr. H. P. Duval, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Patna, is appointed to act, until further orders, as District and Sessions Judge, Nadia.

Patna. Nadia.

No. 4494A.—The 4th December 1906.—Mr. H. E. Ransom, District and Sessions Judge, Midnapore, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Darbhanga.

Midnapore. Darbhanga.

No. 4496A.—The 4th December 1906.—Mr. Jogendra Nath Ghosh, District and Sessions Judge, Patna, on leave, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Midnapore.

Patna. Midnapore.

No. 4498A.—The 4th December 1906.—Maulvi Zakir Husain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patna, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Saran district.

Patna. Saran.

EDUCATION.—*No. 4397A.—The 1st December 1906.*—Babu Hari Das Banarji, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, is appointed temporarily to be Head Master of the Hooghly Collegiate School, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Aziz-ul Hakk.

Presidency Divn. Hooghly.

No. 4399A.—The 1st December 1906.—Maulvi Muhammad Aziz-ul Hakk, Head Master, Hooghly Collegiate School, is appointed temporarily to be Head Master of the Anglo-Persian Department of the Calcutta Madrasah, *vice* Mr. H. A. Stark.

Hooghly.
Calcutta.

No. 4401A.—The 1st December 1906.—Mr. H. A. Stark, Officiating Head Master of the Anglo-Persian Department of the Calcutta Madrasah, is appointed temporarily to be Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division, *vice* Babu Shashi Bhushan Dutt.

Calcutta.
Chota Nagpur Divn.

No. 4403A.—The 1st December 1906.—Babu Khagendra Nath Mitra, Professor, Krishnagar College, is appointed to act temporarily as a Professor in the Presidency College, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. C. Russell, or until further orders.

Nadia.
Calcutta.

No. 4405A.—The 1st December 1906.—Babu Shashi Bhushan Dutt, Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division (on probation), is appointed temporarily to be Principal of the Krishnagar College, *vice* Babu Jyoti Bhushan Bhaduri.

Chota Nagpur Divn.
Nadia.

No 4407A.—The 1st December 1906.—Babu Jyoti Bhushan Bhaduri, Principal Krishnagar College, is appointed to be a Professor in the Patna College.

Nadia.
Patna.

No. 4409A.—The 1st December 1906.—Babu Phani Bhusan Basu, Personal Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal (on probation), on leave, is appointed temporarily to be Assistant Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, *vice* Babu Hari Das Banarji.

Calcutta.
Presidency Divn.

No. 4501A.—The 4th December 1906.—Mr. Harinath De, Temporary Professor Presidency College, is appointed temporarily to act as Principal of the Hooghly College, with effect from the forenoon of the 1st November 1906, *vice* Mr. E. Candler, resigned.

Calcutta.
Hooghly.

No 4503A.—The 4th December 1906.—Babu Prafulla Chandra Ghosh, M.A., is appointed to act as a Professor in the Presidency College, during the absence, on deputation of Mr. Harinath De, or until further orders, with effect from the forenoon of the 1st November 1906.

Calcutta.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 4382A.—The 1st December 1906.*—The Revd. John Stainer Wilkinson, a Minister of the Wesleyan Mission, is authorised, under section 6 of Act XV of 1872, to solemnize marriages between persons one of whom is a Christian or both of whom are Christians.

Calcutta.

The Revd. John Stainer Wilkinson is also appointed, under Act VI of 1886, to be a Registrar of Births and Deaths in Calcutta.

No. 4386A.—The 1st December 1906.—The Revd. Charles Das, an ordained Minister of the American Free Baptist Mission, is authorised, under section 9 of Act XV of 1872, to grant certificates of marriage between persons who are Native Christians.

Midnapore.

The Revd. Charles Das is also appointed, under Act VI of 1886, to be a Registrar of Births and Deaths in the district of Midnapore.

PROMOTION.

GENERAL.—*No. 4374A.—The 1st December 1906.*—The following acting promotions are sanctioned in the grades of Magistrates and Collectors:—

To act in the first grade.

Mr. C. E. A. W. Oldham, from the afternoon of the 11th October 1906, *vice* Mr. C. A. Radice, on privilege leave, up to the 4th November 1906.

" E. V. Levinge, with effect from the 31st October 1906, until further orders.

To act in the second grade.

Mr. H. L. Stephenson, from the afternoon of the 3rd September 1906, *vice* Mr. C. A. Bell, on deputation, up to the 21st September 1906, and again from the 4th October 1906, *vice* Mr. Birendra Chandra Sen, on privilege leave, up to the 8th November 1906.

„ D. Weston, from the 22nd September 1906, *vice* Mr. C. A. Bell, on deputation, up to the 9th November 1906.

LEAVE

GENERAL.—*No. 4316A.—The 30th November 1906.*—Babu Chandra Nath Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Manbhum, is allowed leave for two months, under articles 260 and 345 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Manbhum.

No. 4337A.—The 1st December 1906.—In modification of the orders, dated the 17th September 1906, Mr. C. A. Radice, Deputy Commissioner, Hazaribagh, is allowed combined leave for seven months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th October 1906, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (*b*) of the Regulations.

Hazaribagh.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 4431A.—The 3rd December 1906.*—Second-Lieutenant L. E. Smith, 1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence from the 22nd November 1906 to the 31st March 1907.

No. 4433A.—The 3rd December 1906.—Captain F. Gainsford, 2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles, has been granted, by the General Officer Commanding Presidency Brigade, leave of absence from the 25th June 1906 to the 31st March 1907.

POWERS.

No. 4478A.—The 4th December 1906.—Babu Ganga Charan Chatarji, Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Burdwan, now employed on the work of acquiring land needed for the Hooghly-Katwa Railway in the districts of Burdwan, Hooghly and Nadia, in addition to his own duties, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in the district of Nadia.

Burdwan. Hooghly. Nadia.

The following order is republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette*, dated the 1st December 1906 :—

No. 12202C.—The 28th November 1906.—Babu Durga Charan Sen, Judge, Court of Small Causes, Dacca and Munshiganj, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd December 1906, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4252A.—The 28th November 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause B of Regulation II of the Regulations made under section 1, sub-section (4), of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, for Bengal, as amended by notification No. 2781, dated the 29th November 1899, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to prescribe the Municipalities of Cuttack, Jajpur, Kendrapara, Balasore, Puri and Sambalpur in the Orissa Division, and of Hazaribagh, Chatra, Giridih, Ranchi, Daltonganj, Purulia and Chaibassa in the Chota Nagpur Division, as the groups of Municipalities on whose recommendation he will, after the 18th January next, make a nomination to one seat in the Bengal Legislative Council.

Orissa and Chota Nagpur Divns.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Singhbhum. *No. 3221For.—The 28th November 1906.*—Mr. Gokul Chandra Chatterjee, Officiating Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, was attached to the Singhbhum Forest Division from the 3rd to the 14th November 1906.

Murshidabad. *No. 3219L.R.—The 27th November 1906.*—Whereas an application has been made by the Nawab Bahadur of Murshidabad, the proprietor of eight-annas share of estate Fatehsingh, bearing tauzi No. 254, so far as it is ijmali with tauzi No. 253 of the Murshidabad Collectorate, for a survey and preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands situated in the undermentioned nine ijmali villages of that estate, and whereas the estimated cost of the operation is covered by the deposits already made by the Nawab Bahadur:

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included within the boundaries of the undermentioned villages in the district of Murshidabad appertaining to the said estate.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid and the customary terms according to which such rent is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed—whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*j*) the name of each proprietor (including rent-free owner) with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act;

(*k*) the custom of the village regulating the methods of irrigation, and the duties and rights of both landlords and tenants with respect to the use and maintenance of the means of irrigation.

District Murshidabad.

(1) Araji Chandpara, (2) Jetpur Chak in Rajarampore, pargana Kaufanagor, (3) Chak Kalayanpur *alias* Gope Mahal in Khorsa, (4) Chak Hamidpur and Gangedda in Bithi Gangedda, (5) Bhobanandapur, (6) Hazipur, (7) Chak Hazipur in Palia, (8) Chak Santoshpur in Saiyad Koolata, (9) Kashipur.

Hazaribagh. *No. 3224L A.—The 28th November 1906.*—Declaration No. 143R., dated the 7th June 1904, published at page 865, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th idem, regarding the acquisition of land for brick-fields at mile 73 of the Gaya-Katras Railway, in the village of Bara Seraiya, in the district of Hazaribagh, is hereby cancelled.

Midnapore. *No. 3225L.R.—The 29th November 1906.*—On a report submitted by the Board of Revenue under section 13 of the Bengal Embankment Act, II of 1882, the Lieutenant-Governor, under section 14 of the Act, was pleased to order, in Notification No. 3890T.R., dated the 5th October 1905, published at page 1769, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, that a sluice should be constructed and certain drainage channels excavated for the protection of the cultivable lands within the Argoal Circuit, in the district of Midnapore, at an estimated cost of Rs. 1,29,193. This

estimate having subsequently been considerably modified, fresh proceedings have been taken under sections 8 to 12, and a fresh report has been submitted under section 13, of the said Act. The following order is therefore issued in supersession of the notification of 5th October 1905, cited above under section 14 of the Bengal Embankment Act, II of 1882:—

Whereas it appears to the Collector of Midnapore that a sluice should be constructed and certain drainage channels excavated, under section 7 (4) of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1882 (Bengal Act II of 1882), for the protection of the cultivable lands within the Argoal Circuit, in the district of Midnapore, and the Collector, after holding an enquiry under section 10 of the said Act, has submitted a report in favour of the execution of the works; and whereas the Collector's report has received the support of the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and of the Board of Revenue, by whom it has been submitted for the consideration of the Lieutenant-Governor: now, therefore, the Lieutenant-Governor having considered the said report and the Board's recommendation, is pleased to order, under section 14 of the said Act, that the said sluice shall be constructed and the drainage channel shall be excavated, at an estimated cost of Rs. 1,53,535, in accordance with the plans prepared by the Executive Engineer, Balasore Division, and approved by the Chief Engineer, Irrigation Department.

Midnapore.

No. 3227L.R.—The 30th November 1906.—Babu Prafulla Chandra Ghose, Sub-Deputy Collector, now employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer, Midnapore, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd November 1906, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Hooghly.

No. 3230L.R.—The 29th November 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885), as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included in estate Bajoh Pattey, tauzi No. 684, in the district of, Hooghly.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat; and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared; or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid, and the customary terms according to which such rent is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed—whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*j*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act;

(*k*) the custom of the village regarding the methods of irrigation and the duties and rights of both landlords and tenants with respect to the use and maintenance of the means of irrigation.

Hooghly.

No. 3231L.R.—The 29th November 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885), as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included in estate Howrah Chur, tauzi Nos. $\frac{3993}{A}$, $\frac{3993}{C}$ and $\frac{3993}{D}$, in the district of Hooghly.

2. The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat; and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid and the customary terms according to which such rent is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed—whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*j*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act;

(*k*) the custom of the village regarding the methods of irrigation, and the duties and rights of both landlords and tenants with respect to the use and maintenance of the means of irrigation.

Hooghly.

No. 3232L.R.—The 20th November 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included in estate Narendrapur, tauzi No. 2884, in the district of Hooghly.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of the tenure;

(*c*) the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or, if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid, and the customary terms according to which such rent is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*j*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands, as defined in Chapter XI of the Act;

(*k*) the custom of the village regarding the methods of irrigation and the duties and rights of both landlords and tenants with respect to the use and maintenance of the means of irrigation.

No. 3255L.R.—The 3rd December 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (1), Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights be prepared in respect of all lands included in the undermentioned 52 villages in pargana Magura, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

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The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared, or if the rent payable is a produce rent, the fact that a produce rent is paid, and the customary terms according to which it is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed—whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free,—whether or not rent is actually paid and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*j*) the custom of the village regulating the methods of irrigation, and the duties and rights of both landlords and tenants with respect to the use and maintenance of the means of irrigation.

List of villages.

Serial No.	Name of village.	Name of thana.
1.	Alipore	Alipore.
2.	Angarberia	Bistupur.
3.	Asuti	Sadar.
4.	Akra	Do.
5.	Arachhi	Do.
6.	Uttar Kazirat	Bistupur.
7.	Kadamtola	Do.
8.	Gangrai	Do.
9.	Chak Banda	Do.
10.	Chak Dorgapota	Sonarpur.
11.	Chak Newin	Bistupur.
12.	Jagadishpur	Do.
13	Jote Belia	Do.
14.	Jainpur *alias* Senpukhuria patit Abadi	Do.
15.	Jharnul	Tollygunge.
16.	Tangtola	Bistupur.
17.	Dhakuria	Sadar.
18	Dum-Dum	Tollygunge.
19.	Dhamaitola	Sadar.
20.	Porakhola	Do.
21.	Pirkhali	Bistupur.
22.	Bagpata	Sadar.
23.	Baneswarpur	Do.
24.	Bansdronie	Do.
25.	Baniohberia	Do.
26.	Bisalakshi	Do.
27.	Balorampur	Do.
28.	Majirat	Budge-Budge
29.	Ram Makhaber Chak Patit Abadi ...	Bistupur.
30.	Radhanagore	Do.
31.	Ramjibanpur	Do.
32.	Raghunathpur with Patit Abadi ...	Do.
33.	Raghabpur	Do.
34.	Luskerpur	Sadar.

Serial No.	Name of village.	Name of thana.
35.	Sajnaberia	Tollygunge.
36.	Shermahmudpur	Do.
37.	Santoshpur with Patit Abadi lands ...	Do.
38.	Suraharpur	Do.
39.	Sursuna	Do.
40.	Sujirbad	Do.
41.	Hogulkasia	Bistupur.
42	Palpora	Chitpur.
43.	Kalikapur	Sadar.
44.	Kalagachia	Do.
45.	Karyapaten	Do.
46.	Barsia	Do.
47.	Bonagram	Do.
48.	Manipur	Do.
49.	Chuck Raghunathpore, Chuck Jagadul	Do.
50.	Sutukhar	Do.
51.	Seur	Do.
52.	Singerhat	Khidderpore.

No. 3256L.R.—The 3rd December 1906.—The services of Babu Radha Charan Das, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Balasore, are placed at the disposal of the Director of Land Records, Bengal, for employment on work connected with the maintenance of settlement records in Orissa.

Balasore.

So much of Notification No. 2308T.R., dated the 17th September 1906, as relates to the placing of the services of Babu Jyotish Chandra Maitra, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Khurda, at the disposal of the Director of Land Records for employment on work connected with the maintenance of settlement records in Orissa, is hereby cancelled.

No. 3257L.R.—The 3rd December 1906.—Babu Ananta Mohan Roy, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed on partition work in the district of Darbhanga, is allowed leave for seven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 12th July 1906.

Darbhanga.

No. 3258L.R.—The 1st December 1906.—Government Notification No. 2326, dated the 27th July 1903, published at page 984, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, ordering a survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of estate Sundrus, tauzi No. 4194, pargana Jahanabad, in the district of Hooghly, is hereby cancelled.

Hooghly.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3220L.A.—The 28th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Champaran for a public purpose, viz., for District Board Sub-Overseer's quarters at Bettiah, in the village of Bettiah, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 cottahs 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Champaran.

East—By the Municipal drain;
South—By the Bettiah Raj khas land;
West—By the mangoe garden of the Bettiah Raj;
North—By the land of the Bettiah Raj;

is required within the aforesaid village of Bettiah.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the Champaran District Board Office at Motihari.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3222L.A.—The 30th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Railway bank protection, Kankoorgachi Chord line, in the village of Beliaghatta, pargana Dihi-Panchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece

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of land measuring, more or less, 11 cottahs 2 chitaks 20 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the north by waste land of Babu Srinath Samanta, on the south by waste land of Babu Probodh Kumar Datta, on the east by garden land of Babu Probodh Kumar Datta, and on the west by Railway land, Eastern Bengal State Railway, is required within the aforesaid village of Beliaghatta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Construction Division, Eastern Bengal State Railway, Sealdah.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3223L.A.—The 28th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the office of the Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Patna, in the villages of Bankipur, Jaiber and Maharaj bag, pargana Azimabad, zilla Patna, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 7 bighas 6 cottahs 14 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Patna.

North—By the office of the Executive Engineer, Eastern Sone Division;
South—By the fields of Ramphal Gope, Dhurkheli Gope and Rosan Mian;
East—By the fields of Dhurkheli Gope and Rosan Mian; and
West—By a public road from Golah to Bankipur station—

is required within the aforesaid villages of Bankipur, Jaiber and Maharajbag.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Patna.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3228L.A.—The 30th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Lower Hughly and Clive Jute Mills Companies for a public purpose, viz., for constructing a siding for Lower Hughly Mill and Clive Mill, in the villages of Panchoor, Padirhaty, Dhobapara, Satghora and Nadial, pargana Magura, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 92 bighas 13 cottahs 10 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the village lands of Padirhaty, Panchoor, Dhobapara, Satghora Road to Lower Hughly Mill and boundary of Clive Mill, on the east and west by the village lands of Panchoor, Padirhaty, Dhobapara, Satghora and Nadial, and on the south by the Eastern Bengal State Railway (Southern Section Budge-Budge line) is required within the aforesaid villages of Panchoor, Padirhaty, Dhobapara, Satghora and Nadial.

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This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Calcutta Section, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3229L.A.—The 30th November 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Hardinadwa Distributary in the villages of Jura, Bansgaon, Majheria, Pertappur, Murli, Hardi and Nadwa, pargana Majhowa, zilla Champaran, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 128 bighas 7 cottahs and 7 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid villages of Jura, Bansgaon, Majheria, Pertappur, Murli, Hardi and Nadwa.

Champaran.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the Office of the Executive Engineer, Champaran Division, at Motihari.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3251L.A.—The 3rd December 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for up refuge siding at Sodepur Station in the villages of Sodepur and Rambhudarbatee, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, three plots of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 8 chitaks and 10 square feet of standard measurement, bounded as follows:—

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Plot No. 1.—On the north by railway land, on the east and south by public road and on the west by the village land of Sodepur;

Plot No. 2.—On the north and east by the public road, on the south by railway land and on the west by the village land of Sodepur;

Plot No. 3.—On the north by the village land of Rambhudarbatee, on the east by the railway land, on the south by the public road and on the west by the village land of Sodepur and Rambhudarbatee—

are required within the aforesaid villages of Sodepur and Rambhudarbatee.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Calcutta Section.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3254L.A.—The 3rd December 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Burdwan for a public purpose, viz., for Samudragarh-Nadanghat Road, in the villages of Samudragarh, Jakore, Bhodolpur and Rangamati, pargana Shat Shaika, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 69 bighas 1 cottah 6 chittaks and 16 square feet, or 22 acres 3 roods 13·22 poles is required within the aforesaid villages of Samudragarh, Jakore, Bhodolpur and Rangamati.

Burwdan.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig, or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3307L.A.—The 4th December 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the for a public purpose, viz., for works to be constructed for the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company, in the village of Mochikhola, pargana Mogura, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 acres and 20 poles, being equivalent to 6 bighas 12 cottahs and 5·5 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Garden Reach road, on the south by land belonging to the Calcutta Port Commissioners, on the east by land belonging to the Hooghly Mills, and on the west by land belonging to the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, is required within the aforesaid village of Mochikhola.

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This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be seen in the office of the Chief Engineer, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at Garden Reach.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2850.—The 1st December 1906.—The following notification of the Government of India is published for general information.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 486, dated Calcutta, the 16th November 1906.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Home Department.

THE following should be added as a note to rule XXII in Part IV of the Ecclesiastical rules published with the Home Department Notification No. 178, dated the 21st May 1897:—

Note.—This rule does not apply to cases in which pewage reduced by the amount of interest calculated at 4 per cent. on the Government grant towards the cost of construction is paid on account of seats used by troops.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 907S.R.—The 29th November 1906.—Babu Naba Kumar Chakrabatti, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Darjeeling, *vice* Babu Ganga Gobinda Gupta, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Darjeeling.

No. 925-O.—The 30th November 1906.—Mr. W. B. Talbot, Assistant Opium Agent, is appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Aliganj (Siwan), with effect from the forenoon of the 1st November 1906, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. W. L. L. Reed, to undergo a course of training at the Sibpur Civil Engineering College, or until further orders.

Aliganj (Siwan).

No. 926-O.—The 30th November 1906.—Mr W. B. Talbot, Assistant Opium Agent, in charge of the Aliganj Sub-Agency, is appointed to hold charge of the Chapra Sub-Agency, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. W. Ross, or until further orders.

Aliganj (Siwan). Chapra.

No. 930-O.—The 1st December 1906.—Mr. R. W. Pyne, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Patna, is granted combined leave for twenty-one months, viz., privilege leave for three months under article 260, and furlough for the remaining period under article 308 (*b*), of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 14th February 1907, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved of his duties.

Patna.

No. 942O.—The 3rd December 1906.—Mr. E. James, Assistant Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Opium Agency, is granted privilege leave for two months, with effect from the 2nd January 1907.

Benares Agency.

No. 945O.—The 3rd December 1906.—Mr. J. E. Vaughan, Assistant Opium Agent, in charge of the Bara Banki Division, on being relieved by Mr. A. B. Kennedy, is appointed temporarily to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Gonda Division, with effect from the afternoon of the 12th November 1906, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. O. O'Donnell, or until further orders.

Bara Banki and Gonda.

No. 455AMis.—The 4th December 1906.—Under section 25 of Act XXVI of 1881, entitled the "Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881," the Lieutenant-Governor hereby declares the following days to be public holidays during the year 1907:—

January 18th and 19th	Sri Panchami.
February 28th	Doljatra.
March 30th	Easter Saturday.
April 1st	„ Monday.
„ 13th	Chaitra Sankranti.
June 21st	Dasahara.
„ 26th or any other day which may be fixed by the Government of India for observance	King-Emperor's Birthday.
August 30th	Janmastami.
October 7th	Mahalaya.
„ 14th, 15th, 16th and 21st ...	Durga and Lakshmi Pujas.

November	5th and 6th	... Kali Puja.
,,	14th and 15th	... Jagadhatri Puja.
December	24th ...	... Christmas Eve.
,,	26th and 27th	... The first and second days following Christmas.
,,	31st ...	... The last day of the year.

(*a*) Sundays, New Year's day, Good Friday (29th March) and Christmas day are public holidays under the Act.

(*b*) The first day of the Durga Puja (13th October) and the first day of the Lakshmi Puja (20th October) fall on Sundays in the year 1907 and are public holidays under the Act. They are, therefore, not included in the list of public holidays separately declared for 1907.

No 4555Mis.—The 4th December 1906.—With reference to the above Notification, the Lieutenant-Governor hereby notifies that on the following days during 1907, which are not declared to be "public holidays," the offices under the Government of Bengal and all Revenue and Magisterial Courts in Bengal, with the exception of the offices of the Collector of Customs, Shipping Master, the Registrar of Assurances, Calcutta, the Collector of Stamp Revenue, Calcutta, and the Opium Department of the Board of Revenue, shall be closed:—

I.—Muhammadan Holidays.

Id-uz-zuha ...	... On the 25th January, but if the moon be not visible on the 15th January, then on the 26th January.
Muharram ...	... On the 23rd and 24th (Sunday) February, but if the moon be visible on the 13th February, then on the 22nd and 23rd February.
Fatiha-Dowazdaham	... On the 26th April, but if the moon be visible on the 13th April, then on the 25th April.
Id-ul-fitr ...	... On the 8th November, but if the moon be not visible on the 7th November, then on the 9th November.

II.—Hindu Holidays.

Durga and Lakshmi Pujas ...	October 11th, 12th, 17th, 18th, 19th and 22nd.

III.—Other Holidays.

The third, fourth, and fifth days following Christmas ...	28th, 29th (Sunday) and 30th December.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 409S.—The 3rd December 1906.—Babu Aghor Nath Ghosh, L.M.S., a passed student of the Medical College, Calcutta, is admitted into the service of Government as an Assistant Surgeon, with effect from the 1st November 1906.

Calcutta.

No. 426Medl.—The 3rd December 1906.—Captain D. Munro, I.M.S., is appointed, with effect from the 19th November 1906, to act as Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal and Orissa Circle, during the absence, on leave, of Captain W. W. Clemesha, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Calcutta.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 4508A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 4420A.—The 3rd December 1906.—Babu Aswini Kumar Das, Munsif, Gaya, now acting as an Additional Munsif in the district of the 24-Parganas, on deputation to Basirhat, is temporarily appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif in the district of Purnea, but for the present to be on deputation to the Sadar station.

Gaya.
24-Parganas.
Purnea.

No. 4450A.—The 4th December 1906.—The services of Babu Bipin Chandra Chatarji, Munsif of Arambagh, in the district of Hooghly, on leave, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

Hooghly.

No. 4455A.—The 4th December 1906.—Babu Kali Kumar Sarkar, Munsif of Arambagh, in the district of Hooghly, on leave, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Darbhanga, to be ordinarily stationed at Madhubani, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub section (1) of Act VII of 1889 within the local limits of the Madhubani Munsifi.

Hooghly.
Darbhanga.

No. 4458A.—The 4th December 1906.—Babu Jogesh Chandra Mukharji, Munsif of Madhubani, in the district of Darbhanga, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Arambagh, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889 within the local limits of the Arambagh Munsifi.

Darbhanga.
Hooghly.

No. 4461A.—The 4th December 1906.—Babu Hemendra Lal Singh, Munsif of Bangaon, in the district of Jessore, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Magura, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889 within the local limits of the Magura Munsifi.

Jessore.

No. 4463A.—The 4th December 1906.—Babu Radha Kanta Ghosh, Munsif of Magura, in the district of Jessore, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Bangaon, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889 within the local limits of the Bangaon Munsifi.

Jessore.

LEAVE.

No. 4506A.—The 29th November 1906.—Mr. Saiyid Nasim-ul-Hakk, Munsif of Bhagalpur, is allowed leave for two months and two days under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 20th November 1906, in supersession of the leave granted to him under the order of the 12th November 1906.

Bhagalpur.

POWERS.

No. 4304A.—The 29th November 1906.—Mr. W. S. Adie, Joint-Magistrate, 24-Parganas, is vested, under section 407 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, with power to hear appeals from convictions by Magistrates of the second and third classes.

24-Parganas.

No. 4333A.—The 1st December 1906.—Babu Manmatha Nath Sen, Deputy Magistrate, now employed as Special Excise Deputy Collector, Ranchi, is vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Ranchi.

No. 4439A.—The 4th December 1906.—Mr. F. W. Ward, Officiating Joint Magistrate, Midnapore, is vested, under section 407 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, with power to hear appeals from convictions by Magistrates of the second and third classes.

Midnapore.

No. 4441A.—The 4th December 1906.—Babu Jaga Prasad Pando, Munsif of Sitamarhi, in the district of Muzaffarpur, is vested with powers to exercise final jurisdiction in the trial of suits for the recovery of rent, under section 153 (5) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885.

Muzaffarpur.

Nos. 4481, 4483, 4485 and 4487A.—The 4th December 1906.—The Assistant Magistrates named below are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class:—

Mr. A. K. Jameson	...	... Midnapore.
„ F. G. Rowland	...	... Ranchi.
„ H. D. G. Law	...	... Patna.
„ J. C. French	...	... Do.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3451J.—The 30th November 1906.—Babu Hari Pada Banerjee is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench in the district of Khulna.
Khulna.

No. 3461J.—The 30th November 1906.—Maulvi Sayed Ibin Murtaza is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Roserha, in the district of Darbhanga.
Darbhanga.

No. 3464J.—The 30th November 1906.—Babu Matilal Ganguli is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Banka, in the district of Bhagalpur.
Bhagalpur.

No. 3495J.—The 1st December 1906.—Babu Sudhir Ranjan Roy Chaudhuri is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Municipal Bench at Taki, in the district of the 24-Parganas.
24-Parganas.

No. 3513J.—The 3rd December 1906.—The gentlemen named below are re-appointed to be non-official visitors of the Purulia Jail:—
Manbhum.
Babu Sarat Chandra Sen. | Babu Jyotirmoy Chatterji.
Babu Gopesh Chandra Adhikari.

RESIGNATION.

No. 3454J.—The 30th November 1906.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Maulvi Syed Abdus Salam of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate at Khulna.
Khulna.

No. 3459J.—The 30th November 1906.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Maulvi Muhammad Saeed of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Roserha Independent Bench, in the district of Darbhanga
Darbhanga.

POWERS.

No. 3440J.—The 30th November 1906.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Srish Chandra Chakravarty, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench in the district of Jessore, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.
Jessore.

No. 3452J.—The 30th November 1906.—Babu Hari Pada Banerjee, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench in the district of Khulna, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the 2nd class, and is authorized to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him by the District Magistrate. He is also empowered, under section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.
Khulna.

No. 3462J.—The 30th November 1906.—Maulvi Sayed Ibin Murtaza, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Roserha, in the district of Darbhanga, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the 3rd class.
Darbhanga.

No. 3465J.—The 30th November 1906.—Babu Matilal Ganguli, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Banka, in the district of Bhagalpur, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the 3rd class.
Bhagalpur.

No. 3493J.—The 1st December 19 6.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357 sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Maulvi Yusuf Husain, an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Jhauganj, in the district of Patna, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Patna.

No. 3496J.—The 1st December 1906.—Babu Sudhir Ranjan Roy Chaudhuri, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Municipal Bench at Taki, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the 3rd class. He is also empowered under section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

24-Parganas.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

POLICE.

No. 2280P.—The 30th November 1906.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint, under section 58 of Act VI (B.C.) of 1870, Babu Sharat Chandra Chatarji, Deputy Collector, Monghyr, to be a Commissioner for ascertaining and determining the chaukidari chakran lands within the Sadar subdivision of that district, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Yusuf Ali, on leave.

Monghyr.

No. 2282P.—The 30th November 1906.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint, under section 58 of Act VI (B.C.) of 1870, the Subdivisional Officer of Begusarai, *ex officio*, to be Commissioner for ascertaining and determining the chaukidari chakran lands within the Begusarai subdivision of the Monghyr district.

Monghyr.

No. 2284P.—The 30th November 1906.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint, under section 58 of Act VI (B.C.) of 1870, the Subdivisional Officer of Jamui, *ex officio*, to be Commissioner for ascertaining and determining the chaukidari chakran lands within the Jamui subdivision of the Monghyr district.

Monghyr.

No. 2393P.—The 3rd December 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Bhagbat Naik, who has been appointed to be President of the Panchayat of Union No. IV—Manikpatna of Bromogiri outpost, in the district of Puri, *vice* Babu Jagannath Routra, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Puri.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Bhagbat Naik for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

No. 2394P.—The 3rd December 1906.—The Notification No. 1284P.D., dated the 3rd July 1006, published at pages 1359 to 1361, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Jagannath Routra as President of the Panchayat of Union No. IV—Manikpatna of Bromogiri outpost, in the district of Puri, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Puri.

No. 2395P.—The 3rd December 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Loka Nath Bidyadhar Mahapatra, who has been appointed to be President of the Panchayat of Union No. V—Palank of Bromogiri outpost, in the district of Puri, *vice* Babu Bhagbat Naik, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Puri.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Loka Nath Bidyadhar Mahapatra for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

No. 2396P.—The 3rd December 1906.—The Notification No. 1284P.D., dated the 3rd July 1906, published at pages 1359 to 1361, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Bhagbat Naik as President of the Panchayat of Union No. V—Palank of Bromogiri outpost, in the district of Puri, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Puri.

No. 2397P.—The 3rd December 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Jagannath Misra, who has been appointed to be President of the Panchayat of Union No. V—Biswanathpur of Satyabadi outpost, in the district of Puri, *vice* Babu Dibyasinha Misra, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Puri.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Jagannath Misra for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

No. 2398P.—The 3rd December 1906.—The Notification No. 1284P.D., dated the 3rd July 1906, published at pages 1359 to 1361, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Dibyasinha Misra as President of the Panchayat of Union V—Biswanathpur of Satyabadi outpost, in the district of Puri, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Puri.

R. W. CARLYLE.
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 30th November 1906.

No. 229.—Mr. L. M. Priday, Assistant Engineer, third grade, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the office of the Superintending Engineer, Gandak Circle, to the Champaran Division.

The 3rd December 1906.

No. 232.—Mr. C. W. Sibold, Executive Engineer, is, on return from leave, attached to the office of the Chief Engineer, Bengal, until further orders.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Fifth Publication.]

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 6th November 1906.

No. 8.—Notification.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 99 and 78 of Act III (B. C.) of 1876, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal proposes to make the following additions and alterations in rule 5 of the Water-rate Rules for the Orissa Canals and in items 2 and 5 of the Schedule of rates to be charged for water supplied from the said canals.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Existing rule and rate.

Rule 5 (1st portion only).—The preliminary application for a lease for a term of years, either new or renewal, may be of an informal nature, but it must be in writing. It may be presented at any time; but, if presented after the 31st March in the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of one pice per *goont* of local measure, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, will be made for the year following that in which the lease has been applied for.

Existing rule and rate.

Proposed rule and rate.

Rule 5 (1st portion only).—The preliminary application for a lease for a term of years, either new or renewal, may be of an informal nature, but it must be in writing. It may be presented at any time; but, if presented after the 31st March in the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of 1 pice per *goont* of local measure, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, will be made *on all lands leased at Rs. 1-12 per mán, and an additional charge of 1 pie per goont of local measure, equivalent to 2 annas and 1 pie per mán, will be made on all lands leased at 8 annas per mán* for the year following that in which the lease has been applied for.

Proposed rule and rate.

Existing rule and rate.	Proposed rule and rate.
Item 2 of the Schedule (portion only).—Provided that in all cases in which the preliminary application for the lease has been presented on any date subsequent to the 31st of March of the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of 1 pice per *goont*, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, shall be made on all lands in the lease for the year subsequent to that from which the lease commences.	*Item 2 of the Schedule (portion only).*—Provided that in all cases in which the preliminary application for the lease has been presented on any date subsequent to the 31st of March of the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of one pice per *goont*, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, shall be made *on all lands leased at Rs. 1-12 per mán, and an additional charge of 1 pie per goont of local measure, equivalent to 2 annas and 1 pie per mán, will be made on all lands leased at 8 annas per mán*, for the year subsequent to that from which the lease commences.
Item 5 of the Schedule.—For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June—Re. 2-8 per mán.	*Item 5 of the Schedule.*—(*a*) For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June *on lands leased for a term of years at Rs. 1-8 per mán—Rs. 3-8 per mán.* (*b*) *For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June on lands leased for a term of years at Rs. 1-12 per mán—Rs. 3-4 per mán.*

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 3rd December 1906.

No. 129 Marine.—Mr. E. W. J. Bartlett, Branch Pilot, is granted privilege leave for two months and eight days from the 24th June 1905, under article 676 (*a*) and in continuation extraordinary leave for 20 days under article 232 and rule 1, article 332 of the Civil Service Regulations, in commutation of the furlough granted to him in Notification No. 93 Marine, dated 30th September 1905.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 4th December 1906.

No. 130 Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 7 of the Inland Steam-Vessels Act, 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. E. G. Venn, Engineer, R.I.M., to be an Engineer and Shipwright-Surveyor for the purposes of the Act at Calcutta, Kustia and Khulna, with effect from the 26th October 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 4th December 1906.

No. 131 Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 9 of the Indian Steam-ships Act, 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. E. G. Venn, Engineer, R. I. M., to be an Engineer and Shipwright-Surveyor for the purposes of the Act in the port of Calcutta, with effect from the 26th October 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 4th December 1906.

No. 132 Marine.—It is hereby notified, for general information, that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. E. G. Venn, Engineer, R. I. M., to be a Surveyor of Steam and Sailing ships, under the Indian Emigration Act, XXI of 1883, in the port of Calcutta, with effect from the 26th October 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 1st December 1906.

No. 230.—Babu Surjya Kanta Chatarji, Overseer, first grade, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the Akhoyapada-Jajpur to the Sambalpur Division.

No. 231.—Babu Rasik Lal Hui, Overseer, second grade, is transferred in the interests if the public service from the Akhoyapada-Jajpur to the Sambalpur Division.

W. A. INGLIS,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 4509A.

No. 4302A.—The 29th November 1906.—In modification of the order of the 7th September 1906, Babu Girindra Narayan Singh, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Jessore, under orders of transfer to the Kandi subdivision of the Murshidabad district, is allowed leave for three months under article 336 (1) of the Civil Service Regulations, and extraordinary leave for one month and nine days under articles 232 and 339 (2) of the Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 18th August 1906.

Jessore. Murshidabad.

No. 4318A.—The 30th November 1906.—Babu Chandra Shekhar Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Serampore, Hooghly, is transferred to the Giridih subdivision of the Hazaribagh district.

Hooghly. Hazaribagh.

No. 4426A.—The 3rd December 1906.—Babu Bhabani Prasad, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Patna Division.

Patna Division.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1563, dated Calcutta, the 3rd December 1906.—Subdivisional Officer Baidya Nath Misra made over charge of the Angul Jail to Assistant Surgeon Satish Chandra Mukharji on the forenoon of the 18th November 1906.

W. J. BUCHANAN,
Inspr.-Genl. of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 7303.—Calcutta, the 28th November 1906.—The following Civil Hospital Assistants are promoted to the grade noted against their names with effect from the date specified :—

Present grade.	Name.	Appointment.	Grade to which promoted	With effect from
1st	Debendra Nath Ghoshal	Serampore Dispensary ...	Senior ...	23rd April 1906.
,,	Hari Narayan Chakrabatti.	Nayabashan Dispensary, Midnapur.	Do. ...	8th May ,,
,,	Sharat Chandra Das ...	Police Hospital, Jessore ...	Do. ...	1st July ,,
,,	Narayan Misra ...	Court of Wards Dispensary, Anantpur, Cuttack.	Do. ...	14th ,, ,,
,,	Chakradhar Das ...	Police Hospital and Teacher of Materia Medica, Medical School, Cuttack.	Do. ...	1st October ,,
,,	Mathura Mohan Ghosh	Daltonganj Dispensary, Palamau.	Do. ...	15th ,, ,,
,,	Sriram Chandra Ghosh	Chandbally Dispensary, Balasore.	Do ...	28th November 1906.
,,	Muhammad Siddik ...	Police Hospital, Gaya ...	Do. ...	
2nd	Saiyid Muhammad Abdush Shakur.	Police Hospital, Bankipur ...	First ...	12th January ,,
,,	Mir Abdul Bari ...	Aurangabad subdivision and Dispensary, Gaya.	Do. ...	9th February ,,
,,	Baidya Nath Giri ...	Chaibassa Dispensary, Singhbhum.	Do. ...	8th November ,,

No. 7388, dated Calcutta, the 30th November 1906.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Sureswar Sarkar, House Physician, Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, is granted privilege leave for two months and seven days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations and extraordinary leave without allowances under article 389 of the same Regulations for two years nine months and twenty-three days, in continuation, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his duties.

No. 7429, dated Calcutta, the 30th November 1906.—Babu Radha Raman Ghosh, 3rd-grade Assistant Surgeon, is appointed to do supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, until further orders, with effect from the 26th November 1906.

A. M. CROFTS, COL., I.M.S.,
Offg. Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 3rd December 1906.

THE Reverend Basil Saunders Dyer, B.A., Chaplain of Saidpur, has been appointed by the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Calcutta a Surrogate for granting Episcopal Licenses of marriage within the Diocese of Calcutta.

H. G. PEARSON,
Registrar.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 27th November 1906.—Babu Srinibas Singh, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Angul (Class VI), is allowed leave of absence for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd December 1906, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Babu Ananta Misra, Education Clerk in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Angul, is appointed to act as a Sub-Inspector of Schools, Angul, and in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Srinibas Singh, or until further orders.

The 28th November 1906.—Miss L. Slane, an Assistant Mistress in the Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong, on probation (substantively *pro tempore* in Class VII), is allowed leave of absence from 15th to 30th November 1906, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations.

The 20th November 1906.—Babu Bipin Behari Chatterjia, B.A., an Assistant Master in the Hare School (Class VIII), is allowed leave of absence for two months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 10th October 1906.

Miss E. Phillips, an Assistant Mistress in the Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong (Class VI), is allowed leave of absence from the 17th to 30th November 1906, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Babu Harihar Charan, B A., Assistant Master (Science Teacher), Patna Collegiate School (substantively *pro tempore* in Class VIII), was absent on leave for six days, under article 272 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th November 1906.

Maulvi Abdul Latif, B A, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Jessore (Class IV), is allowed leave of absence for five months, viz, two months under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations and three months under article 337 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of one month's leave under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, granted to him under the orders of the 31st October 1906.

Babu Hari Charan Mukerjee, Sadar Sub-Inspector of Schools, Nadia (Class V), is appointed to act as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Jessore, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Latif, or until further orders.

The 4th December 1906.—Babu Surendra Mohan Guha, a clerk in the office of the Inspector of Schools, Patna Division, on a salary of Rs. 25 a month, acted as Head Clerk of the same office and in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Babu Giris Chandra Nandi from the 6th to the 23rd April 1906, both days inclusive.

Babu Raj Krishna Basu, an assistant in the office of the Director of Public Instruction (Class III), is allowed leave of absence for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1907, or the date on which the office re-opens after the Christmas holidays.

He is also permitted to prefix the Christmas holidays to his leave under article 220 of the Civil Service Regulations.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

Orders by the Hon'ble the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate of the Calcutta University.

1. The following dates have been fixed for holding the Medical and Engineering Examinations in 1907:—

M. B. Examination—18th March 1907 and following days.
L. M. S. Examination—15th April 1907 and following days.
F. E. Examination 15th April 1907 and following days.
B. E. Examination—8th July 1907 and following days.

2. With effect from March 1907, Bankura has been appointed a centre for holding the Entrance Examination of this University.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 29th November 1906.

C. LITTLE,
Registrar.

NOTIFICATION.

Annual Examination of Pleaders in Surveying.

1. The next Survey Examination for Pleaders will be held in February 1907.

2. Applications for admission to appear at the examination should in the first place be submitted to the District Judge in whose Court or in Courts subordinate to whom the Pleader ordinarily practises. The District Judge will require evidence from all applicants that they have undergone some training in practical surveying. He will not countersign the application of a candidate who fails to satisfy him on this point; nor will such a candidate be permitted to appear at the examination.

3. Candidates whose applications have been countersigned by the District Judge must submit their applications to the Director of Public Instruction, and these must be received on or before the 15th December 1906. After this date no more applications will be received.

4. The application should state the centre at which the candidate intends to appear, and all particulars as to the length of time the applicant has practised in the Court, and the full address, etc, necessary to secure that letters will reach the applicant.

5. Each application should be accompanied by the prescribed fee of Rs. 30,* which will in no case be refunded.

6. Only pleaders practising in one of the Courts of the Province of Bengal will be eligible for the examination.

7. The examination will be held at three centres, viz., Patna, Cuttack and Sibpur.

8. The subjects for examination are noted below:—

(1) Paper on General Elementary Surveying, including the theodolite and levelling.
(2) Practical examination in the field in—

(*a*) Chain, and chain and compass surveying.
(*b*) Plane-tabling.
(*c*) Plotting.
(*d*) Levelling.
(*e*) The use of the theodolite and the permanent and temporary adjustment of instruments.

9. Candidates are required to secure 40 per cent. of the marks in the paper on surveying and 50 per cent. in the practical portion of the examination.

10. The rules regarding the Pleaders' Survey Examination were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th September 1904.

11. The programme for the examination will be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

CALCUTTA,
The 14th November 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

* The fee must be deposited in the Bank or local Treasury, and the receipt for the same should accompany the application. On no account will cash or a money-order be received.

PRACTICAL SURVEYING EXAMINATION FOR PLEADERS.

FORM OF APPLICATION.*

To

THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, BENGAL.

SIR,

I REQUEST permission to appear at the Survey Examination for Pleaders to be held in February 1907, under Government Order No. 2047J.—D., dated 9th October 1901.

The Treasury receipt for Rs. 30 paid as fee is sent herewith.

I wish to be examined at the centre.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

Dated

Particulars to be filled up by the Candidate.

(1) Name.
(2) Father's name.
(3) Residence.
(4) Name of the district where the candidate is practising as a Pleader.
(5) Date of obtaining the B.L. Degree, or of passing the Pleadership examination.
(6) Where the candidate wishes to be examined.
(7) Caste or creed.

* The application is to be submitted through the District Judge in whose Court or in Court subordinate to whom the candidate ordinarily practises as a Pleader.

Programme of Practical Examination for Pleaders at the Sibpur, Patna and Cuttack Centres.

Day.	Date.	Hour.	Subject.	Full Marks.	Remarks.
Monday	18th Feb. 1907	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Question-papers .	100	In the Examination Hall.
			Chain and Compass Surveying.	100	
Tuesday	19th ,, ,, and subsequent days.	4-hour periods morning and afternoon.	Plane-table Surveying ...	100	In the Field.
			Levelling	100	
			The use of the theodolite and the adjustment of instruments.	100	
			Plotting	100	In the Examination Hall.

Each practical test should be suitable for a single uninterrupted period of four hours.

The order and times of the practical tests will depend on the number of candidates to be examined. They will be arranged for each centre by the officer conducting the examination as he thinks fit. They may be altered during the examination as occasion may arise. Candidates are therefore warned to find out on completing each test when their attendance will be next required.

Candidates must bring their own drawing instruments, scales, etc., each day with them. Paper, drawing-boards and field-books will be supplied.

Surveying instruments will be issued to candidates, who will be held responsible for any damage done to them. Tapes will not be supplied, but may be brought by the candidates, if they wish to use them.

CALCUTTA,
The 14th November 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College.—

I.—Engineer Department.

A four-year course leading to the Engineering Degrees of the Calcutta University. Admissions made yearly in June. Admission qualification, the First Arts examination of the Calcutta University or its equivalent.

II.—Apprentice Department.

The full course of study covers five years. There are special classes in Mining and in Electrical Engineering.

After 1½ years the Sub-Overseer examination is held.

After 3½ years the Final or Overseer examination is held with special modification for Mining students.

After a further 1½ years' practical training the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate is given.

Admissions are made yearly in June to 1st year and in March to 2nd and 3rd years. Admission qualifications—

To 1st-year class, Entrance examination of Calcutta University or equivalent, to the Middle School.

To 2nd-year class, the Final examination of B Course of zilla schools.

To 3rd-year class, the Sub-Overseer examination of affiliated Technical schools.

III.—Workshops.

Artisan classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine,
Blacksmiths';	Turners;	and Foundry.

IV.—Agricultural Department.

Admission made by nomination of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor Application to be sent to the Principal. A two-year course leading to the Agricultural Diploma of the College. Admission made yearly in November.

Admission qualifications—

As general student, B. A., B Course, of Calcutta University or equivalent.

As special student, satisfactory evidence that the candidate can benefit by the instruction.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

SIBPUR, *The 7th June 1906.*

B. HEATON, *Principal.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 7131B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Sale of Opium, the provision of 1904-05, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 3rd January 1907, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,400 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of	...	2,200
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of	...	2,200
Total	...	4,400

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 27th November 1906, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 21st January 1907, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 8th January 1907, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 21st January 1907.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.		Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 5th February	1907 ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 5th March	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd April	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday, 1st May	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 4th June	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd July	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 6th August	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday 4th September	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Thursday, 3rd October	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Friday, 1st November	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 3rd December	„ ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
Total	...	24,200	24,200	48,400

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
R. B. MISRA, *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 1st December 1906.*

No. 7054B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1907, will consist of about 26,400 chests prepared at the Patna Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chitaks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chitaks used for pasting the leaves of the shell, and about 26,400 chests prepared at the Ghazipur Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chitaks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chitaks used for pasting the leaves of the shell, being of the seasons 1904-1905 and 1905-1906 in the proportion marginally noted.

OPIUM.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory.

		Chests.
Supply from 1904-1905	...	20,868
Ditto 1905-1906	...	5,532
Total	...	26,400

Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

		Chests.
Supply from 1904-1905	...	15,895
Ditto 1905-1906	...	10,505
Total	...	26,400

2. The dates on or about which the sales will be held, and the total quantity of opium, as well as the respective quantities manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories which will be brought forward for sale every month, are specified below. The Board of Revenue reserve to themselves the right of altering the dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so. In accordance with the Notification of the Government of India, No. 3494A., dated 22nd June 1906, 2,200 chests of Patna and 2,200 chests of Benares opium will be sold monthly from January to December 1907:—

DATES.			Chests manufactured at the Patna Factory.	Chests manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.	Total chests.
			2	3	4
On or about Thursday, 3rd January	1907	...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 5th February	,,	...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 5th March	,,	...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd April	,,	..	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday, 1st May	,,	...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 4th June	,,	...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd July	,,	...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 6th August	,,	...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday, 4th September	,,	...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Thursday, 3rd October	,,	...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Friday, 1st November	,,	...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 3rd December	,,	...	2,200	2,200	4,400
	Total	...	26,400	26,400	52,800

The following are the conditions of sale:—

1. The opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

2. The opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 800 per chest, and sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for

which, provision is made by clause 13 of these conditions of sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

3. The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M., but if at that hour any of the lots advertised for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of the Board of Revenue, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday), at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or if the whole quantity advertised shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Board of Revenue may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

4. Each lot shall contain five chests.

5. A Promissory Note for a sum, calculated according to the scale, noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room and before the lot is registered in the sale-book, and all such Promissory Notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this office by Bank of Bengal receipts or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India, on or before 3-30 P.M., in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the said notes must be redeemed by 1-30 P.M., or, on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as the Board of Revenue shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

DEPOSIT.

When the amount bid is less than Rs. 1,200 per chest, Rs. 200 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,200 and upwards, but less than Rs. 1,600 per chest, Rs. 300 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 2,000 per chest, Rs. 400 per chest.
And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400.

6. The said Promissory Notes shall be absolutely payable in any event, and the amount thereof shall be absolutely forfeited upon such default as before mentioned, and the amount thereof shall not go or be credited in reduction of any loss on re-sale or expenses thereby incurred, but shall be recoverable whether such re-sale shall be had or not, or whether there shall be a loss on such re-sale or not.

7. The Promissory Notes taken on the day of sale under the fifth condition, if remaining unredeemed at 3-30 P.M. of the fifth day following the day of sale or 1-30 P.M., if the last day falls on a Saturday, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

8. No tender of money. Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities, on account of opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before the prescribed time in clause 5 on the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted. Provided always that money so subsequently tendered may be taken in payment of the said Promissory Note, but such acceptance of money shall in no way entitle the payer thereof to any right to delivery of the lot or lots in respect whereof the said note was given, or to any of the rights of a purchaser thereof, or release the payer from liability for any unpaid balance of such notes or from the additional liability for the loss and expenses of such re-sale as provided for in clauses No. 5 and No. 6.

9. The opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than by 3-30 P.M. of the fifteenth day from the day of sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the opium must be paid for by 1-30 P.M.; and, in case any lots of such opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth condition, or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as the Board of Revenue shall think fit; and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good all expenses and any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale, and the liability for the loss or difference of price and expenses shall be in addition to, and wholly independent of, the amount of the deposit so forfeited.

10. Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of opium, after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorizing the delivery of single lots or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests ordinarily required to be included in each certificate or order.

11. No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present conditions will be received in this office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale-book, or his authorized agent. The receipt for deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

12. The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is ... reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall on demand render at the time a deposit either in Government of India Notes, Bank of Bengal receipts, or Government securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a Promissory Note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these conditions.

13. With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually by Rs. 5 at a time until a bid is obtained; and the first *bonâ fide* bidder for a lot, after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described, shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 800 specified in the second of these conditions.

14. The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of the same Agency opium not exceeding altogether twenty-five lots, provided always that there remains a sufficient number of lots of the opium to complete the said twenty-five.

15. In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

16. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue:—

No. 1, Certificate of the opium advertised for sale;

No. 2, Report of the examination of such opium.

17. The public are hereby informed that in providing the investment of the opium manufactured at the Patna Factory and the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory for the year 1905-1906, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug, when packed at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken, for the purpose of comparison, from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

18. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the opium advertised for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Board of Revenue entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the opium for shipment.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA,
Offg. Secretary.

CALCUTTA,
The 27th November 1906.

NOTICE.

No. 6965B.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.,

Member in charge.

APPLICATIONS for tickets of admission to the Opium Sale Rooms for the year 1907 should be made at the Office of the Board of Revenue, L. P., on or after the 20th December 1906.

Tickets for the year 1906, which have not already been surrendered, should be returned at the same time.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

R. B. MISRA,
Offg. Secretary.

MIS. REVE. DEPT., OPIUM (SALE) BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 22nd November 1906.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the eighth general election of the Commissioners of the Deoghur Municipality, in the district of the Sonthal Parganas, under Act III (B.C.) of 1884, as amended by Act IV of 1894, held on Saturday, the 13th October 1906, the following gentlemen were elected as Commissioners of the said Municipality:—

WARD No. I.

Babu Babu Lal Jha.
„ Gobindo Prosad Khowary.
„ Bechan Datta Jha.
„ Sri Charan Gomasta.

WARD No. II.

Babu Upendra Mohan Roy.
„ Debendra Nath Chatterjee.
„ Bidhu Bhusan Sen.

WARD No. III.

Babu Saroda Prosad Chatterjee.
„ Haran Chandra Chatterjee.

WARD No. IV.

Babu Shakha Nath Bose.

D. J. MACPHERSON, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 19th November 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Patna City Municipal Dispensary, in the district of Patna:—

1. The City Magistrate of Patna, *President.*
2. Khan Bahadur Sarfaraz Hossain Khan, *Vice-President.*
3. The Civil Surgeon of Patna, ex-officio *Member.*
4. Maulvi Syed Yusuf Hossein.
5. „ Syed Shah Mohammad Kamal.
6. „ Syed Badrul Hassan.
7. Babu Nandoo Lal.
8. „ Ramji Ram.
9. Maulvi Khaje Sanaullah.
10. Babu Heera Lal, *Secretary.*

F. W. DUKE, *Addl. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 27th November 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Committee for the management of the North Dum-Dum Municipal Charitable Dispensary, in the district of the 24-Parganas:—

1. Civil Surgeon, 24-Parganas ... } *Ex officio.*
2. Subdivisional Officer, Barrackpore ... }
3. Babu Upendra Nath Banerjee, B.L.
4. „ Aswini Kumar Rai Chowdhury.
5. „ Megh Nath Banerjee.
6. „ Janaki Nath Chakrabarty.
7. „ Biswessar Banerjee, B.A.
8. „ Harish Chunder Ghose.
9. „ Surendra Nath Banerjee.

M. N. GHOSH, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 30th November 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Nandigram, in the district of Midnapore:—

(1) The Civil Surgeon of Midnapore ...
(2) The Subdivisional Officer of Tamluk ... } *Ex-officio.*
(3) The Sub-Registrar of Nandigram ...
(4) The Sub-Inspector of Schools ...
(5) Naib, Maisadal Estate.
(6) Maulvi Mir Khandar Ali.
(7) Munshi Pahar Khan.
(8) Babu Bir Narain Jana.
(9) „ Jagannath Panda.
(10) „ Chandi Charan Jana.
(11) „ Monmatha Nath Kar.
(12) „ Giris Chandra Das.
(13) „ Fakir Chandra Das.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Personal Asst.*, for *Offg. Commr.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 30th November 1906.*

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PART IA.

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The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

POLICE.

Calcutta, the 27th November 1906.

No. 1126.—Mr. A. B. Barnard, Deputy Director, Criminal Intelligence, is appointed to officiate as Director, durint he absence, on leave, of Sir H. A. Stuart, K.C.V.O., C.S I., I.C.S. or until further orders.

G. B. H. FELL,
for *Secy. to the Govt. of India.*

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, are republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

EXPLOSIVES.

RULES UNDER THE EXPLOSIVES ACT, 1884, FOR THE MANUFACTURE, POSSESSION AND SALE OF EXPLOSIVES.

Calcutta, the 29th November 1906.

No. 9045—8.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 5 and 7 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following rules to regulate the manufacture, possession and sale of explosives in British India.

All rules heretofore made by the Governor-General in Council or any Local Government under the said Act, for regulating the manufacture, possession or sale of explosives, are hereby cancelled, except rules of the kind referred to in clause (2) of rule 1 of the present rules.

Preliminary.

exemptions.* 1. These rules shall not apply to—

(1) the manufacture, possession or sale of gunpowder in any of the Agency tracts in the Ganjam, Vizagapatam and Godavari Districts of the Presidency of Madras, or

(2) the possession of any explosive in any port in which special rules made by the Local Government under the Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), for regulating the possession of explosives, are for the time being in force.

ation of ex- 2. (1) For the purposes of these rules, explosives shall be classified as follows, namely:—

Class 1	Gunpowder.
„ 2	Nitrate-mixture.
„ 3	Nitro-compound.
„ 4	Chlorate-mixture.
„ 5	Fulminate.
„ 6	Ammunition.
„ 7	Firework.

(2) When any explosive falls within more than one of the said classes, it shall be deemed to belong exclusively to the latest of such classes.

3. The expression "gunpowder," as used in these rules, means exclusively gunpowder ordinarily so-called.

4. The expression "nitrate mixture," as used in these rules, means any preparation, other than gunpowder, which is formed by the mechanical mixture of a nitrate with any form of carbon or with any carbonaceous substance not possessed of explosive properties, whether sulphur be or be not added to such preparation, and whether such preparation be or be not mechanically mixed with any other non-explosive substance.

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* Further exemptions are made by section 14 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884, which runs as follows:—

Saving for manufacture, possession, use, sale, transport or importation by Government.

"Nothing in this Act shall apply to the manufacture, possession, use, sale, transport or importation of any explosive—

(a) by order of the Government, or

(b) by any person employed under the Government in the execution of this Act, or as a keeper of a magazine, artizan, soldier, sailor, policeman or otherwise, or enrolled as a volunteer under the Indian Volunteers Act 1869, in the course of his employment or duty as such."

Nitrate-mixture includes among other explosives,—

Chilworth special powder,
Fortis explosive,
Ripp-Lene,
Safety blasting powder, and
Westfallite.

5. (*1*) The expression "nitro-compound," as used in these rules, means any chemical compound which is possessed of explosive properties or is capable of combining with metals to form an explosive compound, and is produced by the chemical action of nitric acid (whether mixed or not with sulphuric acid), or of a nitrate mixed with sulphuric acid upon any carbonaceous substance, whether such compound is mechanically mixed with other substances or not. Definition and sub-division of "nitro-compound" (class 3).

(*2*) Nitro-compound shall, for the purposes of these rules, be sub-divided as follows, namely:—

(*a*) Division 1, comprising—

(*i*) such explosives as—

Amberite No. 1,
Ballistite,
Blasting gelatine,
Carbonite,
Cordite,
Dynamite,
Gelatine dynamite,
Gelignite,
Lithofracteur,
Nitro-glycerine, and
Stonite, and

(*ii*) any chemical compound or mechanically mixed preparation which consists, either wholly or partly, of nitro-glycerine or some other liquid nitro-compound; and

(*b*) Division 2, comprising—

(*i*) such explosives as—

Amberite No. 2,
Ammonite,
Bellite,
Coopal's powder,
Cotton gunpowder,
E. C. powder,
Gun-cotton ordinarily so-called,
Nitrated gun-cotton,
Picrates,
Picric powder,
Roburite,
Sawdust and gun-cotton powder,
Schultz's powder, and
Tonite (or cotton powder), and

(*ii*) any nitro-compound, as hereinbefore defined, which is not comprised in Division 1.

6. (*1*) The expression "chlorate-mixture," as used in these rules, means any explosive containing a chlorate. Definition and sub-division of "chlorate-mixture" (class 4).

(*2*) Chlorate-mixture shall, for the purposes of these rules, be sub-divided as follows, namely:—

(*a*) Division 1, comprising—

(*i*) such explosives as—

Horsley's blasting powder, and
Brain's blasting powder, and

(*ii*) any chlorate preparation which consists partly of nitro-glycerine or of some other liquid nitro-compound; and

(*b*) Division 2, comprising—

(*i*) such explosives as—

Horsley's oirginal blasting powder,
Erhardt's powder,
Reveley's powder,
Hochstadter's blasting charges,
Reichen's blasting charges,
Teutonite, and
Chlorated gun-cotton, and

(*ii*) any chlorate-mixture, as hereinbefore defined, which is not comprised in Division 1.

efinition and sub-vision of "fulmi-ite" (class 5).

7. (*1*) The expression "fulminate," as used in these rules, means any chemical compound or mechanical mixture, whether included in any of the foregoing definitions or not, which, from its great susceptibility to detonation, is suitable for employment in percussion-caps or any other appliance for developing detonation, or which, from its extreme sensibility to explosion and from its great instability (that is to say, readiness to undergo decomposition from very slight exciting causes), is especially dangerous.

(*2*) Fulminate shall, for the purposes of these rules, be sub-divided as follows namely :—

(*a*) Division 1, comprising such compounds as the fulminates of silver and of mercury, and preparations of those substances, such as are used in percussion-caps, and any preparation consisting of a mixture of a chlorate with phosphorous, or certain descriptions of phosphorous compounds, with or without the addition of carbonaceous matter, and any preparation consisting of a mixture of a chlorate with sulphur, or with sulphuret, with or without carbonaceous matter ; and

(*b*) Division 2, comprising such substances as the chloride and the iodide of nitrogen, fulminating gold and silver, diazobenzol, and the nitrate of diazobenzol.

efinition of ammuni-on," "percussion-p," "detonator," safety fuze" and safety cartridge," d sub-division of ammunition" lass 6).

8. (*1*) The expression "ammunition," as used in these rules, means any explosive included in any of the foregoing definitions, when the same is enclosed in any case or contrivance, or is otherwise adapted or prepared, so as to form—

(*a*) a cartridge or charge for small-arms cannon or any other weapon, or for blasting, or

(*b*) a safety or other fuze for blasting or for shells, or

(*c*) a tube for firing explosives, or

(*d*) a percussion-cap, a detonator, a fog-signal, a shell, a torpedo, a war-rocket, or any other contrivance other than a firework.

(*2*) The expression "percussion-cap," as used in these rules, does not include a detonator.

(*3*) The expression "detonator," as used in these rules, means a capsule or case which is of such strength and construction, and contains fulminate in such quantity, that the explosion of one capsule or case would communicate the explosion to other like capsules or cases.

(*4*) The expression "safety fuze," as used in these rules, means a fuze for blasting which burns and does not explode, and which does not contain its own means of ignition, and which is of such strength and construction, and contains an explosive in such quantity, that the burning of such fuze would not communicate laterally with other like fuzes.

(*5*) The expression "safety cartridge", as used in these rules,—

(*i*) means a cartridge for small-arms, the case of which can be extracted from the small-arm after firing, and which is so closed as to prevent any explosion in one cartridge being communicated to other cartridges ; and

(*ii*) includes a rifle-calibre machine-gun cartridge, if it is as described in clause (*i*), whether it is for use with a machine-gun having chambers identical with those of rifles or with a machine-gun having special chambers ;

Provided that the diameter of the cartridge in either case (*i*) or case (*ii*) does not exceed one inch.

(*6*) Ammunition shall, for the purposes of these rules, be sub-divided as follows, namely :—

(*a*) Division 1, comprising exclusively—

Safety cartridges,

Safety fuzes for blasting,

Railway fog-signals, and

Percussion-caps ; and

(*b*) Division 2, comprising any ammunition, as hereinbefore defined, which does not contain its own means of ignition and is not included in Division 1, such as—

Cartridges for small-arms, other than safety cartridges,

Cartridges and charges for cannon, shells, mines, blasting or other like purposes,

Shells and torpedoes containing any explosive,

Fuzes for blasting, other than safety fuzes,

Fuzes for shells,

Tubesfor firing explosives, and

War-rockets,

which do not contain their own means of ignition, and

(*c*) Division 3, comprising any ammunition, as hereinbefore defined which contains its own means of ignition and is not included in Division 1, such as—

Detonators,

Cartridges for small-arms which are not safety cartridges,

Fuzes for blasting, which are not safety fuzes.

Fuzes for shells, and

Tubes for firing explosives,

containing their own means of ignition.

Explanation.—The expression "ammunition containing its own means of ignition" means ammunition having an arrangement, whether attached to or forming part of the ammunition, which is adapted to explode or fire the ammunition by friction or percussion.

Sub-division "firework" (c

9 Fireworks shall, for the purposes of these rules, be sub-divided as follows, namely :—

(*1*) Division 1, comprising firework compositions, that is to say,—

(*a*) any chemical compound or mechanically mixed preparation of an explosive or inflammable nature, which is used for the purpose of making manufactured fireworks, and is not included in any of the foregoing definitions,

(*b*) any star, and

(*c*) (except as declared in the proviso to this rule) any coloured fire composition ; and

(*2*) Division 2, comprising manufactured fireworks, that is to say, any explosive of class 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6 and any firework composition, when such explosive or composition is enclosed in any case or contrivance, or is otherwise manufactured so as to form a squib, cracker, toy cap or amorce, serpent, rocket (other than a war-rocket), maroon, lance, wheel, Chinese fire, Roman candle, or other article specially adapted for the production of pyrotechnic effects or pyrotechnic signals or sound signals :

Provided that a substantially constructed and hermetically closed metal case containing not more than one pound of coloured fire composition of such a nature as not to be liable to spontaneous ignition shall be deemed to be a "manufactured firework" and not "firework composition."

Licenses when required.

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10. (*1*) An explosive shall not be manufactured except under, and in accordance with he conditions of, a license granted under these rules for such manufacture.

(*2*) Provided that clause (*1*) of this rule shall not apply—

(*a*) to the making of a small quantity of an explosive for the purpose of chemical experiment and not for practical use or for sale ; or

(*b*) to the filling for private use, and not for sale, of any safety cartridges to the amount allowed by these rules to be possessed for private use; or

(*c*) in the case of any person who holds a license under these rules to possess an explosive, and who, duly observing the regulations prescribed in clause (1) of rule 30 in connection with his magazine or licensed premises, fills with the said explosive, for sale or otherwise, cartridges for small-arms; or

(*d*) in the case of any person who holds a license under these rules to possess an explosive, and who, duly observing the regulations prescribed in clause (2) of rule 30 in connection with his magazine or licensed premises, by filling cartridges, making charges, or drying, sifting, fitting or otherwise, adapts or prepares the said explosive for use exclusively in his mine or quarry or in some excavation or work carried on by him or under his control.

icense when re- ed for possession.

11. (*1*) An explosive shall not be possessed except under, and in accordance with the conditions of, a license granted under these rules for such possession.

(*2*) Provided that clause (*1*) of this rule shall not apply to the possession—

(*a*) of any explosive by a carrier or other person for the purpose of transport, when the same is being kept or transported in accordance with rules made under the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and for the time being in force for regulating the transport of such explosive; or

(*b*) of any explosive on board any ship in pursuance of the Merchant Shipping Acts for the time being in force, or of any order or regulation for the time being in force thereunder; or

(*c*) by any person who is lawfully entitled under the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), or the rules for the time being in force thereunder, to possess any explosive coming under the head of ammunition as defined in that Act, of such explosives in such quantities as may be prescribed by the said Act, or rules, or, when no quantities are so prescribed, in reasonable quantities for his own private use; or

(*d*) by any person, of manufactured fireworks in any quantity not exceeding two hundred pounds when the same are obtained and intended for immediate use and not for sale, and are possessed by such person for a period not exceeding fourteen days, and

(*i*) not being in Burma, when they are kept in a substantial receptacle which is exclusively appropriated to the keeping of explosives and is closed and secured so as to prevent unauthorised persons from having access to the explosives; and (if such fireworks be kept in a municipality in any quantity exceeding fifty pounds) when they are covered by a permit issued by a Magistrate of the first class or a Police-officer not below the rank of Assistant District Superintendent of Police, and

(*ii*) being in Burma, when they are covered by a permit issued free of cost by a Magistrate of the first class or by a Police-officer not below the rank of a District Superintendent of Police requiring them to be kept in a separate closed receptacle in a building or excavation at a safe distance from any dwelling-house, shop or public way, and when they are kept in accordance with the terms of such permit.

(*3*) Provided also that clause (*1*) of this rule shall not aply to the possession by any person, for his private use and not for sale, of

(*i*) gunpowder in any quantity not exceeding thirty pounds; or

(*ii*) safety cartridges made with gunpowder and containing in all not more than one hundred and fifty pounds of gunpowder; or

(*iii*) cartridges (non-safety) for small-arms, made with gunpowder and containing in all not more than five pounds of gunpowder; or

(*iv*) cartridges for cannon or blasting, made with gunpowder and not containing their own means of ignition, and containing in all not more than thirty pounds of gunpowder; or

(*v*) cartridges for small-arms, made with small-arm nitro-compound and containing in all not more than ten pounds of small-arm nitro-compound; or

(*vi*) small-arm nitro-compound in any quantity not exceeding ten pounds; or

(*vii*) percussion-caps or safety fuzes for blasting; or

(*viii*) railway fog-signals, when kept by a railway company for use on their Railway; or

(*ix*) any other explosives in any quantity not exceeding ten pounds (whether or not contained in cartridges), or, in the case of detonators, in any quantity not exceeding one hundred in number; provided that the possession of the explosives is covered by a permit issued by a Magistrate of the first class or a Police-officer not below the rank of Assistant District Superintendent of Police.

(*4*) The quantity of any kind of explosive kept by any person for his private use under clause (*3*) without a license shall be in substitution for the like quantity of any other kind of explosive (whether gunpowder or not) which might otherwise be so kept by him; and the quantity of such other kind of explosive shall be reduced accordingly: provided that, if the explosive so kept is in any other form than that of cartridges for small-arms, the explosive of which the quantity is so reduced shall be some explosive other than safety cartridges made with gunpowder.

(*5*) Notwithstanding anything contained in clause (*3*) or clause (*4*) of this rule, clause (*1*) shall apply to the possession for private use of explosives of the 5th (fulminate) class in any quantity.

Saving of notifications under section 6 of the Explosives Act, 1884.

12. Nothing in these rules shall be deemed to authorise the manufacture or possession of any explosive in contravention of any prohibition notified under section 6 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and for the time being in force.

License when required for sale.

13. (*1*) An explosive shall not be sold except under, and in accordance with the conditions of, a license granted under these rules for such sale.

(*2*) Provided that clause (*1*) of this rule shall not apply to the sale by any person of an explosive, which he is lawfully entitled to possess for his own private use, to any person who is lawfully entitled to possess the same.

Grant of licenses.

Grant of licenses for manufacture, possession and sale in certain cases.

14. (*1*) Licenses to manufacture, possess and sell or to possess and sell, or to possess, or to sell from stock kept in a magazine in respect of which a license has been granted under rule 17—

(*a*) an explosive of the 1st (gunpowder) class, or

(*b*) small-arm nitro-compound belonging to the 3rd class, or

(*c*) an explosive of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class, or

(*d*) an explosive of the 7th (firework) class,

may be granted in a Presidency-town or its suburbs or in Rangoon by the Commissioner of Police, and elsewhere by the District Magistrate.

(*2*) A license granted under this rule shall not entitle the licensee to possess at the same time more than—

(*i*) two hundred pounds of gunpowder or small-arm nitro-compound, together with any quantity of explosives contained in ammunition of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class, or

(*ii*) two hundred pounds of manufactured fireworks, or

(*iii*) sixty pounds of explosives (including gunpowder, small-arm nitro-compound and manufactured fireworks), together with any quantity of explosives contained in ammunition of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class, or

(*iv*) any such less quantity of any of the said explosives as the licensing officer may think fit to specify in the license:

Provided that a licensee in the Presidency of Madras, may, if he obtains a permit to this effect from a Magistrate of the 1st class or a Police-officer not below the rank of

Assistant District Superintendent of Police, possess subject to the conditions of his license, for a period of two days at the time of the Dipavali Festival, any quantity of manufactured fireworks not exceeding 1,000 lbs.

(3) Every such license shall specify the place in which alone the explosives referred to in it may be kept; and such place shall (except in the case of a license to sell from stock kept in a magazine in respect of which a license has been issued under rule 17) be approved by the licensing authority.

(4) Notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing clauses of this rule, any Mamlatdar or Mahalkari in the Presidency of Bombay who is specially authorised by the District Magistrate in this behalf may grant licenses entitling *bonâ fide* agriculturists residing within the limits of the taluka under the charge of such Mamlatdar or Mahalkari to possess at the same time not more than one hundred pounds of gunpowder and not more than ten safety fuses for use with the same.

(5) Every license granted under this rule shall be in Form A, Form B, Form C, Form D, or Form E, in the Schedule hereto annexed, as the case may be, and shall contain the conditions prescribed therein.

(6) The expression "small-arm nitro-compound", as used in this rule, means a nitro-compound adapted and intended exclusively for use in cartridges for small-arms.

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15. (1) Licenses to manufacture explosives in cases not provided for by rule 14 may be granted by the Governor General in Council.

(2) Every such license shall be in such form and shall contain such conditions as may be prescribed by the Governor General in Council:

Provided that the conditions so prescribed in the case of the manufacture of any explosive in any quantity shall comprise all the conditions prescribed in these rules and the Forms hereto annexed in the case of the possession of such explosive in such quantity.

ant of licenses for session in certain s not provided for ule 14.

16. (1) Licenses for the possession, at such places as may be approved by the licensing officer, of explosives other than those specified in rule 14 may, if the explosive is not one of the 5th (fulminate) class, and if the quantity to be possessed at the same time does not exceed sixty pounds, be granted in a Presidency-town or its suburbs or in Rangoon by the Commissioner of Police, and elsewhere by the District Magistrate.

(2) Every such license shall be in Form F in the Schedule hereto annexed and shall contain the conditions prescribed therein.

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17. (1) Licenses for the possession of explosives in, and the sale of explosives from, a magazine in cases not provided for by rules 14 and 16, may, if the explosive is not one of the 5th (fulminate) class, be granted by the Local Government, or by any officer authorised by the Local Government in this behalf.

(2) An applicant for such a license must submit to the District Magistrate, or, in a Presidency-town or any of its suburbs, or in Rangoon, to the Commissioner of Police, an application in Form G in the Schedule hereto annexed, and shall comply with the conditions embodied therein.

(3) Upon receipt of the said application, the District Magistrate or Commissioner of Police, as the case may be, shall forthwith cause notice to be published of the application and fix a day on which will be heard any persons who object to the establishment of a magazine on the proposed site and who have, not less than seven clear days before the day of hearing, sent to the said District Magistrate or Commissioner of Police, and to the applicant, notice of their intention to appear and object with their name, address and calling, and a short statement of the grounds of their objection.

(4) The day of hearing to be fixed under clause (3) shall be a day following soon after the expiration of a period of one month from the publication and service of the notices prescribed by this rule.

(5) Where the site of the proposed magazine lies within, or within one mile of the limits of the jurisdiction of any Municipal Authority or Port Authority, the applicant shall prepare, for service on such Authority, a notice of the application and of the said day of hearing.

(6) The notice by the District Magistrate or Commissioner of Police under clause (3) shall be published, and the notice under clause (5) shall be served, at the cost of the applicant, by the District Magistrate or Commissioner of Police, not less than one month before the said day of hearing.

(7) On consideration of the application, and on making such inquiry as he may deem neccessary, the District Magistrate or Commissioner of Police may dissent altogether from the establishment of the magazine on the proposed site, or may assent thereto, either absolutely, or on any conditions requiring additional restrictions or precautions.

(8) On the completion of the inquiry, the District Magistrate or Commissioner of Police shall forward the application and draft license with his recommendation to the Chief Inspector of Explosives, who shall forward to the applicant a statement in Form H in the Schedule hereto annexed, showing the distances which should, in his opinion, be kept clear round the

magazine. The table of distances which will ordinarily be followed is that annexed to these rules.

(9) The said Form H shall be returned, with the third column duly filled in, by the applicant to the Chief Inspector of Explosives, who shall submit it to the licensing authority constituted by clause (1) of this rule, with his recommendations, and with the draft license and a statement in Form I showing the distances which, after considering any representation made by the applicant when returning Form H to him, he considers should be kept clear round the magazine.

(10) The licensing authority may thereupon grant the license as applied for, or with such modifications or restrictions as may be deemed proper, or may reject the application.

(11) A copy of each license granted shall be forwarded to the Chief Inspector of Explosives, and the original license shall be forwarded to the District Magistrate or to the Commissioner of Police, as the case may be, if the license has not been granted by him.

(12) The District Magistrate or Commissioner of Police, when satisfied that the magazine is sufficiently completed according to the license to justify the use thereof, shall confirm the license; and unless and until so confirmed the license shall not come into force.

(13) If the District Magistrate or Commissioner of Police decides not to confirm any license, he shall forthwith inform the Chief Inspector of Explosives.

(14) Every license granted under this rule shall be in Form J in the Schedule hereto annexed, and shall contain the conditions prescribed therein.

Grant of licen for possession in floating magazine.

18. (1) With the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Local Government may, in cases of urgency and for any period not exceeding six months, grant a license for the possession of explosives under rule 17 in a floating magazine.

(2) Notwithstanding anything contained in clause (14) of rule 17, such licenses shall be in Form K in the Schedule hereto annexed, and shall contain the conditions and restrictions prescribed therein and such further conditions and restrictions (if any) as the Local Government may in any case direct.

Grant of licen for possession of minates.

19. Licenses for the possession of explosives of the 5th (fulminate) class may be granted by the Governor General in Council in such form, and subject to such conditions, as he may in each case prescribe.

Grant of licen for sale in cases n provided for by ru 14 and 17.

20. (1) Licenses for the sale of explosives in cases not provided for by rules 14 and 17 may be granted, in a Presidency-town or its suburbs or in Rangoon, by the Commissioner of Police, and elsewhere by the District Magistrate, to any person licensed to possess the same.

(2) Every such license shall be in Form L in the Schedule hereto annexed, and shall contain the conditions prescribed therein.

Duration of licenses.

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21. All licenses granted under any of these rules except rule 18 shall expire on the 31st day of December of the year for which they are granted.

Renewal of licenses.

Renewal of licen granted under ru 15.

22. The Local Government may from time to time, renew, on the same or on altered conditions, any license granted by the Governor General in Council under rule 15 for the manufacture of explosives:

Provided as follows:—

(1) no such renewal shall admit of the manufacture of any explosive other than that specified in the original license;

(2) every such renewal shall first be approved by an Inspector of Explosives; and

(3) every such renewal shall be for a period not exceeding one year.

Renewal of licens granted under ru 17.

23. (1) Any licensee who desires the renewal of a license granted under rule 17 must, before the expiration of the license, submit the license to the Chief Inspector of Explosives with a written application stating the quantity and description of explosives for the storage of which he desires the license to be renewed.

(2) On receipt of such application the Chief Inspector of Explosives shall, if there is any variation in the particulars of the license, send to the applicant a statement in Form H in the schedule hereto annexed, showing the distances which should, in his opinion, be kept clear round the magazine.

(3) The procedure prescribed in clauses (9) to (13) of rule 17 shall then be followed, so far as it is applicable.

Renewal of o'h licenses.

24. Any license granted under any of these rules other than rule 15 or rule 17 may, unless the circumstances have so changed that the grant of a new license either would not be authorised under the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and these rules, or is deemed objectionable by the licensing authority, be renewed on application made previous to its expiration.

Duplicate licenses.

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25. When a license granted under these rules is lost or accidentally destroyed, a duplicate may be granted to the licensee.

Temporary licenses.

sposal of stock grant of tempo- license on ex- ion or forfeiture cense.

26. (*1*) A person licensed to manufacture, possess or sell any explosives shall, on the expiration or forfeiture of his license, forthwith give notice to the District Magistrate or the Commissioner of Police, as the case may be, of the quantity of such explosives then in his possession, and shall comply with any directions which the said Magistrate or Commissioner may think fit to give in regard to the possession or transport of the same.

(*2*) On receiving a notice under clause (*1*) of this rule, the said Magistrate or Commissioner may grant, for a term not exceeding three months, a temporary license for the possession or sale of the actual stock of explosives which is held at the time of the issue of such license.

Fees for licenses.

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27. The following fees shall be charged for licenses granted under these rules, namely:—

A—Each license granted under rule 14—

(*1*) to manufacture, possess and sell the maximum quantity of explosives mentioned in the said rule, or any less quantity exceeding one-half .	Twenty rupees;
(*2*) to manufacture, possess and sell half the quantity of explosives mentioned in the said rule, or any less quantity exceeding one-fourth .	Ten rupees;
(*3*) to manufacture, possess and sell a fourth of the quantity of explosives mentioned in the said rule, or any less quantity	Five rupees;
(*4*) to possess and sell the maximum quantity of explosives mentioned in the said rule, or any less quantity exceeding one-half . . .	Ten rupees;
(*5*) to possess and sell half the quantity of explosives mentioned in the said rule, or any less quantity exceeding one-fourth	Five rupees;
(*6*) to possess and sell a fourth of the quantity of explosives mentioned in the said rule, or any less quantity	Two rupees and eight annas;
(*7*) to possess explosives	Eight annas;

Provided that only one-half of the fees prescribed above shall be charged in the case of licenses, in Form D, to manufacture, possess and sell or to possess and sell fireworks in villages or other rural areas.

B—Each license granted under—

rule 15 or rule 19	Such fee as the Governor-General in Council may in each case prescribe.
rule 16 or rule 20	Five rupees.
rule 17 or rule 18	Twenty rupees.
C—Each license on renewal	The same fee as that charged for the original license.
D—Each duplicate license granted under rule 25.	Eight annas.
E—Each temporary license granted under rule 26.	A fee bearing the same proportion to the fee charged for the annual license as the period covered by the temporary license bears to a full year.
F—Each new license granted under rule 37.	One rupee.

28. Notwithstanding anything contained in rule 27—

Exemptions from ayment of fees.

(*1*) the holder of a license duly granted in Form VI-B, or in Form VII-B, under rule 11 of the rules made under the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), may on production of such license before the District Magistrate or in a Presidency-town or its suburbs or in Rangoon, before the Commissioner of Police, be granted a license under rule 14 of these rules without payment of any fee, and

(*2*) no fee shall be charged for licenses granted to contractors, cultivators or other persons to possess gunpowder, fuses or other explosives in reasonable quantities when the same are proved to the satisfaction of the officer granting the license to be required *bond fide* for blasting purposes.

Stamps for pay- ent of fees.

29. (*1*) The fees chargeable under these rules shall ordinarily be levied by means of impressed stamps. An application for the grant or the renewal of a license shall bear the proper stamp: provided that if the application is refused, the value of the separate stamp (if any) which may have been already provided by the applicant for the desired license

or renewed license, *minus* the deductions prescribed by section 54 of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899), may be refunded to the applicant. An application should not be made on the stamped paper intended for the license or renewed license; but where this has been wrongly done, the value of the stamp may be refunded *minus*—

(*i*) the value of the stamp which should have been affixed to the application, and

(*ii*) the deductions prescribed as aforesaid.

(*2*) Where the fees leviable under these rules have been made over to any local body, the fees shall be paid in such manner as that local authority may from time to time direct.

Supplemental provisions.

Regulations to be observed by certain persons who are exempted from taking out a license for manufacture.

30. (*1*) When any person referred to in sub-clause (*c*) of clause (*2*) of rule 10 fills cartridges as indicated in that sub-clause he shall see to the observance of the following regulations, namely:—

(*a*) there shall not be in the room in which such filling is being carried on more than five pounds of gunpowder or small-arm nitro-compound or such quantity of any other explosive as is prescribed by the Local Government in this behalf, unless it is made up into safety cartridges;

(*b*) no work unconnected with the making of the cartridges shall be carried on in the said room while such filling is being carried on;

(*c*) there shall not be in the said room, while such filling is being carried on, any fire or any artificial light except a light of such construction, position and character as no to cause any danger of fire or explosion;

(*d*) if filling is done on magazine premises the said room shall be detached from the magazine, but sha be situated in the immediate neighbourhood thereof, and shall be situated at such distance therefrom as may be specified on the license by the authority granting the same; and

(*e*) the licensee shall give notice to the authority which granted his license that he intends to carry on such filling of cartridges as is allowed by this rule.

(*2*) When any person referred to in sub-clause (*d*) of clause (*2*) of rule 10 adapts or prepares explosives as indicated in that clause, he shall see to the observance of the following regulations, namely:—

(*i*) there shall not be in the workshop in which such adaptation or preparation is carried on more than one hundred pounds of gunpowder, or such quantity of any other explosive as is prescribed by the Local Government in this behalf;

(*ii*) no work unconnected with such adaptation or preparation shall be carried on in the said workshop while such adaptation or preparation is being carried on;

(*iii*) the said workshop shall be detached from the magazine or licensed premises, but shall be situated in the immediate neighbourhood thereof, and shall be situated at such distance therefrom as may be specified on the license by the authority granting the same;

(*iv*) an explosive of one description shall not be converted into an explosive of another description, and an explosive shall not be unmade or resolved into its ingredients; and

(*v*) the licensee shall give notice to the authority which granted his license that he intends to carry on such adaptation or preparation as is allowed by this rule.

Power to extend effect of license.

31. Any authority granting a license under these rules may, if such authority thinks fit, direct, by an order written on the license, that it shall have the effect of a like license granted by the like authority under the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878).

Powers of inspections, search, seizure, etc.

32. (*1*) Any of the officers mentioned in clause (*2*) of this rule may, within the areas respectively specified in that clause, but subject to the provisions of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), and of any ruels for the time being in force thereunder, in cases to which that Act applies—

(*a*) enter, inspect and examine any place, carriage or vessel in which an explosive is being manufactured, possessed or sold under a license granted under these rules or any prior rules made under the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), or in which he has reason to believe that an explosive has been or is being manufactured, possessed or sold in contravention of the said rules or Act;

(*b*) search for explosives therein;

(*c*) take samples of any explosives found therein, on payment of the value thereof; and

(*d*) seize, detain, remove and, if necessary, destroy or otherwise render harmless any explosive found therein in respect of which he has reason to believe that any of the provisions of the said rules or Act have been contravened.

(2) The officers and areas referred to in clause (1) of this rule are:—

Officers.	Areas.
The Chief Inspector and Inspector of Explosives.	In all parts of British India.
All District Magistrates.	Within their respective Districts.
All Magistrates subordinate to the District Magistrate.	Within the areas respectively subject to their jurisdiction.
The Commissioner of Police, and all Police-officers of rank not below that of Inspector, if specially deputed in this behalf by the Commissioner of Police.	In Presidency-towns and Rangoon.
All Police-officers of rank not below that of Inspector.	Within the respective areas over which their authority extends.

(3) Whenever the Chief Inspector or an Inspector of Explosives, or any Magistrate subordinate to the District Magistrate, or any Police-officer seizes, detains or removes any explosive under this rule, he shall report the fact to the District Magistrate or (in a Presidency-town or its suburbs or in Rangoon) the Commissioner of Police.

(4) Neither the Chief Inspector nor an Inspector of Explosives, nor any Magistrate subordinate to the District Magistrate, nor any Police-officer shall under these rules destroy or otherwise render harmless any explosive without the previous sanction of the District Magistrate or (in a Presidency-town or its suburbs or in Rangoon) the Commissioner of Police, unless the matter appears urgent and fraught with serious public danger.

(5) Whenever any officer destroys any explosive or otherwise renders it harmless, he shall take and keep a sample thereof, and shall, if required, give a portion of the sample to the person owning the explosive or having the same under his control at the time of seizure; and whenever any officer other than the District Magistrate or Commissioner of Police so deals with any explosive, he shall report the circumstances to the District Magistrate or (in a Presidency-town or its suburbs or in Rangoon) the Commissioner of Police.

Production of license or authenticated copy there of.

33. (1) Every person holding a license, or acting under a license, granted under these rules, shall be bound to produce the same, or an authenticated copy kept at the magazine or place to which the license applies, when called upon to do so by any Inspector of Explosives, any Magistrate, any Police-officer in charge of a police-station, or any Police-officer of higher rank.

(2) Copies of any such license may, for the purposes of this rule, be authenticated free of charge by any of the officers aforesaid or by the authority which granted the license.

Control over officers.

34. All Magistrates and other authorities shall, in the exercise of their functions under these rules, be subject to the control of their immediate executive superiors and of the Local Government.

Penalties.

Fines.

35. Whoever commits any offence mentioned in column 1 of the following table shall be punishable with fine which may extend to the amount mentioned in that behalf in column 2 of that table:—

1	2
Offences.	Fine which may be imposed.
Manufacturing an explosive in contravention of rule 10.	Three thousand rupees.
Possessing an explosive in contravention of rule 11	One thousand rupees.
Selling an explosive in contravention of rule 13	Five hundred rupees.
Committing a breach of any condition in a license granted under—	
rule 14 or rule 20	Five hundred rupees.
rule 16, rule 17, rule 18, or rule 19	One thousand rupees.
rule 15	Three thousand rupees.
Possessing or transporting an explosive in contravention of any direction given under rule 26, clause (1).	One thousand rupees.
Failing to produce a license or an authenticated copy thereof, when called upon to do so under rule 33, clause (1).	Two hundred rupees.

Forfeiture of licenses.

36. Every license granted under these rules shall be liable to be forfeited on breach of any of the conditions contained therein.

Exemption from penalties of persons carrying on business of deceased or disabled licensee.

37. If any person licensed to manufacture, possess or sell an explosive dies or becomes bankrupt, or becomes mentally incapable or otherwise disabled, the person carrying on the business of such licensee shall not be liable to any penalty under these rules for carrying on the business or acting under the license during such reasonable time as may be necessary to admit of his making an application to the authority which granted the license for a new license in his own name during the currency of the unexpired portion of the original license.

W. L. HARVEY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

SCHEDULE.

FORM A.

(*See rule 14.*)

[FEE RUPEES IN STAMPS.]

License to manufacture, possess and sell gunpowder, or small-arm nitro-compound, or an explosive of the 1st Division of the 6th (Ammunition) Class, or (elsewhere than in villages or other rural areas) an explosive of the 7th (Firework) Class.

[Granted in a Presidency-town or its suburbs or in Rangoon by the Commissioner of Police, and elsewhere by the District Magistrate.]

Name, etc., of licensee and place of residence.	Place of business, factory or shop.	Maximum quantity of explosive to be possessed at any one time.	Description and quantity of explosive to be manufactured during the year.	Description and quantity of explosive to be possessed and sold during the year.	Date on which license expires.
1	2		4	5	6
					The 31st December 190.

Town or District,
190 .

Seal.

(Signature.)
of

Conditions.

1. This license is granted subject to the provisions of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and the rules thereunder.

2. The licensee shall keep records and accounts of all explosives manufactured, of all stock in hand, and of all sales, in such form as the Local Government may from time to time direct.

3. The licensee shall exhibit his stock and his books and records of manufacture and sales to any Magistrate or to any Police-officer not below the rank of Inspector, whenever such Magistrate or officer may call upon him so to do.

4. (*1*) The explosive shall be manufactured in a tent or lightly constructed building exclusively appropriated for the purpose and, separated from any dwelling-house, highway, street, public thoroughfare or public place by the distance—

(*a*) in the case of gunpowder or small-arm nitro-compound, of one hundred yards, or

(*b*) in the case of an explosive of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class, or of the 7th (firework) class, of fifty yards.

(*2*) In the case of filling cartridges for small arms the operation may, if preferred, be carried out in the upper room of a building to which the conditions in clause (1) as to distance shall not apply: Provided that no more than five pounds of explosive (except such as may be contained in safety cartridges) shall be in the room where the operation is being carried on.

(*3*) In all other cases the manufacture shall be carried on in a one-storeyed building.

5. The number of persons employed in manufacture in any one building or room shall not exceed six, and only persons actually manufacturing or superintending manufacture shall be allowed inside the place of manufacture.

6. No iron or steel implements shall be used in manufacture. Only copper, gun-metal or wooden tools are permissible.

7. All explosives, as manufactured, shall be removed without delay to a safe place of storage, and no explosives shall be allowed to accumulate in the place of manufacture.

8. Manufacture shall only be carried on between sunrise and sunset.

9. No smoking or lights shall be allowed in or near a room where explosives are being manufactured.

10. All sales of explosives under this license must be effected on the premises shown on the face of the license.

11. An explosive shall not be sold to any child apparently under the age of fourteen years, nor shall any child under that age be employed in manufacture.

12. (*f*) The explosives possessed by the licensee shall be kept in one or other or both of the following modes:—

Mode A, that is to say, in a building or excavation, which is detached from any dwelling-house, and is separated by the distances prescribed in condition No. 4* from any highway, street, public thoroughfare or public place, and is made and closed so as to prevent unauthorised persons from having access thereto and to secure it from danger from without, and is exclusively appropriated to keeping explosives; and

(*a*) such a building must be substantially constructed of brick, stone or concrete, or must be a securely constructed fireproof safe; and

(*b*) such an excavation must be formed in solid rock, or earth, or in mine refuse not liable to ignition, and must not open into, from or out of any mine, quarry, tunnel or underground place which is in use for the carrying on of any work or for the employment of any person.

Mode B, that is to say, in a substantial receptacle (whether or not a fireproof safe) which is closed and secured so as to prevent unauthorised persons from having access thereto, and is exclusively appropriated to the keeping of explosives, and is placed inside a dwelling-house, or inside a building which is not itself qualified for the keeping of explosives in Mode A.

(*g*) A fireproof safe shall not be used for the keeping of any explosive other than gunpowder or small-arm nitro-compound and cartridges of the 2nd division of the 6th (ammunition), class (not containing their own means of ignition) and made with gunpowder or small-arm nitro-compound, such as cartridges or charges for cannon or blasting purposes.

13. The maximum quantity of explosives allowed to be kept at the same time shall be the following:—

(1) if the only explosive kept be one or more of the following, namely:—

(*a*) gunpowder;

(*b*) small-arm nitro-compound; or

(*c*) ammunition of the first division of the 6th class,

the maximum shall be—

	In Mode A. lbs.	In Mode B. lbs.
gunpowder and small arm nitro-compound, in all . . .	Two hundred.	Fifty.
and, in addition, of explosives contained in ammunition of the 1st division of the 6th class .	Any quantity.	Any quantity.

(2) if the only explosive kept be manufactured fireworks the maximum shall be—

	In Mode A. lbs.	In Mode B. lbs.
manufactured fireworks . . .	Two hundred.	Fifty.

(3) in any other case the maximum shall be—

mixed explosives, including gunpowder, small-arm nitro-compound and manufactured fireworks, etc., in all . .	Sixty.	Fifteen.
and, in addition, of explosives contained in ammunition of the 1st division of the 6th class	Any quantity.	Any quantity:

Provided that in each of the three cases above-mentioned the aggregate quantity kept on the premises in Mode A and Mode B together may not in any case exceed the maximum quantity which may be kept in Mode A.

14. With respect to a building or excavation used in Mode A, and a receptacle used in Mode B,—

the interior thereof, and the shelves and fittings therein, shall be so constructed, or so lined and covered, as to prevent the exposure of any iron or steel, or the detaching of any grit, iron or steel or similar substance, in such manner as to come into contact with the explosive;

and such interior, shelves and fittings shall, so far as is reasonably practicable, be kept free from grit and otherwise clean;

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* These distances may be reduced to one-half when the building is surrounded by a traverse as high as the eaves of the building.

and, in the case of any explosive being possessed which is liable to be dangerously affected by water, due precautions shall be taken to exclude water therefrom;

and all articles or substances of an explosive or highly inflammable nature, and all lights, shall be kept at a safe distance from the explosive, and from any room or part of a building, excavation or receptacle containing the same;

and no person entering any such room or part of a building or any such excavation, or any such receptacle, shall have any iron or steel in his possession, or attached to or on his boots or shoes:

Provided that this condition, so far as it relates to the exposure of iron or steel or similar substances, shall not be obligatory in the case where no explosive is kept other than ammunition of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class.

15. All explosives exceeding five pounds in quantity of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class or of the 2nd division of the 7th (firework) class, and all other explosives exceeding one pound in quantity, shall be kept in a substantial case, bag, canister or other receptacle, made and closed so as to prevent the explosives from escaping;

and, when publicly exposed for sale or when sold, the outermost receptacle containing such explosives shall have affixed the name of the explosives in conspicuous characters by means of a brand or securely-attached label or other mark:

Provided that two samples of each kind of firework may be exposed for sale without complying with the foregoing clauses of this condition, if such samples be placed in such a position that no light or fire is, or is likely to be, brought near them.

16. (1) Each description of explosive which may be kept under this license shall be separated by an intervening partition of such substance and character, or by such intervening space, as will effectually prevent explosion or fire in the one communicating with the other:

(2) Provided as follows:—

(*a*) Gunpowder, small-arm nitro-compound and safety fuzes belonging to the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space;

(*b*) the various explosives of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space;

(*c*) the various explosives of the 7th (firework) class may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space.

17. *The licensee shall affix to his shop or place of business a signboard as required by rule 11 of the rules framed under the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), and shall post up in his shop a copy of section 28 of that Act.

18. *The licensee shall at the time of purchase endorse upon the license of every purchaser holding a license under Form VIII or IX of the forms prescribed under the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), the following particulars, namely:—

(*a*) the name and address of the person who takes delivery of the articles sold;

(*b*) the nature and amount of articles sold; and

(*c*) the date of sale;

and shall append his signature to the endorsement.

19. A similar endorsement shall be made upon the license of every purchaser holding a license under the Explosives Act for the possession of explosives.

FORM B.

(*See rule 14.*)

[FEE RUPEES IN STAMPS.]

License to possess and sell gunpowder, or small-arm nitro-compound, or an explosive of the 1st Division of the 6th (Ammunition) Class or (elsewhere than in villages or other rural areas) an explosive of the 7th (Firework) Class.

[Granted in a Presidency-town or its suburbs or in Rangoon by the Commissioner of Police, and elsewhere by the District Magistrate.]

Name, etc., of licensee and place of residence.	Place of business factory or shop.	Maximum quantity of explosive to be possessed at any one time.	Description and quantity of explosive to be possessed and sold during the year.	Date on which license expires.
1	2	3	4	5
				The 31st December 190 .

Town or *District*, _____ 190 . Seal. (Signature.) _____ *of* _____

*These conditions are to be added only when the authority granting this license directs, in pursuance of rule 31, by an order written on the license, that this license shall have the effect of a like license granted under the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878).

Conditions.

1. This license is granted subject to the provisions of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and the rules thereunder.

2. The licensee shall keep records and accounts of all explosives in stock and of all sales, in such form as the Local Government may from time to time direct.

3. The licensee shall exhibit his stock and his books and records of sales to any Magistrate or to any Police-officer not below the rank of Inspector, whenever such Magistrate or officer may call upon him so to do.

4. All sales of explosives under this license must be effected upon the premises shown on the face of the license.

5. An explosive shall not be sold to any child apparently under the age of fourteen years.

6. (*1*) The explosives possessed by the licensee shall be kept in one or other or both of the following modes:—

Mode A, that is to say, in a building or excavation, which is detached from any dwelling-house, and is separated by the prescribed distances,* from any highway, street, public thoroughfare or public place, and is made and closed so as to prevent unauthorised persons from having access thereto and to secure it from danger from without, and is exclusively appropriated to keeping explosives; and

(*a*) such a building must be substantially constructed of brick, stone or concrete, or must be a securely constructed fireproof safe; and

(*b*) such an excavation must be formed in solid rock or earth or in mine refuse not liable to ignition, and must not open into, from or out of any mine, quarry, tunnel or underground place which is in use for the carrying on of any work or for the employment of any person.

Mode B, that is to say, in a substantial receptacle (whether or not a fireproof safe) which is closed and secured so as to prevent unauthorised persons from having access thereto, and is exclusively appropriated to the keeping of explosives, and is placed inside a dwelling-house, or inside a building which is not itself qualified for the keeping of explosives in Mode A.

(2) A fireproof safe shall not be used for the keeping of any explosive other than gunpowder or small-arm nitro-compound and cartridges of the 2nd division of the 6th (ammunition) class (not containing their own means of ignition) and made with gunpowder or small-arm nitro-compound, such as cartridges or charges for cannon or blasting purposes.

7. The maximum quantity of explosives allowed to be kept at the same time shall be the following:

(1) if the only explosive kept be one or more of the following, namely:—

(*a*) gunpowder,

(*b*) small-arm nitro-compound, or

(*c*) ammunition of the 1st division of the 6th class,

the maximum shall be—

	In Mode A. lbs.	In Mode B. lbs.
gunpowder and small-arm nitro-compound, in all	Two hundred.	Fifty.
and, in addition, of explosives contained in ammunition of the 1st division of the 6th class . . .	Any quantity.	Any quantity.

(2) if the only explosive kept be manufactured fireworks, the maximum shall be—

manufactured fire-works . . .	Two hundred.	Fifty.

(3) in any other case the maximum shall be—

mixed explosives, including gunpowder, small-arm nitro-compound and manufactured fireworks, etc., in all	Sixty.	Fifteen.
and, in addition, of explosives contained in ammunition of the 1st division of the 6th class . . .	Any quantity.	Any quantity

* In the case of gunpowder or small-arm nitro-compound, one hundred yards.
In the case of an explosive of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class or of the 7th (firework) class, fifty yards:
Provided that these distances may be reduced to one-half when the building is surrounded by a traverse as high as the eaves of the building.

Provided that in each of the three cases above-mentioned the aggregate quantity kept on the premises in Mode A and Mode B together may not in any case exceed the maximum quantity which may be kept in Mode A.

8. With respect to a building or excavation used in Mode A, and a receptacle used in Mode B,—

the interior thereof, and the shelves and fittings therein, shall be so constructed or so lined and covered as to prevent the exposure of any iron or steel, or the detaching of any grit, iron or steel or similar substance, in such manner as to come into contact with the explosive;

and such interior, shelves and fittings shall, so far as is reasonably practicable, be kept free from grit and otherwise clean;

and, in the case of any explosive being possessed which is liable to be dangerously affected by water, due precautions shall be taken to exclude water therefrom;

and all articles or substances of an explosive or highly inflammable nature, and all lights, shall be kept at a safe distance from the explosive, and from any room or part of a building, excavation or receptacle containing the same;

and no person entering any such room or part of a building, or any such excavation, or any such receptacle, shall have any iron or steel in his possession, or attached to or on his boots or shoes:

Provided that this condition, so far as it relates to the exposure of iron or steel or similar substances, shall not be obligatory in the case where no explosive is kept other than ammunition of the 1st division of the 6th class.

9. All explosives exceeding five pounds in quantity of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class or of the 2nd division of the 7th (firework) class and all other explosives exceeding one pound in quantity shall be kept in a substantial case, bag, canister or other receptacle, made and closed so as to prevent the explosives from escaping;

and, when publicly exposed for sale or sold, the outermost receptacle containing such explosives shall have affixed the name of the explosives in conspicuous characters by means of a brand or securely-attached label or other mark:

Provided that two samples of each kind of firework may be exposed for sale without complying with the foregoing clauses of this Condition, if such samples be placed in such a position that no light or fire is, or is likely to be, brought near them.

10. (*1*) Each description of explosive which may be kept under this license shall be separated by an intervening partition of such substance and character, or by such intervening space, as will effectually prevent explosion or fire in the one communicating with the other:

(*2*) Provided as follows:—

(*a*) Gunpowder, small-arm nitro-compound and safety fuzes belonging to the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class, may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space;

(*b*) the various explosives of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space;

(*c*) the various explosives of the 7th (firework) class may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space.

11. *The licensee shall affix to his shop or place of business a signboard as required by rule 11 of the rules framed under the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), and shall post up in his shop a copy of section 28 of that Act.

12. *The licensee shall at the time of purchase endorse upon the license of every purchaser holding a license under Form VIII or IX of the forms prescribed under the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), the following particulars:—

(*a*) the name and address of the person who takes delivery of the articles sold;

(*b*) the nature and amount of the articles sold; and

(*c*) the date of sale;

and shall append his signature to the endorsement.

13. A similar endorsement shall be made upon the license of every purchaser holding a license under the Explosives Act, for the possession of explosives.

*These conditions are to be added only when the authority granting this license directs, in pursuance of rule 31 by an order written on the license, that this license shall have the effect of a like licens granted under the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878).

FORM C.

(See rule 14.)

[FEE—EIGHT ANNAS, IN STAMPS.]

License to possess gunpowder or small-arm nitro-compound, or an explosive of the 1st division of the 6th (Ammunition) class, or (elsewhere than in villages or other rural areas) an explosive of the 7th (Firework) class.

[Granted in a Presidency-town or its suburbs or in Rangoon by the Commissioner of Police, and elsewhere by the District Magistrate.]

Name, etc., of licensee and place of residence.	Description and quantity of explosive to be possessed during the year.	Place with full details where explosive is to be possessed.	Maximum quantity of explosive to be kept at any one time.	Date on which license expires.
				The 31st December 190 .

_____ *Town* or *District*,
_____ *190* . } (Seal.) (Signature.)
_____ *of* _____

Conditions.

1. This license is granted subject to the provisions of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and the rules thereunder.

2. The licensee shall keep records and accounts of all explosives in stock, in such form as the Local Government may from time to time direct.

3. The licensee shall exhibit his stock and his books and records to any Magistrate or to any Police-officer not below the rank of Inspector, whenever such Magistrate or officer may call upon him so to do.

4. (*1*) The explosives possessed by the licensee shall be kept in one or other or both of the following modes :—

Mode A, that is to say, in a building or excavation, which is detached from any dwelling-house, and is separated by the prescribed distances* from any highway, street, public thoroughfare or public place, and is made and closed so as to prevent unauthorised persons from having access thereto and to secure it from danger from without, and is exclusively appropriated to keeping explosives ; and

(*a*) such a building must be substantially constructed of brick, stone or concrete, or must be a securely constructed fireproof safe :

(*b*) such an excavation must be formed in solid rock, or earth, or in mine refuse not liable to ignition, and must not open into, from or out of any mine, quarry, tunnel or underground place, which is in use for the carrying on of any work or for the employment of any person.

Mode B, that is to say, in a substantial receptacle (whether or not a fireproof safe) which is closed and secured so as to prevent unauthorised persons from having access thereto, and is exclusively appropriated to the keeping of explosives and is placed inside a dwelling-house, or inside a building which is not itself qualified for the keeping of explosives in Mode A.

(*2*) A fireproof safe shall not be used for the keeping of any explosive other than gunpowder or small-arm nitro-compound and cartridges of the 2nd division of the 6th (Ammunition) class (not containing their own means of ignition) and made with gunpowder or small-arm nitro-compound, such as cartridges or charges for cannon or blasting purposes.

5. The maximum quantity of explosives allowed to be kept at the same time shall be the following, namely—

(*1*) if the only explosive kept be one or more of the following, namely :—

(*a*) gunpowder,

* In the case of gunpowder or small-arm nitro-compound, one hundred yards.
In the case of an explosive of the 1st division of the 6th (Ammunition) class or of the 7th (Firework) class fifty yards :
Provided that these distances may be reduced to one-half when the building is surrounded by a traverse as high as the eaves of the building.

(*b*) small-arm nitro-compound, or

(*c*) ammunition of the 1st division of the 6th class,

the maximum shall be—

	In Mode A. lbs.	In Mode B. lbs.
gunpowder and small-arm nitro-compound, in all . . .	Two hundred.	Fifty.
and, in addition, of explosives contained in ammunition of the 1st division of the 6th class . .	Any quantity.	Any quantity.
(2) if the only explosive kept be manufactured fireworks, the maximum shall be—		
manufactured fireworks . .	Two hundred.	Fifty.
(3) in any other case the maximum shall be—		
mixed explosives, including gunpowder, small-arm nitro-compound and manufactured fireworks, etc., in all	Sixty.	Fifteen.
and, in addition, of explosives contained in ammunition of the 1st division of the 6th class . .	Any quantity.	Any quantity.

Provided that in each of the three cases above-mentioned the aggregate quantity kept on the premises in Mode A and Mode B together may not in any case exceed the maximum quantity which may be kept in Mode A.

6. With respect to a building or excavation used in Mode A, and a receptacle used in Mode B,

the interior thereof, and the shelves and fittings therein, shall be so constructed, or so lined and covered, as to prevent the exposure of any iron or steel, or the detaching of any grit, iron, or steel or similar substance, in such manner as to come into contact with the explosive ;

and such interior shelves and fittings shall, so far as is reasonably practicable, be kept free from grit and otherwise clean ;

and, in the case of any explosive being possessed which is liable to be dangerously affected by water, due precautions shall be taken to exclude water therefrom ;

and all articles or substances of an explosive or highly inflammable nature, and all lights, shall be kept at a safe distance from the explosive, and from any room or part of a building, excavation, or receptacle containing the same ;

and no person entering any such room or part of a building, or any such excavation, or any such receptacle, shall have any iron or steel in his possession, or attached to or on his boots or shoes :

Provided that this condition, so far as it relates to the exposure of iron or steel or similar substances, shall not be obligatory in the case where no explosive is kept other than ammunition of the 1st division of the 6th class.

7. All explosives exceeding five pounds in quantity of the 1st division of the 6th (Ammunition) class or of the 2nd division of the 7th (Firework) class, and all other explosives exceeding one pound in quantity shall be kept in a substantial case, bag, canister or other receptacle, made and closed so as to prevent the explosives from escaping.

8. (*1*) Each description of explosive which may be kept under this license shall be separated by an intervening partition of such substance and character, or by such intervening space, as will effectually prevent explosion or fire in the one communicating with the other :

(*2*) Provided as follows :—

(*a*) Gunpowder, small-arm nitro-compound and safety fuzes belonging to the 1st division of the 6th (Ammunition) class may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space ;

(*b*) the various explosives of the 1st division of the 6th (Ammunition) class may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space ;

(*c*) the various explosives of the 7th (Firework) class may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space.

9. The licensee shall at the time of purchase have the following particulars endorsed upon his license by the vendor from whom he purchases, and under the vendor's signature namely :—

(*a*) the name and address of the person who takes delivery of the articles purchased :

(*b*) the nature and amount of the articles purchased, and

(*c*) the date of purchase.

FORM D.

[See rule 14.]

[FEE— RUPEE IN STAMPS.]

License to manufacture, possess and sell, or to possess and sell, or to possess, fireworks in a village or other rural area.

(Granted by the District Magistrate.)

Name, etc., of licensee, and place of residence.	Place of business, factory or shop.	Maximum quantity of fireworks to be possessed at any one time.	Description and quantity of firework to be manufactured during the year.	Description and quantity of fireworks to be possessed and sold during the year.	Date on which license expires.
1	2	3	4	5	6
					The 31st December 190 .

District, }
190 . }

Seal.

(Signature.)

_____ *of* _____

Conditions.

1. This license is granted subject to the provisions of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and the rules thereunder.

2. The licensee shall keep records and accounts of all fireworks manufactured, of all stock in hand, and of all sales, in such form as the Local Government may from time to time direct.

3. The licensee shall exhibit his stock and his books of manufacture and sales to any Magistrate or to any Police-officer not below the rank of Inspector, whenever such Magistrate or officer may call upon him so to do.

4. Fireworks shall be manufactured in such place only as may be approved by the District Magistrate, due regard being had to the public safety.

5. All sales of fireworks under this license must be effected upon the premises shown on the face of the license.

6. Fireworks shall not be sold to any child apparently under the age of fourteen years, nor shall any child under that age be employed in manufacture.

7. The manufactured fireworks possessed by the licensee must be kept in a building approved by the District Magistrate, due regard being had to the public safety :

Provided that any quantity not exceeding fifty pounds may be kept inside any other building, if placed in a receptacle exclusively appropriated to the keeping of fireworks.

8. *The licensee shall affix to his shop or place of business a signboard as required by rule 11 of the rules framed under the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), and shall post up in his shop a copy of section 28 of that Act.

* This condition is to be added only when the authority granting this license directs, in pursuance of rule 31, by an order written on the license, that this license shall have the effect of a like license granted under the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878).

FORM E.

(*See rule 14.*)

[FEE—EIGHT ANNAS IN STAMPS.]

License to possess gunpowder or safety fuze by bonâ fide *agriculturists.*

(Granted by Mamlatdârs or Mahalkaris in the Bombay Presidency.)

Name, etc., of licensee, and place of residence.	Description and quantity of explosive to be possessed during the year.	Place, with full details, where explosive is to be possessed.	Maximum quantity of explosive (not exceeding 100 lbs. gunpowder and 10 safety fuzes to be kept at any one time.	Date on which license expires.
1	2	3	4	
				The 31st of December 190 .

District,
190 .

Seal.

(Signature.)
_____ *of* _____

Conditions.

1. This license is granted subject to the provisions of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and the rules thereunder.

2. The explosive shall be kept in a substantially constructed uninflammable building approved by such officer as the Local Government may prescribe, or in a fireproof safe separated from any dwelling house, highway, street, public thoroughfare or public place by the prescribed distances,* and made and closed so as to prevent unauthorised persons from having access thereto, and to secure it from danger from without:

Provided that 50 lbs. of gunpowder and 10 safety fuzes may be kept inside a dwelling-house or in any building other than as last aforesaid in a receptacle exclusively appropriated to keeping explosive.

3. All articles or substances of an explosive or highly inflammable nature shall be kept at a safe distance from the explosive and from any room or part of a building, fireproof safe, or receptacle containing the same, and no person entering such room or part of any building or such safe or receptacle shall have any iron or steel in his possession or attached to or on his boots or shoes.

4. Neither the building exclusively appropriated for the purpose of keeping the explosive, nor the fireproof safe or receptacle referred to above, shall have any exposed iron or steel in the interior thereof:

Provided that this condition shall not be obligatory in a building, fireproof safe, or receptacle in which no explosive other than an explosive of the 1st division of the 6th (Ammunition) class is kept.

5. The licensee shall at the time of purchase have the following particulars endorsed upon his license by the vendor from whom he purchases and under the vendor's signature:—

(*a*) The name and address of the person who takes delivery of the articles purchased;

(*b*) the nature and amount of the articles purchased; and

(*c*) the date of purchase.

* In the case of gunpowder, 50 yards.

FORM F.

(*See rule 16.*)

[FEE- FIVE RUPEES IN STAMPS.]

License to possess explosives generally (other than fulminates).

[Granted in a Presidency-town or its suburbs or in Rangoon by the Commissioner of Police, and elsewhere by the District Magistrate.]

Name, etc., of licensee, and place of residence.	Place of business or shop.	Description of explosive.	Maximum quantity of explosive (not exceeding sixty pounds) to be possessed at any one time.	Date on which license expires.
1	2	3	4	5
				The 31st December 190 .

_____ *Town or District,*
_____ *190* .

Seal.

(Signature.)

_____ *of* ____

Conditions.

1. This license is granted subject to the provisions of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and the rules thereunder.

2. (*1*) The explosive shall be kept in a substantially constructed building which is exclusively appropriated for the purpose, and is detached from any dwelling-house, and is situated at a safe distance from any highway, street, public thoroughfare or public place, and is made and closed so as to prevent unauthorised persons from having access thereto and to secure it from danger from without:

(*2*) Provided that any quantity not exceeding fifteen pounds of any such explosive may be kept inside any building not conforming to clause (*1*) of this condition, if the explosive is placed in a receptacle exclusively appropriated to the keeping of explosives.

3. All articles or substances of an explosive or highly inflammable nature shall be kept at a safe distance from the explosives and from any building or receptacle containing the same.

4. No building exclusively appropriated for the purpose of keeping the explosives, and no receptacle in which the explosives are kept, shall have any exposed iron or steel in the interior thereof.

5. All explosives exceeding one pound in quantity shall be kept in a substantial case, bag, canister or other receptacle, made and closed so as to prevent the explosive from escaping.

6. Each description of explosive which may lawfully be kept under this license shall be separated by an intervening partition of such substance and character, or by such intervening space, as will effectually prevent explosion or fire in the one communicating with the other.

7. The licensee shall at the time of purchase have the following particulars endorsed upon his license by the vendor from whom he purchases, and under the vendor's signature, namely:—

(*a*) the name and address of the person who takes delivery of the articles purchased;

(*b*) the nature and amount of the articles purchased; and

(*c*) the date of purchase.

FORM G.

[*See Rule 17 (2).*]

THE INDIAN EXPLOSIVES ACT, 1884.

Form of application for a license for possession of explosives (other than fulminates) in, and sale from, a Magazine.

The replies to be written in this column.

1. Applicant's Name
   „ Calling
   „ Address . . .

NOTE.—In cases where the application is made on behalf of a company, the name, calling and address of the company, and the name of the manager or agents, should be given.

2. Situation of the proposed Magazine—
   Presidency or Province . .
   District . . . . .
   Village . . . . .

3. Explosive proposed to be stored—
   Class . . . . . .
   Division (if any) . . . .
   Name and description . . .

NOTE.—The class and division (if any) stated should be in accordance with the classification in the General Rules to regulate the manufacture, possession and sale of explosives.

4. Draft license containing the terms which the applicant proposes to have inserted, and specifying such of the matters stated below as are applicable.

NOTE.—A draft license must be attached to this application and must be accompanied by a plan of the proposed magazine and of the site, with the boundaries thereof drawn to scale.

The plan should also show the distance from the proposed magazine of the room (if any) to be used in connection therewith for the filling of cartridges for small arms with explosives, in pursuance of rule 30 (1) of the rules under the Indian Explosives Act, 1884, for the manufacture, possession and sale of explosives, and of the workshop (if any) to be used in connection therewith for the adaptation or preparation of explosives, in pursuance of rule 30(2) of the said rules; and, if both a room and workshop are to be used, the distance of the room from the workshop.

The matters referred to above, and required (so far as applicable) to be specified, are as follows:—

(*a*) the boundaries of the land forming the site of the magazine, and either any belt of land surrounding the site which is to be kept clear, and the buildings and works from which it is to be kept clear, or the distance to be maintained between the magazine or any part thereof and other buildings and works (for buildings and works here referred to, see 1st column of table of distances appended to these rules); and

(*b*) the situation, character and construction of all the mounds, buildings and works on or connected with the magazine, and the distances thereof from each other; and

(*c*) the nature of the work, if any, to be carried on in connection with the magazine and the place at which such work is to be carried on, and the places in the magazine at which explosives, and any articles liable to spontaneous ignition, or inflammable or otherwise dangerous, are to be kept; and

(*d*) the situation of each building forming part of the magazine in which the explosive is to be kept, and the maximum amount of explosive to be kept in each such building; and

(*e*) any special terms which the applicant may propose by reason of any special circumstances arising from the locality, the situation or construction of any buildings or works, or the nature of any process or otherwise.

Remarks	

(*Signature of applicant*)_____

(*Postal address of applicant*)_____

(*Date of application*)_____

FORM H.

[*See rules 17 (8) and 23 (2).*]

THE INDIAN EXPLOSIVES ACT, 1884.

Distances to be kept clear round a Magazine.

Distances from the Magazine proposed to be established at { Presidency or province_____ District_____ Village_____

To be kept clear* from the undermentioned buildings and works.

Buildings and Works.	Distances to be kept clear, not less than	Reply.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4
Room used in connection with the magazine, in pursuance of rule 30 (1) of the rules under the Indian Explosives Act, 1884, for the manufacture, possession and sale of explosives.	yards.		
Workshop used in connection with the magazine, in pursuance of rule 30 (2) of the rules under the Indian Explosives Act, 1884, for the manufacture, possession and sale of explosives.†	"		
Private railway	"		
Highway or public footpath	"		
Open air public meeting place (such as a market)	"		
Canal or navigable water	"		
Dock	"		
River wall or sea wall	"		
Pier or jetty	"		
Reservoir or bunded tank	"		
Room or workshop in connection with another magazine, store or registered premises.	"		
Any other room or workshop or any shop	"		
Any other explosive magazine or store for explosives	"		
Furnace, kiln or chimney	"		
Public railway	"		
Dwelling-house, *with* the consent, in writing, of the occupier.	"		
Dwelling-house, *without* such consent	"		
Factory not belonging to Government	"		
Church, chapel or hospital	"		
Public institution or building	"		
Government building	"		
Factory or magazine occupied by the Government of India or any Department under that Government *with* the consent, in writing, of the Government of India or such Department.	"		
Ditto, *without* such consent	"		
Viceregal Residence	miles.		

NOTE.—The applicant for the license should state in the third column whether he is able to observe the distance assigned in the second column, or not. In any case where he is unable to observe the full distance assigned, he should state what distance he can observe, and in the column of "Remarks" should set forth the grounds, if any, upon which he relies as justifying such reduction of distance, *e.g.*, whether the magazine will be protected by mounds, or by the natural features of the ground, or otherwise.

(*Signature of applicant*)_____

(*Postal Address of Applicant*)_____

(*Date*)

* The distances will be required to be kept clear not merely on the first establishment of the magazine, but during the continuance of the license.

† This rule also applies to two or more magazines kept on the same premises, when such magazines—

(1) belong to the same occupier, or

(2) are so kept by mutual consent of the respective occupiers.

FORM I.

[*See rule 17 (9).*]

Distances to be kept clear round a magazine.

THE INDIAN EXPLOSIVES ACT, 1884.

* Distances to be maintained between the magazine and other buildings and works :—

From every	Not less than Yards.
Room used in connection with the magazine, in pursuance of rule 30 (*1*) of the rules under the Indian Explosives Act, 1884, for the manufacture, possession and sale of explosives.	
Workshop used in connection with the magazine in pursuance of rule 30 (*2*) of the rules under the Indian Explosives Act, 1884, for the manufacture, possession and sale of explosives †	
Private railway	
Highway or public footpath	
Open air public meeting place (such as a market)	
Canal or navigable water	
Dock	
River wall or sea wall	
Pier or jetty	
Reservoir or bunded tank	
Room or workshop in connection with another magazine, store or registered premises	
Any other room or workshop, or any shop	
Any other explosive magazine or store for explosives	
Furnace, kiln or chimney	
Public railway	
Dwelling-house, *with* the consent, in writing, of the occupier	
Dwelling-house, *without* such consent	
Factory not belonging to Government	
Church, chapel or hospital	
Public institution or building	
Government building	
Factory or magazine occupied by the Government of India, or any Department under that Government, *with* the consent, in writing, of the Government of India or such Department.	
Ditto, *without* such consent	
Viceregal Residence	

In the case of any building or work above-mentioned which is so screened from the magazine by the natural features of the ground or by good and sufficient artificial mounds of earth as not to be visible from any part of such magazine, the distance assigned above as that to be observed between such building or work and the magazine may be reduced by one-half.

In the case of any building or work above-mentioned which is so screened from the magazine by an intervening hill, that a line drawn from any part of such building or work to any part of such magazine would pass through such hill, the distance assigned by this schedule as that to be observed between such building and work and the magazine may be reduced by three-fourths; but if a Government Inspector notifies in writing that in his judgment the intervening hill, in respect of which such reduction is claimed, is not of a character to justify such reduction, this clause, authorising such reduction, shall be deemed not to apply in respect of the said building or work.

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* The distances will be required to be kept clear not merely on the first establishment of the magazines but during the continuance of the license.

† This rule also applies to two or more magazines kept on the same premises, when such magazines—

(1) belong to the same occupier, or

(2) are so kept by mutual consent of the respective occupiers.

FORM J.

[*See rule 17 (14).*]

[FEE—TWENTY RUPEES IN STAMPS.]

License to possess explosives other than fulminates in, and to sell explosives from, a magazine.

[Granted by the Local Government or officer appointed by the Local Government in this behalf.]

Name of licensee, and residence.	Boundaries of the land forming the site of the magazine to which the license applies.	Situation, character and construction of the buildings and works connected with the magazine.	Description of explosives to be possessed.	Amount of explosives to be possessed at the same time in the magazine and within the boundaries of the site thereof.	Date on which license expires.
1	2	3	4	5	6
					The 31st December 190 .

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(Signature)

Secretary or

Conditions.

This license is granted subject to the provisions of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and the rules thereunder.

2. The licensee shall keep records and accounts of all explosives in stock, and of all sales in such form as the Local Government may from time to time direct.

3. There shall not be at the same time in the magazine any quantity of explosives exceeding the quantity specified in the license.

4. The magazine shall be used only for the keeping of the explosives specified in the license, and of receptacles for, or tools of implements for work connected with, the keeping of such explosives.

5. The interior of the magazine, and the benches, shelves and fittings therein, shall be so constructed or so lined or covered as to prevent the exposure of any iron or steel, and the detaching of any grit, iron, steel or similar substances in such manner as to come into contact with the explosives; and such interior, benches, shelves and fittings shall, so far as is reasonably practicable, be kept free from grit and otherwise clean; and, in the case of any explosive being possessed which is liable to be dangerously affected by water, due precautions shall be taken to exclude water therefrom:

Provided that so much of this condition as relates to precautions against the exposure of any iron or steel and the detaching of any grit, iron, steel or similar substances shall not be obligatory in a building in which no explosive other than an explosive of the first division of the 6th (ammunition) class is kept.

6. The magazine shall have attached thereto a sufficient lightning conductor, which shall be tested at least once during the currency of the license.

7. Before repairs are done to any room or magazine or part thereof, the same shall, as far as is practicable, be cleaned by the removal of all explosives or mixed ingredients thereof, and the thorough washing out of such room, magazine or part; and after such

cleaning these conditions shall cease to apply to such room or part of the magazine until any explosive is again taken into it :

Provided that this condition shall not be obligatory in a magazine in which no explosive other than an explosive of the first division of the 6th (ammunition) class is kept.

8. Except after such cleaning, all tools and implements used in, or in making any repairs to, any part of the magazine shall be made only of wood, copper or brass or some soft metal or material, or shall be covered with some safe and suitable material :

Provided that this condition shall not be obligatory in a magazine in which no explosive other than an explosive of the 1st division of 6th (ammunition) class is kept.

9. Due provision shall be made, by the use of suitable working clothes without pockets, or of suitable shoes, or by searching or otherwise, or by some such means, for preventing the introduction into the magazine of fire, lucifer matches or any substance or article likely to cause explosion or fire, or of any grit, iron or steel ; but this rule shall not prevent the introduction of an artificial light of such construction, position or character as not to cause any danger or fire or explosion :

Provided that so much of this condition as applies to the exclusion of grit, iron or steel shall not be obligatory in a building in which no explosive other than an explosive of the first division of the 6th (ammunition) class is kept.

10. No person shall smoke in any part of the magazine.

11. No person under the age of fourteen years shall be employed in or enter the magazine, except in the presence and under the supervision of some grown-up person, and no explosive shall be sold to any such person.

12. (*1*) Two or more descriptions of explosives which may lawfully be possessed in a licensed magazine may be possesed in the same magazine if they are separated from each other by an intervening partition of such substance and character, or by such intervening space, as will effectually prevent explosion or fire in the one communicating with the other:

(*2*) Provided as follows:—

(*a*) the various explosives of classes 1 (gunpowder), 2 (nitrate-mixture), 3 (nitro-compound) and 4 (chlorate-mixture), safety fuzes belonging to the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class and such of the various explosives of the 2nd division of the 6th (ammunition) class as do not contain any exposed iron or steel, may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space ;

(*b*) the various explosives of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space ;

(*c*) such of the various explosives of the 2nd division of the 6th (ammunition) class as contain any exposed iron or steel may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space ;

(*d*) the various explosives of the 3rd division of the 6th (ammunition) class may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space ;

(*e*) the various explosives of the 7th (firework) class may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space.

(*3*) Save as aforesaid, two or more descriptions of explosives shall not be kept in the same magazine.

13. The licensee, and every person employed in or about the magazine, shall take all due precaution for the prevention of accidents by fire or explosion in the magazine, and for preventing unauthorised persons from having access to the magazine or to the explosives therein, and shall abstain from any act whatever which tends to cause fire or explosion and is not reasonably necessary for the purpose of the work in such magazine.

14. (*1*) Blasting gelatine or any of its kindred gelatinous nitro-compounds shall not be kept in the magazine after the expiration of three years from the date of its or their importation into British India, except with the special sanction of an Inspector of Explosives.

(*2*) When such sanction has been given, a written certificate, showing the period covered by the sanction, must be obtained from an Inspector of Explosives at each inspection, and must be kept by the licensee at the magazine.

FORM K.

(*See rule 18.*)

[FEE—TWENTY RUPEES IN STAMPS.]

License to possess explosives (other than fulminates) in a floating magazine.

(Granted by the Local Government.)

Name of licensee, and residence.	Description of limits within which the magazine shall be moored or anchored.	Situation, character and construction of the magazine.	Description of explosives to be possessed.	Amount of explosive to be possessed at the same time in the magazine.	Date on which license expires.
1	2	3	4	5	6

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(Signature.)

Secretary.

Conditions.

1. This license is granted subject to the provisions of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and the rules thereunder.

2. The whole vessel, barge or craft in or on board which the explosives are stored shall be deemed to constitute the magazine.

3. The magazine shall be used only for the keeping of such explosives as may be specified in the license, and of receptacles for, or tools or implements for work connected with, the keeping of such explosives.

4. The interior of the magazine, and the benches, shelves and fittings therein, shall be so constructed or so lined or covered as to prevent the exposure of any iron or steel in such manner, and the detaching of any grit, iron, steel or similar substance in such manner as to come into contact with the explosives in such magazine; and such interior, benches, shelves and fittings shall, so far as is reasonably practicable, be kept free from grit and otherwise clean.

5. The magazine shall have attached thereto a sufficient lightning conductor which shall be tested previous to the storage of explosives.

6. No charcoal, whether ground or otherwise, oiled cotton, oiled rags or oiled waste and no article whatever which is liable to spontaneous ignition, shall be taken into the magazine.

7. Before repairs are done to or in any part of the magazine, it shall, so far as practicable, be cleaned by the removal of all explosives, and by a thorough washing out. After being so cleaned, it shall not be deemed to be a magazine until explosives are again taken into it.

8. There shall be constantly kept in the magazine, affixed in such manner as to be easily read, a copy of the license, and of any special rules that may be issued from time to time for the keeping of explosives in a floating magazine.

9. All tools and implements used in any repairs to or in any part of the magazine shall be made only of wood or copper or brass or some soft metal or material, or shall be covered with some safe and suitable material.

10. No fires, lights or lucifer matches, and no substance or article which is likely to cause explosion or fire, shall be permitted to be at any time in the magazine.

11. Due provision shall be made, by the use of suitable working clothes without pockets, or of suitable shoes, or by searching or otherwise, or by some such means, for preventing the introduction into the magazine of fire, lucifer matches or any substance or article which is likely to cause explosion or fire; and for preventing the introduction of any grit, iron or steel, into any part of the magazine where it would be likely to come into contact with explosive; and in any part of the magazine in which any explosive is kept which is liable to be dangerously affected by water, due precautions shall be taken to exclude water from such part; but this condition shall not prevent the introduction of an artificial light of such construction, position, or character as not to cause any danger of fire or explosion; and so much of this condition as relates to the exclusion of grit, iron or steel shall not be obligatory in the case of a magazine in which no explosive other than explosives of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class is kept.

12. No person shall smoke in any part of the magazine.

13. (1) The licensee shall not employ any vessel, barge or craft to carry an explosive to or from the magazine unless the cabin, hold or other part of the vessel, barge or craft to which the explosive is or is to be carried—

(a) is constructed without any exposed iron or steel in the interior thereof,

(b) contains only explosives, and

(c) is closed or otherwise properly covered over:

Provided that clause (a) shall not apply in the case of any vessel, barge or craft which carries no explosive other than explosives of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class, or which is specially exempted by an order of the Chief Inspector of Explosives or by an order of the Local Government endorsed on this license.

(2) The licensee shall see that the explosives to be placed on any vessel, barge or craft so employed are loaded, carried and unloaded with all due diligence and with such precautions and in such manner as will sufficiently guard against any accidental ignition.

14. The licensee shall see—

(a) that no fire, unprotected light or smoking is allowed while any explosive [other than explosives of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class] is being received or delivered, or while the hatches or door of the magazine, or the hatches or coverings of any vessel, barge or craft alongside containing any such explosive, are open; and

(b) that no receipt or delivery of explosive is carried on, and that the hatches or door of the magazine are or is kept closed, when any vessel, barge or craft having on board a fire (other than engine-fires properly banked up) or an unprotected light is alongside a magazine containing an explosive other than explosives of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class, or in its immediate vicinity.

15. A person under the age of fourteen years shall not be employed in or enter the magazine, except in the presence and under the supervision of some grown-up person.

16. In the case of the magazine being approachable at low water by carriages, the words "vessel, barge, or craft," in Nos. 13 and 14 of these conditions, shall be taken to include a carriage.

17. (1) Two or more descriptions of explosives, which may lawfully be possessed in a licensed magazine, may be possessed in the same magazine, if they are separated from each other by an intervening partition of such substance and character, or by such intervening space, as will effectually prevent explosion or fire in one compartment from extending to another compartment:

(2) Provided as follows:—

(a) the various explosives of classes 1 (gunpowder), 2 (nitrate-mixture), 3 (nitro-compound) and 4 (chlorate mixture), safety fuzes belonging to the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class, and such of the various explosives of the 2nd division of the 6th (ammunition) class, as do not contain any exposed iron or steel, may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space;

(b) the various explosives of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space;

(c) such of the various explosives of the 2nd division of the 6th (ammunition) class as contain any exposed iron or steel, may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space;

(d) the various explosives of the 3rd division of the 6th (ammunition) class may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space;

(e) the various explosives of the 7th (firework) class may be kept with each other without any intervening partition or space.

(3) Save as aforesaid, two or more descriptions of explosive shall not be kept in the same magazine.

FORM L.

(See rule 20.)

[FEE—FIVE RUPEES IN STAMPS.

License to sell explosives.

[Granted in a Presidency-town or its suburbs or in Rangoon by the Commissioner of Police, and elsewhere by the Dis Magistrate.]

Name, etc., of licensee and place of residence.	Place of business or shop.	Description of explosive to be sold.	Date on which licen expires.
1	2	3	4
			The 31st Dece 190 .

_____*Town or District,*

_____*190* .

Seal.

(Signature)

_____*of*_____

Conditions.

1. This license is granted subject to the provisions of the Indian Explosives Act, 188[illegible] (IV of 1884), and the rules thereunder.

2. The licensee shall keep records and accounts of all explosives in stock, and of all sales, in such form as the Local Government may from time to time direct.

3. Explosives shall not be sold to any child apparently under the age of fourteen years.

4. All explosives exceeding one pound in weight, when publicly exposed for sale or sold, shall be in a substantial case, bag, canister or other receptacle, made and closed so as to prevent the explosives from escaping; and the outermost receptacle containing such explosives shall have affixed the name of the explosives, with the word "[illegible]plosive" added thereto in conspicuous characters by means [illegible] a brand or securely attached label or other

KEPT CLEAR ROUND MAGAZINES.

e ground or by good and substantial artificial mounds of earth or mine refuse, of such height that a line drawn from any part of the magazine to any part of the item in question wi to afford a degree of protection which, in the opinion of an Inspector of Explosives, justifies a further reduction, the distance shown in the Table will be reduced to one-quarte

e thousand pounds of gunpowder, every half pound of such other explosive being reckoned as one pound of gunpowder.

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40,000 lbs.	42,000 lbs.	44,000 lbs.	46,000 lbs.	48,000 lbs.	50,000 lbs.	52,000 lbs.	54,000 lbs.	56,000 lbs.	58,000 lbs.	60,000 lbs.	62,000 lbs.	64,000 lbs.	66,000 lbs.	68,000 lbs.	70,000 lbs.	72,000 lbs.	74,000 lbs.	76,000 lbs.	78,000 lbs.	80,000 lbs.	82,000 lbs.	84,000 lbs.	86,000 lbs.	88,000 lbs.	90,000 lbs.	92,000 lbs.	94,000 lbs.	96,000 lbs.	98,000 lbs.	100,000 lbs.
70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	10
140	142	144	146	148	150	152	154	156	158	160	162	164	166	168	170	172	174	176	178	180	182	184	186	188	190	192	194	196	198	200
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
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"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"

TABLE SHOWING DISTANCES WHICH

In any case where any of the items enumerated in the first column of this Table is in the opinion of an Inspector of Explosives, effectively screened from a magazine either ss through the intervening ground or mound, the distance from that item (except for quantities one thousand pounds of explosives and under) will be reduced one-half: Provided that whe no case, however, is the distance from a Viceregal Residence to be less than one mile.

N.B.— *figures in small italics are the distances* *d when ordinary gunpowder only is to be stor* *other*

DISTANCES TO BE KEPT CLEAR FROM—		500 lbs.	1,000 lbs.	2,000 lbs.	3,000 lbs.	4,000 lbs.	5,000 lbs.	6,000 lbs.	7,000 lbs.	8,000 lbs.	9,000 lbs.	10,000 lbs.	11,000 lbs.	12,000 lbs.	13,000 lbs.	14,000 lbs.	15,000 lbs.	16,000 lbs.	17,000 lbs.	18,000 lbs.	19,000 lbs.	20,000 lbs.	22,000 lbs.	24,000 lbs.	26,000 lbs.	28,000 lbs.
Room used in connection with the magazine, in pursuance of rule 30 (1) of the rules under the Indian Explosives Act 1884, for the manufacture, possession, and sale of explosive	Yds.	50 *35*	50 *3:*	50		52	52	53	53	54					56	57			58	59	59	60	61	62	63	
Workshop used in connection with the magazine, in pursuance of rule 30 (2) of the rules under the Indian Explosives Act, 1884, for the manufacture, possession, and sale of explosives [*see note (b)*]		"	75 *50*	00 *75*		102	104	105	106	108	109				13	114		6	1'			120	122	124		128
Private Railway		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"					"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"		"
Highway or public footpath		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"					"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"		"
Open air public meeting place (as a market)		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"					"	"		"	"	"	"	"	"	"		"
Canal or navigable water		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"					"	"		"	"	"	"	"	"	"		"
Dock		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"					"	"		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
River wall or sea wall		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"					"	"		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
[illegible]		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"					"	"		"	"	"	"	"	"	"		

Any other room or workshop or any shop	„	„	„	„			„	„	„											„	„	„	„					
Any other explosive magazine or store for explosives	„	„	„	„			„	„	„											„	„	„	„		„	„	„	
Furnace, kiln or chimney	„	„	„	„	„		„	„	„	„				„					„	„	„	„		„	„	„	
Public railway	„	„	„	„	210	115 100	225 210	235 220	240 230	255				285	290	300	305	310	315	325	330		355	370	380
Dwelling-house, *with* the consent, in writing, of the occupier	„	50 35	75 50	100 75	110 90	120 100	130 110	140 125	145 140	165 160		180	190	200	205	215	220	230	235	245	250	265	280	295	310
Dwelling-house, *without* such consent	„	100 65	150 100	200 150	240 175	280 200	320 255	365 310	405 360	485 470	525	560	590	625	655	690	1	750	785	815	850	920	990	1060	1130
Factory not belonging to Government	„	„	„	„	„		„	„	„	„	„	„		„				„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Church, chapel or hospital	„	„	„	„	„		„	„	„	„	„	„		„				„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Public institution or building	„	„	„	„	„		„	„	„	„	„	„		„				„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Government building	„	„	„	„	„		„	„	„	„	„	„		„				„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Factory or magazine occupied by the Government of India or any Department under that Government—	„	„	„	„	„		„	„	„	„	„	„		„				„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
(1) *with* the consent, in writing, of the Government of India or such Department	„	„	„	„	„		„	„	„	„	„	„		„				„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
(2) Ditto Ditto *without* such consent	„	880 585	1320 880	1760 1320	1780 1540	805 760	1825 1790	1850 1820	1870 1850	1910 1905	930	950		990			c	2060	2075	2095	2110	45	2180	2215	2255
	Miles	1	1	1¼		1¼	1½	1½	1½	1½								1½	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾	2	2

NOTE—(*a*) This table furnishes the basis on which a[pplic]ati[on]s for lice[nce]s will be consid[ered] is [to be] under special [rules] of the Chief [Inspector] of

(*b*) This rule applies to two or more magazi[nes] kept[on the] e[same] premi[ses]

(1) belonging to the same occupier, or

(2) so kept by mutual consent of the res[pective] occupi[ers]

(*c*) Detonators may be kept in an annexe nea[r] [and] join[ing]

(1) The amount of explosive contained in [the] [annexe] to[o]

(2) The detonator annexe must be so con[structed] that

460	475	485	500	510	525	540	555	565	575	590	605	615	630	640	655	670	680	695	705	720	735	745	760	770	785	800	810	825	835	850	
400	415	430	445	460	475	490	505	520	535	550	565	580	595	610	625	640	655	670	685	700	715	730	745	760	775	790	805	820	835	850	
1525	1590	1655	1720	1785	1850	1915	1980	2045	2110	2175	2240	2305	2370	2435	2500	2570	2640	2710	2780	2850	2915	2980	3045	3110	3175	3240	3305	3370	3435	3500	
2465	2500	2535	2570	2605	2640	2675	2710	2745	2780	2815	2850	2885	2920	2955	3025	3060	3100	3135	3170	3205	3240	3275	3310	3345	3380	3415	3450	3485	3520		
2½	2½	2¾	2¾	2¾	3	3	3	3¼	3¼	3¼	3½	3½	3½	3¾	3¾	4	4	4	4	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼	4½	4½	4½	4¾	4¾	4¾	5	

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The 30th November 1906.

No 9359.—32.—In accordance with the provisions of section 18 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and of the notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 1964, dated the 2nd September 1887, the Governor General in Council is pleased to publish for general information the following draft rules which His Excellency in Council proposes to make, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 5 and 7 of the said Act. The draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor General in Council on the expiration of two months from the date of publication of this notification in the *Gazette of India*.

DRAFT RULES TO REGULATE THE TRANSPORT AND IMPORTATION OF EXPLOSIVES.

Preamble.

In supersession of the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 5528 (Public), dated the 11th October 1901, and of all amending notifications, and in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 5 and 7 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following rules to regulate the transport and importation of explosives.

Extent of application.

These rules extend to the whole of British India, but the rules relating to the transport of explosives shall cease to apply to any port as defined in the Indian Ports Act, 1889 (X of 1889), for which special rules made by the Local Government are for the time being in force, in so far as they are expressly superseded by, or are inconsistent with, such special rules.

General exemptions.

Nothing in these rules shall apply to the packing, transport or importation of capped safety cartridge cases, if otherwise empty, when packed, transported or imported in the same consignment with arms covered by a licence granted under the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878).*

PRELIMINARY.

Classification of explosives.

1. (*1*) For the purposes of these rules, explosives shall be classified as follows, namely:—

Class	1	Gunpowder.
"	2	Nitrate-mixture.
"	3	Nitro-compound.
"	4	Chlorate mixture
"	5	Fulminate.
"	6	Ammunition.
"	7	Firework.

(*2*) When any explosive falls within more than one of the said classes, it shall be deemed to belong exclusively to the latest of such classes.

Definition of "gunpowder" (class 1).

2. The expression "gunpowder," as used in these rules, means exclusively gunpowder ordinarily so-called.

Definition of "nitrate-mixture" (class 2).

3. The expression "nitrate-mixture," as used in these rules, means any preparation, other than gunpowder, which is formed by the mechanical mixture of a nitrate with any form of carbon or with any carbonaceous substance not possessed of explosive properties, whether sulphur be or be not added to such preparation, and whether such preparation be or be not mechanically mixed with any other non-explosive substance.

Nitrate-mixture includes, among other explosives,—

Chilworth special powder,
Fortis explosive,
Ripp-Lene,
Safety blasting powder, and
Westfallite.

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* Further exemptions are made by section 14 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884, which runs as follows:—

Saving for manufacture, possession, use, sale, transport or importation by Government.

"Nothing in this Act shall apply to the manufacture, possession, use, sale, transport or importation of any explosive—

(*a*) by order of the Government, or

(*b*) by any person employed under the Government in the execution of this Act, or as a keeper of a magazine, artizan, soldier, sailor, policeman or otherwise, or enrolled as a volunteer, under the Indian Volunteers Act, 1869, in the course of his employment or duty as such." XX of 1869.

Definition and subdivision of "nitro-compound" (class 3).

4. (*1*) The expression "nitro-compound," as used in these rules, means any chemical compound which is possessed of explosive properties or is capable of combining with metals to form an explosive compound, and is produced by the chemical action of nitric acid (whether mixed or not with sulphuric acid), or of a nitrate mixed with sulphuric acid upon any carbonaceous substance, whether such compound is mechanically mixed with other substances or not.

(*2*) Nitro-compound shall, for the purposes of these rules, be sub-divided as follows, namely:—

(*a*) Division 1, comprising—

(i) such explosives as—

Amberite No. 1,	Dynamite,
Ballistite,	Gelatine dynamite,
Blasting gelatine,	Gelignite,
Carbonite,	Lithofracteur,
Cordite,	Nitro-glycerine, and

Stonite, and

(ii) any chemical compound or mechanically mixed preparation which consists, either wholly or partly, of nitro-glycerine or some other liquid nitro-compound; and

(*b*) Division 2, comprising—

(i) such explosives as—

Amberite No. 2,	Nitrated-gun-cotton,
Ammonite,	Picrates,
Bellite,	Picric powder,
Coopal's powder,	Roburite,
Cotton gunpowder,	Sawdust and gun-cotton powder,
E. C. powder,	Schultz's powder, and
Gun-cotton ordinarily so-called,	Tonite (or cotton powder), and

(ii) any nitro-compound, as hereinbefore defined, which is not comprised in Division 1.

Definition and sub-division of "chlorate-mixture" (class 4).

5. (*1*) The expression "chlorate-mixture," as used in these rules, means any explosive containing a chlorate.

(*2*) Chlorate-mixture shall, for the purposes of these rules, be sub-divided as follows, namely:—

(*a*) Division 1, comprising—

(*i*) such explosives as—

Horsley's blasting powder, and
Brain's blasting powder, and

(*ii*) any chlorate preparation which consists partly of nitro-glycerine or of some other liquid nitro-compound, and

(*b*) Division 2, comprising—

(*i*) such explosives as—

Horsley's original blasting powder,	Hochstadter's blasting charges,
Erhardt's powder,	Reichen's blasting charges,
Reveley's powder,	Teutonite, and

Chlorated gun-cotton, and

(*ii*) any chlorate-mixture, as hereinbefore defined, which is not comprised in Division 1.

Definition and sub-division of "fulminate" (class).

6. (*1*) The expression "fulminate," as used in these rules, means any chemical compound or mechanical mixture, whether included in any of the foregoing definitions or not, which, from its great susceptibility to detonation, is suitable for employment in percussion-caps or any other appliance for developing detonation, or which, from its extreme sensibility to explosion and from its great instability (that is to say, readiness to undergo decomposition from very slight exciting causes), is especially dangerous.

(2) Fulminate shall, for the purposes of these rules, be sub-divided as follows, namely:—

(a) Division 1, comprising such compounds as the fulminates of silver and of mercury, and preparations of those substances, such as are used in percussion-caps, and any preparation consisting of a mixture of a chlorate with phosphorus, or certain descriptions of phosphorus compounds, with or without the addition of carbonaceous matter, and any preparation consisting of a mixture of a chlorate with sulphur, or with sulphuret, with or without carbonaceous matter; and

(b) Division 2, comprising such substances as the chloride and the iodide of nitrogen, fulminating gold and silver, diazobenzol, and the nitrate of diazobenzol.

Definition of "ammunition," "percussion-cap," "detonator," "safety fuze" and "safety cartridge," and sub-division of "ammunition" (class 6).

7. (1) The expression "ammunition," as used in these rules, means any explosive included in any of the foregoing definitions, when the same is enclosed in any case or contrivance, or is otherwise adapted or prepared, so as to form—

(a) a cartridge or charge for small-arms, cannon or any other weapon, or for blasting or

(b) a safety or other fuze for blasting or for shells, or

(c) a tube for firing explosives, or

(d) a percussion-cap, a detonator, a fog-signal, a shell, a torpedo, a war-rocket, or any other contrivance other than a firework.

(2) The expression "percussion-cap," as used in these rules, does not include a detonator.

(3) The expression "detonator," as used in these rules, means a capsule or case which is of such strength and construction, and contains fulminate in such quantity, that the explosion of one capsule or case would communicate the explosion to other like capsules or cases.

(4) The expression "safety fuze," as used in these rules, means a fuze for blasting which burns and does not explode, and which does not contain its own means of ignition, and which is of such strength and construction, and contains an explosive in such quantity, that the burning of such fuze would not communicate laterally with other like fuzes.

(5) The expression "safety cartridge," as used in these rules,—

(i) means a cartridge for small arms, the case of which can be extracted from the small-arm after firing, and which is so closed as to prevent any explosion in one cartridge being communicated to other cartridges; and

(ii) includes a rifle-calibre machine-gun cartridge, if it is as described in clause (i) whether it is for use with a machine-gun having chambers identical with those of rifles or with a machine-gun having special chambers.

Provided that the diameter of the cartridge in either case (i) or case (ii) does not exceed one inch.

(6) Ammunition shall, for the purposes of these rules, be sub-divided as follows, namely:—

(a) Division 1, comprising exclusively—

Safety cartridges,
Safety fuzes for blasting,
Railway fog-signals, and
Percussion-caps; and

(b) Division 2, comprising any ammunition, as hereinbefore defined, which does not contain its own means of ignition and is not included in Division 1, such as—

Cartridges for small-arms, other than safety cartridges,
Cartridges and charges for cannon, shells, mines, blasting or other like purposes,
Shells and torpedoes containing any explosive,
Fuzes for blasting, other than safety fuzes,
Fuzes for shells,
Tubes for firing explosives, and
War-rockets,

which do not contain their own means of ignition; and

(*c*) Division 3, comprising any ammunition, as hereinbefore defined, which contains its own means of ignition and is not included in Division 1, such as—

Detonators,
Cartridges for small-arms, which are not safety cartridges,
Fuzes for blasting, which are not safety fuzes,
Fuzes for shells, and
Tubes for firing explosives,

containing their own means of ignition.

Explanation.—The expression "ammunition containing its own means of ignition" means ammunition having an arrangement, whether attached to or forming part of the ammunition, which is adapted to explode or fire the ammunition by friction or percussion.

Sub-Division of "firework" (class 7.

8. Fireworks shall, for the purposes of these rules, be sub-divided as follows, namely:—

(1) Division 1, comprising firework compositions, that is to say,—

(*a*) any chemical compound or mechanically mixed preparation of an explosive or inflammable nature, which is used for the purpose of making manufactured fireworks, and is not included in any of the foregoing definitions,

(*b*) any star, and

(*c*) (except as declared in the proviso to this rule) any coloured fire composition; and

(2) Division 2, comprising manufactured fireworks, that is to say, any explosive of class 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6 and any firework composition, when such explosive or composition is enclosed in any case or contrivance, or is otherwise manufactured so as to form a squib, cracker, toy cap or amorce, serpent, rocket (other than a war-rocket), maroon, lance, wheel, Chinese fire, Roman candle, or other article specially adapted for the production of pyrotechnic effects or pyrotechnic signals or sound signals:

Provided that a substantially constructed and hermetically closed metal case containing not more than one pound of coloured fire composition of such a nature as not to be liable to spontaneous ignition shall be deemed to be a "manufactured firework" and not a "firework composition."

TRANSPORT.

Packing of Explosives for conveyance.

9. The following general rules shall be observed with respect to the packing of explosives for conveyance:—

(1) Unless the context otherwise requires,—

the expression "outer package" means a box, barrel, case or cylinder, of wood, metal or other solid material, of such strength, construction and character that it will not be broken or accidentally opened, nor become defective or insecure whilst being conveyed, and will not allow any explosive to escape;

the expression "inner package" means a substantial case, bag, canister or other receptacle, made and closed so as to prevent any explosive from escaping;

the expression "authorized explosive" means exclusively an explosive included in a List of Authorized Explosives prepared by the Chief Inspector of Explosives with the Government of India, and published annually in the *Gazette of India*, and in force for the time being;

the expression "propellant" means an authorized explosive of class 3 adapted and intended exclusively for use as a propelling charge in cannon or small arms; and the expression "special authority" means a written authority granted by the Chief Inspector of Explosives, to which may be attached such conditions as may, in the opinion of the Chief Inspector of Explosives, be necessary to meet the special requirements of the case.

(2) The interior of every package shall be free from grit and otherwise clean.

(3) Save as hereinafter provided, there shall not be any iron or steel in the construction of any package unless the same is covered with suitable material so as effectually to prevent the exposure of such iron or steel.

(4) Every package when actually used for the packing of one explosive shall not be used for the packing of any other explosive or any other article or substance.

Provided that this rule shall not prevent the packing of inner packages containing a propellant in an outer package with inner packages containing gunpowder or another propellant:

Provided also that this rule shall not prevent the packing of any article which is not of an inflammable or explosive nature, or liable to cause fire or explosion, in the same package as an explosive of the 1st Division of the 6th (Ammunition) Class.

(5) Subject to the foregoing provisions, the following shall be the method of packing authorized explosives of the various classes, respectively, and the maximum amounts which may be in any one package :—

Class.	Method of packing.	Amount in any one outer package.	Amount in any one inner package.
Class 1 .	When the quantity in any one consignment does not exceed 5 lbs. in amount, a single outer package ; otherwise		
	A double package, the inner and outer packages being as above defined.	100 lbs. Provided that where gunpowder and propellant are packed together the amount shall not exceed— 50 lbs.	100 lbs. 25 lbs.
Class 2	As for Class 1	50 lbs.	50 lbs.
Class 3, Division 1, other than propellants.	As for Class 1, provided that either the outer or inner package shall be thoroughly waterproof, and both shall be without metal in the construction thereof.	50 lbs.	5 lbs.
Class 3, Division 1, propellants.	As for Class 1	50 lbs.	50 lbs.
Class 3, Division 2, other than Picric Acid and Wet Guncotton.	As for Class 1	50 lbs.	50 lbs.
Picric Acid . . .	As for Class 1	Unlimited.	Unlimited.
Guncotton so wetted with water as to be absolutely uninflammable.	As for Class 1, provided that the inner or outer package, or both of them, shall be of such a nature, and so closed, as to prevent any material loss of moisture during conveyance.	Unlimited.	Unlimited
Class 4 .	As for Class 1	50 lbs.	50 lbs.
Class 5 .	Packed in water. A treble package, the innermost package being a bag permeable to water, enclosed in a case containing sufficient water to ensure the explosive being kept constantly wet; and the outer package containing sufficient water constantly to surround the case. Both the case and the outer package shall be of such construction as will not allow water to escape.	200 lbs.	25 lbs.
	If the explosive is of such character that it cannot be packed in a thoroughly wet condition, it shall be packed in accordance with conditions set forth in a special authority.		
Class 6, Division 1, other than Pin-fire cartridges for pistols.	A single outer package : Provided that the above general rule (3) shall not apply to explosives of this Division.	Unlimited.	.....
	Provided also that bulleted cartridges of a calibre exceeding 0·5 inch and belonging to this Division shall be packed in such a manner that the point of any bullet cannot come in contact with the cap of another cartridge.		
Pin-fire cartridges for pistols.	(a) Not exceeding 50 in number in any one consignment :—So packed in a single package that the bases lie alternately in opposite directions. The bases and pins shall be so fitted into perforations in millboard or other suitable material as to prevent the firing of any one of the said cartridges by an explosion in any other of the said cartridges.	50 in number.	.....

Class.	Method of packing.	Amount in any one outer package.	Amount in any one inner
	i) Exceeding 50 in number :—In an inner and outer package, the cartridges being packed in inner packages with millboard asab ove required.	2,500 in number.	50 in number.
Class 6, Division 2 .	:xplosives made up into cartridges or charges for cannon, shells, torpedoes, mines, blasting or other like purposes, shall be packed in such manner and in such quantity as is required for the same explosive when not so made up ; provided that, where a double package is required, the enclosing case of such cartridges or charges may, if it satisfies the conditions required for an inner package, be held to be such inner package.		
	Other ammunition of this Division :—A single outer package.	100 lbs.	
Class 6, Division 3, other than Detonators and Electric Detonators.	ıs for Class 1 . . . . 'rovided that bulleted cartridges of a calibre exceeding 0·5 inch and belonging to this Division shall be packed in such a manner that the point of any bullet cannot come in contact with the cap of another cartridge.	50 lbs.	2 lbs. or 10 in number, whichever be the greater.
Detonators	(*a*) Not exceeding 1,000 in any one consignment :—As for Class 1, provided that the detonators and the spaces between the same and between the sides of the inner package and the said detonators shall all be filled, as far as practicable, with fine sawdust or other similar material ; a layer of felt or other soft yielding material shall be placed between both ends of all the detonators and the interior of the inner package in which the same are placed, in such manner, and so secured, that both ends of the detonators will rest upon the said cotton wool or other material ; every inner package, if of metal, to be lined throughout with paper or other soft material ; and	1,000 in number	100 in number.
	(*b*) Exceeding 1,000 detonators :—		
	The detonators shall be packed in inner packages, with sawdust and cotton wool as above described. Such inner packages shall be placed inside a substantial case of wood or metal, made and closed so as to prevent any of the inner packages escaping therefrom, and such case shall be placed inside an outer package in such manner and so secured as to leave a clear space of not less than three inches between the case and every part of the interior of the said outer package, notwithstanding that such clear space may, if preferred, be filled with sawdust, straw, or other similar material, or may contain a light framework or battens of wood to keep the case aforesaid in position in the outer package ; and	10,000 in number	100 in number.
	(*c*) where the number of detonators exceeds 5,000, such outer package shall be provided with handles or other contrivance by means of which it can be safely and conveniently carried.		

Class.	Method of packing.	Amount in any one outer package.	Amount in any one inner package.
Electric Detonators .	As for Class 1, provided that where the number in any outer package exceeds 3,000, such outer package shall be provided with handles or other contrivance, by means of which it can be safely and conveniently carried.	5,000 in number.	100 in number.
Class 7, Division 1 . .	Double package, the inner package being hermetically closed, and contained in an outer package as above defined.	20 lbs.	1 lb.
Class 7, Division 2 . .	Single outer package, provided that the above general rule (3) shall not apply to explosives of this Division.	100 lbs.	.....

(6) Nothing in this rule shall be deemed to prohibit the use of an additional package whether inner or outer, provided that such additional package shall not be of such character as shall have been prohibited in writing by the Chief Inspector of Explosives.

(7) An explosive which is not an authorized explosive shall be packed in such manner as may be directed by a special authority with reference to such explosive.

(8) On the outermost package there shall be affixed in conspicuous characters, by means of a brand or securely attached label or other mark, the word "Explosive," the name of the explosive, the number of the class and division to which it belongs, and the name of the manufacturer or sender.

In the case of explosives of Classes 3 and 4, there shall be added the date of manufacture or issue from the factory, or such sign indicating such date as may be approved by the Chief Inspector of Explosives.

Provided, first, that in the case of cartridges or charges for cannon, shells, mines, blasting or other like purpose, which do not contain their own means of ignition, the marking shall be as for the explosive when not so made up.

Provided, secondly, that in the case of explosives of Class 6, Division I (Safety Fuzes excepted), there shall be added the words "Not liable to explode in bulk."

Provided, thirdly, that in the case of Pin-fire cartridges for pistols there shall be added the words "Pin-fire cartridges."

Provided, fourthly, that in the case of Safety Fuzes or Gunpowder the word "Explosive" and the number of the class and division may be omitted, and

Provided, fifthly, that, where an outer package contains more than one explosive, the marking above required shall be affixed separately in respect of each explosive so contained.

(9) To meet special cases exemption may be granted by special authority from the observance of any one or more of the condition imposed by this rule.

10. Whoever commits a breach of any of the foregoing rules relating to the packing of explosives for conveyance shall be punishable with fine which may extend to Rs. 1,000. Per

11. The following general rules shall be observed with respect to the conveyance of explosives: Mo con

I.—No explosive shall be conveyed from place to place unless packed in the manner provided for in the foregoing rules.

II.—There shall not be conveyed in any carriage or vessel which is being used for the conveyance of an explosive, any explosive of a different class and division, of whatsoever nature, which contains its own means of ignition, unless it is sufficiently separated therefrom to prevent any fire or explosion which may take place in one such explosive being communicated to another.

III.—Except in the case of small consignments carried by railway which may be unloaded at any time, explosives shall be loaded or unloaded only between sunrise and sunset. For the purposes of this rule no consignment of more than half a wagon-load booked to one station shall be deemed to be a small consignment.

IV.—Whilst the explosive is being loaded on or unloaded out of any carriage or vessel, no fire or artificial light, or any article which is liable to cause or communicate fire or explosion [such as charcoal, lucifer matches, articles for striking a light, petroleum to which the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), or any other Act for the time being in force regarding the importation, possession, and transport of petroleum, applies, or any spirit or oil or substance that gives forth an inflammable vapour at a temperature below 100° Fahrenheit] shall be, or shall be allowed to be, brought, had or used dangerously near to such carriage, ship, or boat, and no smoking shall be allowed in, on, or dangerously near to, the same:

Provided that when the use of a light for the purposes of such loading or unloading is unavoidable, a lamp of such construction, position, or character as not to cause any danger from fire or explosion may be used; and no person, while handling any explosive (except an explosive of Division 1, Class 6, if packed in accordance with the packing rules) shall wear boots or shoes with iron or steel nails, heels or tips.

V.—In the loading or unloading of any explosive, the casks and packages containing the same shall be passed from hand to hand and not rolled upon the ground; they shall not be thrown or dropped down, but shall be carefully deposited and stowed.

VI.—The explosive shall not be conveyed except in the interior of a carriage so enclosed on all sides with wood or metal, or in the hold of a ship or boat having a close deck so closed, as effectually to protect the explosive against accident by fire from without. If the explosive cannot be so secured, it shall be completely covered with painted cloth, tarpaulin, or other suitable material so as to effectually protect it against communication of fire.

VII.—There shall not be any iron or steel in the interior of the portion of the carriage or vessel with which the case containing the explosive is or may come in contact, unless the same is effectually covered with leather, wood, cloth, or other suitable material.

VIII.—In the stowing of the explosive, due precautions shall be taken by means of a partition or otherwise and by careful stowing to secure such explosive from being brought into contact with, or endangered by, any other article or substance conveyed in such carriage or vessel which is liable to cause fire or explosion; and if the explosive is dangerously affected by water, due precautions shall be taken to exclude water from coming into contact with such explosive.

IX.—The amount of the explosives conveyed in any one carriage or vessel at any one time shall not exceed 2,000 lbs. unless the carriage be so enclosed on all sides with wood or metal, or the vessel have a close deck so closed, as effectually to protect the explosive against accident by fire from without, in which case the amount of the explosives conveyed shall not exceed the following:*

	Tons.
In any one carriage on a railway	10
In any one other carriage	2
In any one vessel	20

* NOTE.—This rule shall, in the case of dynamite conveyed by railway, be read subject to paragraph XII of Rule 13.

X.—Nothing in the foregoing rules (except Rule 1) shall apply to any explosive of the 1st Division of the 6th (Ammunition) Class:

Provided that all due precautions are taken for the prevention of accidents.

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12. The following rules shall be observed with respect to the conveyance of explosives otherwise than by railway:

I.—No explosive shall be conveyed in a carriage or boat whilst carrying or plying for public passengers, unless the quantity is less than 5 lbs. and notice has been given beforehand to the person in charge of such carriage or boat: and all due precautions are taken for the prevention of accidents by fire or explosion:

Provided that there shall not be conveyed in any such carriage or boat any explosive of the 5th (Fulminate) Class or any explosive of the 3rd Division of the 6th (Ammunition) Class or of the 1st Division of the 7th (Firework) Class, except detonators packed according to Rule 9 to the number of 200:

Provided that the amount of explosive of the 5th (Fulminate) class in the detonator shall in no case exceed in the aggregate 3 oz. (a certificate to this effect being given by the agent of the company by whom the detonators are tendered for transport):

Provided also that no other explosive is carried in the same compartment.

II.—With respect to the conveyance by carriage or vessel of explosives of the 5th (Fulminate) class, or of the 3rd Division of the 6th (Ammunition) Class or of the 1st Division of the 7th (Firework) Class, or of larger quantities than 5 lbs. of any other explosive, the following regulations shall be observed:

(1) The person in charge of the carriage or vessel shall not drive or conduct the same in a dangerous or reckless manner, and shall take all due precautions to avoid fire and explosion, and no person shall do any act or thing in relation to the explosive which tends to cause fire or explosion, and is not reasonably necessary for the conveyance of the explosive or for work immediately connected with such conveyance; and a person who is intoxicated shall not have charge of any carriage or vessel conveying explosive, and shall not be permitted to be in, or on, or attending the same.

(2) A person shall not forward to any warehouseman or carrier a consignment of explosive, unless he has given notice to such warehouseman or carrier beforehand, stating the name and quantity of the explosive proposed to be conveyed, and the name and address of the proposed consignee, and has had an intimation that the warehouseman or carrier is prepared to receive the

consignment, and a warehouseman or carrier shall not make such an intimation nor receive such consignment, unless he is prepared to receive it, and forthwith to despatch the same, or to deposit it in a magazine or at a place at which a person is licensed to possess the same.

(3) The carriage or vessel conveying the explosive shall be in charge of, and constantly attended by, some competent person, or by a sufficient number of competent persons, and such persons shall not, if the amount of the explosive conveyed exceed 100 lbs., stop or delay for a longer time than may be reasonably necessary or stop unnecessarily at any place where such stopping would be attended with special public danger.

III.—No explosive belonging to class 1 (gunpowder class), class 2 (nitrate-mixture class), class 3 (nitro-compound class), class 4 (chlorate-mixture class) or class 5 (fulminate class), shall be carried, otherwise than by rail, across any railway bridge over which reasonable facilities for the conveyance thereof by rail are afforded by the Railway Administration.

Provided that this prohibition shall not apply in respect of quantities of explosives of class 1 (gunpowder class) or class 3 (nitro-compound class) not exceeding 5 lbs. in weight.

Conveyance on public railway

13. The following rules shall be observed with respect to the conveyance of explosives by public railways :

I.—No person shall send for carriage upon any railway any consignment of an explosive, unless he has given to the officer in charge of the railway station previous notice in writing which, at the option of the Railway Administration, may extend to 48 hours, of his intention to send such consignment, and stating the true name, description, quantity, and mode of packing of the explosive proposed to be conveyed, and his own name and address, and also the name and address of the proposed consignee, and unless he has had an intimation in writing from an authorized officer of the railway that such consignment will be received.

II.—No explosive which a Railway Administration shall, by any notice or regulation for the time being in force, notify that they will not receive, shall be brought, sent, or forwarded to or upon any railway of the said Railway Administration.

III.—Consignments of explosives shall be sent to the forwarding station and shall be received by the railway servants only at such times, between sunrise and sunset, as the Railway Administration may appoint; and every package containing any explosive proposed to be conveyed on any railway shall immediately on arrival at the station be unloaded and placed in a safe place under the special direction of the officer in charge of the station.

All gunpowder under despatch or receipt by a Government arsenal, depôt, or factory, shall be loaded or unloaded in the railway vans by Government servants employed in such arsenal, depôt, or factory. In each van used by the railway for the transport of gunpowder the packages of gunpowder shall be secured in such a way as to prevent concussion when the train is in motion.

IV.—An explosive shall be removed by the consignee from the receiving station during the twelve hours of daylight after arrival: if this condition is not strictly complied with, the Railway Administration may return the consignment to the consignor at his risk and expense. And such packages shall in the meanwhile be kept as far away from the station buildings as possible, in the wagon they were conveyed in, or, if unloaded, shall be completely covered with tarpaulins or other suitable material, and if necessary, shall be protected by a police guard.

V.—The Railway Administration may refuse to receive any packages which they suspect to contain any explosive packed or sent in contravention of these regulations. And in case any package, which the Railway Administration suspect, shall be upon any railway, the Railway Administration may open, or require to be opened, such package to ascertain the fact, at the risk and expense of the consignor, and may return the explosive contained in the package to the consignor at his risk and expense, keeping the packages, pending such return in the manner prescribed in the preceding rule.

VI.—Subject to the exception provided for in clause (*e*), no explosive shall be conveyed by passenger train except of the kinds and in the manner hereinafter specified in this rule :

(*a*) Safety-cartridges and percussion-caps and safety-fuze (for blasting), also fog signals for railway use which may be conveyed in ordinary wagons or carriages.

(*b*) Explosives of the 3rd (nitro-compound) class which may be carried in the form of cartridges up to the limit of 5 lbs. :

Provided that no detonators are carried in the same compartment.

(*c*) Detonators packed according to Rule 9 may be carried to the number of 200 :

Provided that in no case the amount of fulminate of mercury in the package or packages containing the detonators exceeds in the aggregate 2 oz. (a

certificate to this effect being given by the company, firm, or person tendering the detonators for transport or by its or his agent :

Provided also that no other explosive is carried in the same compartment.

(*d*) Sporting gunpowder or non-safety cartridges packed in double cases as before provided, so long as the gunpowder is contained in one-pound tin canisters packed in a stout wooden case with an outer covering of tin or zinc completely spark-proof, or in metal-lined cases of a pattern approved by the Railway Administration. But no outer case shall contain more than 25 lbs. of gunpowder, and the total consignment of gunpowder or non safety cartridges by one train shall not exceed 80 lbs.

(*e*) Explosives may be carried by mixed trains on any line on which goods trains are not running, subject to the conditions that they are loaded in properly constructed powder vans; that not more than one powder van containing explosives is forwarded at any one time by a mixed train; that there are not less than three vehicles between the powder-van and either the engine or the passenger coaches; that the powder van is close coupled to the adjoining vehicles; and that directly a powder van containing explosives arrives at a section on which goods trains are running, it is detached from the mixed train.

VII.—Not more than five carriages containing explosives shall be loaded or unloaded at any railway station, or be conveyed by any one train at any one time; and the quantity of explosive to be contained in any one carriage shall not exceed two-thirds of the normal load, unless the carriages shall be specially built and approved by the Railway Board for the conveyance of explosives. But nothing in this clause shall be held to apply to separate consignments of safety cartridges for small arms.

VIII.—There shall not be conveyed in the same carriage with any explosive any lucifer or other matches, fuzes, pipelights, acids, naptha, paraffine, petroleum to which the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), or any other Act for the time being in force regarding the importation, possession, and transport of petroleum, applies or any other volatile spirit substance liable to give off an inflammable vapour or liable to spontaneous ignition, or to cause or communicate fire or explosion.

IX.—The consignor shall attach to the consignment note a certificate or (provided the original is produced for verification) copy of a certificate, signed by an officer authorized by the Local Government in this behalf that the explosive if it is an explosive of class 3 or 4, is of the standard purity; and further in the case of dynamite, and all nitro-glycerine compounds, that there are no signs of exuded nitro-glycerine or of liquefaction. The consignor shall also certify that the explosive has been packed in accordance with the packing rules in force in England or in British India.

X.—In the case of explosives under classes 3 and 4, the outer packages shall be marked with the date of the manufacture of the explosives. The abovementioned certificate shall contain sufficient information to admit of all packages being easily recognized.

XI.—The certificate referred to in Rule 13 (IX) shall be valid for six months after date, if the examination has been made between the 15th October and 31st March, but any Railway Administration which accepts dynamite and other nitro-glycerine compounds for transport may demand a fresh certificate for these explosives, if presented for conveyance between 1st April and 15th October (both inclusive).

XII.—Packages containing dynamite and other blasting explosives of the 3rd (nitro-compound) class, or explosives of the 4th (chlorate-mixture), 5th (fulminate) classes or of the 1st division of the 7th (firework) class shall be stowed in one layer only and secured so as to prevent movement during transit, and the gross load in any one wagon shall not exceed 3 tons :

Provided that, if the packages of explosive are in rectangular form and are properly secured so as to prevent movement during transit, they may be stowed in any number of layers not exceeding five, and the gross load in any one wagon shall not exceed 5 tons.

XIII.—No explosive of the 5th (fulminate) class or of the 3rd division of the 6th (ammunition) class, or of the 7th (firework) class shall be carried in the same train with any explosive not of the class and division to which it belongs, unless it be sufficiently separated therefrom to prevent any fire or explosion which may take place in one such explosive being communicated to another.

XIV.—Wagons used for the carriage of explosives shall be examined to see that they are spark-proof, and have been cleaned out before they are loaded. Hair, cloth, hides, or other suitable materials shall be spread on the floor of the wagon and between each layer of packages, except when the packages are covered with gunny or felt, or contain safety cartridges for small arms packed in tin-lined service-pattern boxes.

XV.—Wagons containing explosives shall be loaded and unloaded on sidings distant as far as possible from the station buildings.

XVI.—Packages containing explosives other than those referred to in Rule 13 (XII) shall not be stored in more than three layers one above the other. But if the packages are in rectangular form and of uniform size (provided they are double packages, and are so secured as to prevent movement during transit) they may be packed in five layers one above the other. But in the case of safety cartridges, for small arms packed in tin-lined service-pattern boxes, there is no restriction. Subject to the provisions of Rule 11 (III), the loading and unloading of explosives when once begun shall be diligently proceeded with until the same is completed.

XVII.—When the train is being marshalled, wagons loaded with explosive, may be shunted by a locomotive, if they are separated from the engine by not less than three wagons containing no explosive nor easily inflammable substance. This precaution is not necessary with wagons specially constructed for the carriage of explosives. The speed of these movements shall be restricted to five miles an hour; they shall be superintended by a duly authorized officer, who shall be held responsible for the observance of these orders. Flying shunts are strictly prohibited.

XVIII.—Wagons containing explosives shall be placed at the end of the train away from the locomotive, and shall be close-coupled to one another as well as to the adjoining wagons, and shall be preceded and followed by three wagons not loaded with explosive or other traffic of an inflammable nature:

Provided as follows;—

(*a*) on the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway, wagons containing explosives and adjoining wagons need not be close-coupled to one another; and

(*b*) on the Nilgiri Railway only one wagon need intervene between the locomotive and wagons containing explosives.

XIX.—If the wagons employed in the transport of explosives are provided with brakes other than iron brakes, the brakes thereon shall on no account be worked while the wagons are running with a train, nor shall brakes, other than iron brakes, on vehicles immediately adjoining such wagons, be worked while such wagons are so running.

XX.—Wagons shall in every case be locked when loaded with explosives.

XXI.—All operations connected with the transhipment of explosives at junction stations shall take place during daylight.

14. Whoever commits a breach of any of the foregoing rules relating to the mode of conveyance of explosives shall be punishable with a fine which may extend to Rs. 100.

IMPORTATION.

15. Subject to the following provisos, an explosive shall not be imported by sea or land into British India, except under and in accordance with the conditions of a license to import the explosive.

Provided that explosives may be imported by sea, previous to the grant of an importation license, in accordance with rules I, II, III, and IV of this rule.

I.—Any explosive other than an explosive specified in rule 18 may, previously to the grant of license to import, if it is included in a list published under clause (1) of rule 9 and for the time being in force, and if it is certified to be of British manufacture or, if not of British manufacture, if it is imported from the United Kingdom and covered by the certificate granted by one of His Majesty's Inspector of Explosives in England, be landed in acordance with such regulations as the Local Government may prescribe in this behalf and be stored in a place set apart by the Local Government for this purpose, or in any private magazine declared by the Local Government to be suitable therefor.

II.—Any such explosive of British manufacture, may also be transported by rail to any such private magazines previously to the grant of a license to import.

III.—The Governor-General in Council may extend to any such explosive not of British manufacture regarding which he is satisfied that it has been manufactured under adequate official supervision the privilege of landing granted by rule I but such explosives may not be transported by rail until an importation license has been granted.

IV.—Before any explosive is landed under rules I and III, the consignee shall give to the Chief Customs officer of the port such undertaking, with or without security, as the said officer thinks sufficient, to obey, in the event of the explosive failing to satisfy the prescribed tests, such directions as to its disposal as the Local Government may see fit to prescribe.

If samples are taken, the procedure shall be that described in rule 23.

Provided, also, that explosives of British manufacture may be imported by land, previous to the grant of an importation license, in accordance with rules V and VI of this rule.

V.—Explosives (except those specified in rule 18) included in a list published under rule 9 (1); and certified to be of British manufacture, may, previously to the grant of a license, be imported and conveyed under such conditions as the Local Government may prescribe, to a magazine appointed in this behalf by the Local Government.

VI.—Before an explosive is imported under rule V, the consignee shall give to the Magistrate of the District in which the magazine appointed under rule V is situate, or to the Commissioner of Police if such magazine is situate in a Presidency town or Rangoon, such notice of his intention to import the explosive as the Local Government may prescribe; and shall give such undertaking, with or without security, as the said District Magistrate or Commissioner of Police may require, that he will, in the event of the explosive failing to satisfy the prescribed tests comply with such directions as to its disposal as the Local Government may issue.

If samples are taken, the procedure laid down in rule 24 shall be followed.

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16. Whoever imports an explosive in contravention of rule 15 shall be punishable with fine which may extend to three thousand rupees.

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17. An explosive shall not be imported by sea except at one of the ports of Calcutta (including Moyapur and Diamond Harbour), Madras, Bombay, Rangoon, Calicut, Karachi Aden and (in the case of crackers only) Negapatam and Moulmein. But a license to import an explosive by sea from Rangoon into the port of Akyab, Sandoway, Kyouk Phyoo, Tavoy, Mergui or Victoria Point as the case may be, may be granted by the Magistrate of the District in which such port is situated. The fee payable in respect of each such license shall be one rupee, and the license shall be in Form A in the schedule hereto annexed.

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18. If the explosive is gunpowder or an explosive of the 1st division of the 6th (ammunition) class or of the 7th (firework) class, the license to import the same may be granted,—

(*a*) if the importation is by sea, by the Commissioner of Police of Calcutta, Madras, Bombay or Rangoon, or the District Magistrate of Calicut, Karachi, Aden, Negapatam or Moulmein as the case may be, and,

(*b*) if the importation is by land, by the officer appointed to grant licenses under rule 21.

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19. The fee payable in respect of each such license shall be Rs. 10; but if any explosive imported under a license into a British port is exported thence to another British port named in Rule 17 the necessary license for such re-import may be granted on payment of a fee of one rupee instead of Rs. 10.

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20. Licenses for the importation by sea of any explosives other than those specified in Rule 18 shall be granted by the Local Government or by some officer specially authorized by the Local Government in this behalf.

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21. Licenses for the importation of explosives into British India by land shall be granted by the Magistrate of the District to which the explosives are consigned, or, if the explosives are consigned to a Presidency-town, or Rangoon by the Commissioner of Police. The fee payable in respect of each such license shall be Rs. 10.

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22. No license shall be granted for the importation of any explosives of the description referred to in Rule 20 unless—

(*a*) it is an explosive authorized for manufacture in, or importation into, the United Kingdom for general sale,

(*b*) its importation is recommended by the Chief Inspector of Explosives with the Government of India, and,

(*c*) if it is an explosive for which a test or examination has been prescribed by or under the orders of the Government of India, samples of it taken as hereinafter provided are certified by the Chemical Examiner or some other officer appointed by the Local Government in this behalf to have passed the test or examination from time to time prescribed.

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23. On the arrival in any port at which the importation of explosives is lawful, of a ship having on board an explosive other than an explosive of the description referred to in Rule 18, such officer as the Chief Customs Officer authorizes in this behalf shall, as soon as may be, proceed on board and shall, if testing or examination is requisite under the last preceding rule, obtain samples of the explosive.

All explosives of which samples are taken for examination shall forthwith be deposited in a place or magazine set apart or notfied under rule 15 I., and shall not be distributed for use until the importer has received from the licensing authority notice that it may be so distributed.

The master of the ship shall give to the said officer, without charge, such samples as he may require. The said officer shall affix to each such sample the name of the ship and of the consignee and such other distinguishing marks as he may think necessary, and shall forward the same to the Chemical Examiner or officer, as aforesaid, for report.

The Chemical Examiner or officer as aforesaid, after testing the said samples, shall without delay forward to the licensing authority, through the Chief Customs Officer, a report under his signature certifying whether the explosive has satisfied the prescribed test.

24. When an explosive imported by land has been conveyed to, and deposited in, the magazine referred to in rule 15.V, the person owning or being in charge of such magazine shall forthwith, if the testing or examination of the explosive is required by Rule 22, deliver free of charge to such officer or person as may be appointed by the Local Government in this behalf such samples as he may require. No explosive of which a sample has been so taken, shall be removed to its destination or distributed for use until the Importer or the person in charge of the magazine has received from the licensing authority a notice that it may be so removed or distributed. *Testing of imports by land in certain cases.*

The officer or person appointed as aforesaid shall affix to the sample received by him the name of the consignee and such other distinguishing marks as he may think necessary, and shall forward the sample for report to the Chemical Examiner or other officer appointed by the Local Government in this behalf.

The Chemical Officer or such other officer as aforesaid shall, after testing the sample, without delay forward to the licensing authority, through the officer or person from whom he received the sample, a report under his signature certifying whether the prescribed test has been satisfied.

25. Explosives, other than those referred to in Rule 18, which have already undergone the test prescribed by Rules 22 and 23 at the ports of Calcutta (including Moyapur and Diamond Harbour), Madras, Bombay, Rangoon, Calicut, Karachi, or Aden, may be re-imported by sea into any other of those ports under a license granted under Rule 20 without re-testing, but subject, in the case of such explosives as are mentioned in Rule 13, Clause IX, to the production of the certificate prescribed in that clause. *Re-importation from one prescribed port into another.*

Such certificate shall be valid for six months after date, if the examination has been made between the 15th October and 31st March; but in the case of dynamite, a fresh certificate may be demanded if the consignment is imported between the 1st April and 15th October (both inclusive).

26. The period for which a license to import an explosive, granted under Rules 20 and 21 shall continue in force shall not exceed such period as may seem necessary to the authority granting the license. *Duration of license granted under Rules 20 and 21.*

27. The fee payable on a license granted under Rule 20 shall be Rs. 10, but if any explosive imported under a license into a British port is exported thence to another British port named in Rule 17, the necessary license for such re-import may be granted on payment of a fee of one rupee instead of Rs. 10. *Fees for licenses granted under Rule 20.*

28. Every license granted under Rules 18, 20 and 21, shall be in Form A in the Schedule hereto annexed, and shall be subject to the conditions therein prescribed, and also to such additional conditions with respect to the time and place of unloading, landing, delivery and conveyance of the explosive, and such other conditions as may in each case be thought by the licensing officer to be necessary for the public safety or in the interest of the State. *Form of licenses under Rules 18, 20 and 21.*

29. Whoever commits a breach of any condition, subject to which a license under Rules 18, 20 and 21 is granted, shall be punishable with fine which may extend to three thousand rupees. *Penalty.*

30. (1) Any of the officers mentioned in clause (2) of this rule may, within the areas respectively specified in that clause, but subject to the provisions of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), and of any rules for the time being in force thereunder, in cases to which that Act applies,— *Powers of inspection, search, seizure, etc.*

(a) enter, inspect and examine any carriage or vessel in which an explosive is being transported or imported under a license granted under these rules or any prior rules made under the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), or in which he has reason to believe that an explosive has been or is being transported or imported in contravention of the said rules or Act, and may enter, inspect and examine any magazine or place in which explosives are stored under the provisions of rule 15;

(b) search for explosives in any such carriage, vessel, magazine, or place;

(c) take samples of any explosives found therein, on payment of the value thereof, if payment can be made at the time the samples are taken; and

(d) seize, detain, remove and, if necessary, destroy or otherwise render harmless any explosive found therein in respect of which he has reason to believe that any of the provisions of the said rules or Act have been contravened.

(2) The officers and areas referred to in clause (1) of this rule are:—

Officers.	Areas.
The Chief Inspector and Inspector of Explosives.	In all parts of British India.
All District Magistrates.	Within their respective districts.
All Magistrates subordinate to the District Magistrate.	Within the areas respectively subject to their jurisdiction.
The Commissioner of Police, and all Police-officers of rank not below that of Inspector, if specially deputed in this behalf by the Commissioner of Police.	In Presidency towns and Rangoon.
All Police-officers of rank not below that of Inspector.	Within the respective areas over which their authority extends.

(3) Whenever the Chief Inspector or an Inspector of Explosives, or any Magistrate subordinate to the District Magistrate, or any Police-officer seizes, detains or removes any explosive under this rule, he shall report the fact to the District Magistrate or (in a Presidency town or its suburbs or in Rangoon) the Commissioner of Police.

(4) Neither the Chief Inspector nor an Inspector of Explosives, nor any Magistrate subordinate to the District Magistrate, nor any Police officer shall under these rules destroy or otherwise render harmless any explosive without the previous sanction of the District Magistrate or (in a Presidency-town or its suburbs or in Rangoon) the Commissioner of Police unless the matter appears urgent and fraught with serious public danger.

(5) Whenever any officer destroys any explosive or otherwise renders it harmless, he shall take and keep a sample thereof, and shall if required, give a portion of the sample to the person owning the explosives or having the same under his control at the time of seizure; and, whenever any officer other than the District Magistrate or Commissioner of Police so deals with any explosive, he shall report the circumstances to the District Magistrate or (in a Presidency-town or its suburbs or in Rangoon) the Commissioner of Police.

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31. Every license granted under these rules shall be liable to be forfeited on breach of any of the conditions subject to which it is granted.

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32. If a person licensed to import an explosive dies or becomes bankrupt or becomes mentally incapable or otherwise disabled, the person carrying on the business of such licensee shall not be liable to any penalty or forfeiture under the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), or the rules thereunder for acting under the license during such reasonable time as may be necessary to allow him to make an application to the authority granting the license for a new license in his own name during the currency of the unexpired portion of the original license. Such new license shall be granted on payment of one rupee.

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33. All fees chargeable for licenses under these rules shall ordinarily be levied by means of impressed stamps. An application for the grant or the renewal of a license shall bear the proper stamp: provided that, if it is refused, the value of the separate stamp (if any) which may have been already provided by the applicant for the desired license or renewed license, *minus* the deductions prescribed by section 54 of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899), may be refunded to the applicant. An application should not be made on the stamped paper intended for the license or renewed license; but, where this has been wrongly done, the value of the stamp may be refunded *minus*—

(i) the value of the stamp which should have been affixed to the application, and

(ii) the deductions prescribed as aforesaid.

Where the fees leviable under these rules have been made over to any local body, the fees shall be paid in such manner as that local authority may from time to time direct.

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34. When a license granted in accordance with these rules is lost, or accidentally destroyed, a duplicate may be granted to the licensee on payment of a fee of 8 annas.

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35. Any person holding a license, or acting under a license granted in accordance with these rules, shall be bound to produce the same when called upon to do so by any Magistrate, or by any Police officer in charge of a Police station, or by any Police officer of higher rank.

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36. All Magistrates or other authorities acting under these rules shall perform their duties subject to the control of their executive superiors and of the Local Government.

Power to extend ct of license.

37. Any authority empowered to grant a license under the foregoing rules may, if he thinks fit, direct by an order written on the license that it shall have the effect of a like license under the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878).

portation with- license.

38. Any persons lawfully entitled under the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), or the rules thereunder, to possess any explosive coming under the head of ammunition, as defined in that Act, may import without license under these rules any such explosive in such quantities as may be prescribed by that Act or the rules thereunder, or, when no quantities are prescribed, in reasonable quantities for his own private use; but, when an explosive is so imported, the Collector of Customs or any other officer empowered by the Local Government in this behalf by name or by virtue of his office may at any time detain such explosive until he receives the orders of the Local Government thereon.

FORM A.

(See Rules 18, 20, 21 and 28.)

FEE TEN RUPEES IN STAMPS.

License to import Explosives.

Name, etc., and address of license-holder.	Number of packages.	Explosive.			Purpose for which required.	Destination.	Period for which the license is valid.
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CONDITIONS.

1. This license is given subject to the provisions of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and the rules thereunder. Certain general rules are quoted separately below.

2. This license shall become void after expiry of the period named thereon.

3. This license is valid for importation only; if the articles named herein are to be transported to any place outside the $\frac{\text{Presidency town}}{\text{*town of}}$, they must be protected by a transport license, to be issued in accordance with the rules under the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), except in the case of explosives despatched to places or magazines set apart or notified under the proviso to rule 15.

4. On the outside of each package there shall be affixed in conspicuous characters by means of a brand or securely attached label or mark the word "Explosive," followed by the name of the explosives or other description of the contents and the name and address of the owners or senders.

GENERAL RULES.

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Forfeiture of license.

31. Every license granted under these rules shall be liable to be forfeited on breach of any of the conditions subject to which it is granted.

Exemption of persons carrying on business of deceased disabled licensee from penalties.

32. If a person licensed to import an explosive dies or becomes bankrupt or becomes mentally incapable or otherwise disabled, the person carrying on the business of such licensee shall not be liable to any penalty or forfeiture under the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884) or the rules thereunder for acting under the license during such reasonable time as may be necessary to allow him to make an application to the authority granting the license for a new license in his own name during the currency of the unexpired portion of the original license. Such new license shall be granted on the payment of one rupee.

* *Note.*—In the case of explosives imported into a town other than a Presidency town as defined in the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), section 3, clause (41), the name of the town should be inserted.

33. All fees chargeable for licenses under these rules shall ordinarily be levied by means of impressed stamps. An application for the grant or the renewal of a license shall bear the proper stamp: provided that, if it is refused, the value of the separate stamp (if any) which may have been already provided by the applicant for the desired license or renewed license, *minus* the deductions prescribed by section 54 of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899), may be refunded to the applicant. An application should not be made on the stamped paper intended for the license or renewed license; but where this has been wrongly done, the value of the stamp may be refunded *minus*—

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Draft Rule for Testing Explosives.

With reference to Rule 22 of the Rules to regulate the transport and importation of explosives published with this Notification and in supersession of the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No 5529 (Public), dated the 11th October 1901, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following rule on the subject of the tests which explosives should be required to pass before their importation is permitted:

RULE.

Class 1.—Gunpowder class. Gunpowder is not required to pass a test.

Class 2.—Nitrate-mixture class. Nitrate-mixture explosives are not ordinarily required to pass a test. The Local Government, however, or the authorized officer granting the import license under Rules 20 and 21 of the Rules to regulate the transport and importation of explosives published with this Notification may in any particular case or class of cases require that a sample of the explosive which is to be imported be sent first to the Chemical Examiner for an analysis of its constituent parts.

Class 3.—Nitro-compound class. It is for explosives of this class that testing is chiefly required, in respect to the purity of their composition and their liability to liquefaction or exudation. The tests prescribed for nitro-compound explosives are contained in Schedule A attached to this rule.

Class 4.—Chlorate-mixture class. See Schedule A for remarks regarding the testing of this class (*).

Class 5.—Fulminate class. No test has been laid down for explosives of the Fulminate class (*).

Class 6.—Ammunition class. No test is required for explosives of the 1st Division of this class. If the substances of which explosives of the 2nd and 3rd Divisions are composed have to be tested under the preceding rules, they will be equally liable to be tested when enclosed in any case or contrivance and thus falling under the Ammunition class.

Class 7.—Firework class. Explosives of this class are not required to pass a test.

SCHEDULE A.

Heat Test as applied to Explosives of the Nitro-compound Class.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS.

Apparatus required.

1. A water bath, consisting of a spherical glass or copper vessel [(*a*) Fig. 1] of about 8 inches diameter, and with an aperture of about 5 inches; the bath is filled with water to within a quarter of an inch of the edge. It has a loose cover of sheet copper about 6 inches in diameter (*b*), and rest on a tripod stand about 14 inches high (*c*), which is covered with coarse iron wire gauge (*e*), and is surrounded with a screen of thin sheet tin or copper (*d*). Within the latter is placed an Argand burner (*f*), with glass chimney. The cover (*b*) has

(*) Licenses are not at present given for the importation into British India of any explosives of these classes.

four holes arranged as seen in Fig. II, No. 4 to receive the regulator, No. 3 the thermometer, Nos. 1 and 2 the test-tubes containing the gun-cotton or other materials to be tested. Around holes 1 and 2 on the under side of the cover are soldered three pieces of brass wire with points slightly converging (Fig. III); these act as springs and allow the test-tubes to be easily placed in position and removed.

Fig. I.

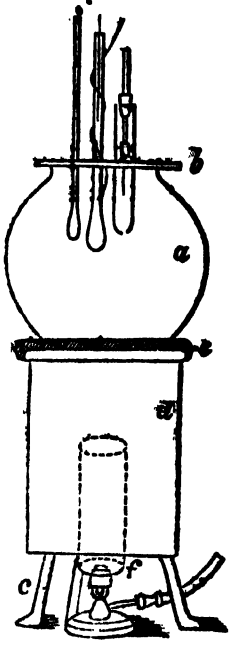


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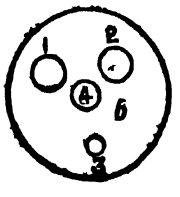


Fig. III.



Fig. IV.



* 2. Scheibler's or Page's temperature regulator.

* 3. Two cells of Le Clanche's battery No. 1 } if Scheibler's regulator is used.
* 4. A few yards of insulated copper wire }

5. Test-tubes from 5¼ to 5½ inches long, and of such diameter that they will hold from 20 to 22 cubic centimeters of water when filled to a height of 5 inches.

6. India-rubber stoppers, fitting the test-tubes and carrying an arrangement for holding the test-paper, *viz.*, a narrow glass tube passing through the centre of the stopper, drawn out so as to form a hook, or terminating in a platinum wire hook (Fig. IV).

7. A thermometer, with range not less than from 30° to 212° Fahrenheit.

8. A minute clock.

Materials required.

(*a*) *Test-paper.*—The test-paper is prepared as follows:—45 grains of white maize starch (cornflour), previously washed with cold water, are added to 8½ ounces of distilled water, the mixture is stirred, heated to boiling, and kept gently boiling for 10 minutes; 15 grains of pure potassium iodide (*i.e.*, which has been recrystallized from alcohol) are dissolved in 8½ ounces of distilled water. The two solutions are thoroughly mixed and allowed to get cold. Strips, or sheets, of best white English filter paper, weighing, air dry, from 4·1 to 4·6 grains per 100 square inches, previously washed with water and redried, are dipped into the solution thus prepared, weighing, air dry, about 6·5 grains per 100 square inches, and allowed to remain in it for not less than 10 seconds; they are then allowed to drain and dry in a place free from laboratory fumes and dust. The upper and lower margins of the strips, or sheets, are cut off, and the paper is preserved in well-stoppered or cork bottles *and in the dark.*† The dimensions of the pieces of test-paper used are about $\frac{1}{10}$ inch by $\frac{8}{10}$ inch (10 mm. by 20 mm.).

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* This is not absolutely required, as the temperature of the bath can be kept constant by proper attention to the heating flame.

† When a paper is freshly prepared, and as long as it remains in good condition, a drop of dilute acetic acid, put on the paper with a glass rod, produces no coloration. In process of time, however, the stronger the light to which the paper is exposed, the sooner a drop of acid produces a brown or bluish coloration (a single hour of direct sunlight produces a marked effect), and whenever this is the case the paper should be rejected. After preparation the paper should be kept in the dark for a month before being taken into use. After that, if carefully kept in the dark, it will remain good for six months or more, but should be tested from time to time as above.

(*b*) *Standard tint paper.*—A solution of caramel in water is made of such concentration that when diluted one hundred times (10 cc. made up to 1 litre) the tint of this diluted solution equals the tint produced by the Nesser test in 100 cc. water containing 0·000075 grm. of ammonia or 0·00023505 grm. of chloride of ammonium. With this caramel solution lines are drawn on strips of white filter paper* by means of a clean quill pen. When the marks thus produced are dry the paper is cut into pieces of the same size as the test-paper previously described, in such a way that each piece has a brown line across it near the middle of its length, and only such strips are preserved in which the brown line has a breadth varying from $\frac{1}{2}$ mm. to 1 mm. ($\frac{1}{50}$ of an inch to $\frac{1}{25}$ of an inch).

I.—Testing Dynamite, Blasting Gelatine, and other Eplosives of the First Division of the Nitro-compound class.

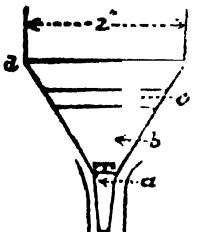
A. DYNAMITE, ETC., ETC.

Nitro-Glycerine preparations, from which the nitro-glycerine can be extracted in the manner described below, *must* satisfy the following test.

This test, however, though at present looked upon as the most important, as far as testing the purity of the nitro-glycerine is concerned, is in England only one of several which any given sample of nitro-glycerine preparation has to satisfy in order to establish its compliance with the definition in the Authorised List.

Apparatus required.

A funnel 2 inches across (*d*), a cylindrical measure divided into grains (*e*). (See sketch.)



Mode of operation.

About 300 to 400 grains of dynamite (*b*) finely divided are placed into the funnel which has previously been loosely plugged by some freshly-ignited asbestos (*a*).

The surface is smoothed by means of a flat-headed glass rod or stopper, and some clean washed and dried Kieselguhr (*c*) is spread over it to the depth of about $\frac{1}{8}$ inch.

Water is next carefully dropped from a wash bottle upon this Kieselguhr, and when the first portion has been soaked up more is added; this is repeated until sufficient nitro-glycerine has been collected in the graduated measure (*e*) below.

If any water should have passed through with the nitro-glycerine, it should be removed with a piece of blotting paper, and the nitro-glycerine, if necessary, filtered through a dry paper filter

Application of the Test.

The thermometer is fixed so as to be inserted through the lid of the water bath described under I, into the water (which is to be steadily maintained at a temperature of 160° Fahr.†) to a depth of 2$\frac{3}{4}$ inches. Fifty grains of nitro-glycerine, to be tested are weighed into a test-tube in such a way as not to soil the sides of the tube. A test-paper

* This paper must be carefully washed with distilled water, in the first instance, to remove any traces of bleaching matter, and dried.

† For explosives supplied for His Majesty's Military and Naval Services the temperature is fixed by the War Office at 180°.

is fixed on the hook of the glass rod, so that when inserted into the tube it will be in a vertical position. A sufficient amount of a mixture of half distilled water and half glycerine to moisten the upper half of the paper is now applied to the upper edge of the test-paper, by means of a camel's-hair pencil, the cork carrying the rod and paper is fixed into the test-tube and the position of the paper adjusted so that its lower edge is about half-way down the tube; the latter is then inserted through one of the perforations of the cover to such a depth that the lower margin of the moistened part of the paper is about five-eighths of an inch above the surface of the cover. The test is complete when the faint brown line which after a time makes its appearance at the line of boundary between the dry and moist part of the paper equals in tint the brown line of the standard tint paper.

The nitro-glycerine under examination will not be considered to have satisfied the test unless the time necessary to produce the standard tint as above described is at *least* 15 minutes.

B.—Blasting Gelatine, Gelatine Dynamite, and analogous Preparations.

Fifty (50) grains of blasting gelatine are to be intimately incorporated with one hundred (100) grains of French chalk.* The mixture is to be gradually introduced into a test-tube of the dimensions prescribed above for the dynamite heat test, with the aid of gentle tapping upon the table, between the introduction of successive portions of the mixture into the tube, so that when the tube contains all the mixture it shall be filled to the extent of 1¾ inches (one inch and three-quarters) of its height. The test-paper is then to be inserted and the heat is to be applied in the manner prescribed above for the dynamite heat test, and the sample tested is to withstand exposure to 160° Fahr. for a period of ten (10) minutes, before producing a discoloration of the test-papers corresponding in tint to the standard colour test which is employed for governing the results of the dynamite heat test.

(For Exudation and Liquefaction tests for Blasting Gelatine, etc., etc., *see* Appendix).

N. B.—Non-gelatinized nitro-glycerine preparations, from which the nitro-glycerine cannot be expelled by water, are tested without any previous separation of the ingredients, the temperature being as above (160° Fahr.) and the time being seven (7) minutes.

C.—Cordite and Ballistite.

1. Apparatus required.

The apparatus necessary for the application of the heat test to cordite is identical with that described above for explosive of the nitro-compound class generally† with the addition of a mill and a nest of sieves‡ similar to those used at Waltham Abbey for preparing the cordite for testing (*see* instructions below).

2. Preparation of the sample to be tested.

Pieces half an inch long are cut from one end of every stick selected for the test; in the case of the thicker cordites, each piece so cut is further sub-divided into about four portions. These cut pieces are then passed once through the mill, the first portion of material which passes through being rejected on account of the possible presence of foreign matter from the mill. The ground material is put on the top sieve of the nest of sieves and sifted. That portion which has passed through the top sieve and been stopped by the second is taken for the test. If the mill is properly set, the greater portion of the ground material will be of the proper size.

If the volatile matter in the explosive exceeds 0·5 per cent. the sifted material should be dried at a temperature not exceeding 140° Fahr. until the proportion does not exceed 0·5 per cent.

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* This can be readily effected by carefully working the two materials together with a wooden pestle in a wooden Mortar.

The French chalk should be of good commercial quality, and, after being carefully washed with distilled water and dried in a water oven, it should be exposed under a bell jar to moist air until it has taken up about 0·5 per cent. of moisture. It should then be bottled for use; and with ordinary care the limits of 0·5 per cent. can be maintained in keeping.

† In the Waltham Abbey apparatus the cover (Fig. II) has all the holes around the circumference instead of having one in the centre and three around the circumference.

‡ A nest of two sieves with holes drilled in sheet copper. The holes in the top sieve have a diameter = 14 B. W. G.; those in the second = 21 B. W. G.

If too hard for the mill, it may be softened by exposure to the vapour of acetone, or reduced to the necessary degree of sub-division by means of a sharp moderately coarse rasp. Should it have become too soft in the acetone vapour for the mill, it should be cut up into small pieces which may be brought to any desired degree of hardness by simple exposure to air.

Explosives which consist partly of gelatinized collodion cotton and partly of ungelatinized gun-cotton are best reduced to powder by a rasp, or softened by exposure to mixed ether and alcohol vapour at a temperature of 90° to 100° Fahr

After each sample has been ground, the mill must be taken to pieces and carefully cleaned.

3. Application of the Test.

The thermometer is fixed so as to be inserted through the lid of the water bath described under I, so as to be immersed in the water to a depth of 2½ inches. The water is maintained at a constant temperature of 180° Fahr. When this temperature is reached, 25 grains of the sifted cordite are put into one of the test-tubes, and collected at the bottom by gentle tapping. A test-paper is fixed on to the hook of the glass rod, so that when inserted into the tube it will be in a vertical position. A mixture of equal parts of distilled water and pure glycerine (Price's) is now applied to the upper edge of the test-paper by means of a camel's-hair pencil, in sufficient amount to moisten the upper half; the stopper carrying the rod and paper is fixed into the test-tube and the position of the paper adjusted, so that its lower edge is about half-way down the tube; the latter is then inserted through one of the perforations of the cover to the same depth as the thermometer. The lower margin of the moistened part of the paper should then be about five-eighths of an inch above the surface of the cover. The test is completed when the faint brown line, which after a time makes its appearance at the margin between the wet and dry portions of the test-paper, equals in depth of tint the brown line drawn on the standard tint paper.

4. The time which elapses between the insertion of the test-tube and the completion of the test must not be less than 15 minutes.

N. B.—In the case of ballistite the treatment is the same, except that when it is in a very finely granulated condition it need not be cut up.

II.—Testing Gun-cotton, Schultz's Gunpowder, E. C. Powder, and other explosives of the 2nd Division of the Nitro-compound class.

A.—COMPRESSED NITRO CELLULOSE, TONITE, ETC., ETC.

Sufficient material to serve for two or more tests is removed from the centre of the cartridge by gentle scraping, and if necessary, further reduced by rubbing through a sieve with a clean hard brush.

The fine powder thus produced is spread out in a thin layer upon a paper tray 6 inches by 4½ inches which is then placed inside a water oven, kept, as nearly as possible, at 120° Fahr.

The wire gauze shelves in the oven should be about 3 inches apart. The sample is allowed to remain at rest for 15 minutes in the oven, the door of which is left wide open.

After the lapse of 15 minutes the tray is removed and exposed to the air of the room for two hours, the sample being at some point within that time rubbed upon the tray with a brush, in order to reduce it to a fine and uniform state of division.

Application of the Test.

The cover of the water bath is fitted with the gas regulator which is inserted through the centre hole (No. 4). The thermometer is fixed into hole No. 3. The water in the bath is then heated to 170° Fahr., and the regulator set to maintain that temperature. Twenty grains of the sample to be tested are weighed out, placed in the test-tube, and gently pressed down until the specimen occupies a space of not more than 1⅛ inches in a test-tube of the dimensions specified. A test-paper is affixed to the hook of the glass rod or tube, and moistened by touching the upper edge with a drop of distilled water containing 50 per cent. of Price's glycerine. The quantity of liquid used must be only sufficient to moisten about half of the paper. The cork carrying the rod and test-paper is then fixed into the test-tube, and the latter inserted into the bath to a depth of 2½ inches, measured from the cover, the regulator and thermometer being inserted to the same depth. The test-paper is to be kept near the top of the test-tube but clear of the cork until the tube has been immersed for about five minutes. A ring of moisture will about this time be deposited upon the sides of the test-tube a little above the cover of the bath; the glass rod must then be lowered until the lower margin of the moistened part of the paper is on a level with the bottom of the ring of moisture in the tube; the paper is now closely watched. The test is complete when the faint brown line which makes its appearance at the line of boundary between the dry and moist parts of the paper equals in tint the brown line of the standard tint paper.

The interval of time between the first insertion of the tube containing the sample of gun-cotton in the water at 170° and the production of the standard tint constitutes the test and this interval of time must be *not less* than 10 minutes, or the sample will not be considered to have satisfied the test.

B.—GELATINIZED AND SEMI-GELATINIZED NITRO-CELLULOSE PREPARATIONS.*

Twenty-five grains introduced into the test-tube* of the dimensions prescribed for the dynamite heat test, then proceed as for Blasting Gelatine, etc., taking the temperature at 180° Fahr., and the time as 15 minutes.

C.—NITRO-CELLULOSE NOT INCLUDED IN A. OR B., SCHULTZ'S POWDER, E. C. POWDER, ETC., ETC.

Sufficient of the sample, without further mechanical division, is dried in the oven as above, and then exposed for two hours to the air. The test as directed above for Compressed Nitro-Cellulose, etc., is then applied, the minimum duration of test being the same, *viz.*, 10 minutes.

D.—PICRIC ACID.

(1) The material shall contain not more than 0·3 part of mineral or non-combustible matter in 100 parts by weight of the material dried at 160° Fahr.

(2) It should not contain more than a minute trace of lead.

(3) One hundred parts of the dry material shall not contain more than 0·3 part of *total* (free and combined) sulphuric acid, of which not more than 0·1 part shall be *free* sulphuric acid.

(4) Its melting point should be between 248° and 253° Fahr.

E.—AMMONITE, BELLITE, ROBURITE, AND EXPLOSIVES OF SIMILAR COMPOSITION.

These are required to stand the same heat test as Compressed Nitro-Cellulose.

III.—Testing Chlorate Mixtures:

The material must not be too sensitive † and must show no tendency to increase in sensitiveness on keeping.

The material must contain nothing liable to reduce the chlorate.

Chlorides calculated as Potassium Chloride must not exceed 0·25 per cent.

The material must contain no free acid, or substance liable to produce free acid.

Explosives of this class containing nitro-compounds will be subject to the Heat Test as if they belong to Class III.

APPENDIX.

Exudation and Liquefaction Test for Blasting Gelatine, Gelatine Dynamite and analogous Preparations.

TEST FOR LIQUEFACTION.

A cylinder of blasting gelatine is to be cut from the cartridge to be tested, the length of the cylinder to be about equal to its diameter and the ends being cut flat.

The cylinder is to be placed on end on a flat surface without any wrapper, and secured by a pin passing vertically through its centre.

In this condition the cylinder is to be exposed for one hundred and forty-four (144) consecutive hours (six days and nights) to a temperature ranging from 85° to 90° Fahr. (inclusive), and during such exposure the cylinder shall not diminish in height by more than one-fourth of its original height, and the upper cut surface shall retain its flatness and the sharpness of its edge.

Note.—If the blasting gelatine and the gelatine dynamite to be tested be not made up in a cylindrical form, the above test is to be applied with the necessary modifications.

TEST FOR LIABILITY TO EXUDATION.

There shall be no separation from the general mass of the blasting gelatine or gelatine dynamite of a substance of less consistency than the bulk of the remaining portion of the

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* If in a compressed form it should be broken up in the same manner as cordite and ballistite.

† They will be considered too sensitive if they can be exploded however partially by means of a glancing blow with a broomstick on soft wood (such as deal).

materials under any conditions of storage, transport, or use, or when the material is subjected three times in succession to alternate freezing and thawing, or when subjected to the liquefaction test hereinbefore described.

CUSTOMS.

The 29th November 1906.

No. 9227—75.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 19 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878. (VIII of 1878), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing by sea or by land into British India of cocaine by means of the post; and to restrict its importation by any other means to cases in which it is imported by persons, or by their authorised agents, who have been specially permitted to import the drug by a Local Government or Administration.

W. L. HARVEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Fort William, the 30th November 1906.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

No. 624.—John Frederick Gruning, gentleman, to be Second Lieutenant, to complete the establishment. Dated 5th August 1906.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Lieut.-Col.*,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1906.

PART IB.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2229L.S.-G.—The 29th November 1906.—It is hereby notified that the District Road Committee of the Sonthal Parganas have determined to levy road cess for the cess year commencing from the 1st April 1907 at the maximum rate of six pies or two pice on each rupee of the annual value of lands and of the annual net profits from mines, etc., in the tracts in the district of the Sonthal Parganas to which the provisions of the Cess Act were extended under Government Notification No. 4782 R. P., dated the 21st November 1903, and the said rate having been approved by the Commissioner of the Division, the fact is hereby published for general information.

Sonthal Parganas.

No. 2237L.S.-G.—The 29th November 1906.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Krishnagar Local Board in the district of Nadia, under section 29 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Babu Hemadri Nath Mukharji to be their Chairman, *vice* Mr. F. J. Smith, resigned.

Nadia.

No. 2239M.—The 29th November 1906.—In accordance with the provisions of clause (a) of section 9 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), as amended by the Bengal Municipal (Amendment) Act, 1894 (Ben. Act IV of 1894), and on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Uluberia Municipality, in the district of Howrah, made at a meeting, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare his intention to withdraw the said Municipality from the operation of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884).

Howrah.

2. Any ratepayer of the said Municipality who objects to such proposed withdrawal should submit his objections in writing, through the District Magistrate, to the undersigned within six weeks from the publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

No. 2241L.S.-G.—The 27th November 1906.—Under Rule 9 of the rules framed under section 5 of the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1879, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the Lieutenant-Governor intends to sanction the following application from the District Board of Champaran for a loan of Rs. 50,000 from Government, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, and repayable in thirty equal half-yearly instalments of Rs. 2,232-7-8 each, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the said Municipality:—

Champaran.

Application from the District Board of Champaran for a loan of Rs. 50,000.

| Inspector or some other officer to certify that, in his opinion, the estimate is reasonable and sufficient. | Rs. 50,000. | District Fund. | The Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885. | 15 years. | 4 per cent. per annum. | One instalment. | Rs. 50,000. | 16th January 1907. | Thirty equal half-yearly instalments payable on the 15th January and 15th July each year, commencing from 15th July 1907, till the loan is paid off. | Rs. 2,533-7-8. | | |

No. 2244M.—The 29th November 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under sections 14 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Executive Engineer, Darjeeling Division, to be a Commissioner, *ex-officio* of the Darjeeling Municipality, in the district of Darjeeling, *vice* Mr. R. C. Hodgson, resigned.

Darjeeling.

No. 2252 M.—The 4th December 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under sections 14 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Howrah to be an *ex-officio* Commissioner of the Howrah Municipality, *vice* Mr. J. D. Sifton, I.C.S., resigned.

Howrah.

No. 2255M.—The 3rd December 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Ghatal to be the Chairman of the Kharar Municipality, in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

No. 2260L.S.-G.—The 3rd December 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 112 of the Bengal Cess Act, IX of 1880, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. G. W. Steward to be a member of the Terai Branch Road Committee, *vice* Mr. C. H. V. Ruxton, resigned.

Darjeeling.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by the East Indian Railway Company, situated along the East Indian Railway, chord line, in the subdivision of Jamtara, district Sonthal Parganas, will be put up to sale at 12 A.M on the 10th day of January 1907, corresponding with the 26th Pous 1313, Bengali, in the Court compound, Jamtara.

The purchaser of the plot of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the plot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th.—The purchaser shall be put in possession on receipt by the Subdivisonal Officer of the orders of the Board confirming the sale.

Serial number of plot.	Name of the sub-district and district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situated.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of the plot in bighas and acres.	
					B. K. C.	Acres.
Jamtara, Sonthal Parganas.	Bodmá and Nugde taluk Pabia.	The land is situated between mile 152 feet 2,427 and mile 152 feet 1,622 from Howrah.		West side of the Railway line.	39 16 . 5	13·17

Dated Jamtara, the 10th November 1906.

P. MEREZA, Subdivisional Officer.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at 12 noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8.	9	10
35-4	Mondleghat, pargana Mondleghat.	Rs. A. P. 2,23,423 3 8	Nil	5a. 11k. 4til share of the estate.	Jahur Lal Seal ...	Rs. A. P. 3,970 5 2	Nil	Rs. A. P. 89 7 5	Arrears of Mare 1905.

M. A. KADIR, Dy. Collr. in charge, for Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th November 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 4th February 1907, at 12 o'clock noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate not specifically mentioned in column 5 are excluded from sale.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of the proprietors of the property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
166/1	Ta. Ganeswarpur, Ph. Banchas.	Rs. A. P. 1,619 0 0	.....	As. Kismat ... 9	Baladeb Prakash Brahmachari.	Rs. A. P. 910 11 0	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 455 0 0	Due for kist November 1906.
166/2	Ditto ...	1,619 0 0	.....	Do. ... 7	Chadmoni Dibya, mother and guardian of Hanuman Khuntia, minor, and others.	708 5 0	.....	354 0 0	Ditto.
66	Ma. Drugadaspur, Ph. Kotrahang.	879 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Bhikari Misra and others.	.....	439 0 0	.....	Ditto.
171	Ma. Gope, Ph. Banchas.	555 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Satyabadi Patra and others.	.....	278 4 10	.....	Ditto.
7/6	Killah Balarampur, Ph. Parchhinduai.	2,657 0 0	.....	Kismat ... 4	Mussummat Sadatan Nissa Begam *alias* Chunee Begam and others.	664 4 0	.....	332 2 0	Ditto.

Puri Collectorate, the 15th October 1906.

P. C. MITTER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on the 15th December 1906 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
241	Udanpur, pargana Khatanga.	971 12 0		Residuary share, 8 annas 5 gandas of the entire estate, excepting separate account No. 1.	Rajendra Kishore Mukerjee and others.	501 0 11		5 7 5
				All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.				

Birbhum Collectorate, the 29th October 1906.

H. FOSTER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1907 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		PART II. *Temporarily-settled Estate.*		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A P
1433	Akherpur Barari, pargana Malki.	2,306 14 0	.....	12a. 8g. ijmali share ...	Nilkanth Singh and others	1,787 13 0	.....	2 14 6

Monghyr Collectorate, the 16th November 1906. H. McPHERSON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3531	Digra, pargana Boro ...	530 3 5	Entire	Nil.	Shaikh Mohammad Ali	Nil.	188 0 0	Nil.
2092	Kristobati Chhecrachar, rgana Raypur.	1,002 6 0	Do.	Nil.	Rajendra Nath Roy, Manager to the estate of Brindaban Chandra Tagore.	Nil.	150 10 0	Nil.

Hooghly Collectorate, the 8th November 1906. K. N. MITRA, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
307	Rashulpur, pargana Sherpur.	Rs.	.....	14a. 8g. 1k. 1k. ijmali share	Khondkar Mehedi Hosen and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,287 4 4	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 1 7 1
861	Char Kanthalia, pargana Fateshingha.	1,325	Whole ...	.....	Dwijendra Narain Ray and others.	Revenue ...	55 2 7	
						Dak cess ...	3 13 8	
						Penalty ...	3 13 8	
						Road cess ...	9 8 4	
							72 6 3	

Berhampore, the 10th November 1906. R. S. BHATTACHARJEE, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on 20th of December 1906 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Sausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1875	Bagholpore, pargana Chausa.	Rs. A. P. 565 0 0	The whole	.....	Moona Kuar ...	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 35 5 0	Rs. A. P. .....
1796	Kanauli, pargana Chausa.	962 0 0	Ditto	.....	Deoki Thakur and others.	.....	2 15 7	.....
2075 21, 86, 88, 90, 97 and 98.	Amaon, pargana Chainpur.	11,261 13 8	.....	The share to be sold is as follows :— A. P. K. M. D. Khata 21— Amarha ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Anantpur Khilopur ... 0 10 10 0 0 Bahari ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Barahi ... ... 1 1 10 0 0 Piparia ... ... 0 10 10 0 0 Bhadaura ... ... 0 5 8 0 0 Nati ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Pipra Sakarwar ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Pakarihar ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Chintamanpur ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Jamurni ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Chauthi ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Chak Kalandi *alias* Chakia 0 9 0 0 0 Dandwa Viran ... ... 1 1 10 0 0 Dasanti ... ... 1 0 0 0 0 Dewana ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Darwa dakhli Fakhrabad 0 5 8 0 0 Rampur ... ... 1 0 0 0 0 Siardaur ... ... 0 10 10 0 0 Sahebahe ... ... 1 0 0 0 0 Semaria ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Saraila ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Sarai Dandahar ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Sikandarpur... ... ... 0 5 8 0 0 Sikara ... ... 1 0 0 0 0 Surhia ... ... 0 5 10 0 0 Kulharia ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Gorahand ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Kohari ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Karauni ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Esmailpur ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Kunrwa ... ... 0 11 2 0 0 Kharsaunda ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Ganzapur ... ... 0 5 8 0 0 Mehia ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Nanan Beje ... ... 0 10 10 0 0 Bagchhara ... ... 0 10 10 0 0 Khata 86— Sikara ... ... 2 3 3 6 10 Bahari ... ... 2 3 3 6 10 Khata 88 — Amaon ... ... 0 4 10 0 0 Aaila Patna ... ... 0 4 10 0 0 Lahopakar ... ... 0 4 10 0 0 Dighi ... ... 0 4 10 0 0 Khata 90— Bhadaura ... ... 0 1 16 0 0 Kathailpur ... ... 0 4 10 0 0 Karansi ... ... 0 4 10 0 0 Kunrwa ... ... 0 2 8 0 0 Gangapur ... ... 0 1 16 0 0 Rampur Baraju ... ... 1 0 0 0 0 Sikandarpur ... ... 0 1 16 0 0 Darwa dakhli Fakhrahad ... ... 0 1 16 0 0 And 3p. in each of the following villages :— Amarha, Anantpur, Khilopur, Bahari, Piparia, Nati, Pakarihar, Jamurni, Pipra Sakarwar, Chauthi, Diwana, Chintamanpur, Kulharia, Gorahand, Kohari, Khorsaunda, Saraila, Siarduar, Semaria, Nauan Beje, Mehia, Chak Kalandi *alias* Chakia, Sarai, Dhandahar and Bagachhara. A. P. K. M. D. R. Khata 97— Surhia ... ... 6 1 13 6 10 0 Khata 96— Chintamanpur ... ... 0 10 3 9 9 19 Kohari ... ... 0 10 6 19 14 0 Khatas 1, 12, 24, 93, 94, 96, 30, 40, 51, 82 will also be sold. Other shares are excluded from sale.	Mohiuddin Khan and others.	293 9 8 77 8 10 40 3 4 106 0 8 105 9 4 30 9 0	....	210 5 8 17 9 4
2006 Ijmali, 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39.	Umapur, pargana Chainpur.	5,942 6 4	.....	The share to be sold is as follows :— A. P. K. Ijmali— Umapur ... ... 0 6 0 Chandrauli ... ... 7 7 0 Sarisan ... ... 5 0 0 Semaria ... ... 8 0 0 Chaukhanda ... ... 16 0 0 Chak Bhagwat ... ... 8 0 0 Harkataya ... ... 8 0 0 Kuthanpur ... ... 8 0 0 Dohar Pat Sarwa ... ... 8 0 0 Sarai Belkharpur ... ... 8 9 0 Kishunpura 6 8 0	Kandhaya Lal Sahoo and others.	392 12 10 13 14 8 35 13 4 1 13 7 14 5 9 65 9 10	....	389 0 1 4

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only share is be sold, arrears from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
				Khata 35— Sahijna ... ... A. P. K. 1 3 0	Ram Chandrika Dubey.			
				Khata 36— Sariaon 2 6 0	Ramdahin Rai.			
				Khata 37 — Lahangpatti 5 6 10	Raghunath Rai.			
				Khata 38— Sariaon 1 0 0	Deonandan Rai.			
				Khata 39— Chandrauli ... ... 8 5 0 Sahijna ... ... 3 0 0 Other shares are excluded from sale.	Lachhuman Rai and others.			
4061 Ijmal	Khopira Bichhianon, pargana Pawar.	660 10 3	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is as follows:— A. P. K. Khopira ... ... 13 4 19 Bichhianon ... ... 12 11 0 Other shares are excluded from sale.	Jhumak Lal and others.	141 14 3	.....	6 7
5208	Dihra, pargana Sasaram.	1,180 14 1	The whole	.....	Shaikh Karamat Hussain and others.	..	1 5 1	.....

Arrah, the 20th November 1906.

ANIS UZ-ZAMAN KHAN, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary rights of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Hooghly will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 21st December 1906, corresponding with 6th Pous 1313 (B.S.).

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale is to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate, pargana or thana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
		A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4688	Panchla, thana Jagatballavpur	10 1 27	63 3 0	
4809	Khantora, " "	0 1 8	4 8 0	
4752	Kullya and others, " "	0 2 22	9 12 0	
4795	Bamanpara, " "	2 3 12	28 6 0	
4796	Jagonathpur, " "	1 0 13	10 10 0	

Chinsurah, the 21st November 1906.

CHANDRA S. KAR, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 21st December 1906, corresponding with 6th of Paus 1313 B.S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in each estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and the purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of the resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount of bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate, pargana or thana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue.	Remarks.
		A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
	Haribati, thana Pandua	0 3 14	7 4 0	
	Ditto ditto	0 0 9	0 8 0	
	Masuria, thana Balagar	0 0 19½	4 13 0	
	Dwarpara ditto	6 1 0	39 10 0	
	Srikristapur, thana Dhaniakhali ...	3 3 7	24 14 0	
	Serampur, ditto	0 3 21	5 8 0	
	Atty, thana Pandua	1 1 36	9 0 0	
	Toregram, ditto	1 1 10	20 12 0	
	Tunney ditto	1 1 1	8 1 0	
	Telipara, ditto	0 1 7	5 6 0	
	Sankarpur, thana Dhaniakhali ...	0 2 1	3 13 0	
	Sirijpur, ditto	2 3 4½	20 15 0	
	Guptipara, thana Balagar	0 1 29	2 15 0	
4061	Koachmali, thana Pandua ...	0 0 26½	0 8 0	
	Dhopur Mullickpur, ditto ...	5 0 14½	25 14 0	
	Digra, thana Dhaniakhali	3 0 32½	19 6 0	
	Kowgachi, thana Balagar	6 1 17	28 14 0	
	Pandua, thana Pandua	0 0 14	0 6 0	
	Srikristapur, thana Dhaniakhali ...	3 3 0	24 1 0	
	Inchura, thana Pandua	26 0 0	175 3 0	
	Srikristapur, thana Dhaniakhali ...	4 0 6	30 4 0	
	Dwarpara, thana Balagar	10 1 20	63 0 0	
	Telinipara, ditto	0 1 1	0 8 0	
	Gopalnagore, thana Pandua ...	3 0 32	7 6 0	
	Ditto, ditto	3 1 32	3 3 0	
	Dwarpara, thana Balagar	18 0 10	54 10 0	
	Pandua, thana Pandua	0 0 13	0 5 0	
	Ditto, ditto	0 1 29	0 8 0	
	Ditto, ditto	0 0 29	0 7 0	
	Ditto, ditto	0 1 2½	2 0 0	
	Rameswarpur, thana Pandua ...	0 3 0	1 1 0	
	Ditto, ditto	0 1 18	1 1 0	
	Kanoor, ditto	0 1 32½	1 3 0	
	Pandua, ditto	0 2 21	0 8 0	
	Pandua Ramkanaipur, thana Pandua ...	0 2 30	1 1 0	
	Pandua, thana Pandua	0 0 39	1 3 0	
	Srikristapur, thana Dhaniakhali	2 3 30	27 0 0	

Chinsura, the 21st November 1906.

CHANDRA S. KAR, for Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th day of January 1907 at 12 o'clock n for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a arate account is kept for that share and that the share or shares are excluded from sale.

	Touzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		10
			Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	3-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Laskarpore and others.	8,389 12 6½	....	Excluding 10 annas' share, the remaining 6 annas' share.	Chandan Bala Debi, mother and guardian for minor Haridhan Roy Chowdhry.	3,108 6 11½	.....	466 12 0½
	41	Pargana Muragacha, Moodia and others.	646 2 0	...	Excluding 2a. 2g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 13a. 17g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Kristo Prosanno Mondal and others.	559 15 7	.....	125 13 8
	53 R.S.	Pargana Magura, kismat Rameswarpore and others.	3,194 10 11	...	Excluding 5a. 6g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 10 a. 13g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Radha Mohon Mondal and others.	1,751 9 9½	.....	371 7 6½
	56 R.S.	Pargana Magura, mauza Sreerampore.	3,126 5 7½	..	Excluding 1a. 15g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 14a. 4g. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share.	S rat Coomari Dasai and others.	2,178 15 8½	.....	544 13 8½
	63 R.S.	Pargana Magura, kismat Bansdrowni and others.	9,130 2 0	..	Excluding 6a. 6g. 2k. 3kag 10t., remaining 9a. 13g. 1k. 10t. share.	Raj Kumar Sarkar and others.	5,513 9 10½	.....	648 2 7½
6	63-1	Ditto ...	9,130 2 0	.	Excluding 10a. 8g. 2k., remaining 5a. 11g. 2k. share.	Ditto ...	3,616 8 1½	.....	419 8 1½
10	100 R.S.	Pargana Magura, kismat Sonaounga and others.	884 11 10	.	Excluding 2a. 18g. 1k. 2kt., remaining 13a. 6g. 2k. 2kt share.	Rai Atul Chunder Chatterjee Bahadur, common manager, Bawali estate.	737 4 6	.....	145 12 0
11	115-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Mahanpore and others.	1,786 11 4	.	Excluding 10a. 9g. 2k. 1½dt., remaining 5a. 10g. 1k. 7½dt. share.	Charu Chunder Datta Mozumdar and others.	620 1 10	.....	60 11 2
12	120	Pargana Baridhati, kismat Koodalia and others.	5,093 5 2½	Whole		Shib Kristo and Mohit Lal Chatterjee.	.....	844 14 2½	.....
13	151-6	Pargana Baridhati, kismat Chouk Hatoo-ria and others.	30,809 7 4		Excluding 15a. 15g. 1k. 1kag. remaining 4g. 11kag share.	Apurba Kumari Dasai ...	555 3 3½	.....	83 12 6½
14	152 R.S.	Pargana Khaspore, Sreerampore and others.	703 8 8		Excluding 1a. 15g. 2k. 3d., remaining 14a. 4g. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share.	Rai Atul Chunder Chatterjee Bahadur, common manager, Bawali estate.	625 5 11	.....	125 2 3
15	315-1	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Raghunathpore and others.	10,229 15 6		Excluding 15a. 1g. 1k. share remaining 15g. 2k. share.	Nobo Kissore Mondal and others.	599 6 7½	.....	53 5 0½
16	315-2	Ditto ...	10,229 15 6		Excluding 14a. 19g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share.	Ditto ...	663 9 3	.....	57 1 1½
17	315-3	Ditto ...	10,229 15 6		Excluding 13a. 19g. 2k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 2a. 1k. 1dt. share.	Gopi Kissore Mondal and others.	1,327 9 11½	.....	113 6 11½
18	315-11	Ditto ...	10,229 15 6		Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Apurba Kumari Dasi ...	719 4 9	.....	63 13 0
19	388	Pargana Balia, mauza Rajarampore.	1,194 3 5	Whole		Upendra Kristo Mondal and others.	.....	157 5 0½	.....
20	385-1	Pargana Animabad, Hudarashkhali and others.	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Radha Binode Mondal and others.	1,365 11 7	.....	161 5 6
21	385-2	Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 19g. 2 k. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share in all the mauzas except mauza Khagramuri.	Gopi Kissore Mondal and others.	1,338 0 10	.....	137 5 7½
22	385-4	Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 15a. 4g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 15g. 1k. 1kt. share ditto.	Brojendra Nath Mondal	926 8 7½	.....	103 0 8
23	385-5	Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 18g. 1k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1g. 2k. 1dt. share.	Kristo Prosanno Mondal and others.	1,308 10 7½	.....	144 9 3½
24	385-6	Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 15a. 4g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 15g. 1k. 1kt. share ditto.	Ditto	926 8 7½	.....	103 0 2½
25	385-9	Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share ditto.	Apurba Kumari Dasi	1,362 8 7½	.....	151 4 7½
26	385-13	Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 15a. 10g. share, remaining 10g. in each of the 33 mauzas out of 35 mauzas in the estate.	Nobo Kissore and Gopi Kissore Mondal.	606 9 5	.....	67 3 10

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
			Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
27	385-14	Pargana Azimabad, Hudaresakhali and others.	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 15a. 5g., remaining 15g. share in all the mauzas except mauza Khagramuri.	Chandi Charan Mondal and others.	908 6 1	.....	100 13 9
28	388-1	Pargana Balia, mauza Moldyspore and others.	8,326 9 0	.....	Excluding 14a 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	N bo Kisore Mondal and others.	585 8 2½	.....	77 2 10
29	388-2	Ditto ...	8,326 9 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 10g. 9k. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share.	Ditto ...	532 1 0	.....	70 2 1
30	388-3	Ditto ...	8,326 9 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 1k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. 1dt. share.	Ditto ...	560 3 4½	.....	73 13
31	388-12	Ditto ...	8,326 9 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Apurba Kumari Dassi ...	585 8 2½	.....	77 1
32	389-1	Pargana Balia, mauza Santoshpore and others.	9,401 5 10	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Radha Binode Mondal and others.	663 5 10½	.....	88 6
33	389-2	Ditto ...	9,401 5 10	.....	Excluding 14a. 19g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 1a. 1k. 2kt. 1dt.	Nobo Kisore Moudal and others.	605 0 10½	.....	80 5
34	389-4	Ditto ...	9,401 5 10	.....	Excluding 14a. 18g. 1k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1g. 2k. 1dt. share.	Ditto ..	634 11 3½	.....	84 10
35	389-12	Ditto ...	9,401 5 10	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Sita Nath Ghosh ...	663 5 11	.....	88 6 1
36	391-5	Pargana Murugacha, mauza Gomukhi and others.	5,538 8 6	.....	Excluding 13a. 19g. 2k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 2a. 1k. 1dt. share.	Brojendra Nath Mondal and others.	697 2 0	.....	71 13
37	391-6	Ditto ...	5,538 8 6	.....	Excluding 14a. 6g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 1a. 13g. 1k. 1kt. share.	S. M. Khiroda Moye Dassi, widow of Soshi Bhusan Biswas.	576 14 11	.....	59 7
38	394-6	Pargana Azimabad, taraf Kissorepore.	7,108 12 11	.....	Ditto ...	Khiroda Mohini Dasi ...	740 8 1	.....	134 14
39	396 R. S.	Pargana Muragacha, taraf Makhalia and others.	741 11 5	.....	Excluding 4a. 15g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 11a. 4g. 1k. 7dt. share.	Gopi Kissore Mondal and others.	820 3 6½	.....	97 3
40	401 R. S.	Pargana Azimabad, Huda Ramkristopore and others.	38,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a. 9g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 1a. 10g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Sarat Coomari Dassi and others.	847 9 10	.....	185 12
41	401-1	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a.17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Rai Atul Chunder Chatterjee Bahadur and others, common man ger, Bawali estate.	628 11 3½	.....	75 7
42	401-3	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a. 9g. 1k. 1kt., remaining 1a. 10g. 2k. 2kt. share.	Ditto ...	856 14 5½	.....	137 14
43	401-4	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a 14g. 2kt., remaining 1a. 5g. 3k. 1kt., share.	Ditto ...	721 13 6½	.....	138 4
44	401-7	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Radha Binode Mondal and others.	628 11 3½	.....	137 13
45	401-11	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Ditto ...	Apurba Kumari Dassi ...	628 11 3½	.....	137 13
46	403 R. S.	Pargana Azimabad, taraf Patharberia and others.	5,143 3 3	.....	Excluding 9a. 14g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 6a. 5g. 1k. 1kt.	Kristo Prosonno Mondal and others.	2,014 6 9½	.....	371 13
47	403-2	Ditto ...	5,143 3 3	.....	Excluding 9a. 6g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 6a. 15g. 1k. 1kt.	Khiroda Mohini Dasi ...	2,142 15 11	.....	395 7
48	434	Pargana Hatiaghar, Lakhipasha and others.	1,067 12 3	.....	Excluding 5a. 13g. 1k. 2kt 2dt., 10kag. remaining 10a. 6g. 2k. 5kag.	Anis Molla and others ...	1,269 14 2	.....	44 6
49	567 R. S.	Pargana Anarpore, Aighora and others.	2,084 1 7	.....	Eight annas' share of the entire estate except mauza Kona.	Siris Chandra Biswas ..	834 5 2½	.....	245 13
50	966	Pargana Azimabad, kismat Paikhati.	950 4 8	.....	.....	Kali Prosanno Ghose and others.	.....	48 0 8	.....
51	2166 R. S.	Pargana Ukra, taraf Patia.	1,279 12 4	.....	Excluding 9a. 17g. 3k. 1dt., remaining 7a. 2g. 2kt. 2dt.	Gungamoni Dasi and others	868 12 6	.....	36 13 11

Alipore, the 26th November 1906.

BANGSIDHAR BANERJEE, *for* Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Darbhanga will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 17th December 1906 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, a separate account is kept for such share, and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
6507 Ros.	Ganeshbanaul, pargana Ravi.	618 4 9		Residuary share in— As. Ganeshbanaul ... ... 16 Benipore ... ... 16 Gouspore ... ... 16 Mohamadpore ... ... 16 All other shares besides that stated above are excluded from sale.	Babus Ganga Pershad Sahoo, Mathura Dass, Hanuman Dass, Musamat Jewachli Choudhurani and others.	507 14 5		79 13 0
12597	Rashout, pargana Gopalpore.	589 8 3	Whole		Mussamat Manjhari Kuer.		178 11 0	

Lahoria Sarai, the 21st November 1906. S. N. GHOSE, Deputy Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate on Friday, the 4th January 1907, corresponding to 1313 (B.S.).

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estates and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
			Rs. A. P.	
3271	Bartoil, pargana Bhanderdah, thana Kushtia	64·66	161 11 0	
2304	Billagram, pargana Bagowan, thana Nakasipara	·15	0 11 6	Will be sold revenue-free.

Nadia Collectorate, the 27th November 1906. SUKUMAR HALDAR, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1907 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
535	Pargana Chetua, mahal Dubrajpore.	3,408 10 1	.....	S. A. No. I, 8 annas share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Sreemati Mangala Dasi and others, present purchaser Suresh Chandra Chatterjee.	1,704 4 11	.....	534 7 9 June and September 1906.
1007	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Poorba Etra.	43,145 1 7 Including police.	.....	Ditto ditto ...	R. Belchambers, Administrator (*pendenti lite*) to the estate of Gopallal Seal, deceased.	21,486 6 11 Land revenue. 86 8 8 Police. 21,572 15 2 Including police.	.....	40 7 11 Police.
1113	Pargana Kurulchore, mahal Padima.	740 8 4	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2 and 3— As. Mauza Atla ... ... 16 ,, Agartara ... ... 16 ,, Malpara ... ... 16 ,, Mohisagote ... ... 16 ,, Padima ... ... 16 ,, Khalsatya ... ... 4 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Chowdhri Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra and others.	606 12 11	.....	40 8
1123	Pargana Kutubpore, mahal Bankakool *alias* Bhimpore.	2,074 8 6	.....	S. A. No. (4) IV— As. Mauza Baikantapore ... ... 8 ,, Fateganja ... ... 8 ,, Godadharchak known as chak Godadhar .. 8 ,, Jodupore ... . 8 ,, Krishnapore Uttar known as Uttar Kishnapore ... ... 8 ,, Mrijapore ... ... 8 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Grish Chandra Jana, present purchaser Dharanidhar Das Bera.	534 2 0	.....	98 5 0 June and September 1906.
1476	Pargana Khandar, mahal Belki.	784 3 11	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2 and 3— A. G. Mauza Bonhala ... ... 12 5 ,, Matungooria ... 12 5 [illegible] ,, Belkichak Gopinath 12 5 ,, Kheenkania ... 12 5 ,, Nandapura ... 8 10 ,, Rajibchak ... 12 5 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Godadhar Malkap and others.	588 8 7	.....	30 11 10 March to September 1906.
1731	Pargana Moynachore, mauza Ankhapurba.	1,001 7 2	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No. I, 8 annas share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Ganga Narain Maity, present purchaser Nil Kanta Jana.	500 11 7	.....	91 11 1 June and September 1906.
1751	Ditto ...	1,001 7 2	.....	S. A. No. I, 8 annas share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Sreematya Nirode Kumari Dasi, mother and guardian of Khitish Chandra Ghose, minor, and others.	500 11 7	.....	38 6 7
2847	Pargana Sabong, mauza Mohar.	1,445 9 0	Entire ...	.....	Sarat Chandra Jana and others.	.....	110 12 0	.....
				Part II.				
2884	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Mangalpore.	2,491 0 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No. II. 12a. 19g. share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Upendra Nandan Das Das Mahapatra and others.	2,016 2 6	.....	157 10 0 June and September 1906.
				Part III.				
2904	Pargana Taraf Bisnan, mahal Gonahar, &c., Bajesapti No. 147.	814 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Government (Settlement-holder Panchanon Midhya and others).	.....	62 3 0	.....

Midnapore Collectorate, the 1st December 1906.

D. WESTON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 4th January 1907 at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3551	Annapurna, pargana Pajnaur.	941 0 6	The whole.	.....	Annapurna Devi ...	.....	5 2 9	.....
2551	Saradaprosad, pargana Pajnaur.	706 0 0	Ditto.	.....	Sarada Prasad Sur and others.	.....	3 13 4	.....
3297	Ambaria, pargana Shahaujial.	1,241 1 0	.....	12 annas' share covered by separate account No. 3297/0. All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rakhihanessa Bibi and others.	930 12 [illegible]	.....	1 2 2

Nadia Collectorate, the 30th November 1906.

S. HALDAR, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1907 at midday for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
351	Janta Lalji Missir, pargana Barail.	893 11 6	Entire estate.	.....	Mossammat Rani Kuar and others	.....	166 8 1	.....
2357	Bishoonpur Balbhaddar, Chakla Garjowl.	562 1 4	Do.	.....	Babu Langat Singh ...	.....	60 0 4	.....
3478	Upliowl, pargana Hajeepur.	1,435 7 9	Do.	.....	Akal Singh and others ...	.....	351 6 2	.....
3817 Es.	Chhapra Hasanpur, pargana Tariani.	1,106 1 5	.....	Residuary share, Chhapra, 10a. 3p. 8kr. 6m. 10d.; Hasanpur, 11a. 7p. 9kr. 6m. 10d.; Balandpur, 11a. 7p. 9kr. 6m. 10d.; Ditto, 15a. 3p. 9kr. 6m. 10d.; Supowl, 13a. 3p. 9kr. 6m. 10d. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sheikh Mahamad Akbar Ali *alias* Chhotey Nawab.	996 11 6	.....	8 14 11
21339	Dharampur Harka Mansahi Kasim Hussain, pargana Morwahkalan.	1,184 9 10	Entire estate.	.....	Mossammat Bibi Noorjahan Begam, self and guardian of Kazim Hussain Khan and others.	.....	6 8 11	.....

E. V. LEOINGE, Collector.

MILITARY ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT.

Statement of Unclaimed Sums deposited with the Bengal Military Orphan Society in trust for Soldiers' Children, exclusive of those of minors who have not attained the age of 21.

Date of deposit.	Name and Rank of Father.	Corps.	Names of Children.	Amount. Rs.	A.	P.
Prior to 1842	Collins, ——, Sergeant ...	.....	Two children ...	157	14	1
,,	Lee. E., Corporal	.....	Two children ...	111	9	6
,,	Smith, Henry, Sergeant ...	.....	Elizabeth	828	0	0
,,	Smith, D, Sergeant-Major ...	.....	Margaret	78	6	5
,,	Story, ——, Sergeant ...	.....	Thomas	117	5	4
,,	MacConnell, Sergeant ...	.....	John	77	15	3
,,	Rutherford, Sergeant ...	.....	Margaret	138	10	8
,,	Hewetson, William, Gunner ...	.....	John	47	5	7
,,	Taylor, John, Private ...	.....	John	214	11	1
,,	Conroy, Peter, Corporal ...	.....	Thomas	274	14	6
,,	McCullum, ——, Conductor ...	.....	John	354	6	10
,,	Gordon, James	59th Foot	James	589	2	2
,,	Casey, Jeremiah	87th Foot	Daniel	109	12	4
,,	Corbolly, Thomas, Private ...	59th Foot	Samuel	62	12	3
,,	Cassidy, ——, Corporal ...	.....	John	61	3	9
,,	Hyde, Henry, Conductor ...	.....	Thomas	187	1	10
,,	Hedgkinson, E., Troop Sergeant-Major.	11th Dragoons ...	William	64	8	0
,,	Anderson, William, Corporal ...	H. C. 1st En. Regt. ...	Mary Anne Margaret ...	124	11	6
,,	White, W., Private ...	3rd Buffs ...	George and Mary Anne.	13	13	9
,,	Minogue, T., Private ...	3rd Buffs ...	Thomas	23	11	0
,,	Tailor, John, Bombardier ...	.....	Elizabeth	43	0	0
,,	Neal, James, Private ...	59th Foot ...	James	43	0	0
,,	Sherrock, J, Corporal ..	.....	Joseph	160	0	0
,,	Moore, Bombardier ...	.....	Dorothy	5	9	5
,,	Lawson, Henry, Laboratory Sergeant.	.....	George	11	8	2
,,	Creighton, James, Corporal ...	13th L Infy. ..	Mary Ann	16	12	0
,,	McCoy, ——, Sub-Conductor ...	.....	John and George ...	958	3	2
,,	Long, R., Sergeant ...	Allahabad Magazine Establishment.	Ann and Robert D. ...	187	3	9
,,	Baker, H., Gunner ...	4th Co., 3rd Bn. Arty. ...	James	32	1	4
,,	Hills, ——, Gunner ...	1st Co., 3rd Bn Arty. ...	Sophia	30	1	1
,,	Burns, James, Gunner ...	Artillery	Hannah	10	5	9
,,	McKenney, R, Bombardier	1st Co., 4th Bn. Arty. ...	Ann Eliza	134	6	5
,,	Smith, J., Gunner ...	1st Co., 2nd Bn. Arty. ...	Margaret	6	6	5
,,	Byrne, F., Hospital Sergeant ...	2nd Bn. Arty. ...	Charles	123	13	4
,,	Flynn, J., Gunner ..	3rd Troop, 1st Bde., H. Arty.	Elizabeth	6	1	4
,,	Fagan, J., Gunner ...	1st Co., 3rd Bn. Arty.	Mary and James ...	11	12	9
,,	Johnson, C., Gunner ...	1st Co., 5th Bn. Arty. ..	William ...	3	0	6
,,	Twoomey, M., Gunner ..	4th Co., 3rd Bn. Arty....	Michael, William and Margaret.	21	2	11
,,	Ahern, William, Gunner ...	4th Co., 2nd Bn. Arty. ...	John ...	65	11	9
,,	McCormick, J., Gunner ...	4th Co., 2nd Bn. Arty. ...	Bernard ..	116	10	9
,,	Gavin, J., Gunner ...	2nd Co., 3rd. Bn. Arty.	Thomas and James ...	189	3	6
,,	Bryan, D., Sergeant ...	... ..	Mortimer ...	12	10	11
,,	Reid, ——, Sergeant ...	Sappers and Miners ...	Eleanor and Eunice ...	68	6	5
,,	South, ——, Sergeant	... ...	Elizabeth Martha ...	310	0	0
,,	Cunningham, Mathew, Private	44th Foot ...	Michel ...	37	14	6
,,	Blyth, John, Conductor ...	..... .	Children (names not recorded).	12	12	3
,,	Smith, T., Sergeant ...	.....	Esther and Emelia ...	28	15	0
,,	Pierce, Qr. Mr. Sergeant ...	20th N. I. ...	Thomas ...	711	15	2
,,	Driver, J., Sergeant-Major ...	.....	Robert Charles and John.	141	7	1
,,	Davis, D., Farrier-Sergeant ...	4th Troop, 1st Bde., H. Arty.	Thomas ...	23	15	2
,,	Canty, John, Bombardier ...	3rd Co, 4th Bn. Arty.	John (died 11th May 1842).	272	2	8
June 29, 1853	(Not recorded) ...	... ..	Bryon, Margaret, and William.	53	8	3
,, 29, 1849	(Not recorded) ...	.....	Daly Robert ...	23	9	1
Mar. 24, 1843	Nowlon, L., Farrier Sergeant	4th Troop, 2nd B. H. A.	Ellen ...	112	9	0
Apl. 3, 1843	Farrel, James, Gunner ...	2nd Co., 5th Bn. Arty.	Charlotte ...	4	2	8
,, 3, 1843	Roach, Edward, Private ...	1st En. Lt. Infy. ...	David and Austel ...	7	13	2
Mar. 9, 1813	Sheehan B., Gunner ...	3rd Co., 3rd Bn. Arty. ...	John and Patrick ...	2	1	8
June 21, 1844	Evans, George Sergeant ...	1st Co, 2nd Bn. Arty. ...	Mary Ann and Catherine.	19	14	9
Sept. 19, 1844	Andrews, ——, Private ...	44th Foot ...	George ...	200	0	0
Oct. 30, 1887	Ward, J, Gunner ...	O. Batty., 3rd Bde., R.A.	Julia ...	2/7	11	11
Dec. 31, 1887	Bunn, T, Gunner ...	G. Batty, B. Bde., R. H. A.	William Thomas ..	63	9	8
			James John ...	63	9	8
Apl. 20, 1886	Farrell, James, Sergeant ..	2nd Bn. Manchester Regt.	Mary	300	0	0

Date of deposit.	Name and Rank of Father.	Corps.	Names of Children.	Amount. Rs. A. P.
Mar. 29, 1838	Oxford, W., Private ...	2nd Royal Lanc. Regt....	A. L. and A. ...	20 6 5
Nov. 16, 1844	Gale, ——, Private ...	10th Foot	John Thomas ...	28 12 0
,, 20, 1844	Sullivan, Jonn, Bombardier ...	1st Co., 2nd Bn. Arty.,	John	130 0 0
Jan. 6, 1845	Monaghan, Michael, Sergeant	1st Co., 2nd Bn. Arty., ...	James	156 12 5
,, 15 1845	Godfrey, ——, Sergeant-Major		Harriett M. and James	31 14 1
Feb. 14, 1845	Fry, ——, Bugle-Major ...	6th Bn. of Arty.	James	12 6 9
,, 3, 1842	Wilson		Sophia, Thomas and Elizabeth,	204 7 8
,, ...1842	McCarthy, Qr. Mr. Sergeant.		John	61 2 3
14, 1845	Hannoo, J, Drummer	68th Regt., N. Infy. ...	Mary	28 8 3
July 7, 1845	Hay, A, Sergeant-Major ...	.....	Thomas	101 5 4
,, 9, 1845	Meaney, John, Sergeant-Major	2nd Bde., H. Arty. ...	Henry and James ...	292 15 8
,, 9, 1845	Murphy, Thomas, Bombardier	2nd Troop, 3rd Bde., H. Arty.	Ellen	77 4 11
,, 9, 1845	Fate, William, Staff Sergeant	4th Co., 15th Bn. of Arty	Catherine Ann ...	167 15 5
,, 9, 1845	Daley, Owen, Gunner ...	3rd Co, 5th Bn. of Arty.	Owen	7 1 7
Sept. 1, 1845	Ryan, ——, Sergeant ...		Jullia B. and George J.	120 13 0
Aug. 8, 1846	McEnerney, Thomas, Sub-Conductor.		Hannah	152 0 9
...	Glasscan, John, Corporal ...		Ellen Sarah	66 10 3
...	Ridley, Henry, Gunner ...		Henry	34 9 3
Oct. 16, 1846	Lewis, Thomas, Gunner ...	Arty.	Thomas	20 5 3
July 6, 1847	Dobbins, Francis, Gunner ...		Martha	83 3 6
,, 19, 1847	Lunn, Adam, Farrier ...	.....	Adam T. and John ...	79 14 3
,, 19, 1847	Clarke, William, Bombardier ...	1st Troop, 3rd Bde., H. Arty.	Not recorded ...	104 10 8
,, 19, 1847	Prince, W., Sergeant ...	1st Troop, 1st Bde., H. Arty.	Ditto	125 15 10
Jan. 11, 1848	Byrnes, ——, Corporal ...		Maria	59 0 0
July 6, 1848	Braithwaite, W., Staff Sergeant.		C. William and William H.	148 3 5
Oct. 16, 1848	Butcher, H., Sergeant-Major ...	Sirmoor Bn.	Johannah, Frederick and David Edwin.	99 6 1
May 9, 1849	Sheehan, D. Private ...	2nd En. Regt.	James	36 5 6
June 2, 1849	Moore, Benjamin, Private ...	1st En. B. F.	Sarah C.	9 8 4
2, 1849	Crowley, Charles, Private	1st En. B. F.	John	7 6 1
Oct. 12, 1849	Deare, W., Conductor		Emeline	50 0 0
Nov. 21, 1849	Moget, ——, Sergeant Major	.....	George	69 14 4
Feb. 18, 1850	Boote, Daniel, Gunner	1st Co., 4th Bn. of Arty.	James and another ...	26 3 5
June 29, 1850	Uniack, Patrick, Sergeant	1st Co., 3rd Bn. of Arty.	John and another ...	29 15 0
Aug. 19, 1850	Sheehan, P., Gunner	Arty.	Patrick	23 5 6
Oct. 29, 1850	Lees, James, Corporal	2nd En. Regt. ...	Elizabeth	25 14 6
Nov. 4, 1852	Hodgins, Adam, Gunner	2nd Co., 5th Bn. of Arty.	William	9 11 11
Feb. 1, 1853	Edwards, Michael, Sergeant	2nd Co, 5th Bn. of Arty.	Jane and Bridget ...	36 5 9
Apl. 21, 1853	Staples, Edward, Sergeant	Sappers and Miners ...	E. W. H.	97 2 6
Sept. 13, 1853	Brown, Michael, Sergeant	Arracan Bn. ...	John	49 10 3
Jan. 24, 1854	Galway, Robert, Bombardier.	1st Co., 3rd Bn. of Arty.	William	206 1 2
,, 18, 1855	Munrowd, George, Sub-Conductor.	Ordnance Dept. ...	Georgiana	61 10 3
Sept. 24, 1855	Franks, G., Bazar Sergeant ...		Mary Harriet ...	283 1 11
Oct. 15, 1857	Earle, Edward, Sergeant ...	Calcutta Town Guard ...	William Edward ...	209 14 0
Dec. 4, 1860	MacDonnel, John, Private ...	97th Foot	Charles	25 15 6
June ... 1862	Keddie, J., Private ...	2nd En. B. F. ...	Jane and James ...	86 0 0
July 22, 1863	Lawton, William, Color-Sergeant.	24th Foot	William and Joseph ...	152 14 2
Jan. 25, 1864	Jones, John, Gunner ..	G. Battery, 22nd Bde., Royal Arty.	Henrietta Daizell ...	39 5 10
Mar. 10, 1864 May 19, 1864	Anderson, William, Gunner	5th Bn., 25th Bde., Royal Arty.	Duncan	35 4 11
July 18, 1866	Rowland, J., Private ..	2nd Dragoon Guards ...	Sophia M. and Elizabeth Ann.	8 0 0
June 25, 1866	Mead, William, Bombardier ..	4-25th Royal Arty. ...	Mary and Thomas ...	4 0 0
Oct. 9, 1871	York, R., Sergeant ..	Arty.	Henry J.	21 1 4
May 8, 1884	Claydon, Daniel, Color-Sergeant.	2nd Lanc. Fus. ...	Thomas Patrick ...	60 0 0
July 6, 1887 June 2, 1888 and Sept. 7, 1888	Simmons, J., Lance-Corporal	2nd Bn., The Queen's Royal West Surrey Regt.	Annie Isabella and John Thomas.	353 14 0
Apl. 11, 1889	Hyland, M., Drummer	2nd Bn., The Queen's Royal West Surrey Regt.	Patrick, Emily, Matilda, and Rosanna.	568 9 8
Dec. 22, 1888	Squire, Richard, Sergeant	2nd West York Regt. ...	John Robert ...	554 14 0
Aug. 31, 1889	Neil, Thomas, Color-Sergeant	Ditto Ditto ...	Alfred William ...	199 9 10
Nov. 26, 1889	Foster, G., Private	Ditto Ditto ..	George, E. Ernest ...	113 13 9
Nov. 5, 1890	Loades, R. H., Sergt.	1st Bn., Suffolk Regt. ...	Robert, Henry ..	1,685 2 6

Application for payment of the deposits should be made to the Pay Examiner, Eastern Command, Calcutta.

G. W. S. FRYER, LIEUT.-COL.,
Pay Examiner, Eastern Command, and ex-officio
Secretary, Military Orphan Schools.

PAY EXAMINER'S OFFICE, EASTERN COMMAND;
Calcutta, the 16th November 1906.

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th November 1906.

Particulars	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ per cent. Loans— Of 1848-49.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1865.	Of 1879.	Of 1900-01.		Total.	4 per cent. Loans— Of 1832-33.	Of 1835-36.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	4½ per cent. Loans— Of 1870.		Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.	Grand Total.
Balance of 15th November 1906	84,17,400	1,57,30,500	10,54,51,200	2,18,57,000	1,17,59,800	15,39,700	.....	15,64,48,200	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	16,49,58,833
ADD—																				
Amount of transferred to in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 24th November 1906	5,000	.....	2,000	2,000	.....	.....	.....	4,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	9,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th November 1906 ...	.....	100	25,000	12,900	.....	.....	.....	38,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	38,000
	84,22,400	1,57,30,600	10,54,78,200	2,19,01,900	1,17,59,800	15,39,700	.....	15,64,90,200	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	16,50,05,833
DEDUCT—																				
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	.....	29,000	3,01,000	30,300	5,200	1,43,500	.....	5,09,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	5,09,000
Balance on 30th November 1906	84,22,400	1,57,01,600	10,51,77,200	2,18,71,600	1,17,54,600	14,46,200	.....	15,59,81,200	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	16,44,96,233

NOTE.—From 9th June 1857 to 30th September 1906—Enfaced from India 11,540 lakhs: retransferred from London, 11,245 lakhs.
" 1st October 1906 " 15th October " " " " 14 lakhs " " " 1 lakh.
" 16th " " " 31st " " " " ..... " " " 3 lakhs.
" 1st November " " 15th November " " " " 1 lakh " " " 7 "
" 16th " " " 30th " " " " ..... " " " 5 "

11,555 lakhs. 11,260 "

Balance against India ... 295 "

J. GRAVES,
Offg. Superintendent.

W. D. CRUCKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT [illegible]ICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta 3rd December 1906.

(1276—1)

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 27th November 1906.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 72,41,349 8 10			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 66,98,108 6 3	1,39,39,457	15	1
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	13,02,85,386	12	8
Bank Post Bills, &c.	5,28,447	15	11
Sundries	*26,94,979	6	4
Rupees	18,19,48,272	1	7

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	85,47,926	0	0
Other authorised investments	47,84,538	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities*	4,28,99,805	4	10
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	4,63,19,726	6	1
Bills discounted and purchased	3,37,20,788	12	6
Balances with other Banks	9,04,175	15	11
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	16,36,372	2	11
Stamps	11,932	1	11
Sundries	6,50,732	14	11
	13,96,75,947	11	1
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office Rs. 1,57,93,441 6 0*			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches „ 2,64,78,883 0 6†	4,22,72,324	6	
Rupees	18,19,48,272	1	7

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 10,25,040 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 3,26,032 8 0
Rs. 13,51,072 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 29th November 1906.

C. M. BASTIN, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans, 8 per cent.
Percentage 28·06.

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.
(1265—1)

Band of His Excellency the Governor of Bombay.

REPORT of a deserter or absentee without leave from the above Corps of Band of His Excellency the Governor dated at Gannesh Khind this 17th day of November 1906 :—

Number, Rank and Name	24636 Corporal Albert Young.
Age	21 years and 10 months.
Height — Feet	5 feet.
Height — Inches	9 inches.
Colour of — Complexion	Fair.
Colour of — Hair	Light Brown.
Colour of — Eyes	Greyish Blue.
Trade	Musician.
Date of Enlistment	26th January 1906.
Place of Enlistment	Colaba, Bombay.
Parish and County in which Born*	In the Parish of St. Mary's in or near the Town of Nottingham.
Date of Desertion or absence	17th November 1906.
Place of Desertion or absence	Gannesh Khind, Poona.
Marks‡	Small pigmented. Mole over left shoulder blade. No other mark.
See Note‖	On furlough.
See Note† (Not applicable to Militia)	Under one year.

* The Post Town of the parish is to be stated.
† All distinctive marks to be fully stated, and any peculiarity which may lead to detection.
‖ If the soldier deserted or absented himself without leave while on furlough, it is to be stated thus—"on Furlough."
† The length of the soldier's service up to the time of desertion *or* absence without leave, is to be here stated, thus—" under six months' service,"—" under one years' service,"—" under two years' service," and so on, as the case may be.

F. LEE, MAJOR,
Military Secretary to H. E. the Governor.

WANTED 20 Sub-Overseers for famine-relief works in this district. Pay from Rs. 25 to Rs. 50 according to qualifications. Only men with Survey Certificate should apply.

Applications with testimonials will be received by the District Engineer, Darbhanga, up to 10th December 1906.

W. EGERTON,
Collector.

Darbhanga Collectorate, the 27th November 1906.

WANTED 20 passed Sub-Overseers for famine-relief works. Salary Rs. 30 to Rs 45 consolidated according to qualification.

Applications to be addressed to the District Engineer, Laharia Sarai, up to 15th December 1906. (1271—2)

WANTED immediately for the partition work in the district of 24-Parganas 30 Surveyors on Rs. 30 and 3 Survey Inspectors on Rs 40 each. The appointments will last for about six months. None need apply who has not experience of the work and knowledge of plane table survey.

Applications with testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 20th December next.

RAI CHARAN GHOSE,
Partition Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 27th November 1906.

WANTED a Draughtsman for the Debi Bhadra Settlement Office at Satkhira, Khulna, for four months on Rs. 30 per mensem. Selected candidate will have to join at once.

SARAT CHANDRA MUKERJI,
Settlement Officer.

The 8th November 1906.

Wanted.

A HEAD CLERK on Rs. 90 rising to Rs. 100, by a yearly increment of Rs. 2, for the office of the Settlement Officer of Bihar, at present at Bhagalpur. Long experience of correspondence work in Government offices essential. One with Settlement experience preferred. The candidate selected will be expected to stick to the post for at least three years. Applications with copies of testimonials stating age and qualifications should be addressed to—"The Settlement Officer, Bhagalpur" so as to reach not later than the 16th of December 1906.

P. W. MURPHY, I.C.S.,
Settlement Officer.

Bhagalpur, the 22nd November 1906.

Wanted

FOR the Office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Barbarwa Azimgunge-Katwa Railway :—

One Draughtsman Surveyor on Rs. 40 per month.
One Surveyor on „ 30 „

Applications which should be accompanied by certificates, and in the case of the draughtsman by a copy of a Tracing and Printing in his own hand should be submitted at once to the undersigned.

BHABATARAN CHATTERJEE,
Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector,
B. A. K. Railway, Jangipore,

Jangipur P. O., district Murshidabad, the 23rd November 1906.

Wanted

AN Estimator for six months on a fixed pay of Rs. 50 per month with prospect of being confirmed permanently. None need apply who are not qualified and experienced.

Applications with copy of testimonials will be received up to the 8th December 1906 by the District Engineer, Darbhanga.

Laharia Sarai, the 30th November 1906. (1273—1)

Wanted for the Boinchee B. L. Mukherji's Trust Estate

A SUB-MANAGER on a monthly salary of Rs. 75 *plus* Rs. 25 on account of fixed allowance.

The selected candidate will be required to furnish a cash security of Rs. 1,000 for due performance of his duties, and shall have to execute an agreement for an equal amount for liquidated damages. Applications of those who combine a knowledge of law with experience of Zamindary work will be preferred.

		Rs.	
A Head Clerk for Manager's office at Boinchee on	...	30	per month.
An accountant for ditto	...	25	„
A record-keeper for ditto	...	20	„
A muharrir for ditto	...	15	„
A Head Clerk for Sub-Manager's office at Nampo on	...	30	„
An accountant for ditto	...	20	„
One record-keeper for ditto	...	15	
Two muharrirs for ditto	...	15	each.

Applications stating age and qualifications, together with copies of testimonials, should reach the undersigned not later than the 12th December next. They should also contain a statement whether the applicant has previously been employed in any post under the Government or any Local authority, and if so, a copy of the candidate's character-book and other record of service should be submitted.

CHANDRA S. KAR,
for Collector of Hooghly.

Dated Chinsura, the 26th November 1906. (1261—2)

Notice.

WANTED a Muhammadan candidate duly qualified under the rules for the post of a Sub-Inspector of Schools in the Midnapore district on a salary of Rs 50 a month *plus* the travelling allowance under the Civil Service Regulations. The applications will be received up to the 5th December 1906.

MUHAMMAD IBRAHIM,
Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

Hooghly, the 22nd November 1906.

Notice.

WANTED an experienced Accountant and Head Clerk for the office of the District Engineer, Nadia, on a salary of Rs. 60 rising to Rs. 75 by an annual increment of Rs. 3.

2. An experienced Overseer on a salary of Rs. 70 to Rs. 85 by an annual increment of Rs 3.

The candidates must be qualified under Rules 9 and 7 (1) of the Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1901, and state their age.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 17th December 1906. The selected candidates must have to join at once and to furnish security deposit of Rs. 1,100 and Rs. 500 respectively

S. C. CHATTERJEE,
District Engineer, Nadia.

Krishnagar, the 28th November 1906. (1264—2)

[Third Publication.]

Irrigation Department.

NOTICE is hereby given for general information that the Orissa Coast Canal, Range V, from Kansbans at the 116th mile-post to Charbettia, 132nd mile-post, will be closed for silt-clearance from the 15th December 1906 to 31st May 1907, both days inclusive.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

Calcutta, the 29th November 1906.

SARAT KUMAR CHAKRAVARTI, M.A., B.L., intends to apply to be admitted to practise as a Vakil in the Calcutta High Court. (1248—4—1068)

SEALED TENDERS in Form No. 2 available in the District Engineer's Office are invited for the excavation of the Muchikhali khal joining the rivers Kumar and Madhumati, in the subdivision of Magurah, district Jessore. The cost of the work has been estimated at Rs. 1,48,192, and the necessary information can be had in the office of the District Engineer and on application only.

Tenders accompanied by challan crediting earnest-money (Rs. 3,000) into the Jessore District Fund will be received by the undersigned up to 2 P.M. of the 15th December 1906.

P. C. SEN,
Chairman, District Board, Jessore.

The 30th November 1906. (1269—2)

Notice.

SEALED TENDERS for the supply of Indian steam coal by contract as specified below will be received by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine at his Office in the R. I. M. Dockyard, Bombay, up to 2 P.M. gun-fire, on the date fixed, after which hour no tender will be received:—

On 18th February 1907.	For the supply of Indian steam coal at	Akyab	From 1st April 1907 to 31st March 1908.
	Ditto	Bombay	
	Ditto	Calcutta	
	Ditto	Madras	
	Ditto	Rangoon	
	Ditto	Colombo	
	Ditto	Karachi	

2. Tenders must be accompanied by a Bank of Bengal receipt for the amount to be deposited or by Government Loan Paper, which is not to be endorsed to any Government officer but to stand in the name of the owner and be sent by registered post. Tenders forwarded in any other way will not be received. Informal tenders will be rejected, and no reason will be assigned for the rejection of any tender. The Director of the Royal Indian Marine does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

3. Any tender containing a conditional clause contrary to these requirements, or making stipulations not provided for either in this notice or the printed tender and schedule forms, will be summarily rejected.

4. Printed tender forms, and any information in connection with this contract, can be obtained at this office and can also be had from the Deputy Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Calcutta, and from the Principal Port Officer, Burma, Rangoon.

5. Tender is to be superscribed, "Tender for the supply of Indian steam coal to the Royal Indian Marine."

W. CHANDLER,
Offg. Director of the Royal Indian Marine.

Royal Indian Marine Dockyard, Bombay, 2nd November 1906.

Notice.

THE Directors have made the following changes in the Bank's European Establishment:—

Mr. H. A. T. Treble to be Acting Agent at Bombay, *vice* Mr. C. H. D. Moberly, placed on special duty.

By order of the Directors,

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, the 30th November 1906. (1268—1)

Notice.

IT is hereby notified that the Chaibassa Annual Fair will be held from the 15th December 1906 to the 14th January 1907. Traders and shop-keepers are invited to bring their shops to the *méla* ground.

E. CYRIL PRABAL,
for Deputy Commissioner of Singhbhum.

Dy. Commr.'s Office, Chaibassa, the 27th November 1906.

Notice.

A CERTIFICATE under section 36 of Act II of 1874 to the estate of Mrs. Effie Blanch Gomes, late of Cawnpore, who died intestate at Cawnpore on 10th August 1906, has been granted to Herbert E. Gomes, Assistant Engineer, Muir Mills, Cawnpore, as husband of the deceased to enable him to administer the estate. All persons being indebted to or having claims against the estate should communicate with the said Herbert E. Gomes.

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

3, Council House Street, Calcutta, the 4th December 1906. (1277—1)

Road Cess Notification.

DISTRICT HOOGHLY.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under section 46 of the Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the District Board of Hooghly, at their special meeting held on the 19th December 1906, have resolved to fix six pies in the rupee as the rate at which Road Cess shall be levied in the Hooghly district during the year 1907-08 on the annual value of lands and on the net profits from mines, quarries, tramways, railways and other immoveable properties as prescribed in the law.

K. K. BISWAS, for Chairman, District Board.

Hooghly District Board's Office, Chinsurah, the 1st December 1906. (1272—1)

Corporation of Calcutta

Municipal Bye-Election in Ward No. 18.

IT is hereby notified under section 55 of Act III (B.C) of 1899 that C. O. Remfry, Esq., of 31-2, Judge's Court Road, Alipore, Bar.-at-law has been elected as a Commissioner for Ward No. 18 under Rule 5 of Schedule V of the Act.

C. G. H. ALLEN,
Chairman of the Corporation.

Dated the 1st December 1906. (1274—1)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to a decree and an order of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, made in suit No. 416 of 1904 (wherein Aga Mahomed Baquir Ispahany is the plaintiff and Bepin Behary Singha and another are the defendants), and dated, respectively, the 8th day of December 1904 and the 30th day of May 1905, by the Registrar of the said Court in his sale-room on Saturday, the 22nd day of December 1906, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the undermentioned property belonging to the defendants, Bepin Behary Singha and Benode Behary Singha:—

Lot 1.—All that partly one and partly two-storied brick-built dwelling-house and premises with land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by measurement 6 cottahs and 2 chittacks, more or less, situate known as No. 19-1 Nawabde Ostagor's Lane and comprised in holdings Nos. 233 and 281 in block No. 13, North Division of Calcutta, paying an annual revenue of Re. 1-3-5 and 11 annas and 3 pies respectively, and bounded on the north by Nawabde Ostagor's Lane, on the east partly by No. 20 Nawabde Ostagor's Lane, being the dwelling-house of Essur Chunder Ghose and partly by a common passage leading to No. 19 Nawabde Ostagor's Lane, on the south by premises No. 19 Nawabde Ostagor's Lane, and on the west partly by premises Nos. 17 and 18 Nawabde Ostagor's Lane, being a mosque, and partly by premises No. 19 Nawabde Ostagor's Lane.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the undersigned, or at the office of Messrs. Jugneswar Sen & Ghosh, Attorneys for the plaintiff, at No. 11 Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Jugneswar Sen & Ghosh, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

High Court, Original Side, the 5th day of September 1906. (1251—1—406)

Notification.

THE Dumka *méla* begins on the 1st February next and lasts a fortnight. The *méla* site has now been removed to the heart of the town, and allotments of space will be made free of all charge by the Committee on application.

From the 7th to the 10th February, there will be daily sports, fireworks and amusements for the public in the *méla* grounds, ending with an exhibition of produce and cattle. Rupees 500 will be given away as prizes at the sports, and the same amount or more at the exhibition.

Traders, shop-keepers, exhibitors and itinerant performers are requested to communicate with the Secretary as soon as possible.

W. H. THOMSON,
Subdivisional Officer.

Dumka, the 13th November 1906.

NOTIFICATION.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

SUIT No. 87 OF 1904.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Surendra Nath Mookerjee *versus* Radhasham Dey and others.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court, Original Side, in his sale-room at the Court-house on Saturday, the 22nd day of December 1906, at 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to the decree and order made by the said Court in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in Suit No. 87 of 1904 (wherein Surendra Nath Mookerjee was the plaintiff and Radhasham Dey and others were defendants), and dated, respectively, the 31st day of August 1904 and 4th December 1906, the undermentioned properties:—

Lot No. 1.—The undivided one-fourth share of the defendant Radhasham Dey in all that two-storied brick-built messuage, tenement, hereditaments and dwelling-house, together with the piece or parcel of land, containing by estimation 7 cottahs 12 chitaks and 20 square feet, be the same a little more or less and on part whereof the same is erected and built, situate, lying at and being premises No. 34 Machooah Bazar Street, formerly No. 23, in the North Division of the Town of Calcutta, being Holding No. 363, Block No. VIII, and bounded on the north by the Machooah Bazar Street, on the south by Municipal drain, on the east by the bustee land belonging to Sanyasi Mitter, and on the west by a municipal drain and in respect of which there is payable an annual revenue of rupees two annas fifteen and pies two.

Lot No. 2.—The undivided one-fourth share of the mortgagor in all that one-storied brick-built messuage, tenement, house and premises, together with the piece or parcel of land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is built, containing by estimation 1 cottah 12 chitaks and 40 square feet, be the same a little more or less, situate, lying at and being premises formerly No. 88, now Nos. 88, 88-1, 88-2, 88-3, 88-4, 88-5, 88-6 and 88-7 Harrison Road, in the North Division of the Town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by the Harrison Road, on the south partly by No. 12 Shama Churn Dey's Street and partly by a private passage, on the east partly by No. 86 Harrison Road, and partly by 12 Shama Churn Dey's Street, and on the west by Shama Churn Dey's Street.

Lot No. 3.—The undivided one-fourth share of the said Radhasham Dey in all that piece or parcel of land containing by estimation 2 cottahs 10 chitaks and 26 square feet, be the same a little more or less, situate, lying at and being No. 73 Harrison Road, in the Town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north partly by 9-3 Tamers Lane, and partly by a public passage, on the south partly by No 71 Harrison Road, and partly by Harrison Road, and on the east partly by No. 71 Harrison Road and partly by No. 9-4 Tamers Lane, and on the west by Harrison Road.

KALLY NAUTH MITTER
and Sarvadhikary, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

2 Old Post Office Street, Calcutta,
The 17th November 1906.

(1240—1—1089)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the Calcutta High Court in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his sale-room, in the Court-house, on Saturday, the 15th day of December 1906, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to a decree and an order of the said Court, made in suit No. 425 of 1903 (the Pubna Dhan Bhandar Company, Limited, *versus* Uma Nath Lahiri and another), and dated, respectively, the 18th January 1904 and the 16th May 1905, the following property:—

No. 5'-5 Okhil Mistry's Lane, holding No. 325, Survey Block No. 1 in the Northern Division of the town of Calcutta, paying an annual revenue of 9 annas to the Calcutta Collectorate, being a partly two-storied and partly three-storied brick-built house, together with the land thereunto belonging, containing by measurement three cottahs of land, more or less, and bounded on the north by premises No. 51-6 Okhil Mistry's Lane, being the dwelling-house of Aushootosh Chatterjee, on the south by premises No. 51-40 Okhil Mistry's Lane, being the dwelling-house of Nogendra Nundiny Dabee, on the east partly by premises No. 153-1 Boitakkhana Road, being the tenanted house of Kali Doss Nath and partly by premises No. 52 Okhil Mistry's Lane, being the tenanted house of G. C. Babajee, and on the west by a common passage.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar or at the office of Messrs Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee at No. 6 Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the time of sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

Bonnerjee and Bonnerjee, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

High Court, Original Side, the 31st day of August 1906. (1266—1—1107)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to the decree and order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction made in Suit No. 244 of 1903 (wherein Amar Chander Bose and another are plaintiffs and Sissanath Dass and another are defendants), and dated the 9th day of March 1904 and 28th day of August 1905, respectively, by the Registrar, Original Side, in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 8th day of December 1906, at 12 o'clock noon, the following property:—

All that undivided two equal third parts or shares of and in No. 8 Chutterparah Lane, a three-storied brick-built dwelling-house with land containing by estimation 3 cottahs 2 chitaks and 20 square feet, more or less, in Block II, Holding, 258 in the Northern Division of the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by premises No. 7 Chutterparah Lane, on the south and east by premises No. 9 Chutterparah Lane, and on the west by Chutterparah Lane

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar or at No. 10 Hastings Street, the Office of Mr. N. C. Bose, the Attorney for the plaintiffs, and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK, Registrar.

N. C. Bose, Attorney for the plaintiffs.

High Court, Original Side, the 8th September 1906. (1246—1—1090)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of DHURMULL, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad-interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 10th day of December instant, at the hour of half-past 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

T. H. Wilson & Co., Attorneys. (1278—1)

In the matter of GONESH PROSAD and KALI PROSAD, lately carrying on business at No. 17 Moyraputty, Barra Bazar, in the town of Calcutta, under the name, firm and style of Mohabir Prosad, Gonesh Prosad, and also at Dumraon in the district of Arrah under the name and style aforesaid, Traders, insolvents.

On the 23rd day of August last it was, on the petition of Ramnarain Gonesh Lall Bhakat, a creditor of the said insolvents, adjudged that the said Gonesh Prosad and Kali Prosad have committed an act of insolvency under the provisions of the Act XI, Vic. Cap. XXI, and by another order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

M. N. Bannerjee, Attorney. (1256—2)

In the matter of RAJENDRO NATH GHOSE and SARAT CHUNDER SINHA, insolvents.

(Ghose, Sinha & Co.)

On the 2nd day of October 1905, it was, on the petition of Henri Gutmann, residing at Lyons in France and carrying on business at No. 1 Portuguese Church Street, in the Town of Calcutta, a creditor of the said insolvents, adjudged that the said Rajendra Nath Ghose and Sarat Chunder Sinha have committed an act of insolvency under the provisions of the Act XI Vic. Cap. XXI, and by another order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Leslie and Hinds, Attorneys. (1257—2)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 14 OF 1906.

In the matter of Rajani Kanta Choudhuri of Tantibirole, Division Mirzapore, district Murshidabad, petitioner.

THE abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent.

A. W. WATSON,

Officiating District Judge.

Murshidabad, District Judge's Office, the 24th November 1906. (1249—1—1105)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No 14 OF 1906.

NANDALAL SEN of Mogulpura in Hooghly was on the 21st November 1906 declared an insolvent and discharged on the 26th idem, under section 351, Civil Procedure Code. The 18th December next has been fixed for framing a schedule of debts, and creditors whom persons having claims against him are to prove them in this Court.

S. B. CHAUDHURI, District Judge.

Hooghly District Judge's Court, the 28th November 1906. (1262—1—1104)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 16 OF 1906.

GOPAL CHANDRA SEN of Mogulpura in Hooghly was on the 21st November 1906 declared an insolvent and discharged under section 351, Civil Procedure Code, on the 26th idem. The 18th December 1906, has been fixed for framing a schedule of debts, and creditors whom persons having claims against him are to prove them in this Court.

S. B. CHAUDHURI, District Judge.

Hooghly District Judge's Court, the 28th November 1906. (1263—1—1103)

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.		Route by which despatched.
	1906.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	Dec. 6	At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	5	Parcels, 5 P.M.; M.-O., 4 P.M.	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ...	,, 10	At 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
† Straits Settlements, China and Japan.	,, 8	,, 8-30	Per steamer *Lightning*.
Burma	,, 6	,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	,, 8	,, 7-30	Ditto ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	,, 7	,, 7-30	
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	,, 10	,, 7-30	
Mauritius, Réunion, Mayotte and Nossi-bé.	,, 15	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Wardha* from Colombo.
Mauritius, Réunion, Mayotte and Nossi-be (Supplemental).	,, 16	,, 7-30	
Port Blair	,, 8	,, 7-30	*Vid* Rangoon.

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that they may proceed by any steamer from Colombo that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† On other days correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that it may proceed by the first steamer from Colombo.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—

For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 6 A.M.
For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.
For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.
For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 4-15 P.M.
For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 1-15 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 1-35 P.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—

For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.
For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-55 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 4-15 P.M.
For the Bombay Mail *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa, Madras Presidency and Ceylon, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, Darjeeling, and places on the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway, at 7-30 P.M.

and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—

For the Bombay Mail *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa, Madras Presidency and Ceylon, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

4. Articles for Burma and for Port Blair by sea are received without late fee up to 7-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M., and late registered letters on the days on which direct mails are closed will be received from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. with a late fee of 2 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the letters.

5. On the latest safe day of despatch of Mails for the Australasian Colonies, or any other Foreign Countries, *vid* Madras or Tuticorin, the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time at 7-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 8-45 P.M. and late registered letters will be received from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.

6. On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Thursday) the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles, without the late fee, at 6-30 P.M., and late letters

and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 6-45 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On the day of despatch of any Foreign Mail by sea, the letter-box will be cleared for the last time, without the late fee, up to 8-30 P.M., and late letters and papers up to 9 P.M. and late registered letters will be received from 6 P.M to 7 P.M. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles,

CALCUTTA G. P. O., } JOHN OWENS,
The 3rd December 1906. } *Presidency Postmaster.*

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 30th November 1906.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water soundings. Ft.	in.	Remarks
Hari	Entrance from Ganges ...	8	0	
	Thence to Geriah ...	5	0	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	3	0	Alampore.
	" Jangipur to Berhampore	2	6	Ahmaniganj.
	" Berhampore to Katwa...	2	6	Bhoot Ghat.
	" Katwa to Nadia ...	3	9	Matiari.
	Entrance from Ganges ...	6	6	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	4	6	Chakharpara.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	4	0	Pirajpur.
	Thence to Patkabari	5	0	Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia	4	0	Plasseypara.
	Entrance from Ganges ...	3	0	
	Thence to Dewanganj ...	3	3	Dewanganj.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur	3	0	Jhowtala.
	" Shikarpur to Hoalia ...	3	3	Mohamadpur.
	" Hoalia to Chuadanga ...	7	6	Taltola.
	" Chuadanga to Kissenganj and Hanskhali ...	7	0	Chandannagar.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level.	Remarks
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges ...	Sahebganj ...	30-11-1906	6	2·84	70·84	Falling.
	Rampur Hoalia...	.....	...	...	...	...
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah...	2-12-1906	A.M. 7	8·00	53·00	Falling
	Entrance of Bhairab Jalangi, Akriganj ..	2-12-1906	A.M. 7	3·60	41·56	Do.
	Entrance of Mathabhanga ...	.....	...	...	....	...
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	2-12-1906	A.M. 8	23·65	50·25	Falling.
	Berhampore ...	3-12-1906.	A.M. 7	5·58	39·33	Do.
	Katwa .	1-12-1906	P.M. 5	7·50	22·66	Do.
Jalangi	Krishnagar ...	.....	...	...	...	...
	Sarupganj ...	2-12-1906	Noon 12	7·00	...	Falling.
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali .	1-12-1906	P.M. 4	7·40	18·25	Do.

R. D. CHATTERJI,
Offg. Exec. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.

Berhampore, the 3rd December 1906.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

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W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 30th November 1906.*

INDIA, WEST—BOMBAY COAST.

Bankot buoys relaid.

No. 459 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 269, dated the 3rd August last, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 121 of 1906) that the Bankot buoys have been relaid on the 5th November 1906.

ARABIA, NORTH-EAST—PERSIAN GULF.

Shoal outside Koweit Harbour.

No. 460 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 361, dated 21st September 1906, issued by this office, the following further notice issued by the Bombay Government (No. 122 of 1906) is republished:—

On examination of the soundings to the southward of Ras al Arz two shoal patches are situated as follows—

'Kola' Patch with a least depth of 7 feet rocky bottom bearing from Ras al Arz Beacon S. 3° E., distant 3·6 miles, and from N. E. corner of Sirra Hill Fort N. 82 3/4° E, distant 3·5 miles.

Another Patch with a least depth of 2 fathoms hard sandy bottom bearing from Ras al Arz Beacon S. 0 3/4° W., distant 2·0 miles, and from N. E. corner of Sirra Hill Fort N. 57 3/4° E, distant 3·8 miles.

The bearings are true.

These shoals are close to the coast, and the neighbourhood should be avoided. No buoy was seen on the Kola Patch as reported.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Persian Gulf, Western Sheet, No. 2837B., Koweit Harbour, No. 22; and Persian Gulf Pilot, 4th edition, pages 155 and 160.

CEYLON—Trincomali Harbour.

Back bay—Shoal.

No. 461 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1249 of 1906) of the existence of a rock with a depth of 3¼ fathoms over it in Back bay, Trincomali approach, situated in a position from which Elizabeth point bears S. 55° W., distant 1¼ miles, and Flagstaff point S. 1° E. This danger, named Flat rock, about 30 feet in diameter, has a depth of 5 fathoms close around, outside which the water deepens suddenly to 10 fathoms.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 38¾′ N., long. 81° 14½′ E.

(Variation Nil in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Ceylon, No. 2031; Trincomali, No. 815: Also Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 117.

CHINA SEA—Natuna islands.

Midai (Low) island and Elphinstone rock—Dangers between.

No. 462 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1250 of 1906) that a line of dangers, more or less connected together, extends for a distance of about 11 miles to the northward of Low island, which is now known as Midai island. The eastern limit of these dangers is fairly well defined by a line joining the east point of Midai island to Elphinstone or Pöstillon rocks.

The 3-fathom shoal given in the above notice is detached from this line of dangers.

Approximate position, north point of Midai island, lat. 3° 1′ N., long. 107° 48′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—China sea, No. 2660a; Natuna islands, No. 1548: Also China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 92.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Lombok strait.

Ampenan light—Character altered.

No. 463 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 385, dated 12th October 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1255 of 1906) that the character of Ampenan light has been altered from a white fixed to a *white group occulting* light *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *twelve seconds*; eclipse, *twelve seconds*; the new light being of the 4th order.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 34½′ S., long. 116° 4′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 941b; island of Java, No. 1654; Ampenan road on chart No. 895: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 512; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 201.

The 30th November 1906.

INDIAN OCEAN.

Seychelles—Mauritius—And Chagos Archipelago—Standard time adopted.

No. 464 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1264 of 1906) that on 1st January 1907, the standard time of the 60th meridian of East longitude, or 4 hrs. fast on Greenwich Mean time, will be adopted in the Seychelles and Mauritius, and that of 75th meridian of East longitude, or 5hrs. fast on Greenwich Mean Time, in the Chagos Archipelago.

The time-ball at port Louis, Mauritius, will in consequence be dropped at 1h 0m 0s P.M. Standard Time or 0h 50m 12·4s P.M. Local Mean Time, corresponding to 21h 0m 0s Greenwich Mean Time, instead of 1h 0m 0s Local Mean Time as at present.

Approximate position, port Louis signal station, lat 20° 10′ 5″ S., long. 57° 29′ 0″ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Port Louis, No. 713: Also List of Time Signals, 1904, No. 43; and Islands in the Southern Indian Ocean, 1904, pages 24, 309, 363, 343.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Spencer gulf.

Tiparq light-house—A Gong to be sounded during the prevalence of Fog or Mist.

No. 465 (first publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 21 of 1906) that during the prevalence of Fog or Mist a Gong will be sounded at the above-mentioned light-house for a period of thirty seconds in duration and at intervals of five minutes.

The sound will be audible in ordinary weather for a distance of three miles.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 2389B.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Gulf of St. Vincent.

Port Adelaide, outer harbour—Black buoy removed—No. 16 Beacon light temporarily exhibited.

No. 466 (first publication).—The President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 22 of 1906) informing Masters of Vessels, Pilots and others that, owing to the progress of deepening operations at the North Bank, Port Adelaide River, the Black Buoy thereon has been removed and its position is now occupied by the dredger.

No. 16 Beacon Light will be temporarily exhibited from the Reflecting Beacon until it can be shown from the position it is to occupy permanently, as to which a further notice will be issued.

This affects Admiralty Charts 2389A and B, 1750, and 1752.

The 30th November 1906.

AUSTRALIA—Sandy strait.

Woody island—Alteration in marks.

No. 467 (first publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 6 of 1906) that, on and after the 7th proximo, the red buoy on the Long Middle Bank off Woody Island will be shifted two (2) cables' length to the northward, and the red sector of Woody Island lower light altered to cut outside the buoy on a bearing of S. 46° W. The course from the Nun buoy will now be E. $\frac{3}{8}$ S instead of E. $\frac{3}{4}$ S., as shown on Admiralty Chart.

Chart affected—No. 3110; Australia Directory, vol. 2.

The 3rd December 1906.

BAY OF BENGAL—Chittagong Coast.

South Patches—Light vessel to be temporarily removed from her station.

No. 448 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 295, dated the 17th August last, issued by this office, the Port Officer, Chittagong, has given further notice that the South Patches light-vessel will be removed from her station on the 3rd January 1907, and replaced on the 5th March 1907. A red barrel buoy with staff will mark the position during her absence.

Approximate position, lat. 21° 29′ N., long. 91° 36′ E.

The 22nd November 190.

AUSTRALIA—Victoria—Hobson bay.

Gellibrand point light-house—Fog signal established.

No. 449 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 289, dated 10th August 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further Notice (No. 1210 of 1906) that a fog-horn and a fog rocket have been established at the pile light-house of Gellibrand point, Hobson bay. During thick or foggy weather the horn will be sounded and the rocket fired, alternately, *every five minutes.*

Approximate position, lat. 37° 52$\frac{3}{4}$′ S., long. 144° 55′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Philip, No. 1171b; Hobson bay, No. 624: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 1320; Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897, page 459; and Supplement, 1900, page 17.

The 23rd November 1906.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Spencer gulf.

Corny point light—Intended red sector.

No. 450 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1211 of 1906), that it is intended, on 1st January 1907, to alter Corny point light, Spencer gulf, to show *red* over Webb rock between the bearings of N. 50° E. and N. 25° E. in place of the present obscured arc. The red light will be visible in clear weather from a distance of 14 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 54′ S., long 137° 1′ E.

(*Variation 4° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Gulf of St. Vincent, &c., No. 2389a; Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 1218; Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897, page 219: and Supplement, 1900, page 14.

KOREA—EAST COAST.

Goshkevitch bay—Rock.

No. 451 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1222 of 1906) of the existence of a rock, with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, in Goshkevitch bay, situated in a position from which the southern extremity of Red island bears N. 64° E., distant 8½ cables, and West point N. 75° W.

Approximate position, lat 42° 18¼′ N., long. 130° 32¼′ E.

This rock, named Gyokugan, is steep-to, having depths of 14 to 15 fathoms around it.

(*Variation 7° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Tumen Ula to Strelok bay, No. 2432; Goshkevitch bay on chart No. 1186 : Also, Sailing Directions for Japan and Korea, 1904, page 155.

CHINA, NORTH—Manchuria—Liau tung gulf.

Kwang tung peninsula, north coast—Mines removed.

No. 452 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 420, dated 20th October 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further Notice (No. 1223 of 1906) that sweeping operations for mines over an area to the northward of a line joining cape Collinson and Iron island in a north-east direction to Kiu Chau bay were completed on August 26th last.

The cautionary note respecting mines has therefore been removed from the undermentioned charts.

Approximate position, Iron island, lat. 38° 56¾′ N., long. 120° 59E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Gulf of Pechili and Liau tung, No. 1256; Kwang tung peninsula, No. 1798; Pechili strait, No. 1392 : Also, China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, pages 634, 635.

PERSIAN GULF—Mouths of the Euphrates.

Shatt-al-Arab—Regulations regarding speed of vessels.

No. 453 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1226 of 1906) that, in consequence of the damage caused by vessels proceeding at a high rate of speed in the Shatt-al-Arab and the adjacent rivers and tributaries, the Turkish Government has notified, through the Vali of Basra, that the speed of all vessels after passing Fao must not exceed five knots. Legal proceedings for damages will be taken against Mariners who contravene this regulation.

Approximate position, Fao, lat. 29° 58½′ N., long. 48° 29½′ E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Shatt-al-Arab, No. 1235; Also Persian Gulf Pilot, 1898, page 239; and Supplement, 1905, page 28.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Malacca strait.

One Fathom Bank light—Alteration postponed.

No. 454 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 2, dated 8th January 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further Notice (No. 1227 of 1906) that the alteration in the light exhibited from the One Fathom Bank light-house, Malacca strait, from revolving to a *white group flashing* light, showing groups of four flashes *every fifteen seconds*, will not be completed before the close of 1907.

Approximate position, lat. 2° 53′ N., long. 101° 0′ E.

Further notice will be given when this alteration has been made.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Malacca strait, Nos. 13 5 and 794; Cape Rachado to Singapore, No. 795; Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 423; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 182.

CHINA, NORTH—Manchuria, south coast.

Ta lien hwan—Regulations relative to, cancelled.

No. 455 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 312, dated the 3rd September 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No 1228 of 1906) that the regulations respecting Ta lien hwan contained in the above-mentioned notice have been cancelled and are no longer in force. The pecked lines from San shan tau light-house, indicating the limits of the districts, have therefore been erased from the charts, and also the note that inside those pecked lines Japanese harbour regulations are to be followed.

Approximate position of San shan tau light, lat. 38° 51½′ N., long. 121° 50½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Kwantung peninsula, No. 1798; Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 586.

JAPAN, NAIKAI (INLAND) SEA—Simonoseki strait.

Moji ko—Wreck.

No. 456 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1241 of 1906) that the wreck of the S.S. *Naka Maru* lies sunk, with masts and funnel above water, in Moji ko, in a position from which Moji machi harbour office flagstaff bears S. 56° E., distant 3$\frac{4}{10}$ cables, and Kojo yama (Moji hill) N. 52° E.

Approximate position, lat. 33° 57′ N., long. 130° 57½′ E.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Simonoseki strait, No. 1578; Moji ko, No. 3114: Also Sailing Directions for Japan, 1904, page 502.

BAY OF BENGAL—Burma coast.

Krishna shoal light-vessel will shortly resume her station.

No. 457 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 408, dated 23rd October 1906, issued by this office, a further telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Rangoon, stating that the Krishna shoal light-vessel will resume her station on or about the 29th November 1906, exhibiting original light. The temporary light-vessel will be withdrawn.

BAY OF BENGAL—Chittagong coast.

Kurnafuli river—Depth of water in the channels.

No. 458 (second publication).—The Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the channels by soundings taken on the 22nd November 1906.

	Ft.	in.
Track No. 1.—Outer bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	0
Marks open to the north	14	0
Track No. 2.—Inner bar—		
Batten beacon on pillar	12	0
Track No. 3.—		
Triangle on cross and ball	16	6
Track No. 4.—Guptakhally crossing—		
Tripod on diamond	18	0

The 26th November 1906.

JAPAN—HONSHU (NIPON), NORTH-WEST COAST.

Caution—Floating mines.

No. 436 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1168 of 1906) that floating mines are still occasionally seen near the north-west coast of Honshu (Nipon), between the Oki islands and Tsugaru strait; vessels are therefore recommended not to navigate along this coast at night. The Japan sea, also, cannot yet be considered entirely free from danger from these mines.

A cautionary note to the above effect has been placed on the chart.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Nipon, Kiusiu, and Shikoku, No. 2347: Also Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, pages 636—682.

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND—PORT NICHOLSON.

Lambton harbour—Lights established on wharf.

No. 437 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1175 of 1906) that two *green fixed* lights, placed vertically 8 feet apart, the upper light being elevated 37 feet above high water, have been established near the outer end of Taranaki Street wharf.

These lights are visible from all points of approach for a distance of 3 miles in clear weather.

Approximate position, lat. 41° 17¼′ S., long. 174° 46¾′ E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Nicholson, No. 1423; Lambton harbour, &c., No. 803: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 273; and New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 172.

AUSTRALIA—NEW SOUTH WALES.

Newcastle harbour—Additional beacon light and leading mark established.

No. 438 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1180 of 1906) that, on and after 1st September 1906, a *green fixed* light, elevated 30 feet above high water, would be exhibited from a pile-beacon recently erected on the northern side of the entrance to Newcastle harbour, at a distance of 300 yards, S. 58° W., from the existing red pile-beacon with *green fixed* light.

Approximate position, lat. 32° 55¼′ S., long. 151° 47⅛′ E.

Vessels entering the harbour should keep the above *green fixed* lights in line, bearing S. 58° W., which will lead in least depth of 22 feet at low-water springs, until the lights on the fairway leading towers (*fixed white* and *fixed red*) come into line, bearing S. 42° W.

(*Variation 10° Easterly in 1906*)

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Jackson to port Stephens, No. 1021; Newcastle harbour, No. 2119: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 231; and Australian Directory, vol. II, 1898, page 81.

CHINA SEA—SINGAPORE STRAIT.

Raffles light.—Limits of obscured sector uncertain.

No. 439 (third publication).—With reference to notice to Mariners No. 367, dated 29th September 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1182 of 1906) that the limits of the sector within which Raffles light is obscured are at present uncertain.

Further notice will be given.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 10′ N., long. 103° 44½′ E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Singapore strait, Nos. 2403, 2404: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 437; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 201.

CHINA SEA—Gulf of Siam—Chentabun River.

Lemsing—Light established.

No 440 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1183 of 1906) that, on the 1st September 1906, a *white occulting* light *every thirty seconds* thus:—light, *twenty-five seconds;* eclipse, *five seconds*, elevated about 280 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles, would be established on Lemsing, at the entrance to Chentabun river.

The exact position of this light is not stated.

Approximate position, lat. 12° 28′ N., long. 102° 2½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of Siam, No. 2414; cape Liant to Koh kut with plan of Chentabun river, No. 2721: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 113; and China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 381.

AFRICA SOUTH COAST—Cape Colony—Algoa bay

Cape Recife light.—Description given.

No. 441 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 423, dated the 1st November 1906, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1197 of 1906) of the following description of the light on cape Recife, Algoa bay:—It is a *white fixed* and *flashing* light *every minute*, showing *red* between the bearings of S. 39° W. and S. 11° W., and *white* in other directions; the light-power of the fixed light being 9,000 candles, and of the flash 115,000 candles. The power of the light in the red sector is considerably reduced. Under certain atmospheric conditions the fixed light may become invisible, the flash only appearing.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 1¾′ S., long. 25° 42′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Indian ocean, No. 748a; Hondeklip bay to port Natal, No. 2095; cape St. Francis to Waterloo bay, No. 2085; Algoa bay, No. 642: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 15; and Africa Pilot part, III, 1905, page 125.

CHINA SEA—Philippine Islands—Luzon east coast—Lamon bay Approach.

Makulabo island—Shoal to the South-Westward.

No. 442 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1199 of 1906) that a shoal of coral and rock of large extent exists south-westward of Makulabo island. A depth of 3 fathoms was found on it situated in a position from which the southern extremity of Makulabo island bears N. 65° E., distant 2¾ miles, and the northern extreme of the same island N. 32° E.

There appeared to be less water on this shoal; an examination of it is in progress.

Approximate position, lat. 14° 24½′ N., long. 122° 39′ E.

(*Variation Nil in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—The Philippine islands, No. 943; Philippine islands between St. Bernardino and Mindoro straits, No. 2577: Also, Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1902, page 374; and Supplement, 1906, page 30.

EASTERN ASCHIPELAGO—Sumatra West coast—Benkulen.

Pulo Tikus light—Intended alteration.

No. 443 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No 1201 of 1906) that it is intended to alter pulo Tikus light from white fixed to a *white flashing* light *every five seconds*, the flashes being of very short duration; it will be visible in clear weather from a

distance of 16 miles, and exhibited from a white open iron framework support, 98 feet high, erected near the position of the present light.

The light will be of the 5th order.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 50½′ S., long. 102° 11′ E.

Further Notice will be given when received.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Sumatra with plan of Benkulen, No. 2761: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 463; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 312.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Sumatra, east coast—Malacca strait.

Langsar bay—Light intended.

No. 444 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1202 of 1906) that it is intended to establish a *white flashing* light *every three seconds* on a white open iron framework support, 65 feet high, erected on Pasir Puti, Langsar bay, the duration of each flash being one second. The light will be of the 4th order.

Approximate position, lat. 4° 32½′ N., long. 97° 59′ E.

Further Notice will be given when received.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Acheh head to Tyinykok bay, No. 2760; Diamond point to Pulo Berhala, No. 1353; and Langsar bay, No. 3574: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 63; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 71.

NEW ZEALAND—North island, east coast.

Little Barrier island—Rock.

No. 445 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1203 of 1906) of the existence of a rock, awash at low-water springs off the north-west coast of Little Barrier island, situated in a position from which White cliffs (600 feet) bear S. 75° E., distant about 2 cables, and the northern point of Little Barrier island N. 55° E, distant 2 miles.

This rock is about 60 feet long in a north-easterly and south-westerly direction and 5 feet broad.

Approximate position, lat. 36° 10¾′ S., long. 175° 3¼′ E.

(Variation 14° Easterly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Tutukaka harbour to Mayor island, No. 2543; Bream head to Tepaki point, No. 3565: Also, New Zealand Pilot, 1901, page 47; Supplement, 1906, page 4.

COMPASS—*Variation of, on certain charts.*

No. 446 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1205 of 1906) that observations obtained during recent years show that the secular change in the variation of the compass is in some cases greatly different from what was anticipated.

The results have been embodied in the variation chart for the Epoch 1907, and this chart should be consulted on all occasions before deciding on the variation to be allowed in shaping course, &c.

The compasses on the charts may be in some cases as much as 2° in error.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Caution—Wreck of a Pattimar off Vingorla.

No. 447 (third publication)—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 428, dated the 1st November 1906, issued by this Office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 119 of 1906) that the Master of S.S. *Loodiana* reports that he passed a wrecked Pattimar in lat. 15° 41′ N., long. 73° 26′ E., Vingorla Rock Light-house, bearing N. 5° E. (True), distant 12 miles. The vessel is lying on her side and is laden with logs of timber; she bears the following mark on her port quarter :—240·5· C.

The derelict is a great danger to navigation.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Karáchi to Vengorla, No. 826; Vengorla to Cape Comorin, No. 827; Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug No. 2736; Viziadrug to Cochin, No. 2737; and Achra River to Cape Ramas, No. 740 : Also, West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 168.

The 17th November 1906.

St. L. S. Warden, Comdr., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

REGISTERED No. C209.]

No. 49 of 1906.

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NOMINATION OF A MEMBER TO THE BENGAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE MUNICIPALITIES IN THE ORISSA AND CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISIONS.

APPOINTMENT DEPARTMENT—APPOINTMENT.

Calcutta, the 28th November 1906.

RESOLUTION—No. 4249A.

THE seat in the Bengal Legislative Council of the Hon'ble Mr. Jogesl Chandra Chaudhuri, who was nominated as the representative of the Municipalities in the Rajshahi Division on the 19th January 1905, will be vacant on the 18th January 1907.

2. In paragraph 5 of the Resolution of this Government, No. 1553J., dated the 25th March 1893, it was prescribed that Municipalities should be grouped together, Division by Division, and that Municipalities within each Divisional area should take it in turns to exercise the privilege bestowed upon them of recommending a person for nomination to the Council. In the same paragraph a sketch was given of the form which the rotation would probably

assume; but it was mentioned that the Lieutenant-Governor could not bind himself or his successor as to the exact order in which the privilege would in future be exercised.

3. In paragraph 4 of this Government Resolution No. 1747A.D., dated the 30th June 1906, it was stated that the formation of the new Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam, and the transfer thereto of the Divisions of Dacca, Rajshahi and Chittagong, necessitated the drawing up of a new roster both with regard to the rotation of groups of District Boards and groups of Municipalities, but that no such new roster should be prescribed until the question of reconstituting the Divisions of Bihar had been finally settled.

4. Meanwhile, as during the ensuing or following sessions important legislation affecting the Orissa and Chota Nagpur Divisions is likely to be introduced, namely, Bills to amend the Chota Nagpur Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, the Chota Nagpur Encumbered Estates Act, and the Chota Nagpur Rural Police Act and a Bill to regulate the maintenance of Land Records in Orissa, and another to amend the Puri Lodging House Act, the Lieutenant-Governor has decided that the recommendation on the present occasion should be made by the Municipalities of the Orissa and Chota Nagpur Divisions. The necessary notification will now be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, specifying the Municipalities in these two Divisions as the groups of Municipalities on whose recommendation the Lieutenant-Governor will make a nomination to the vacant seat. Only those Municipalities, which enjoy a clear income from Municipal resources proper of Rs. 5,000 and over, will exercise the right of voting for the selection of a candidate for nomination to the Council. The voting power of each Municipality is calculated on the basis of its ordinary income, according to the following scale as laid down in paragraph 6 of the Resolution of this Government, No. 2307 A., dated the 31st March 1897:—

	Rs.		Rs.	Votes.
Municipalities with an income of	5,000	and less than	10,000 ...	1
Ditto ditto	10,000	ditto	20,000 ...	2
Ditto ditto	20,000	ditto	50,000 ...	3
Ditto ditto	50,000	ditto	1,00,000 ...	4
Ditto ditto	1,00,000	ditto	1,50,000 ...	5
Ditto ditto	1,50,000	and over	... ...	6

5. The following statement shows the Municipalities in the Orissa and Chota Nagpur Divisions, which will send delegates to vote for a person to be recommended for the vacant seat, and the number of votes assigned to each according to the above scale. Each Municipality will elect one representative only, and he will be entitled to exercise all the votes of the body which he represents. The ordinary income taken is that for 1905 06:—

District.	Name of Municipality.	Ordinary income.	Number of votes to be recorded by the representative.
	Municipalities in the Orissa Division.	Rs.	
Cuttack ...	Cuttack	40,155	3
	Jajpur	5,107	1
	Kendrapara	9,298	1
Balasore ..	Balasore	15,155	2
Puri ...	Puri	28,479	3
Sambalpur ...	Sambalpur	53,924	4
	Municipalities in the Chota Nagpur Division.	Rs.	
Hazaribagh ...	Hazaribagh	12,504	2
	Chatra	5,422	1
	Giridih	6,253	1
Ranchi ...	Ranchi	23,504	3
Palamau ...	Daltonganj	8,798	1
Manbhum ...	Purulia	20,645	3
Singhbhum ...	Chaibassa	7,795	1

6. Under Rule IV of the Regulations framed by the Governor-General in Council with the approval of the Secretary of State under section 1 (4) of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, for Bengal, the Lieutenant-Governor now desires the Commissioners of the Orissa and Chota Nagpur Divisions at once to address the Chairmen of the Municipalities in their own Divisions as enumerated in the above list, requesting them to convene a special meeting of their Municipalities at which one member of the Municipality should be selected to represent them for the purpose of making the recommendation for the seat in Council and expressing a desire to receive the names of any candidates for the Council who may offer themselves for recommendation.

7. The period of three months laid down in Rule VII of the Regulations as that within which a recommendation shall be made to the Lieutenant-Governor will run from the date on which the Commissioners concerned (whichever is latest) issue their request to the Chairmen of the Municipalities.

8. All candidates for the Council should be proposed and seconded by two members of one of the Municipalities included in the groups; and their names, addresses and qualifications with those of their proposers and seconders, should be reported to the Commissioner of the Division concerned by the Chairman of the Municipality to which the proposer and seconder in each case belong, so as to reach the Commissioner not latter than a month before the date fixed for the appointment of a representative under Regulation V (*c*) which date should at the same time be notified to the Commissioner. It will be the business of each Chairman to see that this is done.

9. Each Commissioner should enter the names of candidates who have been duly proposed and seconded, with those of their proposers and seconders, and the other particulars above noted as they reach him, in a list to be kept for the purpose; and he should circulate this list to all the Municipalities concerned in his own Division, and send it to the other Commissioner for circulation to all the Municipalities concerned in the latter's Division, so as to reach them before the date fixed for the appointment of a representative. On the date on which the meeting for the purpose of appointing a representative is held, the list of candidates mentioned above should be circulated to each member present at the meeting. It will rest with the Municipalities, if they see fit, to give clear and definite instructions to their representatives as to the way in which they should vote, that is, as to the candidate for whom they should vote, declaring the name of the candidate to whom all their votes should be given or, if to be given to more than one candidate, the order and manner in which such votes should be given.

10. As soon as the representatives have been selected, they will be called upon by the Commissioners (who will act in concert in making the necessary arrangements) to meet together on an early and convenient date, with special reference to the limit imposed by Rule VII of the Regulations, for the purpose of electing, by a majority of votes, a person whom they will recommend to the Lieutenant-Governor to be nominated as a Member of the Council. The place of meeting will be in the Bengal Secretariat, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta.

11. The electoral representatives present at this meeting shall elect one of themselves to be Chairman, and he shall preside and be responsible for the fair and proper conduct of the voting.

12. The names of all candidates entered on the list mentioned above, together with those of their proposers and seconders, shall be read out by the Chairman, and the representatives shall then proceed to vote. The person elected must obtain a majority of the votes of the representatives present. If on the occasion of the first vote an absolute majority is not obtained, the name of the candidate who obtains the least number of votes shall be withdrawn from the election, and another vote shall then be held for the remaining candidates, and so on, until an absolute majority is obtained.

13. The Chairman of the meeting shall without delay report to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal the name of the person elected, with the number of votes obtained, and any other information which it may appear desirable to communicate; and he shall on behalf of the meeting recommend to the Lieutenant-Governor the nomination to the Council of the person

so elected. The recommendation will then be submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor by the Chief Secretary.

14. Attention is drawn to the following Rule VI of the Regulations which have been framed by the Governor-General in Council with the approval of the Secretary of State:—

VI.—It shall be a condition in the case of any person to be recommended by a Municipal Corporation or group of Municipal Corporations that he shall be a person resident within the Municipality or the district in which it is situated or in some one of the Municipalities constituting the group of the districts in which they are situated.

A similar condition shall also apply to persons to be recommended by District Boards.

Explanation.—A person is not "resident" within the meaning of this Rule unless he has a place of residence in the locality concerned, and such practical connection with that locality as qualifies him to represent the inhabitants thereof.

If at any time the question is raised whether a person proposed for election is "resident" within the meaning of this rule, the question shall be referred to, and decided by, the Local Government, whose decision shall be final.

Under this rule it is not necessary that the person recommended should be a member of any Municipality concerned, but he must be resident within the Division from which the recommendation is made. Subject to this condition, the rules declare no limit of qualification, and it is left to the representatives to recommend a person under Rule V (*c*) according to the majority of their votes.

15. It is desirable that the subsidiary arrangements now sanctioned shall, as far as possible, be given effect to by the Municipalities concerned with the minimum amount of official interference. The Divisional Commissioners and the District Magistrates will, of course, afford any assistance which may be required, and will do their utmost to facilitate the smooth working of the elections; but Government officers are forbidden to take part, directly or indirectly, in the election by canvassing, influencing votes, or otherwise interfering with the free choice of the Municipalities. No indication should be given by any official member of any of the Municipalities concerned as to the manner in which he himself intends to vote.

ORDERED that a copy of this Resolution be furnished to the Commissioners of the Orissa and Chota Nagpur Divisions, for information and guidance, and for communication to the Municipalities in their Divisions.

ORDERED also that a copy be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

R. W. CARLYLE,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE ZOOLOGICAL GARDEN, CALCUTTA, FOR THE YEAR 1905-06.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3248 Mis.—The 3rd December 1906.—The following extracts from the Annual Administration Report of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta, for the year 1905-06, and Government letter No. 3249Mis., dated the 3rd December 1906, acknowledging the receipt of the report, are published for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

THE Honorary Committee have the honour to submit their report for the year ending 31st March 1906.

THE COMMITTEE.

1. Lieutenant-Colonel A. Alcock, C.I.E., F.R.S., resigned the office of President on the 24th March 1906, and was succeeded by the Hon'ble Mr. R. W. Carlyle, C.I.E. During his connection with the Garden as a member, and latterly as President, Lieutenant-Colonel Alcock had always taken a keen interest in its welfare and development. The following gentlemen resigned their membership prior to their departure from India :—

Mr. J. C. R. Johnston.
Sir Patrick Playfair, KT.
Mr. G. O. Ranger.

The following new members were appointed during the year :—

Mr. W. K. Dods.
Dr. Nelson Annandale.
Colonel G. M. Porter, R.E.

THE GARDEN.

2. The most important event of the year was the visit of Her Royal Highness the Princess of Wales on the 1st January 1906. Her Excellency the Countess of Minto accompanied Her Royal Highness.

ESTABLISHMENT.

3. Rai R. B. Sanyal Bahadur, C.M.Z.S., was in charge of the Garden and Menagerie throughout the year.

BUILDINGS.

4. No permanent improvement of a costly nature was undertaken during the year, but the following additions and alterations to existing structures were made :—

(1) The open air aviary outside the new Sarnomoyi House, which was designed to afford greater freedom and comfort to the birds, has justified the Committee's expectation in every way.

(2) To afford greater facilities of grazing and movement to the gradually increasing number of Sambur deer in the collection, the enclosure containing them was enlarged at a cost of Rs. 1,029.

(3) The covered enclosure for the temporary reception of aquatic birds was enlarged, advantage being taken of the operation to adapt the new portion in such a way as to render it suitable for exhibiting various species of Kingfishers also.

(4) Teak-wood flooring was provided for the remaining eight dens of the larger carnivorous animals at a cost of Rs. 2,600.

(5) Further progress towards the completion of the boundary wall was made during the year by erecting 360 r.ft. of wall on the north of the Garden.

The following is a list of annual repairs:—

"Reptile House" and its cages white-washed and repainted

"Burdwan House" repaired, dens white-washed and iron-work repainted.

"Ezra House" repaired and white-washed.

"Gubbay House" white-washed and doors repainted.

"Murshidabad House" and "Schwendler House" for birds repaired and repainted.

"Boundary Wall"—portion already existing color-washed after petty repairs.

Petty repairs of smaller houses, sheds and enclosure were attended to.

Attention was, as usual, devoted to the condition of the roads and footpaths which were maintained in a fair state of repair.

FINANCE.

5. The financial condition of the Garden was exceptionally good, the receipts from visitors having amounted to Rs. 31,224-4, which was better than the preceding year by no less than Rs. 7,056-4.

The accounts of income and expenditure are summarized in Appendix B.

THE PUBLIC.

6. The attendance of visitors was the greatest yet recorded, the turnstile records showing a total for the year of 422,282 persons admitted, a daily average of 1,157, as exhibited in Appendix C. In addition, a large number of children under 4 years of age, and school children attended by their teachers, were admitted free. On the day of the Fancy Fair about 10,000 people, including complimentary ticket-holders, entered the Garden.

E. HAROLD BROWN,
Honorary Secretary.

R. W. CARLYLE,
President.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

I HAVE the honour to submit the following report on the state of the Menagerie of the Garden.

The following comparative tables show how the various collections of animals in the Garden stood during the last four years:—

YEAR.	Mammals.	Birds.	Reptile
1902-03 ...	504	810	246
1903-04 ...	464	842	238
1904-05 ...	450	855	266
1905-06 ...	432	772	281

HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES'S COLLECTION.

The leading event of the year was the transportation and reception of the following animals belonging to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales:—

1 Young rhinoceros.
1 Do. elephant.
1 Tiger.
2 Tiger cubs.
1 Cream coloured barking deer.
2 Musk deer.
3 Burbel sheep.
2 Tahrs.
2 Leopards.
2 Himalayan bears.
3 Sambur deer.
2 Swamp deer.
2 Nilgais.
2 Uryals.
2 White barking deer.
1 Tibetan dog.
1 Four-horned antelope.
3 Spotted deer.
2 Hog deer.
4 Slender weasels.
5 Indian antelope.
Pheasants, partridges and thrushes.

Special arrangements had to be made for their lodgment in the Garden prior to their departure to the Zoological Society's Garden, London. The task of conveying such a large number of animals from Raxaul on the Nepal Frontier to Calcutta, especially as some of them were extremely susceptible to unfavourable weather conditions then prevailing, was by no means easy; but, owing to the facilities kindly afforded by the Bengal and North-Western and East Indian Railway Companies, it was satisfactorily performed.

ACQUISITIONS.

The Government of Egypt having made a present of three young African lions to the Government of India, the latter in their turn presented them to this Garden. Writing about these lions, Captain S. S. Flower, Director, Zoological Garden, Ghizeh, said that they were all wild bred, young and very good tempered, and were of the celebrated Kordofan race which attains to a larger size than most races of African lions.

When sending the lions, at Lord Cromer's request, to the Government of India, Captain Flower took the opportunity of including in the consignment the following African animals for exhibition in this Garden :—

1 Grivet monkey.	1 Pair Macaco lemurs.
1 Hamadryad monkey.	1 Do. Ring-tailed lemurs.

4 Ibera tortoises.

Of the animals acquired by purchase, the following deserve notice :—

1 Hybrid kiang
2 Brown bears from Syria.
2 African lions.
3 Arabian gazelles, obtained through the good offices of Messrs. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Calcutta.
1 Malayan Tapir.
2 Chapman's zebras.
2 Jaguars
2 Pallas's cats.

The following animals were bred in the Menagerie :—

4 Rhesus monkeys.	2 Banting.
1 Common marmoset.	1 Great kangaroo.
1 Mongoose lemur.	9 Spotted-bill ducks.
1 Leopard.	3 Large-billed parrakeets.
5 Spotted deer.	3 Button quails.
4 Sambur deer.	3 Common mynas.
1 Sika deer.	2 Crested pigeons.
3 Indian Antelopes.	6 Red munias.

Exchanges.

In acknowledgment of Captain Flower's courtesy and good offices, the following animals were sent to him for exhibition in the Ghizeh Garden :—

2 Entellus monkeys.	1 Scarlet ibis.
1 Adjutant.	2 Mandarin ducks.
2 Nicobar pigeons.	1 Gold pheasant.
2 Crowned pigeons.	2 Burmese peafowls.
2 Black and white ibises	2 Saras cranes.

At the request of the Government of India a full-grown tiger was sent to the Zoological Garden at Pretoria.

A list of donors and their donations during the year 1905-06 is given in Appendix D.

Losses.

Of the losses by death, the following require special mention:—

One Lioness, one Waterbuck, one Bornean ape, two Clouded leopards, one Puma, one Swamp deer, one Brow-antlered deer, and one Argus pheasant, which was an old inhabitant of the garden. Unfortunately, however, the list is not exhaustive. There were other losses by death, during the year, but most of them were due to causes for which the management of the garden could not be responsible.

Provisions.

The commissariat of the Garden, as its importance required, was carefully looked after. The new ranges of godowns and sheds, with their annexes, largely contributed towards the more efficient management of the department.

Minor structural improvements are still necessary, and it is hoped that they will be carried out before long.

A great deal of vigilance is always required to be exercised in respect to the quality of food supplied for the animals, but to obtain them according to the requisite standard is not so easy as may be supposed. Considerable difficulty has for some time past been experienced in procuring wholesome beef and mutton at prices fixed many years ago. As, however, the difficulty is of complex origin, caused largely by the state of meat-supply in the local market, mere revision of prices will not remedy the evil. In the circumstances, it may be necessary before long to consider whether a well-equipped slaughter-house connected with the Garden will not be a desirable adjunct to its commissariat department.

The same difficulty has been experienced with respect to the milk-supply of the Garden. Trouble, worry, and failure in obtaining pure and fresh milk led the management to have recourse to the use of preserved milk, which, however, does not meet the requirements in every case.

GENERAL CONDITION OF THE ANIMALS.

The results of the few improvements introduced of late have been, on the whole, encouraging. With the exception of a few suspected cases of anthrax among the bovidæ there has been no outbreak of epidemics of any kind, and it is hoped that, with the gradual introduction of improved hygienic measures, their frequency and virulence will be greatly diminished. Of improvements affecting the health and comfort of animals, the construction of the open-air aviary connected with the Sarnomoyi house for birds has been the most important. In its large, lofty, and airy cages ornamented with green lawn and vegetation, birds of various species fly about as if in their wild state—pleasing to the visitors to look at, and enjoyable to the birds themselves. From what some of the species have already attempted in respect to their domestic economy, it is evident that they cannot but be comfortable in their new home.

Most of the older inhabitants of the garden, with a few exceptions, maintained excellent health That improved housing has much to do with the health of the animals was abundantly proved by the fact that the condition of the smaller carnivorous animals markedly improved on their removal from the dark and ill-ventilated smaller carnivora house to an open shed, by no means an ideal place, except in respect to light and ventilation.

COLLECTION OF ANIMALS.

It is time to consider whether the collection of animals in the Garden cannot be further increased and made more representative of the Indian fauna. Southern India remains practically unexploited. None of the Semnopetheci from that sub-region have ever been exhibited in the Garden. No attempt has been made to obtain a specimen of the Slender Loris or a Spotted Cat. Such is also the case with respect

to the rich Sub-Himalayan regions. Of Himalayan birds, the Garden has hitherto been satisfied with the occasional acquisitions of such specimens as casually find their way into the Calcutta market. Of ducks and geese, large numbers are, from time to time, obtained by presentation and purchase, but no serious attempts have yet been made to exhibit a representative collection of various kinds of smaller waders which are so plentiful in India during the cold weather. While the present state of the collection can be well maintained as it has hitherto been done by the generosity of Government officials and private individuals, who have always helped the institution, and by occasional purchases in the local market, to expand it in the direction indicated above, employment of agencies at selected centres, such as, Darjeeling, Mussoorie, Trivandrum and other likely places, is absolutely necessary. As enquiries are from time to time received from the management of other Zoological Gardens in India, such as Lahore, Trivandrum, and Jaipur, about animals they wish to acquire, it may be suggested in this connection that the formation of an "Interprovincial Committee" with a view to furthering the common object of acquiring animals may be formed.

Respectfully submitted.

RAMBRAMHA SANYAL,

Supdt., Zoological Garden, Calcutta.

APPENDIX A.

THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA GRANT OF Rs. 1,00,000.

Statement up to 31st March 1906.

Receipt.		Expenditure.			
	Rs.			Rs	A. P.
Received from the Government of India.	1,00,000	Animals	...	14,958	8 9
		Tank filling	..	8,766	5 0
		Antelope house and fencing		10,870	8 6
		Bird of Prey house	...	9,460	3 0
		Monkey house	...	29,881	6 0
		Paths—new extension	...	678	9 6
		Refixing fencing, &c.	...	299	2 0
		Drainage scheme	...	11,377	14 11
		Ostrich house	...	4,622	1 0
		Uryal house	...	3,875	11 3
				94,790	5 11
		Balance in hand in connection with the improvement of the paddocks.		5,209	10 1
				1,00,000	0 0

APPENDIX B.

I.—Comparative Statement of Receipts for 1904-05 and 1905-06.

	Receipts for—					
	1904-05.			1905-06.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Opening balance	9,188	13	3	15,205	9	6
Interest	163	3	4	1,245	10	1
Donations and subscriptions	48	0	0	872	0	0
Entrance receipts	24,168	0	0	31,224	4	0
Rent ...	1,801	8	0	2,300	0	0
Carriages and palkis	577	8	0	563	8	0
Fishing ...	.....			241	0	0
Picnic ...	40	0	0	105	0	0
Rhino urine ...	57	0	0	1,276	0	0
Miscellaneous	3,884	4	7	4,129	2	0
Government contribution ...	20,000	0	0	20,000	0	0
Total ...	59,928	5	2	77,162	1	7
Add balance of the Government of India grant of 1 lakh of rupees.				5,209	10	1
Add receipts of 31st March 1905, which were deposited into the Treasury on 1st April 1905.				76	3	0
Total ...				82,447	14	8
Deduct receipts of 31st March 1906, which were deposited into the Treasury on the 1st April 1906.				81	6	0
GRAND TOTAL ...				82,366	8	8

II.—Comparative Statement of Expenditure in 1904-05 and 1905-06.

	Expenditure for—	
	1904-05.	1905-06.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Establishment ...	13,012 12 10	12,679 14 4
Food of animals ...	12,371 5 3	13,368 3 0
Purchase of animals ...	2,717 1 6	7,926 14 5
Transport of animals ...	1,097 15 6	1,632 8 6
Miscellaneous contingencies	2,449 13 1	3,638 12 9
Contingencies ...	206 11 3	.....
Repair of roads ...	2,122 13 6	1,134 1 9
„ „ buildings ...	3,333 10 9	5,073 13 3
Original construction ...	3,612 4 3	8,633 7 3
General construction ...	1,022 11 6	682 13 2
Garden construction ...	2,756 3 3	3,458 13 6
Tools and plant ...	4 8 0	1 14 0
Total	44,707 14 8	58,231 3 11
Closing balance ...	15,205 9 6	24,135 4 9*
Grand Total	59,913 8 2	82,366 8 8

* This amount includes Rs. 5,209-10-1, balance of the Government of India's grant of 1 lakh of rupees.

APPENDIX C.

Summary of Visitors and Gate receipts during 1905-06.

Month.	Number of visitors.	Receipts.
		Rs. A.
April . 1905	23,956	1,632 7
May „	21,113	1,516 4
June „	28,536	1,944 0
July „	27,676	2,034 15
August „	27,420	1,978 10
September „	27,803	1,981 1
October „ ...	60,463	4,053 15
November „ ...	43,270	3,188 6
December „ ...	39,732	3,526 9
January 1906 ...	49,183	3,615 14
February „ ...	38,071	3,013 6
March „ ...	35,056	2 738 13
Total ..	4,22,282	31,224 4

APPENDIX D.

The following is a list of donors and their donations during the year 1905-06:—

Alcock, Mrs. A.	1 Hill myna.
Bayer, W. H., Esq.	1 Leopard.
Bull, H. M., Esq.	1 Ratel.
Bundfuss, H., Esq.	1 Indian otter.
Chandrasekher Singh Deo, Chief of Udaipur	1 Tiger.
Chief Commissioner of Assam ...	2 Flying squirrels.
Chowdhury, Babu Rajani Kanta	1 Spotted deer.
Clarke, L. O., Esq.	1 Leopard.
Cleghorn, James, Esq. ...	1 Koel.
Corbett, J., Esq.	1 Gharial.
Dennet, J., Esq.	1 Paradoxure.
Ghoshal, Babu Jatindra Nath ...	2 Bengal foxes.
Ghose, Mr. L.	1 Spotted deer.
Gray, E., Esq.	1 Young crocodile.
Harvey, A. M., Esq. ...	1 Slow loris.
Harris, G., Esq.	2 Clouded leopards
Hickie, J., Esq.	1 Sloth bear cub.
James, J. C., Esq.	2 Sambur deer.
Longmore, G. H., Esq. ...	1 Bear cub.
Mackeson, Dr.	1 Bornean ape.
Magnus, T. A., Esq.... ...	1 Ring tailed lemur.
Martin, G. D., Esq.	2 Sambur deer.
Morgan, Mrs. R. L. ...	1 Four-horned antelope.
Mukherji, Babu Gopal Chandra	1 Sambur deer.
Nawab Bahadur of Dacca ...	1 Himalayan bear.
Nugent, Miss	4 Crested bulbuls, 2 undulated grass parakeets.
Osmaston, B. B., Esq. ...	2 Andaman robber crabs, 1 owl, 1 Andaman barn owl, 2 Oceanic teals, 1 Snake-eating cobra.
Praed, Lt. G. A.	1 Himalayan bear.
Parker, H., Esq.	1 White stork.
Rennick, Major	1 Bear cub.
Roxby, Herbert, Esq. ...	2 Hoolock gibbons.
Roy, Babu Nalini Mohan ...	1 Swamp deer.
Sikkim, Maharaja of ...	2 Burhels.
Smythe, Dr.	1 Leopard cat.
Standbridge, Lt. W. I. ...	1 Himalayan bear.
Stapleton, H. E., Esq. ...	1 Tryonix.
Stevens, Mrs. A. M. B. ...	2 Himalayan bears.
Stoddart, G. F., Esq. ...	1 Sloth bear.
Sunder, D., Esq.	3 Pythons.
Thakur Udit Narain Singh Deo	2 Leopards.
Tippera, Maharaja of ...	2 Clouded leopards and 1 Fishing cat.
Urquhart, D., Esq.	1 Rhesus monkey.
Woolward, Captain J. ...	1 Ditto.
Zafar, M. Syed	2 Leopard cubs.

No. 3249Mis., dated Calcutta, the 3rd December 1906.

From—R. W. CARLYLE, Esq., C.I.E., Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Revenue Department,

To—The Honorary Secretary, Zoological Garden, Calcutta.

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of the report of the Honorary Committee for the management of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta, for the year 1905-06, which was submitted with your letter No. 119, dated the 13th November 1906, and to convey the thanks of the Lieutenant-Governor to the Committee for their management of the Garden during the year.

2. The acknowledgments of the Lieutenant-Governor are due to the gentlemen named in appendix D to the report who presented the Garden with various animals during the year.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 3rd December 1906.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	Burdwan ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of standing crops good. Harvesting of winter rice and cultivation of potatoes begun. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on. Sugarcane doing well. Fodder and water sufficient. Cases of cholera reported from town
2	Birbhum ...	Nil	9*	9*	Harvesting of paddy continuing. Standing crops doing well. Old common rice selling at 7½ seers a rupee at Sadar. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	Bankura ...	Nil	9¾*	9½*	Weather seasonable. Standing crops doing well. Old common rice selling at 9 seers a rupee at Sadar. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
4	Midnapore ...	Nil	9	9	Sowing of summer rice backward. Winter rice being harvested. Prospects of sugarcane and early cotton good. Fodder and water sufficient.
5	Hooghly ...	Nil	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *aman* paddy and sugarcane fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	Howrah ...	Nil	8	7	Harvesting of winter rice approaching completion. Standing crops generally doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder sufficient.
7	24-Parganas	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops nearly finished. Harvesting of *aman* paddy begun. Prospects of sugarcane and *aman* good. Total number of persons on relief during the week in the following thanas—Dum-Dum 69, Khardah 88, Barrackpore 30, Mograhat 1,064. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
8	Nadia ...	Nil	7	8	Prospects of standing crops good. Sowing of *rabi* crops nearly finished. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
9	Murshidabad	Nil	8	7	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops favourable. *Aman* being harvested. Sowing of *rabi* crops continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	Jessore ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on. Harvesting of *aman* commenced. Condition fair. High prices and slight distress. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Cholera reported from Manirampore.

* New rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
11	KHULNA ...	Nil	8⅔	8½	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of summer rice estimated at 27 per cent of normal area. Condition of *til* fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	Nil	7½ 12⅜*	7¼ 11½*	*Rabi* sowings nearly completed. Harvesting of paddy and pressing of sugarcane in progress. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
13	GAYA ...	Nil	9 3/16† 13 5/16*	9 3/16† 13 5/16*	Weather seasonable and clear. Harvesting of paddy and pressing of sugarcane going on. *Rabi* crops doing well. Prices stationary. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
14	SHAHABAD ...	Nil	10† 13*	9¼† 12½*	Prospects of *rabi* crops good. Harvesting of paddy continuing. Sugarcane-pressing going on. Old common rice selling at 8½ seers per rupee at Sadar. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	Nil	9 12*	9 11½*	Weather seasonable. Threshing of paddy and pressing of sugarcane going on. *Rabi* crops being irrigated. Standing crops doing well. 7 men, 50 women, 55 children on average daily relieved in one of the kitchens in the Siwan subdivision. Figures for the other kitchen not received. Test-works closed. Hathawa figures not received. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	9 12*	8½ 11⅓*	Weather bright and clear. Paddy being harvested. *Rabi* crops being sown and weeded. Rain urgently wanted for *rabi* crops in Bettiah subdivision. Poppy sowings nearing completion. Small-pox among cattle reported in five villages of Dhanaha in Bettiah subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	8 12½*	7 12½*	Weather seasonable in Hajipur and Sadar, but still hot for the time of the year in Sitamarhi. *Rabi* sowings nearly completed. Harvesting of paddy in progress. Caterpillars damaging poppy sprouts. Common rice and *makai* selling at 7½ and 12 seers a rupee, respectively at Hajipur. Average attendance at kitchens—3,263. Number of persons on test-works on 1st December—Belsand 34, Banisayedpur 21. Paddy-cutting giving employment to labourers. Cholera still prevalent in the Sadar subdivision. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.
† New rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
18	DARBHANGA ...	Nil	6 12*	6 12*	Weather seasonable. *Rabi* sowings almost finished. Number of persons gratuitously relieved at kitchens on the last day of the week—Sadar thana 1,845, Bahera thana 5,309, Roserha 9,901, Samastipur subdivision 225, Madhubani subdivision 1,439. Number of persons on works for the last day available—Tara Lahi 213, Manihas 38, Pindaruch 764, Sanki 163, Dudhia 556, Hathourighat 237, Sakarlohra 739, Gandah 578, Tolaparsa 1,127. Larjaghat 31, Balha 5,057, Dasauth 819, Lagnia 1,112, Mauzi Road 564, Sakar 2, Ithor 2,058, Bagmati Bund 227, Basaitha 308, Benepatti 3, Ratwara 264, Warisnagar 383. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
19	MONGHYR ..	Nil	8½ 11½*	7 11½*	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy crop commenced. Standing crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
20	BHAGALPUR ...	Nil	8⅞ 12*	8⅞ 11½*	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy and of *kurthi* crops nearly finished. Outturn of paddy fair and that of *kurthi* good. A few cases of cholera reported from thanas Supaul and Pratabganj. Cattle-disease reported from one *mouza* in thana Madhipura and from the Pratabganj thana. Fodder and water sufficient.
21	PURNEA ...	Nil	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Rain urgently required. *Aghani* paddy being harvested. Prospects fair. *Rabi* sowings approaching completion. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful.
22	DARJEELING ...	Nil	6 12*	6 12*	Weather cold. Hills—Wheat, barley and mustard in fair condition. Winter rice, *bhadoi dhan* and *marua* being harvested. Terai—Cutting of winter rice commenced. Tobacco being transplanted.
23	SONTHAL PARGANAS.	Nil	11 16½*	11 16½*	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy going on. Standing crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from Deoghar. Fodder and water sufficient. Godda report not received.
24	CUTTACK ...	Nil	10½	10½	*Laghu saradh* and sugarcane being harvested. *Guru saradh* ripening. Cotton and *arhar* in flower. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	BALASORE ...	Nil	10	10	Weather cold. *Sarad* ripening. Sugarcane and vegetables doing well. *Rabi* sowing continuing. Prospects fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
26	ANGUL ...	Nil	11½	11½	Weather cold and seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice going on. *Rabi*, sugarcane and other crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
27	PURI ...	Nil	10½	9⅘	Weather seasonable. Sugarcane and *rabi* getting on well. *Sarad* paddy ripening. *Laghu* paddy being reaped. Miscellaneous crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Small-pox reported from Khurda and Bhubaneswar.
28	SAMBALPUR ...	Nil	12	11½	Weather cool and cloudy. Threshing of autumn and winter rice in progress. Harvesting of *maghi til*, cotton, *mung* and *kurthi* in progress. Reaping of winter rice continuing. Prospects of standing crops good. Outturn of *bahal dhan* 105 to 120 per cent. Cattle-disease in three villages in Sadar tahsil. Fodder sufficient.
29	HAZARIBAGH	Nil	10½	10	Prospects of standing crops good. Harvesting of paddy going on. Fodder and water sufficient.
30	RANCHI ...	Nil	11½	11½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy continuing. Standing crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from two thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	Nil	10¼	10⅕	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy and *til* in full sowing. Standing crops doing well. A few cases of cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
32	MANBHUM ...	Nil	10	9½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. Cattle-disease not reported. Fodder and water sufficient.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	Nil	9	9	Harvesting of winter paddy continuing. Common rice selling at 12 seers a rupee in Seraikella and Kharsawan. Cattle-disease reported from Bahargora outpost. Fodder and water sufficient.
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	$6\frac{5}{13}$	$6\frac{3}{15}$	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of tobacco seedlings and sowing of mustard nearly finished. Harvesting of *aman* paddy going on. Cattle-disease reported from thana Mekliganj. Fodder and water sufficient.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—No rain has fallen during the week in the Province. Harvesting of paddy continues. Sowings of *rabi* crops are reported to be approaching completion in Bihar. Rain is needed for these crops in parts of Champaran and Purnea. Damage is being done to the young poppy crop by caterpillars in some places in Muzaffarpur. The number of persons now receiving gratuitous relief as given in district returns is:—24-Parganas 1,251, Saran 112, Muzaffarpur 3,263, Darbhanga 18,719—total 23,345. The number of persons attending test-works is—Muzaffarpur 55, and Darbhanga 15,343. Cattle-disease prevails in eight districts. Cholera continues in parts of Muzaffarpur and Bhagalpur, and is also reported now from Burdwan and Jessore. Small-pox is reported from Khurda and Bhubaneswar in Puri. The price of common rice has risen in one district only and has fallen in fourteen districts.

N. N. BANERJEI,

for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,

The 4th December 1906.

No

Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Block

Whence imported	Food-grains								Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny bags†	Linseed	Mustard seed
	Rice	Paddy*	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	308,398	180,432	421,068	1,106	65	13,997	293	436,529	774	97,078	3,108	2,913
Birbhum	363,585	5,050	366,766	8	17	1,074	718	368,883	.....	11,880	1,195	773
Bankura	115,050	41,952	140,895	.....	.....	12		140,907	69	12,950	.....	.....
Midnapore	750,891	180,252	863,848	786	.....	21,548		885,938	2,236	70,950	5,666	1,202
Hooghly	418,137	105,700	484,200	2,012	53	15,328	1,124	502,717	65,331	13,908,543	9,928	851
24-Parganas	848,445	43,101	875,383	52	.....	7,241	.....	882,676	640,791	46,962,104	4,076	208
Nadia	20,401	1,910	21,595	10,101	2	160,157	15,088	206,943	43,831	96,937	91,910	2,079
Murshidabad	58,879	1,163	59,606	10,455	573	24,211	2,502	97,407	28,239	25,165	13,076	22
Jessore ...	220	4,550	3,064	.....	.....	31,765	794	35,623	53,029	37,380	14,357	
Khulna ...	1,231	19,925	13,684		119	3,262		17,065	58,789	109,480	1,843	
Total Bengal	2,886,137	583,475	3,249,809	24,520	829	278,635	20,595	3,574,388	893,089	61,392,417	144,961	
BIHAR												
Patna ..	1,645		1,645			215,352	36,108	253,107		2,800	285,487	19,070
Gaya ..	9,571		9,571	774		185,547	6,370	202,262		43,610	76,889	4,372
Shahabad ..	1,242		1,242	6,874	766	277,783	2,189	287,224		1,330	71,847	5,739
Saran	6		6	151		6,056	4,730	10,243		14,455	82,096	9,918
Champaran	.....		.....	20		4,040	35,320	39,380	893	3,325	108,618	19,471
Muzaffarpur	535		535			1,629	15,900	18,073	65	1,855	236,233	6,717
Darbhanga	12		12	548	.....	4,560	3,927	9,048	148	2,100	236,087	29,906
Monghyr	409		409	21,422	9	149,774	7,075	178,689	.....	2,483	103,389	56,80
Bhagalpur	1,545		1,545	5,247	.....	11,554	38,026	56,172	7,009	4,445	80,578	40,409
Purnea	.....		.....	681	.....	15,111	304	16,166	266,457	77,945	6,136	6,293
Santhal Parganas	2,025		2,025	17,010	.....	19,384	11,041	49,463	12,571	5,180	5,616	9,511
Darjeeling ...	.....		1	.....	.....	6	2	9	3,157	14,840	18	820
Cooch Behar ...	13		13	.....	.....			13	36,883			
Total Bihar	17,003		17,004	52,730	775	889,005	160,334	1,119,848	327,563	174,965	1,293,594	208,933
ORISSA												
Cuttack ...	76,054	22,902	90 368	.....	.....	2,868		93,236	7,243	6,090	.....	...
Balasore ...	385,606	394,928	632,436	522	.....	6,002		638,960	60,140	33,337	1,463	777
Puri ...	106,249	6,579	110,360	.....	.....	.....		110,360		2,660	.....	..
Sambalpur ...	177,860	603	178,239	.....	.....	...		178,286		175	1,104	478
Mourbhanj State	39,856	6,720	44,056	.....	.....	231		44,323		1,190		80
Total Orissa	785,625	431,735	1,055,459	522	.....	9,101	83	1,065,165	67,765	43,452	2,567	1,335
CHOTA NAGPUR												
Hazaribagh				.....	.....	5				640	1,002	
Palamau	.....			.....	.....	.....		.....		70	20,872	826
Manbhum	38,800	9,306	39,654	.....	.....	13		39,667		1,260	346	593
Singhbhum ...	155,207	11,330	162,288	.....	.....	262		162,550		10,255	1,703	218
Gangpur (Tributary State).	469		469					469		455		
Total Chota Nagpur	189,484	20,636	202,419			280		202,699		12,860	24,013	1,637
Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	3,877,249	1,035,907	4,524,691	77,772	1,604	1,177,021	181,012	5,062,100	1,288,417	61,623,714	1,464,135	220,634
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES												
Burma	1,308,781	134,092	1,482,888	721	467	25,584	2,988	1,512,348	.....	8,500	.....	.....
E B and Assam ...	117,498	538	117,834	2,218	64	52,254	2,275	176,625	2,253,920	845,840	51,433	177,992
U P of Agra and Oudh	2,659		2,659	1,109,921	19,745	316,217	25,023	1,474,565	2,953	68,950	541,940	781,875
Panjab ...	4,131		4,131	180,303	17,923	145,753	11,179	359,289		19,725	672	273,541
Sind and British Baluchistan.												.....
Central Provinces and Berar.	33,889	169	33,995	204,798	5	296,571		535,373	706	11,060	61,590	4,771
Bombay	22		22		..	3	4					24,215
Madras	7,934		7,934		.	54,581	174		92	1,365		9,015
Rajputana and Central India.		336	210	2,337	..	724		3,271		525	13,215	50,121
GRAND TOTAL { 1906 ..	5,442,163	1,171,042	6,174,044	1,589,070	39,908	2,068 688	223,659	10,095,289	3,546,088	62,678,679	2,131,895	1,552,662
1905 ...	5,197,282	603,998	5,574,780	4,370,989	40,462	2,800,887	197,983	13,054,100	5,038,393	8,090,804	2,064,171	1,935,671
1904 ...	3,527,290	901,188	4,090,832	8,863,887	41,804	3,210,359	168,835	16,384,417	3,291,843	12,885,534	6,031,490	2,145,328

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Including gunny-cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

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by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the five months of April to August 1906

Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar		Tobacco		Whence imported
					Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured	
Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	
									BENGAL
1	36	.....	32,093,625	.....	26	17	256	58	Burdwan
.....	36	256	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	Birbhum
.....	198	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	66	727	Bankura
.....	574	286	11,823	.....	84	10,883	4,584	148	Midnapore
3	1,514	.....	15,680	.....	340	17,746	25,954	4,054	Hooghly
.....	14,011	.....	43,126	.....	55,750	59,040	4,825	2,518	24-Parganas
.....	3,075	182	.....	.....	4	4,825	10,810	6	Nadia
136	308	4,522	12,017	.....	65	345	191	.....	Murshidabad
.....	1,084	67	.....	.....	372	56,573	3,148	8	Jessore
.....	321	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,326	245	.....	Khulna
140	21,797	5,313	32,176,276	.....	56,643	163,604	50,079	7,519	Total Bengal
									BIHAR
7	846	.....	.....	2	.....	2,088	16,779	4,209	Patna
.....	202	.....	.....	4	.....	1,442	5	3,250	Gaya
.....	27	.....	.....	.....	1,043	3,819	..	6	Shahabad
.....	44	.....	.....	.....	... ..	2,477	160	... ..	Saran
.....	293	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Champaran
2	1,519	.....	.....	6	.....	276	3,007	.....	Muzaffarpur
.....	49	.....	.....	.....	.....	455	11,700	.....	Darbhanga
.....	869	.....	.....	.....	.....	728	951	275	Monghyr
.....	2	1	.....	.....	.....	8	35	2	Bhagalpur
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	86,561	.....	Purnea
.....	52	11	.....	.....	.....	2	1,103	.....	Sonthal Parganas
91,101	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,936	.....	Darjeeling
170	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,280	.....	Cooch Behar
91,280	3,983	12	.....	12	1,043	11,295	126,516	8,251	Total Bihar
									ORISSA
1	53	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Cuttack
.....	220	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	279	.....	Balasore
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Puri
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sambalpur
.....	184	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mourbhanj State
1	457	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	279	.....	Total Orissa
									CHOTA NAGPUR.
.....	.....	.....	664,364	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Hazaribagh
.....	.....	... ..	381	.....	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	Palamau
893	.....	.....	29,920,929	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Manbhum
.....	36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.	Singhbhum
.....	189	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Gangpur (Tributary State
893	225	.....	30,585,574	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	Total Chota Nagpur
92,314	26,463	5,325	62,761,850	12	57,686	174,959	176,878	15,870	Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal
									OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES.
89	16,021	.....	.....	.....	998	.....	787	152	Burma
632,313	93,504	1,326	41,590	.....	32	1,353	122,283	26	E B and Assam
255	68,236	30	.....	12	.....	4,730	247	97	U P of Agra and Oudh
3	36,415	.....	.....	.....	.....	55	6	.....	Panjab
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	35	Sind and British Baluchistan
3	77,640	.....	.....	.....	.....	150	5	34	Central Provinces and Berar
25	9,366	17	.....	.....	1,371	.....	335	140	Bombay
198	6,439	.....	... ..	.....	47,615	.....	144	867	Madras
.....	4,697	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	Rajputana and Central India
725,150	338,230	6,688	62,803,440	24	107,700	181,243	300,685	17,224	1906
714,352	476,404	6,934	57,636,077	887	129,512	250,899	450,843	18,005	1905 GRAND TOTAL
808,476	184,653	6,152	55,492,785	1,819	151,717	271,165	360,339	16,699	1904

No. II

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No I were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the five months of April to August 1906.

Routes	Food-grains						Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
	Rice	Paddy	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Jute, raw	Gunny-bags*	Linseed	Mustard seed
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No	Mds	Mds
By boat	1,330,930	74,370	23,034	54	199,247	6,693	893,017	57,373,296	84,334	12,900
,, river steamer ...	85,429	4,783	2,924	36	46,426	12,795	355,482	151,769	15,529	108,847
,, rail — E. I. Railway	641,904	250,658	1,235,869	38,525	1,316,097	185,698	336,415	734,615	1,867,242	1,338,334
,, rail — E. B. S. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	192,501	174	1,522	720	118,706	15,271	1,792,349	2,325,785	97,345	8,307
,, rail — A.-B. Railway	13	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,404	83,440	110	.....
,, rail — B.-N. Railway	1,232,267	549,391	203,996	5	164,079	173	20,785	111,930	66,134	6,510
,, rail — Bombay Railways	...	.....	.....	.....	143,227	.....	.....	70	... ..	.....
,, rail — Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways†	2,035	50	.....	1	25	.....	1,912	17,185	105	.....
,, road	418,802	46,966	4	.....	3,603	.....	54,090	1,764,723	698	55
,, sea	1,479,232	244,646	721	467	76,678	3,020	66,634	15,875	414	17,709
Total ... 1906 ...	5,442,163	1,171,042	1,569,070	39,808	2,068,688	223,659	3,546,088	62,578,679	2,131,895	1,552,662
Total ... 1905 ...	5,197,282	605,998	4,370,980	49,462	2,860,887	197,982	3,038,393	6,090,504	2,064,171	1,935,871
Total ... 1904 ...	3,527,290	901,188	8,803,867	41,804	3,219,359	168,835	3,381,843	12,885,534	6,031,439	2,245,328

Routes.	Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar		Tobacco	
						Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By boat	3	17,036	6	24,113	.....	3,184	103,151	41,529	2,738
,, river steamer ...	418,339	38,378	2,108	53,607	.....	25	771	15,858	2,108
,, rail — E. I. Railway	1,019	110,902	482	46,962,086	24	1,107	16,140	27,517	847
,, rail — E. B. S. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	244,248	10,732	4,075	999	.....	382	18,343	204,050	.....
,, rail — A.-B. Railway	57,025	10,951	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	129	4
,, rail — B.-N. Railway	309	6,169	.....	15,724,695	.....	.....	150	238	1,094
,, rail — Bombay Railways	.....	71,031	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	253	.....
,, rail — Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways†	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23	.....	.....
,, road	.....	3,100	.....	37,970	.....	53,030	42,685	10,066	5,655
,, sea	4,157	67,901	17	.....	.....	49,982	.....	1,129	778
Total ... 1906 ...	725,150	338,230	6,688	62,803,440	24	107,700	181,243	300,685	17,224
Total ... 1905 ...	714,382	476,404	6,234	57,636,077	887	129,513	250,999	430,343	16,005
Total ... 1904 ...	808,476	184,653	6,152	55,492,785	1,819	151,717	271,165	360,339	16,699

* Including gunny-cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag
† Trade carried by these Railways was not registered previous to April 1906.

No III

Imports of certain Articles into Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the five months of April to August 1906

	Cotton piece-goods		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil
	European	Indian	European	Indian		
	Rs.	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
From Foreign Countries—						
United Kingdom	7,73,17,687	.....	50,847	.....	2,533,491	252
Other countries	5,68,684	.....	2,834	.....	2,138,095	807,561
Total	7,78,86,371	.....	53,681	.....	4,671,586	807,813
Coastwise—						
Bombay	1,01,776	23,06,730	.....	51,032	358,333	.....
Sind and British Baluchistan	2,532	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras	761	3,84,480	.....	593	.....	.....
Other ports in Madras	.....	2,561	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pondichery	712	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alleppy	.....	.....	.....	73	.....	.....
Burma	33,724	17,533	.....	94	.....	1,195,114
Other ports	.....	.....	.....	42	.....	.....
Total	1,36,505	27,11,313	.....	51,834	358,333	1,195,114
Total 1906	7,80,24,876	27,11,313	53,681	51,834	5,029,919	2,002,927
Total 1905	7,91,98,977	20,93,824	61,115	51,865	4,823,500	1,954,997
Total 1904	7,05,42,241	21,60,449	43,097	67,366	5,894,763	1,943,639

No IV

Exports of Principal Articles from Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign countries) in the five months of April to August 1906

	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)		Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny-bags
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
Bombay ..	54,241	.....	54,241	110	...	584	136	55,080	20	6,705,450
Sind and British Baluchistan ...	799		799					799	.....	2,868,550
Madras	630		630		8,790	81,286	6,045	98,075		544,700
Other ports in Madras ...	139,474		140,040		6,555	19,033		166,528		1,023,154
Kattywar										.....
Pondichery					1,544	936		2,480		53,000
Goa ...										.....
Allepey	3,?		3,522					3,522		5,500
Burma	17,345		17,345	1,318	119,517		9,665	257,348	225	9,246,910
Other Indian ports			5,404	244	4,484	6,023	15	16,170		101,249
Total ..	221,415		221,961	2,105	140,890	218,265	16,761	660,002	245	20,548,513
To Foreign countries—										
United Kingdom	199,725	4	199,727	122,922		170,438	99	493,186	1,003,876	20,846,580
Other countries	2,247,422		2,247,424	25,340	27,782	131,984	21,583	2,454,113	1,389,852	221,759,210
Total ...	2,447,147		2,447,151	148,262	27,782	302,422	21,682	2,947,299	2,393,728	242,605,790
Total ... 1906 ...	2,668,562		2,669,132	150,367	168,67	520,687	38,443	3,607,301	2,393,973	263,154,303
1905 ...	4,787,354	34,596	4,808,975	2,506,703	198,249	1,235,150	82,020		1,794,083	158,188,201
1904 ...	3,465,236	2,049	3,466,517	6,452,785	203,337	1,736,504	52,725	11,911,958	1,497,773	224,214,175

			Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar Refined	Sugar Unrefined	Tobacco Unmanufactured	Tobacco Manufactured
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds.	Mds	Mds
Bombay ...			10,971		25	12,508,230	24	4,153	.....	.....	6
Sind and British Baluchistan ...		.....	420		.....	5,832,088	.....	.....	.....	957	355
Madras	.....	.....	697	.....	.....	1,087,767	.....	692	11	.....	49
Other ports in Madras ...			106	.....	.....	1,065,837	.....	13	.....	.....	179
Kattywar ...			3	.....	.....	147,136	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pondichery ...					.....	84,389	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Goa					.....	174,967	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Allepey ...					.....	82	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burma	66		3,276	620	49	5,051,492	.....	5,098	6,017	46 634	1,546
Other Indian ports	7	8		8	.....	125,737	.....	8,818	41	2,717	29
Total ...	73	8,747	15,564	1,289	74	27,578,615	24	19,374	6,069	50,308	2,220
To Foreign coun-											
United Kingdom	1,065,740	70,769	471,067	13,999	1,406	163	798	128	.....	29	68
Other countries	680,363	82,626	149,922	233,196	4,970	12,923 723	2,608	3,141	46	13,958	6 2
Total	1,746,103	153,395	620,989	247,195	6,376	12,923,886	3,406	3,269	46	13,987	700
Total ... 1906	1,746,176	162,142	636,553	248,484	6,450	40,502,501	3,430	22,643	6,115	64,295	2,920
1905	1,640,176	148,553	582,676	234,129	5,702	35,708 013	7,055	23,194	6,092	116,566	3,138
1904 ..	4,784,623	600,053	638,194	140,642	4,828	29,862,31?	13,293	15,876	6,483	122,306	8,863

No V

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the five months of April to August 1906

	Cotton piece-goods*		Cotton yarn		Salt*	Kerosene oil		Gunny-bags‡
	European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budget	
Bengal	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
Burdwan	9,18,963	50,049	1,063	6,309	224,579	4,985	38,357	317,100
Birbhum	6,31,092	12,118	421	6,831	83,670	47	11,397	184,765
Bankura	1,82,163	2,317	.....	3,980	42,804	4	.....	109,830
Midnapore	12,27,820	1,63,081	3,936	5,865	210,537	609	769	275,565
Hooghly	8,73,193	1,06,464	2,467	201	121,367	22,030	8,077	157,293
24-Parganas	12,59,193	2,35,502	1,885	321	99,940	59,777	16,902	101,447
Calcutta	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	335,100	.....
Nadia	15,10,890	36,728	6,503	2,872	137,080	4,588	54,067	148,038
Murshidabad	4,53,888	14,001	809	923	63,948	1,527	16,541	49,651
Jessore	5,25,549	1,46,366	3,750	1,473	79,905	16,534	14,120	19,085
Khulna	3,57,144	99,934	678	686	63,165	22,225	3,258	6,095
Total Bengal	79,40,404	9,65,650	21,499	28,859	1,167,704	132,296	...,920	1,369,469
Bihar								
Patna	13,23,945	12,429	2,215	3,278	163,550	175	74,499	688,361
Gaya	14,31,412	3,362	380	7,603	103,898	50	24,448	252,240
Shahabad	14,65,119	8,482	131	1,975	81,018	101	17,806	221,865
Saran	15,24,987	28,438	565	986	106,623	50	15,382	169,025
Champaran	16,81,529	16,887	77	770	112,464	102	20,601	134,300
Muzaffarpur	16,65,921	16,758	83	995	107,563	177	36,313	161,060
Darbhanga	18,06,234	10,841	67	3,435	166,617	114	40,631	213,150
Monghyr	8,89,730	6,041	257	3,822	104,838	84	30,629	232,740
Bhagalpur	14,63,665	32,575	466	2,631	141,908	107	29,577	258,930
Purnea	15,04,902	10,876	305	4,822	187,319	1,586	35,404	67,560
Santhal Parganas	6,22,140	2,027	624	4,719	111,154	51	42,568	97,405
Darjeeling	6,47,586	22,105	121	3,198	38,518	203	12,934	26,075
Cooch Behar	2,36,012	2,187	.....	184	16,534	53	497	5,390
Total Bihar	1,62,56,402	1,73,608	5,353	37,857	1,436,664	2,852	378,729	2,503,741
Orissa								
Cuttack	2,06,606	17,884	.....	7,099	6,152	67	888	109,965
Balasore	2,10,705	1,856	1,249	19,722	168,503	50	11,712	304,050
Puri	35,065	1,233	.....	37	2	152	.....	29,890
Sambalpur	1,53,496	1,231	3	807	11,552	83	272	122,500
Mourbhanj State	20,557	.....	.....	22	6,187	9	.....	12,490
Total Orissa	7,34,967	22,304	1,252	28,687	192,676	361	12,872	638,895
Chota Nagpur								
Hazaribagh	2,67,972	4,455	1	1,625	30,902	74	7,230	3,045
Palamau	2,55,547	4,256	2	107	30,657	2	2,705	15,330
Manbhum	8,08,091	12,475	87	8,936	142,942	629	13,780	63,840
Singhbhum	92,277	497	.....	554	39,869	65	39	136,640
Gangpur (Tributary State)	27,521	.....	...	44	16,470	46	11	5,425
Total Chota Nagpur	14,51,848	21,686	90	11,256	260,054	814	23,734	224,280
Total Exports to the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	2,63,92,621	11,83,248	28,193	106,559	3,065,478	136,313	914,125	4,796,355
Other Provinces and Places								
Burma	3,47,987	51,814	1,921	20,940	54	.....	321	9,246,910
E B and Assam	1,62,49,541	4,94,326	56,624	14,917	1,671,858	48,205	515,182	713,249
U P of Agra and Oudh	1,70,03,268	1,43,287	7,206	2,215	197,765	2,060	341,[illegible]	1,901,080
Panjab	32,40,705	57,697	2,674	152	11	254	12,116	2,573,795
Sind and British Baluchistan	10,252	100	30	24	.....	.....	.....	2,885,315
Central Provinces and Berar	5,19,110	15,025	86	675	2,797	384	11,411	414,330
Bombay	84,733	18,122	32	27	.....	.....	.....	8,052,395
Madras	4,83,491	1,805	36	6,264	.....	103	4,582	1,770,099
Rajputana and Central India	1,36,711	3,569	256	9	.....	100	6,598	67,095
Nizam's Territory	26,429	858	.....	146	.....	.....	.....	48,090
Mysore	.....	51	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,940
Alleppy	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,640
Pondicherry	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	53,000
Port Blair	48,745	200	2	587	.....	.....	140	.....
Grand Total 1906	6,48,05,583	19,70,102	97,120	150,190	4,937,963	187,198	1,806,128	33,137,363
Grand Total 1905	6,31,18,773	9,06,364	98,725	145,000	4,807,849	161,947	1,630,823	40,941,115
Grand Total 1904	5,60,56,589	4,93,601	93,843	131,447	4,509,368	256,178	2,205,867	47,094,000

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter
† Represents the trade registered at the traffic-registering stations only
‡ Including gunny-cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

No VI

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No V were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the five months of April to August 1906

		Cotton piece-goods*		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil		Gunny-bags†
		European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge	
		Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
By boat		7,23,300	1,67,900	3,107	.....	721,189	89,699	7,232	163,596
„ river steamer		86,07,100	1,19,651	45,910	1,776	954,251	10,109	414,108	501,830
„ rail	E I Railway	3,59,94,191	4,23,845	11,063	53,052	1,740,339	9,561	798,751	5,923,260
	E B S Railway (including B O Railway)	1,28,33,179	6,51,277	22,632	17,482	914,430	16,693	555,663	535,665
	A-B Railway	9,90,121	1,44,506	6,266	2,923	65,791	1,152	1,503	21,525
	B-N Railway	20,63,990	41,226	38	36,724	390,258	1,134	14,241	1,338,205
	N.W Railway	4,13,509	1,574	1,260	.....	.....	152	.....	1,668,170
	Bombay Railways	9,46,126	14,461	269	2,574	.....	30	20	2,370,725
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways‡	3,51,626	.....	1,100	.....	6,221	739	.....	5,215
„ road		12,54,290	3,18,519	2,221	.....	38,821	58,239	2,224	20,657
„ sea		6,29,151	67,123	3,254	35,659	106,653	.....	12,186	20,548,513
Total	1906	6,48,05,583	19,70,102	97,120	1,50,195	4,937,963	187,498	1,806,128	33,137,363
	1905	6,31,18,773	9,06,304	98,725	1,45,609	4,807,819	163,947	1,630,823	40,941,115
	1904	5,50,56,539	4,93,601	93,843	1,31,447	4,509,348	256,173	2,205,867	47,094,000

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter
† Including gunny-cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag
‡ Trade carried by these railways was not registered previous to April 1905

F. Noel-Paton,
Director-General of Commercial Intelligence.

December 1, 1906.

T. W. Richardson,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 1st December 1906, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 1st December 1906.			Week ending Saturday, the 2nd December 1905.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	250	16,296	209	457	43,630	610
Jute	923	2,57,185*	4,248	443	1,62,595†	2,525
Firewood	85	84,600	1,259	54	38,775	583
Other articles	716	1,83,038	2,253	879	1,80,737	2,326
Total ...	1,974	5,41,059	7,969	1,833	4,25,737	6,044

* Weight by canal measurement, 2,77,537½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto 1,63,617½ do.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 25th November to 1st December 1906.

Month.	Date.	Total solar radiation.	Number of hours of bright sunshine	Mean pressure at 32° Fahr.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Hygrometry. Mean vapour pressure.	Mean dew point.	Mean relative humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Mean velocity.	Rains.	Weather.
1906.				Inches.			°	Inches.					Inches.	
Nov.	25th	120·9	8·1	30·031	68·9	79·1	19·2	59·9	61·9	0·453	56·2	64	N by W, NNW and calm.	48	Nil	Clear,
,,	26th	130·9	8·1	·045	68·9	79·5	20·0	59·5	63·0	·491	58·4	65	NNE and NNW...	55		Clear,
,,	27th	129 2	8·0	069	70·0	80·2	19·3	60 9	65·0	550	61·6	73	NNW and N by W	57		Clear, ☁.
,,	28th	133·8	7·7	·026	69·5	79·7	19·2	60 5	65·1	·557	62·0	76	N by W and calm	46		Partially cloudy.
,,	29th	130·9	8·1	29 999	70 6	79 9	17·4	62·5	66·0	·574	62·8	75	NNW and calm...	54		Chiefly clear,
,,	30th	130·4	8·0	30·030	70·3	79·7	17·6	62·1	65·6	·569	62 6	76	NNW, NNE and calm.	40		Clear,
Dec.	1st	128·9	7·4	012	69 1	79·7	19 2	6. ·5	64·9	·548	61·5	76	NNE, N and calm	31		Chief clear,

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	30·030
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	30·006
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	55·4
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	76 0
The mean temperature of the seven days	69 6
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	71·3
The extreme variation of temperature	20·7
The maximum temperature	80·2
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	8
	%
The mean relative humidity.	73
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	71
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 25th November to 1st December 1906	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	Nil
The total fall from 1st January to 1st December 1906	57·19
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	65·27

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

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C. W. PEAKE,
for *Director-General of Observatories.*

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 3rd December 1906.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Statement of Goods Traffic in Staples carried during the five weeks ending 30th June 1906 as compared with the same period of 1905.

STAPLES.	1905.		1906.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes	2,395	3,555	12,468	15,019	10,073	11,464	.....	.....
Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways	1,63,88,800	21,09,985	1,76,48,946	22,68,282	12,60,146	1,58,297	.....	.....
Cotton—	1,33,027	93,813	1,15,996	75,485	.....	.....	17,031	18,328
(1) Raw	2,415	2,787	12,426	8,765	10,011	5,978	.....	.....
(2) Manufactured—	52,906	21,416	44,070	24,471	.....	3,055	8,928	.....
(a) Twist and Yarn, European	1,54,106	1,50,070	1,65,610	1,42,470	11,504	.....	.....	7,600
(b) Ditto, Indian	20,915	11,700	10,347	6,637	.....	.....	9,908	5,063
(c) Piece-goods, European	3,019	1,300	2,379	974	.....	.....	640	326
(d) Ditto, Indian	15,958	10,912	25,095	13,841	10,037	2,929	.....	.....
(e) Others	649	236	555	172	.....	.....	94	64
Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	15,53[illegible]	7,471	5,748	2,884	.....	.....	9,790	4,587
Drugs—	829	235	.....	.....	.....	.....	829	235
1.—Intoxicating, other than opium	332	242	389	81	57	.....	.....	161
2.—Non-intoxicating	7,842	3,078	5,327	2,229	.....	.....	2,515	849
Dyes and Tans—	1,388	1,151	7,225	4,356	5,837	3,205	.....	.....
1.—Al (Morinda citrifolia)	16,008	4,741	24,073	8,426	8,065	3,684	.....	.....
2.—Alizarine and aniline lyes	11,789	3,225	14,411	2,395	2,622	.....	.....	830
3.—Cutch	20,338	12,879	32,055	24,008	11,717	11,329	.....	.....
4.—Indigo	15,069	5,414	22,518	9,852	7,449	3,938	.....	.....
5.—Myrabolams	90,058	19,050	84,126	21,672	.....	2,622	6,532	.....
6.—Tanning barks	71,202	7,142	58,469	7,616	.....	474	12,233	.....
7.—Turmeric	24,734	18,909	47,264	28,042	22,530	9,043	.....	.....
8.—Others	13,98,901	2,30 433	9,58,186	2,66,336	.....	.....	4,40,715	24,067
Fodder—	79,839	29,830	91,101	44,351	11,332	14,601	.....	.....
1.—Oilcake	56,207	4,989	79,609	26,243	23,402	21,254	.....	.....
2.—Hay, straw and grass	4,71,862	80,022	5 02 315	1,16,287	30,451	35,965	.....	.....
Fruits and vegetables, fresh	1,16,862	19,014	66,757	13,519	.....	.....	50,105	5,495
Grain and Pulse—	5,55,121	1,22,728	5,45,010	1,40,932	.....	18,204	10,111	.....
1.—Wheat	89,836	1,21,149	63,704	41,590	.....	.....	26,132	79,559
2.—Wheat flour	20,605	7,952	40,023	25,496	19,448	17,544	.....	.....
3.—Rice in the husk	34,240	22,878	31,193	20,168	.....	.....	3,047	2,710
4.—Rice not in the husk	2,844	1,023	3,400	1,398	556	375	.....	.....
5.—Jowar and bajra	60,013	11,896	1,08,085	19,930	48,072	8,034	.....	.....
6.—Gram and pulse	28,971	10,294	50,431	23,055	27,460	12,761	.....	.....
7.—Others	2,32,599	1,38,775	1,01,238	74,609	.....	.....	1,31,361	64,166
Hides and Skins—	80,282	42,819	98,085	50,184	17,803	7,365	.....	.....
1.—Hides of cattle	2,117	4,245	4,161	6,199	2,044	1,954	.....	.....
2.—Skins of sheep, &c.	650	530	5,908	6,955	5,348	5,525	.....	.....
Horns	16,634	29,817	31,433	25,718	14,799	.....	.....	4,099
Hemp (Indian) and other fibres (excluding jute)	5,991	8,362	5,315	6,033	.....	.....	676	1,729
Jute—	1,113	392	2,570	508	1,457	116	.....	.....
1.—Raw	5,011	3,852	1,154	1,301	.....	.....	3,857	2,551
2.—Gunny-bags and cloth	16,634	9,419	28,566	6,592	11,932	.....	.....	2,827
Lac	248	269	123	45	.....	.....	123	224
Leather—	3,406	2,957	3,210	1,764	.....	.....	256	1,193
1.—Unwrought	2,117	4,245	4,161	6,199	2,044	1,954	.....	.....
2.—Wrought, excepting boots and shoes	650	530	5,908	6,955	5,348	5,525	.....	.....
Liquors—	16,634	29,817	31,433	25,718	14,799	.....	.....	4,099
1.—Ale and Beer	5,991	8,362	5,315	6,033	.....	.....	676	1,729
2.—Spirits and wines of all kinds, including country spirit	1,113	392	2,570	508	1,457	116	.....	.....
3.—All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer	5,011	3,852	1,154	1,301	.....	.....	3,857	2,551
Metals—	16,634	9,419	28,566	6,592	11,932	.....	.....	2,827
1.—Brass, unwrought	248	269	123	45	.....	.....	123	224
2.— Do., wrought	3,406	2,957	3,210	1,764	.....	.....	256	1,193
3.—Copper, unwrought	95,836	21,082	80,383	17,615	.....	.....	15,453	3,467
4.— Do., wrought	1,31,924	4,579	98,405	7,213	.....	2,634	33,519	.....
5.—Iron and steel—	1,53,645	57,455	1,65,056	69,035	11,410	12,478	.....	.....
(a) Cast	62,634	22,987	45,085	19,486	.....	.....	17,549	3,501
(b) Unwrought	3,517	2,143	12,256	2,784	8,739	641	.....	.....
(c) Wire	16,783	13,329	31,573	22,063	14,790	8,734	.....	.....
(d) Manufactures of iron and steel	2,19,267	24,007	2,81,416	85,770	62,149	61,763	.....	.....
6.—Zinc and spelter	7,375	2,328	21,801	11,439	14,426	9,111	.....	.....
7.—Others	3,760	1,053	6,667	1,607	2,907	554	.....	.....
Oils—	18,737	6,926	26,448	10,058	7,711	3,132	.....	.....
1.—Kerosine	6,834	2,372	16,845	5,498	10,014	2,926	.....	.....
2.—Castor	1,58,894	33,072	30,669	6,627	.....	.....	1,28,225	26,445
3.—Cocoanut	694	116	1,481	284	787	168	.....	.....
4.—Mustard and rape	4,50,150	1,34,120	4,84,456	1,30,500	34,306	.....	.....	3,620
5.—Others	2,40,387	61,168	1,86,925	47,553	.....	.....	53,462	13,615
Oilseeds—	4,31,724	1,20,839	5,34,536	1,38,675	1,05,812	17,836	.....	.....
1.—Castor	14,027	4,039	25,428	17,778	60,796	12,839	.....	.....
2.—Earthnuts	35,685	8,534	52,241	31,854	16,656	23,420	.....	.....
3.—Linseed	5,834	3,927	5,238	3,015	.....	.....	596	912
4.—Poppy	28,632	15,395	40,016	26,261	11,384	10,866	.....	.....
5.—Rape and mustard	11,452	6,267	7,423	3,645	.....	.....	4,029	2,622
6.—Til or jinjili	47,174	36,683	25,207	23,402	.....	.....	21,967	12,621
7.—Others	2,10,013	35,204	1,03 908	15,705	.....	.....	1,06,105	19,499
Opium	93,309	29,875	1,16,472	35,706	23,073	3,830	.....	.....
Paper and pasteboard	4,011	673	6,135	1,627	2,124	954	.....	.....
Provisions—	1,043	474	922	272	.....	.....	121	202
1.—Dried fruits and nuts	1,04,007	21,790	26,482	4,462	.....	.....	77,525	17,328
2.—Ghee	53,138	33,094	30,263	14,135	.....	.....	22,875	18,959
3.—Potatoes	4,81,986	52,280	6,95,614	98,971	2,13,628	46,691	.....	.....
4.—Others	11,89,889	2,53,996	8,89,140	1,83,951	.....	.....	3,00,749	69,745
Railway plant & rolling-stock carried for the public & foreign railways—								
1.—Locomotives, engines and tenders and parts thereof								
2.—Carriages and trucks and parts thereof								
3.—Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates								
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron								
(c) Other sorts								
Salt								

Staples.	1905.		1906.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Weight.	Freight.	Weight	Freight.	Weight.	Freight.	Weight.	Freight
	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
1.—Saltpetre	61,816	18,837	65,935	17,662	4,119	.....	.....	575
2.—Other saline substances	71,244	21,424	59,601	20,870	.....	.....	11,643	554
Silk—								
1.—***Raw—***								
(*a*) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(*b*) Indian	1,794	589	1,067	578	.....	.....	667	11
2.—***Piece-goods—***								
(*a*) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(*b*) Indian	243	212	1,147	417	904	205	.....	.....
Spices—								
1.—Betelnuts	53,251	30,916	36,439	23,429	.....	.....	16,812	16,487
2.—Cardamoms	1,188	1,110	2,695	1,412	1,507	302	.....	.....
3.—Chillies	25,832	24,819	17,799	12,110	.....	.....	8,023	12,709
4.—Ginger	1,102	287	2,844	1,408	1,742	1,121	.....	.....
5.—Pepper	2,068	2,653	4,375	3,209	1,704	556	.....	.....
6.—Others	40,785	19,020	45,361	19,990	4,576	934	.....	.....
Stone and lime	13,16,188	66,077	13,73,088	1,08,773	56,900	42,696	.....	.....
Sugar—								
1.—Refined	54,104	16,776	92,356	20,342	38,252	3,466	.....	.....
2.—Unrefined—								
(*a*) Sugar	1,74,584	32,702	1,65,465	61,867	.....	29,165	9,119	.....
(*b*) *Gur*, *rab*, jaggree, molasses and other saccharine produce ...	3,58,919	58,697	3,80,755	94,842	21,836	36,145	.....	.....
Tea—								
1.—Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.—Indian	3,562	1,550	7,787	8,699	4,225	7,149	.....	.....
Tobacco	1,88,668	66,092	1,56,822	56,773	.....	.....	31,846	9,319
Wood—								
1.—Timber, unwrought	1,60,561	32,630	1,01,567	28,324	.....	.....	58,994	4,306
2.—Manufactures	20,845	9,804	31,014	10,025	10,169	221	.....	.....
Wool—								
1.—Raw	697	404	4,949	3,471	4,252	3,067	.....	.....
2.—Manufactured—								
(*a*) Carpets and rugs	1,511	1,596	948	1,163	.....	.....	563	433
(*b*) Piece-goods, European	6,050	354	1,440	433	.....	79	5,210	.....
(*c*) Ditto, Indian	474	519	514	225	40	.....	.....	294
(*d*) Other sorts of manufactures ...	815	450	2,901	1,309	2,086	859	.....	.....
All other articles of merchandise—								
1.—Bones	97,136	11,998	90,204	8,989	.....	.....	6,932	3,009
2.—Firewood	1,15,928	8,945	1,10,961	8,513	.....	.....	4,967	432
3.—Indigo seed	2,178	576	2,102	438	.....	.....	76	138
4.—Paints and colours	4,219	3,095	3,437	3,381	.....	286	782	.....
5.—Seeds other than oilseeds	15,048	2,975	9,786	2,228	.....	.....	6,262	745
6.—Others	4,45,301	49,752	4,89,799	1,18,083	4,498	68,931	.....	.....
Total ...	2,60,39,321	47,94,779	2,75,83,312	52,07,103	15,44,021	4,12,324	.....	.....
Military stores	39,206	77,162	51,345	65,988	12,139	.....	.....	11,174
Coal for railway	15,35,346	1,19,184	18,12,921	1,33,401	3,09,575	14,217	.....	.....
Railway materials	28,17,429	89,3.1	38,87,688	1,20,172	9,90,259	30,861	.....	.....
Live-stock	.....	14,517	.....	31,577	.....	17,060	.....	.....
Total ...	3,05,09,302	50,94,963	3,33,85,296	55,68,301	28,55,994	4,63,348	.....	.....

(Illegible),

for *Chief Auditor.*

Traffic Audit Office, Goods Division, Calcutta, *the 28th November 1906.*

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 17th November 1906 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	51,166	31,035 0 0	3,98,816	62,698 0 0	5,572 0 0	98,705 0 0	13,612	19,321	32,933
Or per mile of railway	66·56	40·41	517·27	80 54	7 23	128·18	17·72	25·06	42·78
For previous 19 weeks of half-year	897,093	5,44,241 0 0	74,45,363 0	10,56,348 0 0	1,26,711 0 0	17,27,300 0 0	222,531	355,441	577,972
Total for 20 weeks* ...	948,259	5,75,276 0 0	78,44,179 0	11,18,446 0 0	1,32,283 0 0	18,26,005 0 0	236,143	374,762	610,905
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	48,779	33,922 0 0	3,05,239 0	44,543 0 0	5,258 0 0	83,723 0 0	10,679	18,904	29,583
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year .	66·19	46·03	412·48	60·19	7·11	113·33	14·49	25·55	40·04
Total to corresponding date of previous year	792,731	5,04,815 0 0	63,67,498 0	9,46,309 0 0	1,09,175 0 0	14,59,299 0 0	206,864	365,996	574,860

* Includes Noakhali Railway earnings Rs. 31,491 and train-mileage 17,080.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 17th November 1906.			Receipts for week ending 18th November 1905.			Total receipts from 1st April 1906 to 17th November 1906.			Total receipts from 1st April 1905 to 18th November 1905.			Total increase in 1906.	Total decrease in 1906.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
771	98,705	128·18		83,723	113·33	771	27,57,338		740	21,60 279		5,97,510	

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 17th November 1906 on 1,548 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.		Rs.				
Total traffic for the week on 1,548 miles open ...	295,100	(a) 1,31,250	10,95,120	(b) 1,66,070	(c) 18,500	3,16,720	49,440	(d) 51,703	101,143
Or per mile of railway	190·63	84·79	707·44	107·26	11·95	204 60			
For previous 19 weeks of half-year (e)	5,466,324	21,22,913	1,48,44,172	18,72,841	3,60,968	43,56,752	933,515	692,424	1,625,930
Total for 20 weeks ...	5,761,424	22,54,193	1,59,39,292	20,39,811	3,79,468	46,73,472	982,955	744,127	1,727,082
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,467 miles open	417,616	1,94,409	9,07	1,17,903	21,483	3,33,794	59,489	(f) 29,176	88,665
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	284·67	132·52	618·77	80·37	14 65	227·54			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	5,207,858	20,90,648	1,46,	16,86,183	3,34,342	41,11,573	947,255	657,936	1,605,191
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week		2·65	...	3·23	·18	3·13			
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year		3·27	...	4·14	·24	3·76			

(a) Decrease chiefly under local and foreign outward due to Sonepore *mela* last year held earlier in this year.
(b) Increase mainly under foreign inward.
(c) Decrease principally under steam-boat.
(d) Includes 1,233 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Ditto audited figures up to 6th October 1906.
(f) Ditto 908 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 17th November 1906 on 1,271 miles open.

	Coaching		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including steam-boat).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles	
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
Total traffic for the week ...	356,610	1,67,080 0 0	17,25,030 0	3,26,900 0 0	19,740 0 0	5,14,620 0 0	61,238	56,299
Or per mile of railway ...	281	132 0 0	1,357 0	257 0 0	3 0 0*	392 0 0*	.....	.....
For previous 19 weeks of half-year†	7,059,473	30,11,349 0 0	3,78,05,368 0	64,59,515 0 0	5,67,585 0 0	1,00,38,449 0 0	1,167,167	1,077,398
Total for 20 weeks ...	7,416,083	31,79,329 0 0	3,95,30,398 0	67,86,415 0 0	5,87,325 0 0	1,05,53,069 0 0	1,228,405	1,133,697
Comparison.								
Total for corresponding week of previous year	397,266	1,80,340 0 0	16,00,851 0	3,23,409 0 0	17,112 0 0	5,28,951 0 0	61,828	53,096
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,235 miles)	322	154 0 0	1,296 0	261 0 0	1 0 0	416 0 0	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	6,769,062	29,57,181 0 0	3,25,71,124 0	59,06,007 0 0	5,41,068 0 0	94,05,246 0 0	1,136,531	903,803

* Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 16,940.
† Audited up to week ending 6th October 1906.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 17th November 1906 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles	
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.
		Rs. A. P	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
Total traffic for the week	39,610	12,450 0 0	1,03,120 0	8,990 0 0	80 0 0	21,520 0 0	3,707	3,193
Or per mile of railway	461	145 0 0	1,199 0	104 0 0	1 0 0	250 0 0	.....	.....
For previous 19 weeks of half-year*	6,70,995	2,05,716 0 0	12,04,003 0	1,09,386 0 0	4,544 0 0	3,19,646 0 0	84,363	34,554
Total for 20 weeks ...	7,10,605	2,18,166 0 0	13,07,183 0	1,18,376 0 0	4,624 0 0	3,41,166 0 0	88,070	37,747
Comparison.								
Total for corresponding week of previous year	33,157	9,957 0 0	1,01,286 0	8,539 0 0	353 0 0	18,849 0 0	3,158	2,740
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	386	116 0 0	1,178 0	99 0 0	4 0 0	219 0 0	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	6,32,907	1,87,905 0 0	13,15,153 0	1,00,664 0 0	4,148 0 0	2,92,715 0 0	63,076	38,054

* Audited up to week ending 6th October 1906.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 17th November 1906 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles R	
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
Total traffic for the week ...	4,510	1,680 0 0	14,710 0	1,190 0 0	10 0 0	2,880 0 0	490	(a)1,034
Or per mile of railway	134	50 0 0	438 0	36 0 0	.....	86 0 0	.....	.....
For previous 19 weeks of half-year*	62,217	23,634 0 0	5,42,778 0	33,014 0 0	321 0 0	56,969 0 0	8,100	26,482
Total for 20 weeks ...	66,737	25,314 0 0	5,57,488 0	34,204 0 0	331 0 0	59,849 0 0	8,590	27,516
Comparison.								
Total for corresponding week of previous year	10,074	3,351 0 0	15,812 0	1,340 0 0	14 0 0	4,905 0 0	490	566
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	327	106 0 0	471 0	40 0 0	.....	146 0 0	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	71,496	25,158 0 0	2,55,917 0	21,327 0 0	271 0 0	46,756 0 0	9,871	8,625

* Audited up to week ending 6th October 1906.
(a) Includes ballast train miles 460.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 17th November 1906 on 50·69 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	14,430	3,270 0 0	29,140 0	1,760 0 0	40 0 0	5,070 0 0	1,687	1,081	2,768
Or per mile of railway ...	285	76 0 0	575 0	35 0 0	1 0 0	112 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 19 weeks of half-year*	193,921	55,035 0 0	8,31,276 0	51,087 0 0	891 0 0	1,07,013 0 0	20,337	15,870	42,207
Total for 20 weeks ...	208,351	58,905 0 0	8,60,416 0	52,847 0 0	931 0 0	1,12,083 0 0	22,024	16,951	44,975
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	10,375	2,702 0 0	48,859 0	2,940 0 0	11 0 0	5,749 0 0	1,147	713	1,860
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	202	54 0 0	951 0	58 0 0	.....	112 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	179,186	50,278 0 0	8,37,731 0	41,646 0 0	600 0 0	92,524 0 0	23,016	11,170	34,186

* Audited up to week ending 6th October 1906.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 24th November 1906	Coaching ...	6,301 0 0	15,245 0 0
	Goods ...	8,623 0 0	
	Other earnings ...	321 0 0	
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1905	Coaching	7,211 0 0	19,075 0 0
	Goods	11,516 0 0	
	Other earnings ..	348 0 0	
	Decrease		3,830 0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 24th November 1906			298 14 9
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905			374 0 4
	Decrease		75 1 7
Receipts from 1st July to 24th November 1906			3,72,215 0 0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905			3,89,087 0 0
	Decrease		16,872 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 4684A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 4534A.—The 6th December 1906.*—Mr. A. Mellor, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Patna district on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Saran.

Saran. Patna.

No. 4561A.—The 10th December 1906.—Mr. H. D. deM. Carey, Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed temporarily to be Deputy Commissioner, Hazaribagh.

Hazaribagh.

Mr Carey is appointed to act, until further orders, in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

No. 4566A.—The 10th December 1906.—Mr. Sultan Saiyid Saadat Husain, Barrister-at-Law, Munsif, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Purnea district.

Purnea.

No 4567A.—The 10th December 1906.—The gentlemen, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned against their names:—

Mr. S. J. Meerza, Barrister-at-Law	... ...	Murshidabad.
Babu Madheswar Singh	... ...	Patna.

No. 4568A.—The 10th December 1906.—Babu Jogendra Lal Khastigir, B.A., Inspector in the Salt Department, Bengal, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the sixth grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is appointed to be Special Excise Deputy Collector in the Purnea district.

Purnea.

No 4569A.—The 10th December 1906.—Mr. C Howe, Head Assistant, Financial Commissioner's Office, Punjab, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the seventh grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Hazaribagh district.

Hazaribagh.

No. 4570A.—The 10th December 1906.—The officers, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the eighth grade of Deputy Magistates and Deputy Collectors:—

Babu Hemanta Kumar Maitra	... ...	Sub-Deputy Collector.
„ Kshetra Bhushan Prasad	... ...	Ditto.
„ Srinath Chatarji	... ...	Second General Manager, Wards and Encumbered Estates, Hazaribagh.
„ Hem Chandra Mitra	... ...	Deputy Inspector of Excise, Saran.
„ Sarada Nanda Das	... ...	Sub-Deputy Collector
„ Radha Madhav Naik	... ...	Substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
„ Nrisinha Ranjan Mukharji	...	Ditto ditto.
„ Balmukunda Kanungo	... ...	Sub-Deputy Collector.
„ Rampada Chatarji	... ...	Ditto.
Maulvi Abdul Bari	... ...	Ditto.
Babu Bhuban Mohan Chatarji	... ...	Ditto.
„ Jitendra Nath Sarkar	...	Ditto.
„ Praphulla Chandra Ghosh	...	Ditto.
„ Gyanada Prasad Ghosh	... ...	Ditto.
Maulvi Atai Ilahi	... ...	Substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
Mr W. J. H Ballantine	... ...	Ditto ditto.
„ A H. Petter	... ..	Ditto ditto.
Babu Radha Prasad Mukharji	... ...	Ditto ditto.
„ Satyendra Nath Batabyal	...	Ditto ditto.
„ Satish Chandra Gupta	... ...	Ditto ditto.
„ Gyanendra Nath Banarji	... ...	Ditto ditto.
Anadi Nath Sen	... ...	Ditto ditto.
Nagendra Nath Ray	... ...	Ditto ditto.
Bijay Bihari Mukharji	... ...	Ditto ditto.
Susil Chandra Ghose	...	Ditto ditto.
„ Nihar Ranjan Banarji	... ...	Ditto ditto.
Maulvi Saiyid Musi Kazim	...	Ditto ditto.
Babu Nanda Kishor Jain	... ...	Ditto ditto.
Maulvi Muhammad Sadik	...	Ditto ditto.
Babu Anadi Ranjan Bose	... ...	Ditto ditto.
„ Prasanna Kumar Ghosal	... ...	Ditto ditto.
Maulvi Abul Muhammad Rashad	...	Ditto ditto.
Babu Gopendra Kumar Ghose Chaudhuri	...	Ditto ditto.
„ Khirod Chandra Ray	... ...	Ditto ditto.
„ Sukesh Chandra Deb Ray	...	Ditto ditto.
Maulvi Abdul Kadir Khan, M.A.	...	Assistant Head Master, Calcutta Madrasah.

No. 4571A.—The 10th December 1906.—Maulvi S. M. Abdul Aziz, B.A., B.E., is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the eighth grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Darbhanga district.

Darbhanga.

No. 4572A.—The 10th December 1906.—The gentlemen, named below, are appointed Probationary Deputy Collectors, and are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned opposite their names:—

Maulvi Nasir-ul-Hakk, B.A.	Cuttack.
Mr. Alfred Bose, B.A. (Calcutta and Cambridge) ...	24-Parganas.
Sahibzada Ahmad Halim-uz-Zaman	Ditto.
Mr. W. G. Kelly	Patna.
Babu Sharat Chandra Ray, B.A.	Midnapore.
„ Braja Nandan Singh, B.L.	Monghyr.
„ Trivikram Pujari, B.A.	Sambalpur.
„ Pulin Bihari Aikath, B.A	Ranchi.
Mr. C. C. Chakravarti, B.A.	24-Parganas.
Babu Sudhanshu Bhusan Mitra, B.A.	Monghyr.
„ Mukutdhari Singh, B.A.	Sahabad.
„ Jyotis Chandra Bose, M.A.	24-Parganas.
„ Dhirendra Lal Dey, M.A., B.SC.	Howrah.
Maulvi Mirza Shegufta Bakht, B.L.	Burdwan.
Babu Shyam Narayan Singh, B.A.	Patna.
„ Nabagauranga Basak, M.A.	Do.
Mr. Nirmal Sankar Sen, M.A.	24-Parganas.
Babu Ranjit Prosad, B.A.	Shahabad.
„ Brajabandhu Misra, B.A.	Cuttack.
„ Arun Nath Chakrabatti, M.A.	Ranchi.
„ Jogesh Chandra Chaudhuri, M.A.	24-Parganas.
Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Hafiz, M.A.	Ditto.
Babu Satish Chandra Ray, M.A., B.L.	Howrah.
Maulvi Saiyid Hamid-ud-din Ahmad, B.A. ...	Patna.
„ Chaudhuri Muhammad Nazir Alam, B.A. ...	Shahabad.
Mr. L. E. Smith	Darbhanga.
Maulvi Saiyid Wasik Ali, B.A.	Cuttack.
Mr. J. M. Christian	Patna.
Babu Nritya Lal Mukharji, M.A.	Nadia.
„ Akhouri Gopi Kishore Lal, B.A.	Palamau.
Mr. I. Young Downing	Darbhanga
„ A. G. Allison	Ditto.

N.B.—The appointments of the gentlemen who have not yet submitted their medical certificates are subject to the submission and acceptance of therefore certificates.

No. 4657 A.—The 10th December 1906.—Babu Hem Chandra Mitra, substantive *pro-tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Saran district.

Saran.

No. 4658 A.—The 10th December 1906.—Maulvi Abdul Kadir Khan, substantive *pro-tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district.

Ranchi.

No. 4605A.—The 11th December 1906.—Babu Atul Chandra Kar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Khulna, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district, during the absence, on privilege leave of Mr. Ahsanuddin Ahmad.

Khulna.

No. 4613A.—The 11th December 1906.—Mr. R. C. Hamilton, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Singhbhum, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the third grade of Magistrates and Collectors, with effect from the 19th April 1906, until further orders.

Singhbhum.

No. 4641A.—The 11th December 1906.—Mr. Jogendra Nath Ghosh, District and Sessions Judge, Patna, on leave, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Nadia.

Patna.
Nadia.
Midnapore.

This cancels the order of the 4th December 1906, appointing Mr. Jogendra Nath Ghosh to be District and Sessions Judge, Midnapore.

No. 4643A.—The 11th December 1906.—Mr. H. P. Duval, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Patna, is appointed to act, until further orders, as District and Sessions Judge, Midnapore.

Patna.
Midnapore.
Nadia.

This cancels the order of the 4th December 1906, appointing Mr. Duval to act as District and Sessions Judge, Nadia.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 4596A.—The 11th December 1906.*—Major the Hon'ble Mr. F. A. Slacke, Supernumerary List, Chota Nagpur Mounted Rifles, is transferred, in the same rank, to the active list of the Calcutta Light Horse, with effect from the 7th November 1906.

POLICE.—*No. 4615A.—The 11th December 1906.*—Mr. A. V. Knyvett, C.I.E., Deputy Inspector-General of Police, is appointed to be Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Burdwan Range, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district.

Ranchi.

Mr. Knyvett will continue to act, until further orders, as Inspector-General of Police, Bengal.

Calcutta.

No. 4618A.—The 11th December 1906.—Mr. R. T. Dundas, Principal, Police Training School, Bhagalpur, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Burdwan Range, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district, *vice* Mr. A. V. Knyvett, C.I.E., on deputation.

Bhagalpur.
Ranchi.

No. 4621A.—The 11th December 1906.—Mr. R. F. G. Godfrey-Faussett, Superintendent of Police, is appointed to be Principal of the Police Training School, Bhagalpur.

Bhagalpur.

This cancels the order of the 6th November 1906, posting Mr. R. F. G. Godfrey-Faussett to the Hazaribagh district.

No. 4639A.—The 11th December 1906.—The undermentioned Probationary Assistant Superintendents of Police, who have been selected by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India and allotted to Bengal, are posted to Bhagalpur:—

Bhagalpur. "

Mr. Henry Campbell Cunningham.
Mr. Lionel Hewitt Colson.
„ Cyril Templeton Brett.
„ John Cotton Farmer.
Mr. Frank Lockwood Bussell.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No 4526A.—The 6th December 1906.*—Mr. Kedar Nath Roy, District and Sessions Judge, Jessore, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the second grade of District and Sessions Judges, with effect from the 6th July 1906, *vice* Mr. F. MacBlaine, on privilege leave.

Jessore.

No. 4559A.—The 10th December 1906.—Mr. H. W. C. Carnduff, C.I.E., District and Sessions Judge, who has, under the order of the 4th December 1906, been appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Patna, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of District and Sessions Judges.

Patna.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 4544A.—The 7th December 1906.*—Maulvi Muhammad Yusuf Ali, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, under orders of posting to the head-quarters station of the Manbhum district, is allowed leave for three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 8th September 1906.

Manbhum.

No. 4555A.—The 8th December 1906.—Mr. F. W. Martin, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ranchi, is allowed combined leave for one year, viz., privilege leave for two months and twelve days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it, and extraordinary leave without allowances for nine months and eighteen days under articles 233 and 339 of the Regulations.

Ranchi.

No. 4602A.—The 11th December 1906.—Mr. Ahsanuddin Ahmad, Magistrate and Collector, Khulna, is allowed leave for twenty-two days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1907.

Khulna.

EDUCATION.—*No. 4607A. The 11th December 1906.*—Babu Rakhal Raj Biswas, Professor, Krishnagar College, is allowed leave for eight days from the 27th November to the 4th December 1906, both days inclusive, viz., leave for five days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave for three days under article 274 of the Regulations.

Nadia.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3332L.R.—The 6th December 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*c*) and section 101 (2) (*d*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands comprised in the Government estate Khiraibuni, tauzi No. 455, pargana Vishnupur, in the district of Bankura.

Bankura.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat; and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared; or if a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed—whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*j*) the custom of the village regulating the methods of irrigation and the duties and rights of both landlords and tenants with respect to the use and maintenance of the means of irrigation.

No. 3355L.R.—The 6th December 1906.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey, Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of all the lands comprised in thanas Mokameh, Barh and Bihar, in the district of Patna, and that the boundaries of estates, tenures, mauzas and fields be demarcated on the lands so to be surveyed.

Patna.

No. 3376L.R.—The 8th December 1906.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, V (B.C.) of 1875, Mr. C. S. Kraal and Mr. C. H. G. Johnson, Extra Assistant Superintendents, Survey of India, are appointed to be Assistant Superintendents of Survey in the district of Puri for carrying out the survey of the lands comprised within the boundaries of parganas Parikud, Malud, Bajarkot, Andhari and, Manikpatna, appertaining to the estate known as Jagir Mahals in that district ordered in Notification No. 2883, dated the 12th November 1906.

Puri.

No. 3398L.R.—The 6th December 1906.—Mr. A. H. Vernède, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darbhanga, is vested with special appellate powers under section 87 of the Land Registration Act, VII (B.C.) of 1876.

Darbhanga.

No. 3400L.R.—The 8th December 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 109A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to appoint the District Judge of Darbhanga to be a Special Judge for the purpose of hearing appeals from the decisions of Revenue Officers under sections 105 to 108 of the Bengal Tenancy Act.

Darbhanga.

No. 3420L.R.—The 11th December 1906.—Under section 3 (16) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, Mr. A. H. Vernède, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is authorised to discharge the functions of a Collector under sections 12, 13, 15 and 69 to 71 of the Act in the district of Darbhanga.

Darbhanga.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3392L.A.—The 5th December 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company, viz., for a borrow-pit, in the village of Ratobara, pargana Maher, zilla Gaya, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·81 acre of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Gaya.

North—By the G.-B. Railway, main line,
West—By the rice-land of Harsahai Sing,
South—By the rice-lands of Parmeswar Sing, Udan Sing and Harsahai Sing,
East—By the rice-land of Parmeswar Sing—

is required within the aforesaid village of Ratobara.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate, or other minerals lying under the land or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (*i*), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Engineer in charge, G.-B. Railway, Manpur.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3408L.A.—The 8th December 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal Nagpur Railway Company for the construction of a siding to Lawrence Jute Mill, in the village of Bauria, pargana Muzafferpur, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 12 acres 17·92 poles, being equivalent to 36 bighas 12 cottahs and 12·44 chitaks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid village of Bauria.

Hooghly.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

The plan of the land may be seen in the office of the District Engineer, Calcutta District, Bengal Nagpur Railway, Garden Reach.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3414L.A.—The 11th December 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Maniktala Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Parsee Tower of Silence in the village of Baliaghata, pargana Dihi Punchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 12 bighas and 18 cottahs of standard measurement bounded on the north partly by Baliaghata road and partly by the Parsee Tower of Silence; on the east partly by the Parsee Tower of Silence and partly by holding No. 20, division 3, subdivision 10; on the south partly by the Parsee Tower of Silence and partly by holding No. 20 and a portion of holding No. 25, division 3, subdivision 10, and on the west partly by holding Nos. 26 and 27, and partly by portion of holding No. 25, division 3, subdivision 10, is required within the aforesaid village of Baliaghata.

24-Parganas.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Maniktala.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3415L.A.—The 11th December 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Commissioners of the Port of Calcutta for a public purpose, viz., for works to be constructed and carried out by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta under the provisions of Act III (B. C.) of 1890, in the villages of Nangi and Mirpur, pargana Ballia, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 446 bighas of standard measurement,

Calcutta.

bounded on the north by the river Hooghly, on the south by Mirpur Khal, on the east by the villages of Bangla and Hyjapur and on the west by Mirpur Khal, is required within the aforesaid villages of Nangi and Mirpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Chief Engineer of the Calcutta Port Commissioners.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2952.—The 6th December 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901 (VI of 1901), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that, with effect from the date of the publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, the following amendments shall be made in the Notifications Nos. 2281-2285, dated the 9th July 1901, namely:—

(*a*) For the words "the thanas of Silli, Tamar and Khunti, with their respective outposts" in Notifications Nos. 2281 and 2282, and

(*b*) for the words "any of the thanas of Silli, Tamar and Khunti, with their respective outposts" in Notifications Nos. 2283 and 2284—

the words "the thana of Silli and the Khunti subdivision" shall be substituted in each case.

2. For the words "Province of Assam" wherever they occur in Notifications Nos. 2281 to 2285 the words "the Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam" shall be substituted.

No. 2969.—The 7th December 1906.—Under the provisions of section 3 of the Indian Factories Act, 1881 (XV of 1881), as amended by the Indian Factories Act, 1891 (XI of 1891), and in modification of paragraph I (1) of the Government Notification No. 1319, dated the 30th April 1892, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Police Surgeon, Calcutta, to be, with effect from the 4th November 1906, Inspector of Factories for so much of the town of Calcutta as lies to the south of Canning Street and for Sealdah.

Calcutta-Sealdah.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 961-O.—The 11th December 1906.—Babu Mahima Nath Bhattacharji, Assistant Opium Agent, held charge of the Gaya Sub-Agency from the 2nd to the afternoon of the 7th November 1906 during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. F. J. R. Field to undergo a course of training at the Sibpur Civil Engineering College.

Gaya.

No. 962-O.—The 11th December 1906.—In supersession of the Notification No. 855-O., dated the 13th November 1906, published at page 1990, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 14th idem, Mr. A. H. Biss, Assistant Opium Agent, is appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Gaya, with effect from the afternoon of the 7th November 1906 during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. F. J. R. Field to undergo a course of training at the Sibpur Engineering College, or until further orders.

Gaya.

H. J. MCINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 462Medl.—The 10th December 1906.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. J. Drury, I.M.S., officiating as a Civil Surgeon of the first class, is confirmed in that class, with effect from the 10th October 1906, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel R. Cobb, I.M.S., retired.

No. 464Medl.—The 10th December 1906.—Lieutenant-Colonel T. Grainger, I.M.S., Civil Surgeon of Hazaribagh, at present officiating at Muzaffarpur, is appointed, with effect from the 10th October 1906, to act as a Civil Surgeon of the first class, during the absence, on leave, of Lieutenant-Colonel J. B. Gibbons, I.M.S., or until further orders.

Hazaribagh. Muzaffarpur.

H. J. MCINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 644Medl.—P.—The 10th December 1906.—The following notification issued by the Government of India is republished for general information.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 2078, dated Calcutta, the 30th November 1906.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Home Department.

WHEREAS the Governor-General in Council is satisfied that there is a danger of an outbreak of dangerous epidemic disease at Srirangam in the Trichinopoly district of the Madras Presidency, if persons from the Mysore State, the cities of Bombay and Calcutta and the district of Howrah in Bengal are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing Vaikunta Ekadasi Festival:

In exercise of the power conferred by section 2, sub-section (*1*), of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that no tickets to travel by railway to the stations of Trichinopoly Fort, Trichinopoly Junction, Trichi Palakarai, Tiruverumbúr, Murungappettai, Elamanur, and Perugamani on the South Indian Railway, shall be sold from the 6th December 1906 to the 4th January 1907 (both days inclusive) within the Mysore State, the cities of Bombay and Calcutta and the district of Howrah in Bengal to any person intending or believed to be intending to proceed to the Vaikunta Ekadasi Festival at Srirangam.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 4685A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 4655A.—The 11th December 1906.—Babu Ambika Charan Datta, Subordinate Judge, Murshidabad, is appointed temporarily to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge, Darbhanga.

Murshidabad.
Darbhanga.

POWERS.

No. 4566A.—The 10th December 1906.—Mr. Sultan Saiyid Saadat Husain, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, Purnea, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, and also with powers under section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Purnea.

No. 4661A.—The 10th December 1906.—The officers named below are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class:—

Mr. S. J. Meerza,	substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate,	Murshidabad
Babu Madheswar Singh,	" " " "	Patna.
" Jogendra Lal Khastigir,	Special Excise Deputy Collector,	Purnea.
Mr. C. Howe,	substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate,	Hazaribagh.
Babu Srinath Chatarji,	" " " "	
" Hem Chandra Mitra,	" " " "	Saran.
Maulvi Abdul Kadir Khan,	" " " "	Ranchi.
" S. M. Abdul Aziz,	" " " "	Darbhanga.

No. 4598A.—The 11th December 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Mr. A. H. Ley, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Howrah, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Howrah.

Mr. Ley is vested, under section 407 (2), of the Criminal Procedure Code with power to hear appeals from convictions by Magistrates of the second and third classes, and also with powers under sections 110, 133, 186, 190 (1) (*c*), 435 (1) and 524 of the Code.

Under the authority vested in the Local Government by sub-section (2), section 8, of the Reformatory Schools Act, VIII of 1897, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to invest Mr. A. H. Ley with the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of the said section.

No. 4631A.—The 11th December 1906.—Mr. A. L. Inglis, Assistant Magistrate,
Ranchi. Khunti, Ranchi, is vested with the powers of a Munsif under section 36 (1) (*a*) of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3605J.—The 10th December 1906.—Babu Tripura Charan Sarkar and Babu Hari
Hooghly. Mohan Banarji are re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Municipal Bench at Bhadreswar, in the district of Hooghly.

No. 3608J.—The 10th December 1906.—Mr. John Fredrick Kennedy Meiselbach is
Bhagalpur. appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Supaul, in the district of Bhagalpur.

No. 3616J.—The 10th December 1906.—Babu Bejoy Krishna Roy and Maulvi Syed
Purnea. Abul Hashim are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Purnea.

RESIGNATION.

No. 3614J.—The 10th December 1906.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resig-
Monghyr. nation tendered by Maulvi Zowar Ali Khan of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Shaikhpura Independent Bench, in the district of Monghyr.

POWERS.

No. 3545J.—The 7th December 1906.—The Independent Bench of Honorary
24-Parganas. Magistrates at Bhatpara, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

No. 3584J.—The 10th December 1906.—The gentlemen named below are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, and are authorized to sit singly for the trial of cases:—

Babu Girindra Nath Roy,	Rural Sub-Registrar	of Indas.
„ Suresh Chandra Ghose,	„	of Raipur.
Munshi Khandkar Raushan Ali,	„	of Khatra.
Choudhuri Sahidur Rahman Ahmad,	„	of Gangajalghati.

No. 3606J.—The 10th December 1906.—Babu Tripura Charan Sarkar and Babu Hari
Hooghly. Mohan Banarji, who have been re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Municipal Bench at Bhadreswar, in the district of Hooghly, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

No. 3609J.—The 10th December 1906.—Mr. John Fredrick Kennedy Meiselbach, who
Bhagalpur. has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Supaul, in the district of Bhagalpur, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

No. 3617J.—The 10th December 1906.—Babu Bejoy Krishna Roy and Maulvi Syed
Purnea. Abul Hashim, who have been appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Purnea, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2477P.—The 11th December 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon each of the undermentioned Presidents of panchayats in the district of Hooghly the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by the said officers within the limits of the Unions noted against their respective names.

Hooghly.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by each of the said officers for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification—

Thana Dhaniakhali.

Name of President.	Name of Union.
Babu Hari Narayan Banarji ...	... Gopinagar.
Nagendra Nath Mukharji ...	... Melki.
Sarada Prasad Kar ...	... Kankrakuli.
Rajendra Lal Koar ...	... Gurop.
Girish Chandra Ghosh ...	... Sahabazar-Parambua.
Akshay Kumar Ghosh ...	... Purandarpur.
Jadu Nath Das ...	... Dhaniakhali.
Braja Mohan Chaudhuri ...	... Gurbari.
Sanatan Das Barman ...	... Jeara Gopinathpur.

No. 2495P.—The 11th December 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon each of the undermentioned Presidents of panchayats in the district of Jessore, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by the said officers within the limits of the Unions noted against their respective names.

Jessore.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by each of the said officers for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification—

Thana Magura.

Name of President.	Name and number of Union.
Babu Mati Lal Joarder ...	... Dariapore ... I.
„ Jagadish Chandra Mukharji	Atharokhada ... II.
„ Guru Charan Nandi ...	... Sabdalpore ... III.
„ Trailokya Nath Chakrabatti	... Nakole ... IV.
„ Kali Krishna Sarkar ...	... Kasundi ... V.
Maulvi Saiyid Muazzam Husain	... Bagia ... VI.
Babu Jadu Nath Pal ...	... Chowlia ... VII.
Priya Nath Shankhatirtha	... Satrajitpore ... VIII.
Chandra Nath Basu ...	... Batajore ... IX.
Khagendra Nath Chakrabatti	... Kuchiamora ... X.
Jagyeswar Bhaduri ...	... Jagdal ... XI.
Gobinda Chandra Das ...	... Magura ... XII.
„ Girish Chandra Sarkar ...	... Maghi ... XIII.
Kazi Khurshed Ali Saheb ...	... Raghobdair ... XIV.
Babu Bhupati Chandra Datta ...	... Ichhakhada ... XV.

Thana Muhammadpur.

Maulvi Muhammad Hadik ...	...	Muhammadpur ..	I.
Babu Kedar Nath Basu ...	...	Digha ...	II.
„ Satish Chandra Adhikari	...	Balukhali ...	III.
„ Anadi Nath Ray ...	...	Benodepore ...	IV.

Name of President.	Name and number of Union.
„ Guru Charan Kuri ...	... Rajapore ... V.
„ Beni Kanta Sarkar ...	... Balidia ... VI.
„ Prasanna Kumar Chakrabatti	... Nohatta ... VII.
Muhammad Abdul Mulla ...	... Palashbaria ... VIII.
Babu Bhola Nath Ray ...	... Rana ... IX.
„ Jogendra Nath Mitra ...	... Harihainagore ... X.
„ Ananda Chandra Sen ...	... Borni ... XI.

No. 2497P.—The 11th December 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Raghu Nath Panda, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of the Pathuripenth Union, in thana Soro, in the district of Balasore, *vice* Babu Balabhadra Sahu, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Balasore.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Raghu Nath Panda for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

No. 2498P.—The 11th December 1906.—The Notification No. 2904J., dated the 1st April 1905, published at pages 614 and 615, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Balabhadra Sahu, as President of the panchayat of the Pathuripenth Union, in thana Soro, in the district of Balasore, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Balasore.

No. 2499P.—The 11th December 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Bhola Nath Mahapatra, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. VI—Aranji of thana Bhadrak, in the district of Balasore, *vice* Babu Nabin Jena, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Balasore.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Bhola Nath Mahapatra for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

No. 2500P.—The 11th December 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Balaram Chandra Ray Mahapatra, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. IX—Narsingpur of thana Dhamnagore, in the district of Balasore, *vice* Kanungo Brindaban Chandra Harichandan Ray Mahapatra, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Balasore.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Balaram Chandra Ray Mahapatra for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

No. 2501P.—The 11th December 1906.—The Notification No. 3740J.D., dated the 11th August 1905, published at pages 1431 and 1432 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Nabin Jena and Kanungo Brindaban Chandra Harichandan Ray Mahapatra as Presidents of the panchayats of Unions No. VI—Aranji and No. IX—Narsingpur of thanas Bhadrak and Dhamnagore, respectively, in the district of Balasore, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Balasore.

No. 2503P.—The 11th December 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon each of the undermentioned Presidents of panchayats in the district of Murshidabad the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by the said officers within the limits of the Unions noted against their respective names.

Murshidabad.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by each of the said officers for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

Name of President.	Name and number of Union.
Thana Barwan.	
Benimadhav *alias* Satkari Chatarji ...	Kalyanpur I
Imtiaz Husain	Monaikandra II
Nabin Chandra Chakrabatti	Biprasikhar III
Banwari Lal Singh	Komodda IV
Munshi Inayat Husain	Kuli V
Raj Narayan Naik	Burwan VI
Jotindra Mohan Ray	Sahora VII
Mukunda Ballabh Ghosh	Mourakandi VIII
Manmohan Dhar	Satitara IX
Sushil Krishna Ghosh Maulik ...	Panchthupi X
Muhammad Siraj-ul-Hakk	Sunderpur XI
Ashutosh Sarkar	Kurunnarun XII
Thana Gokaran.	
Prasanna Kumar Bhattacharji ...	Kumersanda I
Shyam Chand Basu	Mahalandi II
Tarak Nath Mitra	Jibanti III
Krishna Nath Ray Chaudhuri ...	Gokarna IV
Outpost Kagram.	
Tarini Prasad Mukharji	Duttabarutia I
Chakrapani Banarji	Bonwaribud II
Chaudhuri Muhammad Mazhar-ul-Hakk ...	Salar III
Munshi Zillar Rahman *alias* Raja Miyan...	Talibpur IV
Shib Chandra Chatarji	Kagram V
Thana Kandi.	
Muhammad Ishaq	Bhawanipur I
Garib-ullah Shaikh	Purandarpur II
Purnananda Ray	Andulia III
Rajani Kanta Trivedi	Anukhan IV
Bipin Bihari Ojha	Jasori V
Thana Khargram.	
Dukari Chandra Chatarji	Jhilli I
Tarini Kinkar Sarkar	Shafaldah II
Nirad Gopal Ghosh	Joypur III
Annada Prasad Das	Showpara IV
Mukunda Ballabh Dhar	Indrain V
Ram Kamal Ghosh	Margram VI
Girish Chandra Ray Chaudhuri ...	Parulia VII
Banikantha Ray Chaudhuri	Eroali VIII
Ishwar Chandra Datta	Khargram IX
Madhusudan Singh	Balia X
Thana Bharatpur.	
Madan Mohan Singh	Mateara I
Nritya Gopal Ghosh	Jojan II
Syam Dhan Chakrabatti	Alugram III
Mahmud-ul Husain	Bharatpur IV
Mahendra Nath Banarji, ...	Godda V
Hemendra Kumar Chatarji	Talgram VI
Khundkar Haji Mohi-ud-din Husain ...	Sijgram VII
Lalit Mohan Adhikari	Amlai VIII
Lalit Mohan Singh	Saloo IX
Haji Ramzan Ali	Prosadpur X
Ram Rup Datta	Malihati XI

R. W. CARLYLE,
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REGISTRATION.

Birbhum. *No. 2473P.—The 11th December 1906.*—Babu Kalipada Banarji, Rural Sub-Registrar, Rampurhat, in the district of Birbhum, was on leave for two months and seven days, with effect from the 13th July 1906, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Birbhum. *No. 2475P.—The 11th December 1906.*—Babu Fakir Chand Ray, Rural Sub-Registrar, Suri, in the district of Birbhum, acted as Rural Sub-Registrar, Rampurhat, in that district, for two months and seven days, with effect from the afternoon of the 12th July 1906.

No. 2494P.—The 11th December 1906.—Thakur Jagar Nath Sah Deo, Rural Sub-Registrar, Bundu, in the district of Ranchi, is transferred to Lohardaga, in that district.

Ranchi.

No. 2505P.—The 11th December 1906.—Maulvi Masud-ul-Hakk, Rural Sub-Registrar Jhenida, in the district of Jessore, was on leave from the 13th August to the 13th September 1906, both days inclusive, under Article 336, Civil Service Regulations.

Jessore.

No. 2507P.—The 11th December 1906.—Babu Sharat Chandra Mukharji, Rural Sub-Registrar, Jessore, acted as Rural Sub-Registrar, Jhenida, in that district, from the 13th August to the 13th September 1906, both days inclusive, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Masud-ul Hakk.

Jessore.

No. 2509P.—The 11th December 1906.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Husain, Rural Sub-Registrar, Jahanabad, in the district of Gaya, was on leave from the 21st August to the 9th September 1906, both days inclusive, under Article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Gaya.

No. 2511P.—The 11th December 1906.—Babu Badri Narayan, Rural Sub-Registrar Bankipore, in the district of Patna, acted as Rural Sub-Registrar Jahanabad, in the district of Gaya, from the 21st August to the 9th September 1906, both days inclusive, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Husain.

Patna. Gaya.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

REGISTRATION.

No. 2489P.—The 11th December 1906.—Under the provisions of section 5 of the Indian Registration Act, III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the establishment of a new registration sub-district with head-quarters at Khunti, in the district of Ranchi, having jurisdiction over thana Khunti including the outpost of Torpa, thana Tamar including the outpost of Bundu, thana Karra and thana Sonahatu.

This notification will take effect on and from the 2nd January 1907.

Ranchi.

No. 2490P.—The 11th December 1906.—Under the provisions of section 5 of the Indian Registration Act, III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the establishment of a new registration sub-district with head-quarters at Lohardaga, in the district of Ranchi, having jurisdiction over thana Lohardaga including the outpost of Kuru, and thana Ghagra with the outpost of Bishenpur.

This notification will take effect on and from the 2nd January 1907.

Ranchi.

No. 2491P.—The 11th December 1906.—Under the provisions of section 5 of the Indian Registration Act, III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the abolition of the office of the Sub-Registrar of Bundu, in the district of Ranchi. Of the two thanas of Silli and Tamar, comprised in its jurisdiction, thana Silli will henceforth be attached to the sub-district of Ranchi and Tamar to the sub-district of Khunti.

This notification will take effect on and from the 2nd January 1907.

Ranchi.

No. 2492P.—The 11th December 1906.—It is notified for general information that on account of the opening of two offices of Rural Sub-Registrar—one at Khunti and the other at Lohardaga, and of the abolition of the office of Rural Sub-Registrar at Bundu, in the district of Ranchi, the registration sub-district of Ranchi will be restricted to thana Ranchi with the outposts of Ormanjhi, Angara and Boro, thana Mandar with the outpost of Burmu, thana Silli and thana Lapung.

This notification will take effect on and from the 2nd January 1907.

Ranchi.

No. 2493P.—The 11th December 1906.—It is notified for general information that on account of the opening of an office of Rural Sub-Registrar at Lohardaga, in the district of Ranchi, the registration sub-district of Gumla, in that district, will be restricted to thana Kolebira with the outpost of Bano, thana Basia, thana Palkot, thana Gumla, thana Chainpur with the outpost of Barwi, thana Kochdega, thana Kurdeg and thana Sisai.

This notification will take effect on and from the 2nd January 1906.

Ranchi.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 10th December 1906.

No. 233.—Mr. O. S. Smith, Executive Engineer, was, on return from leave, attached to the office of the Chief Engineer, Bengal, from the forenoon of the 26th to the afternoon of the 28th November 1906.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 10th December 1906.

No. 235.—Babu Hari Prasad Ghoshal, Assistant Engineer, is appointed to officiate as Executive Engineer of the Eastern Sone Division, with effect from the 4th December 1906.

W A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 6th November 1906.

No. 8.—Notification.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 99 and 78 of Act III (B. C.) of 1876, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal proposes to make the following additions and alterations in rule 5 of the Water-rate Rules for the Orissa Canals and in items 2 and 5 of the Schedule of rates to be charged for water supplied from the said canals.

W. A INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Existing rule and rate.

Rule 5 (1st portion only).—The preliminary application for a lease for a term of years, either new or renewal, may be of an informal nature, but it must be in writing. It may be presented at any time; but, if

Existing rule and rate.

presented after the 31st March in the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of one pice per *goont* of local measure, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, will be made for the year following that in which the lease has been applied for.

Item 2 of the Schedule (portion only).—Provided that in all cases in which the preliminary application for the lease has been presented on any date subsequent to the 31st of March of the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of 1 pice per *goont*, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, shall be made on all lands in the lease for the year subsequent to that from which the lease commences.

Item 5 of the Schedule.—For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June—Rs. 3 8 per *mán*.

Proposed rule and rate.

Rule 5 (1st portion only).—The preliminary application for a lease for a term of years, either new or renewal, may be of an informal nature, but it must be in writing. It may be presented at any time; but, if presented

Proposed rule and rate.

after the 31st March in the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of 1 pice per *goont* of local measure, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, will be made *on all lands leased at Rs. 1 12 per mán, and an additional charge of 1 pie per goont of local measure, equivalent to 2 annas and 1 pie per mán, will be made on all lands leased at 8 annas per mán* for the year following that in which the lease has been applied for.

Item 2 of the Schedule (portion only).—Provided that in all cases in which the preliminary application for the lease has been presented on any date subsequent to the 31st of March of the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of one pice per *goont*, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, shall be made *on all lands leased at Rs. 1-12 per mán, and an additional charge of 1 pie per goont of local measure, equivalent to 2 annas and 1 pie per mán, will be made on all lands leased at 8 annas per mán*, for the year subsequent to that from which the lease commences.

Item 5 of the Schedule.—*(a)* For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June *on lands leased for a term of years at Rs. 1-8 per mán—Rs. 3-8 per mán.*

(b) For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June on lands leased for a term of years at Rs. 1-12 per mán—Rs. 3-4 per mán.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

The 8th December 1906.

No 133 Marine.—Mr. J. Sherman, Branch Pilot, is granted privilege leave for two months and six days under article 676 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, combined with special leave for three months and 24 days under article 673 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 13th December 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 11th December 1906.

No. 134 Marine.—Under the powers conferred by section 36 of the Indian Steam-ships Act, 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, with the sanction of the Governor-General in Council, to make the alterations indicated below in the rules for regulating the grant of Certificates of Competency to Engineers of sea-going steam-ships, which were sanctioned under notification No. 46 Marine, dated the 7th April 1905.

Rule 20(a).

The following is to be inserted after the first paragraph of sub-rule (*a*) of rule 20 :—

Time spent in a technical school cannot be accepted as equivalent to more than two years' artisan service, and time spent in foreign technical schools can in no circumstances be recognised.

The following is to be added as rule 24A after rule 24 :—

Foreign Engineer.

24A. Foreign Engineers cannot be examined for a First Class Certificate unless they have performed the sea-service stated in rule 21, with the requisite British Certificate. The service may have been performed in foreign vessels if the candidate can produce satisfactory testimonials as to conduct and character, and is able to prove that the service has been in the required capacities, and that during the period of service he has held a British Certificate of Competency of the rank required by the Regulations [*See rule 9*].

Rule 33.

The words "fishing boats" are to be substituted for "trawlers"

Rule 36.

The following is to be substituted for rule 36 :—

Certificates of service.

36. An officer who has attained the rank of Engineer Lieutenant or Engineer Sub-Lieutenant in his Majesty's Navy or the rank of Engineer or Assistant Engineer in the Indian Marine Service, is entitled without examination, if an Engineer Lieutenant or Engineer, to a Certificate of Service as First-Class Engineer, and if an Engineer Sub-Lieutenant or Assistant Engineer, to a Certificate of Service as Second-Class Engineer. These officers may be examined for a Certificate of Competency on the same conditions as Engineers of the Mercantile Marine.

An officer who has attained the rank of Artificer Engineer in His Majesty's Navy or Indian Marine Service is also entitled without examination to a Certificate of Service as Second-Class Engineer.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 11th December 1906.

No. 135 Marine.—Mr. H. E. Mackenzie, Senior Master Pilot, is appointed to act as a Branch Pilot, with effect from the 13th December 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 11th December 1906.

No. 136 Marine.—Mr. A. Marshall, Licensed Branch Pilot, is granted extraordinary leave without allowance, for 25 days, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th November 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 10th December 1906.

No. 234.—Babu Chandra Shekhar Ray, Overseer, first grade, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Eastern Sone to the Buxar Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 29th November 1906.

No. 236.—Babu Chinta Haran Banarji, Overseer, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Arrah to the Eastern Sone Division.

No. 237.—Babu Madhu Sudan Chatarji, Overseer, second grade, is transferred in the interests of the public service from the Brahmini-Byturni to the Mahanadi Division.

The 11th December 1906.

No. 238.—Babu Trailokya Nath Mazumdar, Supervisor, first grade, Mahanadi Division, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for two months and 29 days, with effect from the 15th January 1907, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 239.—The following promotions are made in the Upper Subordinate establishment with effect from the 1st October 1906 :—

NAMES.	From—	To—		Nature of promotion.	Division in which employed.
Chatterjee, Gyanandra Nath (Senior)	Supervisor, 1st grade, temporary rank.	Supervisor,	1st grade.	Permanent	Buxar.
Banarji, Mohendro Chandra.	Supervisor, 2nd grade, temporary rank.	Supervisor,	2nd grade.	Ditto	Cossye.

W. A INGLIS,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 4686A.

Hazaribagh. Burdwan Divn.

No. 4521A.—The 6th December 1906.—Babu Kamal Narayan Chakrabatti, Sub-Deputy Collector, Hazaribagh, is transferred to the Burdwan Division.

No. 4573A.—The 10th December 1906.—The gentlemen, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the second grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors, and are posted to the Divisions mentioned against their names :—

Babu Abhaya Charan Chatarji, B.L. ... Burdwan Division.
,, Satish Chandra Upadhyay, M.A. ... Patna ,,

They are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Ranchi.

No. 4574A.—The 10th December 1906.—Mr. P. Gomes, Assistant Settlement Officer, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the third grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the Ranchi settlement.

He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

No. 4575A.—The 10th December 1906.—The gentlemen, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fourth grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors, and are posted to the Divisions mentioned against their names:—

Babu Chuni Lal Mitra, B.A.	...	Presidency Division.
„ Ashutosh Deb, M.A.	...	Burdwan „
„ Kshitish Chandra Haldar, B.L.	...	„ „

They are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

No. 4576A.—The 10th December 1906.—The officers, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors, and are posted to the Divisions mentioned against their names:

Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Aziz, Assistant, Motihari Sub-Deputy Opium Agency	...	Patna Division.
Babu Hari Misra, Sadar Kanungo, Balasore	...	Orissa „
„ Lalit Mohan Sen, Income-tax Assessor, Manbhum,		Chota Nagpur „

They are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

No. 4577A.—The 10th December 1906.—The Assistant Settlement Officers, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors, and are posted to the settlements mentioned against their names:—

Mr. F. Alderson	...	Ranchi Settlement.
Babu Lalit Kumar Sen	...	Ditto.
„ Iswari Prasad Singh	...	Seraikela Settlement.
„ Phanindra Nath Gupta	...	Midnapore „
„ Surendra Nath Banarji	...	Purnea (North Bihar) Settlement.

They are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

No 4578A.—The 10th December 1906.—The officers, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors, and are posted to the Divisions mentioned against their names:—

Maulvi Khundkar Ali Tahir, Rural Sub-Registrar	...	Presidency Division.
„ Shah Muhammad Musl-ud-din, B.A., Zilladar	...	Patna „
Babu Banshidhar Naik, B.A. (Probationer, Registration Department)	...	Orissa „

They are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

No. 4579A.—The 10th December 1906.—The gentlemen, named below, are appointed Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors, and are posted to the Divisions mentioned against their names:—

Mr. Jamini Mohan Chatarji	...	Burdwan Division.
Babu Nanda Lal Basu, B.A.	...	Presidency „
„ Surendra Nath Ghosh, B.A.	...	Chota Nagpur „
„ Atul Bihari Gosain, B.A.	...	Burdwan „
„ Surendra Nath Gupta, M.A.	...	Patna „
„ Jahnavi Prasad, B.A.	...	Bhagalpur „
„ Bejay Krishna Sen, M.A.	...	Burdwan „
„ Haripada Ray, M.A.	...	Presidency „
„ Haridas Chakrabatti, B.L.	...	Burdwan „
„ Labanya Mohan Sanyal, B.A.	...	Bhagalpur „
„ Abinash Chandra Benarji, B.L.	...	Burdwan „
„ Amulya Chandra Dutt, M.A., B.L.	...	Burdwan „
„ Surendra Narayan Ghosh, B.A.	...	Presidency „
„ Mallinath Ray, B.Sc.	...	Presidency „
„ Jadubansha Sahay, B.A.	...	Patna „
„ Dasurathi Chatarji, B.L.	...	Patna „
„ Haricharan Banarji, B.L.	...	Presidency „
„ Nalinindra Lal Bose, B.A.	...	Chota Nagpur „
„ Lal Bishwanath Sharan Singh	...	Patna „
Maulvi Ali Ahmad, M.A.	...	Bhagalpur „
Babu Gopendra Bhushan Chatarji, M.A., B.L.	...	Presidency „
„ Debendra Nath Mukharji, B.A.	...	Chota Nagpur „
„ Shailesh Nath Mukharji, B.A.	...	Presidency „
„ Pramatha Nath Chatarji, B.A.	...	Patna „
„ Umesh Chandra Sil, B.A.	...	Burdwan „
„ Rajendra Nath Gupta, B.A.	...	Presidency „
„ Prakash Chandra Dutt, B.A.	...	Burdwan „
Maulvi Saiyid Amanat Husain, B.A.	...	Patna „
Babu Gaya Prasad Singh, B.A.	...	Patna „
„ Amulya Krishna Dutt, M.A.	...	Burdwan „
Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Ali Husain, M.A.	...	Patna „
„ Saiyid Muhammad Rafik-ul-Alam, B.A.	...	Bhagalpur „
„ Kazi Abdul Wahob, B.A.	...	Bhagalpur „

Babu Surjya Narayan Singh, B.A.	...	...	Patna Division.
Maulvi A. F. M. Mahmud, B.L.	...	...	Presidency ,,
,, Muhammad Tahir, B.A.	...	...	Patna ,,
Babu Probodh Chandra Ray, B.A.	...	...	Presidency ,,
,, Gour Kishore Das, B.A.	...	...	Orissa ,,
,, Uma Charan Das, B.A.	...	...	Orissa ,,
,, Kshitish Chandra Sen, B.A.	...	...	Patna ,,
,, Dhanmassi Panna, B.A.	...	...	Chota Nagpur ,,
,, Satkouri Pati Ray, B.L.	...	...	Burdwan ,,
,, Gurudas Sarkar, M.A.	...	...	Presidency ,,
,, Jug Dutt, B.A.	...	...	Patna ,,
,, Troilokyonath Mitra, B.A.	...	...	Orissa ,,
,, Sudhir Kumar Sen Gupta, B.A.	...	...	Presidency ,,
,, Nripendra Nath Mitra, B.A.	...	...	Presidency ,,
Maulvi Safdar Husain, B.A.	...	...	Patna ,,
Mr. V. M. Bonarji, B.A.	...	...	Presidency ,,
,, J. F. Gantzer	...	...	Presidency ,,
Babu Sharat Chandra Mazumdar, B.A.		...	Chota Nagpur ,,

N.B.—The appointments of the gentlemen who have not yet submitted their medical certificates are subject to the submission and acceptance of those certificates.

Burdwan. *No. 4594A.—The 11th December 1906.*—Maulvi Saiyid Khalil Ahmad, Sub-Deputy Collector, Asansol, Burdwan, is allowed leave for one month and thirteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 12th November 1906.

No. 4624A.—The 11th December 1906.—The Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors of the Presidency Division, named below, are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned against their names:—

Babu Nanda Lal Basu	...	24-Parganas.
,, Surendra Narayan Ghosh	...	24-Parganas.
,, Mallinath Roy	...	24-Parganas.
,, Rajendra Nath Gupta	...	24-Parganas.
Mr. J. F. Gantzer	...	24-Parganas.
,, V. M. Bonarji	...	24-Parganas.
Maulvi A. F. M. Mahmud	...	24-Parganas.
Babu Hari Charan Banarji	...	Jessore.
,, Gopendra Bhushan Chatarji	...	Jessore.
,, Haripada Ray	...	Murshidabad.
,, Probodh Chandra Ray	...	Nadia.
,, Nripendra Nath Mitra	...	Murshidabad.
,, Gurudas Sarkar	...	Murshidabad.

Burdwan Divn. *No. 4626A.—The 11th December 1906.*—The Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors of the Burdwan Division, named below, are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned against their names:—

Babu Haridas Chakrabatti	...	Birbhum.
Prakash Chandra Dutt	...	Burdwan.
Umesh Chandra Sil	...	Howrah.
Amulya Krishna Dutt	...	Midnapore.
Satkouri Pati Ray	...	Ditto.
Bijay Krishna Sen	...	Hooghly.

Muzaffarpur. *No. 4628A.—The 11th December 1906.*—Babu Abhay Charan De, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Muzaffarpur, under order of transfer to the Orissa Division, is allowed leave for four months, viz., medical leave for one month and two days under article 336 (1) of the Civil Service Regulations, and extraordinary leave without allowances for two months and twenty-eight days, under article 339 (2) of the Regulations, with effect from the afternoon of the 5th November 1906.

Saran. *No. 4633A.—The 11th December 1906.*—Babu Ambika Prasad Barma, Sub-Deputy Collector, Siwan, Saran, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz, privilege leave for two months and twenty-eight days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

Khulna. *No. 4635A.—The 11th December 1906.*—The Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors of the Presidency Division, named below, are posted to the head-quarters station of the Khulna district:—

Babu Sailesh Nath Mukharji. | Babu Sudhir Kumar Sen Gupta.

No. 4637A.—The 11th December 1906.—Babu Chuni Lal Mitra, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Presidency Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Khulna district.

Khulna.

No. 4646A.—The 11th December 1906.—Babu Atul Bihari Gosain, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Burdwan Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Hooghly district.

Hooghly.

No. 4647A.—The 11th December 1906.—The substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collectors of the Burdwan Division, named below, are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned against their names:—

Babu Ashutosh Deb	... ...	Bankura.
„ Kshitish Chandra Haldar	... ...	Howrah.

No. 4649A.—The 11th December 1906.—The Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors of the Chota Nagpur Division, named below, are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned against their names:—

Chota Nagpur Divn.

Babu Surendra Nath Ghosh	... ...	Manbhum.
„ Nalinindra Lal Bose	... ...	Ranchi.
„ Debendra Nath Mukharji	... ...	Hazaribagh.
„ Dhanmassi Panna	... ...	Ranchi.
„ Sharat Chandra Mazumdar	... ...	Manbhum.

No. 4651A.—The 11th December 1906.—The Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors of the Bhagalpur Division, named below, are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned against their names:—

Bhagalpur.

Babu Labanya Mohan Sanyal	... ...	Purnea.
Maulvi Ali Ahmad	... ...	Bhagalpur.
„ Saiyid Muhammad Rafik-ul-Alam	...	Bhagalpur.
„ Kazi Abdul Waheb	... ...	Santhal Parganas.

No. 4653A.—The 11th December 1906.—Babu Abhaya Charan Chatarji, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector of the Burdwan Division, is posted to the Katwa subdivision of the Burdwan district.

Burdwan.

No. 4659A.—The 11th December 1906.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Yakub, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Giridih, Hazaribagh, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Hazaribagh.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 11722, dated Calcutta, the 8th December 1906.—Captain R. M. Dalziel, I.M.S., made over charge of the Buxar Central Jail to Captain N. S. Wells, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 15th November 1906.

No. 11840, dated Calcutta, the 11th December 1906.—Lieutenant M. E. Mungavin, I.S.M.D., made over charge of the Chaibassa Jail to Lieutenant F. J. Daley, I.S.M.D., on the afternoon of the 10th November 1906.

No. 11906, dated Calcutta, the 11th December 1906.—Assistant Surgeon Probodh Chunder Basu made over charge of the Suri Jail to Honorary Captain J. G. Fleming on the afternoon of the 30th November 1906.

W. J. BUCHANAN,
Inspr.-Genl. of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 7776, dated Calcutta, the 7th December 1906.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Aghor Nath Ghosh is appointed, until further orders, as Laboratory Assistant of the new Bacteriological Laboratory attached to the Sanitary Department, Bengal.

A. M. CROFTS, COL., I.M.S.,
Offg. Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

I HEREBY place Mr. Rowland Nagendra Lal Chandra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of Howrah Treasury from 3rd December 1906, and he is empowered to sign bills, &c.

H. T. S. FORREST, *Collector.*

HOWRAH, *the 5th December 1906.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU UPENDRA MOHAN SEN GUPTA, who has been placed in charge of the Shahabad Treasury with effect from the 27th ultimo, is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

F. W. DUKE, *Offg. Addl. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 7th December 1906.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 6th December 1906.—Babu Gopi Bhusan Sen, B.A., Lecturer on Chemistry, Patna College (Class IV), on leave, is appointed to be Lecturer on Chemistry in the Krishnagar College.

The 7th December 1906.—Babu Gopi Bhusan Sen, Lecturer on Chemistry, Patna College (Class IV), is allowed leave of absence from 5th October 1906 to 23rd December 1906, under Article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Maulvi Muhammad Yasin, an Assistant Master in the Chapra Zilla School, now officiating as an Assistant Master (Head Maulvi) in the Patna Collegiate School (Class VII), acted as Lecturer on Persian and Arabic in the Patna College during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Hai.

Maulvi Muhammad Nawab, an Assistant Master (Second Maulvi) in the Patna Collegiate School, on a salary of Rs. 40 a month, acted as Assistant Master (Head Maulvi) in the same institution and in Class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service during the deputation of Maulvi Muhammad Yasin.

The 8th December 1906.—The orders of the 30th November 1906, granting leave of absence from the 17th to 30th November 1906, under Article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, to Miss E. Phillips, an Assistant Mistress in the Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong (class VI), are cancelled.

The 11th December 1906.—Pandit Behari Lal Chaube, an Assistant Master (Pandit) in the Patna Training School (class IV), is appointed to be an Assistant Master (Head Pandit) in the Patna City School, *vice* Pandit Gopinath Upadhyaya, transferred.

The 11th December 1906.—The following arrangements are sanctioned :—

Babu Sibendra Nath Bhadra, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Jessore Zilla School (substantively *pro tempore* in class VIII), is appointed to be an Assistant Master in the Khulna Zilla School, *vice* Babu Hira Lal Datta, deceased.

Babu Girindra Nath Chatterji, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Purnea Zilla School, and now Officiating Assistant Master, Birbhum Zilla School (class VIII), is appointed to be Assistant Head Master of the Jessore Zilla School, *vice* Babu Sibendra Nath Bhadra, transferred.

Babu Jadu Nath Ghosh, an Assistant Master in the Hooghly Collegiate School (class VIII), is appointed to be a Sub-Inspector of Schools, Khulna, *vice* Babu Anadi Nath Roy, transferred.

This cancels the orders appointing Babu Kesav Lal Saha, an Assistant Master in the Hooghly Collegiate School, to be a Sub-Inspector of Schools, Khulna.

Babu Kisori Lal Roy, an Assistant Master in the Khulna Zilla School (class VIII) is appointed to be an Assistant Master in the Hooghly Collegiate School, *vice* Babu Jadu Nath Ghosh, transferred.

Babu Narayan Das Ghosn, B.A., an Assistant Master in the Murshidabad Nawab's High School (class VII), is appointed to be an Assistant Master in the Khulna Zilla School, *vice* Babu Kisori Lal Roy, transferred.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

THE FINAL EXAMINATION FOR B AND C CLASSES, 1907.

I

ROUTINE FOR FINAL EXAMINATION OF THE B CLASSES, 1907.

THE examination will be held at the following centres and on the following dates:—

BENGAL ... ... Bankipore, Midnapore and Ranchi.
EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM Rampur Boalia, Rangpur, Pabna, Barisal, Dacca and Mymensingh.

DATES.	8 to 11 A.M.	1 to 4 P.M.
Friday, the 1st February 1907	Manual Training ...	Manual Training.
Saturday, the 2nd February 1907	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Monday, the 4th February 1907	Arithmetic and Algebra.	Geometry and Mensuration.
Tuesday, the 5th February 1907	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	Engineering.
Wednesday, the 6th February 1907	Surveying ...	Modern English, I.
Thursday, the 7th February 1907	Modern English, II	Elementary Science.

2. The exact periods allotted to the Manual Training test will be indicated on the examination paper. The examination will begin on Friday, the 1st February 1907, at 8 A.M., and continue, morning and afternoon, until the time allotted has expired. The Manual Training test is on no account to be conducted during any hours other than those prescribed on the examination paper.

3. After each period the candidate's test work together with his question-paper will be taken from him and locked up by the Superintendent and securely sealed. It will remain in his custody until the hour set apart for resuming the examination. Before re-distributing the work to the candidates the Superintendent should assure himself that the seal has not been tampered with.

4. The examination at each centre will be in charge of the Superintendent of the local Technical School. Each Superintendent will be informed by the Examiner, not later than the first week in January, as to the scantlings and length of wood necessary for the practical test. It will be the duty of the Superintendent to see that a sufficient quantity of wood of the required size is available.

5. No extra wood may be given to any candidate.

6. No mistry will be allowed in the shops during the examination.

7. When the time allotted to the practical test has expired, the Superintendent is immediately to pack carefully the materials which have been worked on by the candidates and despatch the packages under seal to the Head Master, Ahsanullah School of Engineering, Dacca, together with a certificate that in each case these examination rules have been rigidly complied with. He will inform the Head Master by telegraph of the despatch of the tests.

II.

ROUTINE FOR THE FINAL EXAMINATION OF THE C CLASSES, 1907, BENGAL CENTRES.

1. The examination will be conducted at the following centres and on the following dates:—

The Hare School, Calcutta (for all Calcutta candidates) Ranchi, Uttarpara, Hooghly and Barasat.

DATES.	8 to 11 A.M.	1 to 4 P.M.
Monday, the 4th February 1907	Arithmetic and Algebra	Geometry and Mensuration.
Tuesday, the 5th February 1907	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	History.
Wednesday, the 6th February 1907	Geography ...	Modern English, I.
Thursday, the 7th February 1907	Modern English, II.	

2. Arrangements for conducting the final examination of the C classes in Eastern Bengal and Assam will be published by the Director of Public Instruction, Eastern Bengal and Assam.

III.

General Instructions.

1. The following regulations are to be observed for the final examination both of the B and C classes:—

Each Head Master of a school sending up candidates for these examinations must send to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, a list of candidates appearing from his school before the 20th December 1906. This list is to be accompanied by—

(*a*) a certificate of the age of each candidate on January 1st, 1907;
(*b*) a declaration of the candidate's vernacular;
(*c*) a fee of Rs. 10 from each candidate. This fee will in no case be refunded.

Duplicate copies of (*a*) and (*b*) are to be sent at the same time to the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

2. The following Examiners have been appointed:—

CLASSES	Subjects.	Examiner.	Address.
B and *C* ...	Arithmetic and Algebra.	Babu Kalipada Basu, M.A.	Professor, Dacca College.
B and *C* ...	Geometry and Mensuration.	Babu Radha Raman Guha.	Assistant Head Master, Dacca School of Engineering.
B and *C* ...	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	Babu Surendra Kumar Bose.	Assistant Professor, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
B and *C* ...	Modern English, I— (*a*) Grammar and Parsing (1½ hours).	Mr. J. A. Chapman	Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta.
	(*b*) Translation from Vernacular (1½ hours)—		
	Bengali ...	Babu Debendra Kumar Roy.	Head Master, Dacca Training School.
	Hindi ..	Babu Bhagabati Sahai.	Assistant Inspector of Schools, Patna Division.
	Urdu ...	Maulvi Ashanulla, M.A.	Head Master, Rajshahi Collegiate School.
B and *C* ...	Modern English, II— (*a*) Essay (1½ hours)	Mr. J. A. Chapman...	Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta.
	(*b*) Translation from English (1½ hours)—Paper to be set by— ...		
	Examiner (Bengali)	Ditto ...	Ditto.
	Do. (Hindi) ...	Mr. D. N. Mallik ...	Professor, Patna College.
	Do. (Urdu) ...	Babu Bhagabati Sahai.	Assistant Inspector of Schools, Patna Division.
		Maulvi Amjadali ..	Head Master, Calcutta Madrassa.
B ...	Engineering ...	Mr. F. W. Arnold ...	Head Master, Dacca School of Engineering.
B ...	Surveying ...	„ F. W. Byers ...	Teacher, C. E. College, Sibpur.
B ...	Elementary Science...	„ P. Brühl ...	Professor, C. E. College, Sibpur.
B ...	Manual Training ...	„ B. Kenneth Evans.	Foreman-Instructor, Dacca Ahsanulla School of Engineering.
C ...	History ...	Mr. J. N. Das Gupta	Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta.
C ...	Geography ...	„ J. V. Francis ..	Superintendent, Apprentice Department, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
C ...	Modern English, III	„ J. A. Chapman	Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta.
C ...	Elementary Practical Mechanics.	„ F. W. Arnold ...	Head Master, Dacca School of Engineering.

3. All question-papers, except those for the practical tests, are to be such as can be answered in three-hour periods. Modern English (I) and Modern English (II) are divided into two sections; the questions on each section should be such as can be answered in 1½ hours. The answer-papers on each section of Modern English are to be collected at the end of the 1½-hour period assigned to it.

CALCUTTA,
The 11th December 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Post-graduate Research Scholarships, 1907.

1. Two post-graduate Research Scholarships of the monthly value of Rs. 100 each, and tenable for a maximum period of three years, but in the first instance for one year only will be awarded early in the year 1907.

2. No candidate will be considered who has not passed the M.A., the M.D. the D.L. or the Master in Engineering Examination of the Calcutta University in 1904, 1905, or 1906. No candidate will be considered who is not possessed of high qualifications and who cannot show that he has a capacity for original research.

3. One of the scholarships will be awarded to a candidate who proposes to carry on original research in some Scientific subjects, such as Natural and Physical Science, Chemistry, Mathematical Science, etc. The other may be awarded to a candidate who undertakes research in some literary subject, such as a Language, Comparative Philology, Palæography, Epigraphy, Philosophy, History, Archæology, Anthropology, etc; but no application for a scholarship for researches in a literary subject will be considered unless a candidate presents himself who not only shows that he has the capacity for undertaking the research proposed, but also makes it clear by the programme which he submits that he has thought out a definite course of inquiry. In the event of no suitable candidate for a literary research scholarship being forthcoming, this office may recommend that both the scholarships may be awarded for scientific research.

4. All applications must be submitted, through the head of the institution in which the candidate read last, so as to reach the undersigned on or before the 31st January 1907.

5. Application forms may be had from the Personal Assistant, Office of the Director of Public Instruction, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta.

CALCUTTA,
The 10th December 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Dated Calcutta, the 11th December 1906.

THE price of "Sachitra Bharat Barser Itihas" by Babu Jajneswar Banerji has been incorrectly stated as four annas on page 1902 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 31st October 1906. The price of the book is three annas only.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Annual Examination of Pleaders in Surveying.

1. The next Survey Examination for Pleaders will be held in February 1907.

2. Applications for admission to appear at the examination should in the first place be submitted to the District Judge in whose Court or in Courts subordinate to whom the Pleader ordinarily practises. The District Judge will require evidence from all applicants that they have undergone some training in practical surveying. He will not countersign the application of a candidate who fails to satisfy him on this point; nor will such a candidate be permitted to appear at the examination.

3. Candidates whose applications have been countersigned by the District Judge must submit their applications to the Director of Public Instruction, and these must be received on or before the 15th December 1906. After this date no more applications will be received.

4. The application should state the centre at which the candidate intends to appear, and all particulars as to the length of time the applicant has practised in the Court, and the full address, etc, necessary to secure that letters will reach the applicant.

5. Each application should be accompanied by the prescribed fee of Rs. 30,* which will in no case be refunded.

6. Only pleaders practising in one of the Courts of the Province of Bengal will be eligible for the examination.

7. The examination will be held at three centres, viz., Patna, Cuttack and Sibpur.

8. The subjects for examination are noted below:—

(1) Paper on General Elementary Surveying, including the theodolite and levelling.
(2) Practical examination in the field in—

(*a*) Chain, and chain and compass surveying.
(*b*) Plane-tabling.
(*c*) Plotting.
(*d*) Levelling.
(*e*) The use of the theodolite and the permanent and temporary adjustment of instruments.

9. Candidates are required to secure 40 per cent. of the marks in the paper on surveying and 50 per cent. in the practical portion of the examination.

10. The rules regarding the Pleaders' Survey Examination were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th September 1904.

11. The programme for the examination will be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

CALCUTTA,
The 14th November 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

* The fee must be deposited in the Bank or local Treasury, and the receipt for the same should accompany the application. On no account will cash or a money-order be received.

PRACTICAL SURVEYING EXAMINATION FOR PLEADERS.

FORM OF APPLICATION.*

To

THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, BENGAL.

SIR,

I REQUEST permission to appear at the Survey Examination for Pleaders to be held in February 1907, under Government Order No. 2047J.—D., dated 9th October 1901.

The Treasury receipt for Rs. 30 paid as fee is sent herewith.

I wish to be examined at the centre.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

Dated

Particulars to be filled up by the Candidate.

(1) Name.
(2) Father's name.
(3) Residence.
(4) Name of the district where the candidate is practising as a Pleader.
(5) Date of obtaining the B.L. Degree, or of passing the Pleadership examination.
(6) Where the candidate wishes to be examined.
(7) Caste or creed.

* The application is to be submitted through the District Judge in whose Court or in Court subordinate to whom the candidate ordinarily practises as a Pleader.

Programme of Practical Examination for Pleaders at the Sibpur, Patna and Cuttack Centres.

Day.	Date.	Hour.	Subject.	Full Marks.	Remarks.
Monday ...	18th Feb. 1907	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Question-papers ...	100	In the Examination Hall.
Tuesday ...	19th ,, ,, and subsequent days.	4-hour periods morning and afternoon.	Chain and Compass Surveying.	100	In the Field.
			Plane-table Surveying ...	100	
			Levelling	100	
			The use of the theodolite and the adjustment of instruments.	100	
			Plotting	100	In the Examination Hall.

Each practical test should be suitable for a single uninterrupted period of four hours.

The order and times of the practical tests will depend on the number of candidates to be examined. They will be arranged for each centre by the officer conducting the examination as he thinks fit. They may be altered during the examination as occasion may arise. Candidates are therefore warned to find out on completing each test when their attendance will be next required.

Candidates must bring their own drawing instruments, scales, etc., each day with them. Paper, drawing-boards and field-books will be supplied.

Surveying instruments will be issued to candidates, who will be held responsible for any damage done to them. Tapes will not be supplied, but may be brought by the candidates, if they wish to use them.

CALCUTTA,
The 14th November 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College.—

I.—Engineer Department.

A four-year course leading to the Engineering Degrees of the Calcutta University. Admissions made yearly in June. Admission qualification, the First Arts examination of the Calcutta University or its equivalent.

II.—Apprentice Department.

The full course of study covers five years. There are special classes in Mining and in Electrical Engineering.

After 1½ years the Sub-Overseer examination is held.

After 3½ years the Final or Overseer examination is held with special modification for Mining students.

After a further 1½ years' practical training the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate is given.

Admissions are made yearly in June to 1st year and in March to 2nd and 3rd years. Admission qualifications—

To 1st-year class, Entrance examination of Calcutta University or equivalent, to the Middle School.

To 2nd-year class, the Final examination of B Course of zilla schools.

To 3rd-year class, the Sub-Overseer examination of affiliated Technical schools.

III.—Workshops.

Artisan classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine,
Blacksmiths';	Turners;	and Foundry.

IV.—Agricultural Department.

Admission made by nomination of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor. Application to be sent to the Principal. A two-year course leading to the Agricultural Diploma of the College. Admission made yearly in November.

Admission qualifications—

As general student, B. A., B Course, of Calcutta University or equivalent.

As special student, satisfactory evidence that the candidate can benefit by the instruction.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

SIBPUR,
The 7th June 1906.

B. HEATON,
Principal.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 7131B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Sale of Opium, the provision of 1904-05, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 3rd January 1907, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,400 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of	...	2,200
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of	...	2,200
Total	...	4,400

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 27th November 1906, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 21st January 1907, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 8th January 1907, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 21st January 1907.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so.:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 5th February 1907	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 5th March	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd April	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday, 1st May	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 4th June	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd July	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 6th August	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday 4th September	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Thursday, 3rd October	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Friday, 1st November	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 3rd December	2,200	2,200	4,400
Total	24,200	24,200	48,400

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
R. B. MISRA, *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P. CALCUTTA, *the 1st December 1906.*

No. 7054B

OPIUM.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1907, will consist of about 26,400 chests prepared at the Patna Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chitaks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chitaks used for pasting the leaves of the shell, and about 26,400 chests prepared at the Ghazipur Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chitaks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chitaks used for pasting the leaves of the shell, being of the seasons 1904-1905 and 1905-1906 in the proportion noted.

Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory.

		Chests.
Supply from 1904-1905	...	20,868
Ditto 1905-1906	...	5,532
Total	...	26,400

Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

		Chests.
Supply from 1904-1905	...	15,595
Ditto 1905-1906	...	10,805
Total	...	26,400

2. The dates on or about which the sales will be held, and the total quantity of opium, as well as the respective quantities manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories which will be brought forward for sale every month, are specified below. The Board of Revenue reserve to themselves the right of altering the dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so. In accordance with the Notification of the Government of India, No. 3494A., dated 22nd June 1906, 2,200 chests of Patna and 2,200 chests of Benares opium will be sold monthly from January to December 1907:—

DATES.		Chests manufactured at the Patna Factory.	Chests manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.	Total chests.
		2	3	4
On or about Thursday, 3rd January	1907 ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 5th February	,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 5th March	,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd April	,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday, 1st May	,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 4th June	,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd July	,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 6th August	,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday, 4th September	,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Thursday, 3rd October	,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Friday, 1st November	,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 3rd December	,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
	Total ...	26,400	26,400	52,800

The following are the conditions of sale:—

1. The opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

2. The opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 800 per chest, and sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for

which, provision is made by clause 13 of these conditions of sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

3. The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M., but if at that hour any of the lots advertised for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of the Board of Revenue, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday), at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or if the whole quantity advertised shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Board of Revenue may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

4. Each lot shall contain five chests.

5. A Promissory Note for a sum, calculated according to the scale, noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room and before the lot is registered in the sale-book, and all such Promissory Notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this office by Bank of Ben receipts or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India, on or before 3-30 P.M., in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the said notes must be redeemed by 1-30 P.M., or, on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as the Board of Revenue shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

DEPOSIT.

When the amount bid is less than Rs. 1,200 per chest, Rs. 200 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,200 and upwards, but less than Rs. 1,600 per chest, Rs. 300 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 2,000 per chest, Rs. 400 per chest.
And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400.

6. The said Promissory Notes shall be absolutely payable in any event, and the amount thereof shall be absolutely forfeited upon such default as before mentioned, and the amount thereof shall not go or be credited in reduction of any loss on re-sale or expenses thereby incurred, but shall be recoverable whether such re-sale shall be had or not, or whether there shall be a loss on such re-sale or not.

7. The Promissory Notes taken on the day of sale under the fifth condition, if remaining unredeemed at 3-30 P.M. of the fifth day following the day of sale or 1-30 P.M., if the last day falls on a Saturday, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

8. No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities, on account of opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before the prescribed time in clause 5 on the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted. Provided always that money so subsequently tendered may be taken in payment of the said Promissory Note, but such acceptance of money shall in no way entitle the payer thereof to any right to delivery of the lot or lots in respect whereof the said note was given, or to any of the rights of a purchaser thereof, or release the payer from liability for any unpaid balance of such notes or from the additional liability for the loss and expenses of such re-sale as provided for in clauses No. 5 and No. 6.

9. The opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than by 3-30 P.M. of the fifteenth day from the day of sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the opium must be paid for by 1-30 P.M.; and, in case any lots of such opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth condition, or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as the Board of Revenue shall think fit; and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good all expenses and any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale, and the liability for the loss or difference of price and expenses shall be in addition to, and wholly independent of, the amount of the deposit so forfeited.

10. Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of opium, after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorizing the delivery of single lots or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests ordinarily required to be included in each certificate or order.

11. No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present conditions will be received in this office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale-book, or his authorized agent. The receipt for deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

12. The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall on demand render at the time a deposit either in Government of India Notes, Bank of Bengal receipts, or Government securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a Promissory Note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these conditions.

13. With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually by Rs. 5 at a time until a bid is obtained; and the first *bonâ fide* bidder for a lot, after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described, shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 800 specified in the second of these conditions.

14. The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of the same Agency opium not exceeding altogether twenty-five lots, provided always that there remains a sufficient number of lots of the opium to complete the said twenty-five.

15. In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

16. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue:—

No. 1, Certificate of the opium advertised for sale;

No. 2, Report of the examination of such opium.

17. The public are hereby informed that in providing the investment of the opium manufactured at the Patna Factory and the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory for the year 1905-1906, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug, when packed at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken, for the purpose of comparison, from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

18. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the opium advertised for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Board of Revenue entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the opium for shipment.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA,
Offg. Secretary.

CALCUTTA,
The 27th November 1906.

NOTICE.

No. 6965B.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.,

Member in charge.

APPLICATIONS for tickets of admission to the Opium Sale Rooms for the year 1907 should be made at the Office of the Board of Revenue, L. P., on or after the 20th December 1906.

Tickets for the year 1906, which have not already been surrendered, should be returned at the same time.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

R. B. MISRA,
Offg. Secretary.

MIS. REVE. DEPT., OPIUM (SALE) BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 22nd November 1906.*

Statement showing the quantity of salt (private property) in bonded warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 30th day of November 1906, and transactions during the half month from the 16th to the 30th November 1906.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	IN BONDED WAREHOUSES IN CALCUTTA.				Quantity afloat.	Grand Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 16TH TO THE 30TH NOVEMBER 1906 INCLUSIVE.			
	In private golas.	In Sulkea Government golas.	In Kidderpore Dock Government golas.	Total.			Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from shipboard for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
		Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds
United Kingdom—										
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	.....	4,92,119	5,48,179	10,40,298	44,897	10,85,195	1,43,310	71,736	16,450	1,61,715
Other European countries—										
Spanish salt	.....	3,27,845	66,274	3,94,119	2,896	3,97,015	73,597	1,60,611	63,760	22,380
Hamburg and Bremen salt,	.....	1,38,040	12,030	1,50,070	37,926	1,87,996	78,715	62,077	13,950	53,890
Hamburg Rock salt ...	.....	9,609	8,178	17,787	..	17,787	500	.....	.....	300
Port Said salt	.....	1,84,694	.....	1,84,694	.....	1,84,694	17,055	.....	33,970	41,855
Aden and Red Sea—										
Aden salt	....	1,38,777	21,814	1,60,591	.....	1,60,591	85 370	1,74,222	1,34,510	25,270
Salif salt	.....	93,714	.....	93,714	.....	93,714	28,050	1,472	.....	35,712
Do. rock salt	.....	7,960	.....	7,960	.....	7,960	906	.....	.....	806
Rawayah salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Muscat and Persian Gulf—										
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	.....	.....	3,466	3,466	38,300	41,766	6,000	42,300	4,000	.....
Ditto ditto rock salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
British India—										
Bombay salt	.....	13,325	3,800	17,125	21,752	38,877	46,140*	62,214	450	41,853
Madras salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Coconada salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vizagapatam salt ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other places—										
Madagascar salt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	.....	14,06,083	6,03,741	20,60,824	1,45,771	2,15,595	4,76,703	5,74,572	2,66,090	3,83 781

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in private golas	..
Ditto in Sulkea golas	4,368
Ditto in Kidderpore Dock golas ...	1,795
Abandoned and destroyed	116

* This quantity includes 45761 mds. and 10 seers Bombay Karkach salt on which the duty was paid at Bombay.

In transit—

	Mds.
Liverpool and other Panga salt	4,920
Hamburg salt	7,240
Spanish salt	17,495

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

L. F. MORSHEAD,

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 10th December 1906.* *Collector of Customs.*

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified that at the eighth general election of the Commissioners of the Jamalpur Municipality, in the district of Monghyr, held on 25th August 1906, the following persons were elected as Municipal Commissioners:—

Ward A.

Babu Arunodaya Mukherji, Native Doctor.
,, Hiran Mandar, Zamindar and cultivator.

Ward B.

Babu Haran Chandra Gupta, Pleader.
,, Churaman Mandar, Native Doctor.

Ward C.

Babu Suraj Mal, Trader.
,, Mannu Lal, Contractor.

Ward D.

Babu Punit Lal Mandar, Zamindar.
Mr. T. E. O'Dowd, Foreman, Turning shop, East Indian Railway.

Ward F.

Mr. J. F. Morris, Acting Workshop Manager.

2. The election in Ward E having failed and that in Ward F having fallen short of one Municipal Commissioner, the following gentlemen were duly elected for the above Wards at the subsequent election held on 24th November 1906:—

Ward E.

Babu Nil Mony Bromochary, Native Doctor.
Mr. A. Hetherington, Foreman, Locomotive Workshop, East Indian Railway.

Ward F.

Mr. J. McMillan, Officiating Head Clerk, Pay Bill Section, Locomotive Department, East Indian Railway.

D. J. MACPHERSON, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 3rd December 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Committee for the management of the Baruipur Charitable Dispensary, in the district of the 24-Parganas:—

1. The Civil Surgeon of the 24-Parganas ... *Ex officio.*
2. Babu Durgadas Ray Choudhury.
3. „ Ambica Kumar Roy Choudhury
4. „ Keshob Chandra Das.
5. „ Uma Charan Roy.
6. „ Ram Chandra Khan.
7. „ Siba Das Bannerji.
8. „ Tara Das Roy Choudhury.

M. N. GHOSH, for *Commissioner, on tour.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 5th December 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held on Saturday, the 26th January 1907, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III (B.C.) of 1884, as amended by Act IV (B.C.) of 1894, in Ward No. VI of the Muzaffarpur Municipality, in the district of Muzaffarpur, for the election of a Commissioner for that ward in the place of Babu Ajodhya Prasad Sukul, deceased.

F. W. DUKE, *Offg. Additional Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 6th December 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in the bye-election held on the 26th November 1906 in Ward IV of the Purnea Municipality, Babu Pirthi Chand Lal Chowdhury was duly elected as a Commissioner in the place of Mirza Mohamad Husain, deceased.

D. J. MACPHERSON, *Commissioner of the Bhagalpur Division.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 8th December 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be Commissioners of the Jainagar Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, at the eighth general election held on the 1st December 1906 :—

No. of Ward.		Name.
I	...	Babu Nritya Gopal Datta. ,, Priya Nath Mitra.
II	...	Babu Nanda Gopal Datta. ,, Bhupendra Nath Ghosh.
III	...	Babu Aghor Nath Ghosh. ,, Bipin Behari De.
IV	...	Babu Narayan Das Chatterji. ,, Bhusan Chandra Nandi.

M. N. GHOSH, *Pers. Asst.*, for *Commr.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 11th December 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the District Board dispensary at Rosera, in the district of Darbhanga :—

1. Mr. Charles R. Macdonald.
2. Mr. T. A. R. Robertson.
3. Maulvi Saiyed Ibni Murtaza.
4. Babu Aghore Nath Ghosal.
5. ,, Karam Chand Sett.

F. W. DUKE, *Additional Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 6th December 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU ISHWARI PRASAD SINGH is appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Gaya Pilgrims Hospital, in the district of Gaya, *vice* Babu Akhouri Lakshmi Narain, deceased.

F. W. DUKE, *Addl. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 6th December 1906.*

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PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 8th December 1906.*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

MEDICAL.

Calcutta, the 4th December 1906.

No. 1025.—The services of Captain F. H. Watling, M.B., I.M.S. (Bengal), are replaced temporarily at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces.

2. Captain Watling was employed under the Government of Bengal from the 16th October 1905 to the 31st October 1906.

JUDICIAL.

The 7th December 1906.

No. 1574.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice S. G. Sale, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, is granted furlough for one year, with effect from the 2nd January 1907.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 6th December 1906.

No. 535.—The Reverend E. W. P. Keeling, a chaplain on probation, is appointed to be a junior chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) ecclesiastical establishment, with effect from the 31st August 1906.

H. H. RISLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 7th December 1906.

No. 2923G.—Mr. C. L. S. Russell, a Political Agent of the third class, is granted privilege leave for three months combined with furlough for three months, with effect from the 5th November 1906, under articles 233 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations.

L. W. DANE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Fort William, the 7th December 1906.

"LONDON GAZETTE."

No. 637.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

London Gazette, dated 13th November 1906, pages 7632 to 7634.

INDIA OFFICE;
13th November 1906.

The King has approved of the following promotions among Officers of the Indian Army Indian Medical Service, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, and Indian Army Departments, and admissions to the Indian Ary made by the Government of India :—

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Captains to be Majors.

Dated 28th July 1906.

William Davey Hayward, M.B.

The King has also approved of the retirement of the following Officers of the Indian Army and Indian Medical Service :—

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Cobb. Dated 10th October, 1906.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Behar Light Horse.

No. 643.—The Hon'ble Sir Andrew Henderson Leith Fraser, K.C.S.I., Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, to be Honorary Colonel, *vice* Sir James Austin Bourdillon, resigned.

Calcutta Light Horse.

No. 644.—Richard Westmacott, gentleman, to be Second Lieutenant, to complete the establishment. Dated 16th October 1906.

1st Battalion, Bengal-Nagpur Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

No. 656.—Andrew Custance Carr, Esquire, to be Captain, *vice* Marsh, deceased. Dated 17th January 1906.

2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 657.—Captain Robert Tyndall Gibbs resigns his commission. Dated 9th October 1906.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Lieut.-Col.*,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Bankura. *No. 2281L.S.-G—The 10th December 1906.*—In modification of the notification dated the 6th April 1886, published at page 98, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* dated the 7th idem, and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to fix 16 as the number of members of which the District Board of Bankura shall consist and four as the number of members which the Vishnupur Local Board shall be entitled to elect thereto.

Bankura. *No. 2282L S.-G.—The 10th December 1906.*—In modification of the notification dated the 5th June 1886, published at page 145, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th idem, and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 8 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to fix ten as the number of members of which the Vishnupur Local Board shall consist.

Midnapore. *No. 2284L.S.-G.—The 10th December 1906.*—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Contai Local Board, in the District of Midnapore, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act III of 1885, of Babu Debendra Narayan Masumdar to be their Chairman.

Champaran. *No. 2287I.S.-G.—The 10th December 1906.*—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. Boyd Hill to be a member of the District Board of Champaran, *vice* Mr. J. L. Hill, resigned.

Sonthal Parganas. *No. 2293M.—The 10th December 1906.*—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Deoghar Municipality, in the district of the Sonthal Parganas:—

The Second Officer	Deoghar.
The Third Officer	Ditto.
The General Manager, Court of Wards' estates,	Ditto.
Babu Nabin Chandra Mallik.	
„ Bejay Madhab Mukharji.	

No. 2297L.S.-G.—The 7th December 1906.—It is hereby notified that under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the following gentlemen have been elected to be members of the District Board of Nadia:—

Nadia.

Local Boards by which elected.	Names of members.
Krishnagar ...	Babu Mohini Mohan Gupta. Mr. B. D. Pal Chaudhuri.
Kushtia ...	Babu Basanta Kumar Chatarji. „ Rai Charan Das.
Meherpur ...	„ Ratan Lal Biswas. „ Upendra Narayan Bagchi.
Ranaghat ...	„ Surendra Kumar Mukharji. „ Hrishikesh Gangali.
Chuadanga ...	„ Jatindra Mohan Singh. „ Jogendra Nath Singh.

The following gentlemen are appointed under section 7 of the Act to be members of the Board:—

The Road Cess Deputy Collector, Nadia ...
The Superintendent of Police, „ ...
The Civil Surgeon, „ ... } *Ex-officio.*
The Deputy Inspector of Schools, „ ...
The Subdivisional Officer, Meherpur ...
Maharaja Kshitish Chandra Rai Bahadur.
Mr. M. M. Crawford.
„ K. M. Hamilton
The Revd. Mr. E. T. Butler.
Babu Nalinaksha Datta.

No. 2299M.—The 10th December 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Jamalpur Municipality, in the district of Monghyr, of Mr. T. R. Browne, to be their Chairman, *vice* Mr. D. S. C. Wedderburn, resigned.

Monghyr.

No. 2302M.—The 10th December 1906.—It is hereby notified that the Commissioners of the Monghyr Municipality, in the district of Monghyr, having at a meeting requested the Local Government, under section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, to appoint a Chairman, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. H. McPherson, I.C.S., to be their Chairman, *vice* Mr. H. P. Duval, I.C.S., resigned.

Monghyr.

No. 2304M.—The 10th December 1906.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor intends, in the exercise of the power vested in the Local Government by section 85 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Baidyabati Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, made at a meeting, to sanction the imposition by the Commissioners of the said Municipality, under section 85 (*b*) of the Act, of a rate on the annual value of holdings in lieu of the tax upon persons occupying holdings within the Municipality according to their circumstances and property, which is at present in force in that Municipality, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the Municipality.

Hooghly.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

THE following return of gentleman appointed by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta under section 62 of Act III (B.C.) of 1899 to be a Commissioner under that Act is hereby published in pursuance of the sub-section 2 of section 58 of the Act:—

Mr. H. J. Hilary, B.A. (Cantab.), Secretary to the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, in place of the late Mr. Nalin Behary Sircar, C.I.E.

C. G. H. ALLEN, *Chairman of the Corporation.*

Dated the 8th December 1906.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Saran will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1907, corresponding to 8th Magh 1314 Fasli, on Monday, at 12 o'clock in the day, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
41	Banthu, pargana Ander.	1,064 8 6	.....	Ijmal— Banthu, 8as. 3p. 18k. 15m. Santhu, 6as. Karmoul, 14as. 2p. 4k. 8m. 10d. Haibatpur, 16as. Harnathpur, 16as. All other shares besides those specified will be excluded from the sale.	Chandreshwar Pershad Narain Singh and Narain Pershad Singh.	673 8 6	.....	31 1 5
265	Tisan, pargana Ander.	1,051 11 8	Entire ...	.....	Inderdeo Narain Mokhtar, sale-purchaser, and others.	.....	4 13 4	.....
364/1	Bagoura, pargana Bal.	4,102 10 11	.....	Separate account No. 1— Bagoura, 2 as. Mathia Bechangir, 2 as. Bhadeya or Bhadpa, 4 as. Tola Bhusi, 2as. 6p. Tola Manchs, 8as. Madarichak, 8as. Dahakui, 8 as. All other shares besides those specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mosst Chanderjot Kuer, wife of Harnarain Sahu, deceased.	512 13 5	.....	13 5 7

(ILLEGIBLE), *for* Collector.

8rd December 1906.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at 12 noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such shar or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
35-4	Mondleghat, pargana Mondleghat.	3,23,423 3 8	Nil	5g. 11k. 4til share of the estate.	Jahur Lal Seal ...	3,070 5 2	Nil	89 7 5	Arrears of Ma 1905.

M. A. KADIR, Dy. Collr. in charge, for Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th November 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 4th February 1907, at 12 o'clock noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate not specifically mentioned in column 5 are excluded from sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of the proprietors of the property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.		As.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
166/1	Ta. Ganeswarpur, Ph. Banchas.	1,619 0 0	.....	Kismat ... 9	Baladeb Prakash Brahmachari.	910 11 0	.....	455 0 0	Due for kist November 1906.
166/2	Ditto ...	1,619 0 0	.....	Do. ... 7	Chadmoni Dibya, mother and guardian of Hanuman Khuntia, minor, and others.	708 5 0	.....	354 0 0	Ditto.
66	Ma. Drugadaspur, Ph. Kotrahang.	879 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Bhikari Misra and others.	.....	439 0 0	.....	Ditto.
171	Ma. Gope, Ph. Banchas.	555 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Satyabadi Patra and others.	.....	278 4 10	.....	Ditto.
7/1	Killah Balarampur, Ph. Pachhimduai.	2,657 0 0	.....	Kismat ... 4	Musammat Sadatan Nissa Begam *alias* Chunee Begam and others.	664 4 0	.....	332 2 0	Ditto.

Puri Collectorate, the 15th October 1906. P. C MITTER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Birbhum will be put up for sale at the Office of the Collector of that district on the 15th December 1906 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
241	Udanpur, pargana Khatango.	971 12 0	.....	Residuary share, 8 annas 5 gandas of the entire estate, excepting separate account No. 1. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rajendra Kishore Mukerjee and others.	501 0 11	.....	5 7 5

Birbhum Collectorate, the 29th October 1906. H. FOSTER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1907 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		PART II. *Temporarily-settled Estate.*		Rs. A. P		Rs. A P
1433	Akberpur Barari, pargana Malki.	2,306 14 0	.....	12a. 8g. ijmali share ...	Nilkanth Singh and others	1,787 13 0	.....	2 14 6

Monghyr Collectorate, the 16th November 1906. H. McPHERSON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3531	Digra, pargana Boro	530 3 5	Entire ..	Nil.	Shaikh Mohammad Ali	Nil.	188 0 0	Nil.
3093	Kristobati Chherachar, pargana Raypur.	1,092 6 0	D.. ...	Nil.	Rajendra Nath Roy, Manager to the estate of Brindaban Chandra Tagore.	Nil.	150 10 0	Nil.

Hooghly Collectorate, the 8th November 1906. K. N. MITRA, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
397	Rashulpur, pargana Sherpur.	Rs.	.....	14a. 8g. 1k. 1k. ijmali share	Khondkar Mehedi Hosen and others.	Rs. A. P. 2,267 4 4	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 1 7 1
861	Char Kanthalia, pargana Fatehsingha.	1,325	Whole ...	.....	Dwijendra Narain Ray and others.	Revenue ...	55 2 7	
						Dak cess ...	3 13 8	
						Penalty ...	3 13 8	
						Road cess ...	9 8 4	
							72 6 3	

Berhampore, the 10th November 1906. R. S. BHATTACHARJEE, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on 20th of December 1906 at 12 noon arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood t a separate account is kept for that share.

usl lo.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
875	Baghelpore, pargana Chausa.	Rs. A. P. 565 0 0	The whole	.....	Moona Kuar ...	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 35 5 0	Rs. A. P. .....
796	Kanauli, pargana Chausa.	952 0 0	Ditto	.....	Deoki Thakur and others.	.....	2 15 7	.....
875 , 86, , 90, and 96.	Amson, pargana Chainpur.	11,261 13 8	.....	The share to be sold is as follows:— A. P. K. M. D. Khata 21— Amarha ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Anantpurkhilopur ... 0 10 10 0 0 Bahari ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Barari ... ... 1 1 10 0 0 Piparia ... ... 0 10 10 0 0 Bhadaura ... ... 0 5 8 0 0 Nati ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Pipra Sakarwar ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Pakarihar ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Chintamanpur ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Jamurni ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Chauthi ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Chak Kalandi *alias* Chakia 0 9 0 0 0 Dandwa Viran ... ... 1 1 10 0 0 Dasanti ... ... 1 0 0 0 0 Dewana ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Darwa dakhli Fakhrabad 0 5 8 0 0 Ramrur ... ... 1 0 0 0 0 Siardaur ... ... 0 10 10 0 0 Sahebahe ... ... 1 0 0 0 0 Semaria ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Saraila ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Saraidhandahar ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Sikandarpur ... ... 0 5 8 0 0 Sikara ... ... 1 0 0 0 0 Surhia ... ... 0 4 10 0 0 Kulharia ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Gorahand ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Kohari ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Karausi ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Esmailpur ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Kunrwa ... ... 0 11 2 0 0 Kharsaunda ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Gangapur ... ... 0 5 8 0 0 Mehia ... ... 0 9 0 0 0 Nausenbeje ... ... 0 10 10 0 0 Bagchhara ... ... 0 10 10 0 0 Khata 86— Sikara ... ... 2 3 3 6 10 Bahari ... ... 2 3 3 6 10 Khata 88— Amaon ... ... 0 4 10 0 0 Aaila Patna ... ... 0 4 10 0 0 Lahopakar ... ... 0 4 10 0 0 Dighi ... ... 0 4 10 0 0 Khata 90— Bhadaura ... ... 0 1 16 0 0 Esmailpur ... ... 0 4 10 0 0 Karansi ... ... 0 4 10 0 0 Kunrwa ... ... 0 2 8 0 0 Gangapur ... ... 0 1 16 0 0 Rampur Baraju ... ... 1 0 0 0 0 Sikandarpur ... ... 0 1 16 0 0 Danrwa dakhli Fakhrahad ... ... 0 1 16 0 0 And 3p. in each of the following villages:— Amarha, Anantpur, Khilopur, Bahari, Piparia, Nati, Pakarihar, Jamurni, Pipra Sakarwar, Chauthi, Diwana, Chintamanpur, Kulharia, Gorahand, Kohari, Khorsaunda, Saraila, Siarduar, Semaria, Nauan Beje, Mehia. Chak Kalandi *alias* Chakia, Sarai, Dhandahar and Bagachhara. A. P. K. M. D. B. Khata 97— Surhia ... ... 6 1 13 6 16 0 Khata 98— Chintamanpur ... ... 0 10 3 9 9 19 Kohari ... ... 0 10 6 19 14 0 Khatas 1, 10, 24, 93, 94, 96, 30, 40, 51, 82 will also be sold. Other shares are excluded from sale.	Mohiuddin Khan and others. Phul Kuar. Lala Gaya Pershad Thakur Kuldip Narain. Raghunath Rai. Bhagirathi Kuar.	292 9 8 77 8 10 40 3 4 106 0 8 105 9 4 30 9 0	....	210 5 3 17 9 4
1906 mal, , 36, , 38 d 39,	Umapur, pargana Chainpur	5,942 6 4	.....	The share to be sold is as follows:— A. P. K. Ijmal— Umapur ... ... 0 6 0 Chandrauli ... ... 7 7 0 Sarison ... ... 5 0 0 Somaria ... ... 8 0 0 Chaukhanda ... ... 10 0 0 Chak Bhagwat ... ... 8 0 0 Harkataya ... ... 8 0 0 Kutbanpur ... ... 8 0 0 Dohar Pat Sarwa ... ... 8 0 0 Saraibelbhadarpur ... ... 3 9 0 Kishunpura 6 3 0	.....	392 13 10 18 14 8 35 13 4 1 13 7 14 5 9 65 9 10	....	289 9 1 0 13 9 4 1 10

Pauni No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		A. P. K. Khata 35— Sahijna ... ... 1 3 0 Khata 36— Sarisan ... ... 2 0 0 Khata 37— Lahangpatti ... ... 5 6 10 Khata 38— Sarisan ... ... 1 0 0 Khata 39— Chandrauli ... ... 8 5 0 Sahijna ... ... 3 0 0 Other shares are excluded from sale.	Ram Chandrika Dubey. Ramdahin Rai. Raghunath Rai. Deonandan Rai. Lachhuman Rai and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4081 Ijmal	Khopira Bichhianon, pargana Pawar.	669 10 3	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is as follows:— A. P. K. Khopira ... ... 13 4 19 Bichhianon ... ... 12 11 0 Other shares are excluded from sale.	Jhumak Lal and others.	544 14 3	.....	5 7 5
5203	Dihra, pargana Samram.	1,380 14 1	The whole	.....	Shaikh Karamat Husain and others.	.....	1 5 1	.....

Arrah, the 20th November 1906. ANIS UZ-ZAMAN KHAN, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary rights of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Hooghly will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 21st December 1906, corresponding with 6th Pous 1313 (B S.).

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale is to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate, pargana or thana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
		A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4588	Panchla, thana Jagatballavpur ..	10 1 27	63 3 0	
4609	Khantora, " " ..	0 1 8	4 8 0	
4752	Kullya and others, " " ...	0 2 22	9 12 0	
4795	Bamanpara, " " ...	2 3 12	28 6 0	
4796	Jagannathpur, " " ...	1 0 13	10 10 0	

Chinsurah, the 21st November 1906. CHANDRA S. KAR, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 21st December 1906, corresponding with 6th of Paus 1313 B.S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in each estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and the purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of the resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount of bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate, pargana or thana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue.	REMARKS.
		A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1938	Haribati, thana Pandua	0 3 14	7 4 0	
2009	Ditto ditto	0 0 9	0 8 0	
4071	Masuria, thana Balagar	0 0 19½	4 13 0	
4602	Dwarpara ditto	6 1 0	39 10 0	
4603	Srikristapur, thana Dhaniakhali	3 3 7	24 14 0	
4604	Serampur, ditto	0 3 21	5 8 0	
4625	Atty, thana Pandua	1 1 36	9 0 0	
4626	Toregram, ditto	1 1 10	20 12 0	
4627	Tunney ditto	1 1 1	8 1 0	
4640	Tolipara, ditto	0 1 7	5 6 0	
4647	Sankarpur, thana Dhaniakhali	0 2 1	3 13 0	
4648	Sirijpur, ditto	2 3 4½	20 15 0	
4658	Guptipara, thana Balagar	0 1 29	2 15 0	
4661	Koachmali, thana Pandua	0 0 26½	0 8 0	
4668	Dhopur Mullickpur, ditto	5 0 14½	25 14 0	
4677	Digra, thana Dhaniakhali	3 0 32¾	19 6 0	
4070	Kowgachi, thana Balagar	6 1 17	28 14 0	
2979	Pandua, thana Pandua	0 0 14	0 6 0	
4810	Srikristapur, thana Dhaniakhali	3 3 0	24 1 0	
4820	Inchura, thana Pandua	26 0 0	175 3 0	
4826	Srikristapur, thana Dhaniakhali	4 0 6	30 4 0	
4816	Dwarpara, thana Balagar	10 1 20	68 0 0	
3687	Telinipara, ditto	0 1 1	0 8 0	
4078	Gopalnagore, thana Pandua	3 0 32	7 6 0	
3760	Ditto, ditto	3 1 32	3 3 0	
4479	Dwarpara, thana Balagar	18 0 10	54 10 0	
3420	Pandua, thana Pandua	0 0 13	0 5 0	
3419	Ditto, ditto	0 1 29	0 8 0	
3169	Ditto, ditto	0 0 29	0 7 0	
3032	Ditto, ditto	0 1 2½	2 0 0	
2378	Rameswarpur, thana Pandua	0 3 0	1 1 0	
3548	Ditto, ditto	0 1 18	1 1 0	
1041	Kaneor, ditto	0 1 32½	1 3 0	
3417	Pandua, ditto	0 2 21	0 8 0	
3773	Pandua Ramkanaipur, thana Pandua	0 2 30	1 1 0	
3060	Pandua, thana Pandua	0 0 39	1 3 0	
4774	Srikristapur, thana Dhaniakhali	2 3 30	27 0 0	

Chinsura, the 21st November 1906.

CHANDRA S. KAR, for Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th day of January 1907 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share and that the share or shares are excluded from sale.

Consecutive No.	Touzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
			Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	3-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Laskarpore and others.	8,289 12 6½	.....	Excluding 10 annas' share, the remaining 6 annas' share.	Chandan Bala Debi, mother and guardian for minor Haridhan Roy Chowdhry.	3,106 6 11½	.....	466 12 0½
2	41	Pargana Muragacha, Moodia and others.	646 2 0	.....	Excluding 2a. 2g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 13a. 17g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Kristo Prosanno Mondal and others.	553 15 7	.....	126 13 2
3	53 R.S.	Pargana Magura, kismat Rameswarpore and others.	3,194 10 11	.....	Excluding 5a. 6g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 10 a. 18g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Radha Mohon Mondal and others.	1,751 9 9½	.....	371 7 6½
4	56 R.S.	Pargana Magura, mauza Sreerampore.	3,136 5 7½	.....	Excluding 1a. 15g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 14a. 4g. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share.	Sarat Coomari Dassi and others.	2,778 15 8½	.....	544 3 8½
5	63 R.S.	Pargana Magura, kismat Bansdrowni and others.	9,130 2 0	.....	Excluding 6a. 6g. 2k. 3kag 1kt., remaining 9a. 13g. 1k. 10kt. share.	Raj Kumar Sarkar and others.	5,513 9 10½	.....	642 2 7½
6	63-1	Ditto ...	9,130 2 0	.....	Excluding 10a. 8g. 2k., remaining 5a. 11g. 2k. share.	Ditto ...	3,616 8 1½	.....	419 8 1½
10	100 R.S.	Pargana Magura, kismat Sonabanga and others.	884 11 10	.....	Excluding 2a. 13g. 1k. 2kt., remaining 13a. 6g. 2k. 2kt share.	Rai Atul Chunder Chatterjee Bahadur, common manager, Bawali estate.	737 4 6	.....	145 13 0
11	115-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Mahanpore and others.	1,786 11 4	.....	Excluding 10a. 9g. 2k. 1½dt., remaining 5a. 10g. 1k. 7½dt. share.	Charn Chundor Datta Mozumdar and others.	6.0 1 10	.....	60 11 2
12	120	Pargana Baridhati, kismat Koodalia and others.	5,093 5 2½	Whole ...	.....	Shib Kristo and Mohit Lal Chatterjee.	.....	844 14 2½	.....
13	151-6	Pargana Paridhati, kismat Chouk Hatcoria and others.	39,809 7 4	...	Excluding 15a. 15g. 1k. 1kag, remaining 4g. 11kag share.	Apurba Kumari Dasi ...	555 3 0½	.....	83 12 6½
14	152 R.S.	Pargana Khaspore, Sreerampore and others.	703 8 8	.....	Excluding 1a. 15g. 2k. 3dt., remaining 14a. 4g. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share.	Rai Atul Chunder Chatterjee Bahadur, common manager, Bawali estate.	625 5 11	.....	125 2 3
15	315-1	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Raghunathpore and others.	10,229 15 6	.....	Excluding 15a. 1g. 1k. share, remaining 18g. 3k. share.	Nobo Kisore Mondal and others.	599 6 7½	.....	52 5 1½
16	315-2	Ditto ...	10,229 15 6	.....	Excluding 14a. 10g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share.	Ditto ...	653 9 3	.....	57 1 1½
17	315-3	Ditto ...	10,229 15 6	.....	Excluding 13a. 19g. 2k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 2a. 1k. 1dt. share.	Gopi Kissore Mondal and others.	1,287 9 11½	.....	113 6 11½
18	315-11	Ditto ...	10,229 15 6	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Apurba Kumari Dasi ...	719 4 9	.....	62 1 0
19	358	Pargana Balia, mauza Rajarampore.	1,194 3 5	Whole ...	.....	Upendra Kristo Mondal and others.	.....	157 5 0½	.....
20	385-1	Pargana Azimabad, Hudarashkhali and others.	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share, in all the mauzas except mauza Khakramuri.	Radha Binode Mondal and others.	1,305 13 7	.....	151 5 6
21	385-2	Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 19g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share in all the mauzas except mauza Khagramuri.	Gopi Kissore Mondal and others.	1,338 0 10	.....	137 5 7½
22	385-4	Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 15a. 4g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 15g. 1k. 1kt. share ditto.	Brojendra Nath Mondal ...	928 8 7½	.....	103 0 3
23	385-5	Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 18g. 1k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1g. 2k. 1dt. share.	Kristo Prosanno Mondal and others.	1,303 10 7½	.....	144 9 3½
24	385-6	Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 15a. 4g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 15g. 1k. 1kt. share ditto.	Ditto ...	928 8 7½	.....	103 0 2½
25	385-9	Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share in each of the 38 mauzas out of the 33 mauzas in the estate except mauza Khakramuri.	Apurba Kumari Dasi ...	1,303 8 7½	.....	151 4 7½
26	385-13	Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 15a. 10g. share, remaining 10g. in each of the 32 mauzas out of 33 mauzas in the estate.	Nobo Kisore and Gopi Kissore Mondal.	606	.....	67 3 10

No.	Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
			Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
27	385-14	Pargana Azimabad, Hudaraskhali and others.	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 15a. 5g., remaining 1-g. share in each of the 32 mauzas out of the 34 mauzas in the estate.	Chandi Charan Mondal and others.	908 6 1	.....	100 13 9
28	388-1	Pargana Balia, mauza Moliyapore and others.	8,326 9 0	.....	Excluding 14a 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	N bo Kisore Mondal and others.	585 8 2½	.....	77 2 10
29	388-2	Ditto ...	8,326 9 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 19g 2k. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share.	Ditto ...	532 1 0	.....	70 2 8
30	388-3	Ditto ...	8,326 9 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 1k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 1a 2g. 2k. 1dt. share.	Ditto ...	560 3 4½	.....	73 13
31	388-12	Ditto ...	8,326 9 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Apurba Kumari Dassi ...	585 8 2½	.....	77 2 1
32	389-1	Pargana Balia, mauza Santoshpore and others.	9,401 5 10	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g 2k. share.	Radha Binode Mondal and others.	663 5 10½	.....	88 6
33	389-2	Ditto ...	9,401 5 10	.....	Excluding 14a. 19g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1k. 2kt. 1dt.	Nobo Kisore Mondal and others.	665 0 10½	.....	80 5
34	389-4	Ditto ...	9,401 5 10	.....	Excluding 14a. 18g. 1k. 2kt. 2dt, remaining 1a. 1g. 2k. 1dt. share.	Ditto ..	634 11 3½	.....	84 10
35	389-12	Ditto ...	9,401 5 10	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Sita Nath Ghosh ...	663 5 11	.....	88 6 1
36	391-5	Pargana Murgacha, mauza Gomukhi and others.	5,538 8 6	.....	Excluding 13a. 19g. 2k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 2a. 1k. 1dt. share.	Brojendra Nath Mondal and others.	667 2 0	.....	71 13
37	391-6	Ditto ...	5,538 8 6	.....	Excluding 14a. 6g 2k. 2kt., remaining 1a. 13g 1k. 1kt. share.	S. M. Khiroda Moye Dassi, widow of Soshi Bhusan Biswas.	576 14 11	.....	59 7
38	394-6	Pargana Azimabad, taraf Kissorepore.	7,108 12 11	.....	Ditto	Khiroda Mohini Dasi ..	740 8 1	.....	134 14
39	398 R. S.	Pargana Magura, taraf Makhalia and others.	741 11 5	.....	Excluding 4a. 15g. 2k 2dt., remaining 11a. 1g 1k. 7dt share.	Gopi Kissore Mondal and others.	520 3 6½	.....	57 3
40	401 R. S.	Pargana Azimabad, Huda Krishtopore and others.	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a. 9g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 1a. 10g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Sarat Coomari Dassi and others.	847 9 10	.....	185 12
41	401-1	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Rai Atul Chunder Chatterjee Bahadur and others, common manager, Bawali estate.	628 11 3½	.....	75 7
42	401-2	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a. 9g 1k. 1kt., remaining 1a. 10g. 2k. 2kt. share.	Ditto ..	856 14 5½	.....	187 14
43	401-4	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a 14g. 2kt., remaining 1a. 5g 3k. 1kt., share.	Ditto ...	721 13 6½	.....	158 4
44	401-7	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Radha Binode Mondal and others.	628 11 3½	.....	137 13
45	401-11	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Ditto ...	Apurba Kumari Dassi ...	628 11 3½	.....	137 13
46	403 R. S.	Pargana Azimabad, taraf Patharberia and others.	5,143 3 3	.....	Excluding 9a. 14g. 2k. 2kt, remaining 6a. 5g. 1k. 1kt.	Kristo Prosonno Mondal and others.	2,014 6 6½	.....	371 13
47	403-2	Ditto ..	5,143 3 3	.....	Excluding 9a. 6g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 6a. 13g. 1k. 1kt.	Khiroda Mohini Dasi ...	2,142 15 11	.....	395 7
48	424	Pargana Hatinghar, Lakhipasha and others.	1,967 12 3	.....	Excluding 5a. 13g. 1k. 2kt 2dt. 10kag. remaining 10a. 6g. 2k. 6kag.	Anis Molla and others ...	1,269 14 2	.....	44 6
9	567 R. S.	Pargana Anarpore, Atghora and others.	2,064 1 7	.....	Eight annas' share of the entire estate except mauza Kona.	Siris Chandra Biswas ...	834 5 2½	.....	245 13
50	986	Pargana Paikhati, kismat Paikhati.	950 4 8	Whole	.....	Kali Prosanno Ghose and others.	.....	48 0 8	.....
51	2168 R. S.	Pargana Uffa, taraf Patia.	1,279 12 4	.....	Excluding 8a. 17g. 3k. 1dt., remaining 7a. 2g. 2kt. 2dt.	Gungamoni Dasi and others	568 12 6	.....	36 13

Alipore, the 26th November 1906.

BANGSIDHAR BANERJEE, *for* Collector

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Darbhanga will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 17th December 1906 at 11 A.M. for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realised in the same manner as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7, and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, a separate account is kept for such share, and the other share or shares in the estate are excluded from the sale.

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
6507 Rcs.	Ganeshbanaul, pargana Havi.	Rs. A. P. 618 4 9	.....	Residuary share in— As. Ganeshbanaul ... ... 16 Benipore ... ... 16 Gouspore ... ... 16 Mohamadpore ... ... 16 All other shares besides that stated above are excluded from sale.	Babus Ganga Pershad Sahoo, Muthura Dass, Hanuman Dass, Mussamat Jewachli Choudhurani and others.	Rs. A. P. 507 14 5	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 79 13 0
12597	Baghout, pargana Gopalpore.	589 8 3	Whole ...	.....	Mussamat Manjhari Kuer.	.....	178 11 0	.....

Laheria Sarai, the 21st November 1906. S. N. GHOSE, Deputy Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate on Friday, the 4th January 1907, corresponding to 1313 (B.S.).

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estates and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	
3271 ...	Bartoil, pargana Bhanderdah, thana Kushtia ...	64 66	161 11 0	
2204 ...	Billagram, pargana Rajowan, thana Nakasipara ...	·15	0 11 6	Will be sold revenue-free

Nadia Collectorate, the 27th November 1906. SUKUMAR HALDAR, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1907 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
535	Pargana Chetua, mahal Dubrajpore.	3,408 10 1	.....	S. A. No. I, 8 annas share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Sreemati Mangala Dasi and others, present purchaser Suresh Chandra Chatterjee.	1,704 4 11	.....	534 7 9 June and September 1906.
1007	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Poorba Etra.	43,145 1 7 Including police.	.....	Ditto ditto ...	R. Belchambers, Administrator (*pendenti lite*) to the estate of Gopallal Seal, deceased.	21,486 6 11 Land revenue. 86 8 3 Police. 21,572 15 2 Including police.	.....	40 7 11 Police.
1113	Pargana Kurulchore, mahal Padima.	740 8 4	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2 and 3— As. Mauza Atla ... ... 16 ,, Akartara ... ... 16 ,, Malpara ... ... 16 ,, Mohisagote ... ... 16 ,, Padima ... ... 16 ,, Khalsatya ... ... 4 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Chowdhri Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra and others.	606 12 11	.....	40 9 8
1126	Pargana Kutubpore, mahal Bankakool *alias* Bhimpore.	2,074 8 6	... ..	S. A. No. (4) IV— As. Mauza Baikantapore ... ... 8 ,, Fateganja ... ... 8 ,, Godadharchak known as chak G dadhar .. 8 ,, Jodupore ... ... 8 ,, Krishnapore Uttar known as Uttar Kishnapore ... ... 8 ,, Mrijapore ... ... 8 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Grish Chandra Jana, present purchaser Dharanidhar Das Bera.	534 2 0	.....	98 5 0 June and September 1906.
1476	Pargana Khandar, mahal Belki.	734 3 11	... ...	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2 and 3— A. G. Mauza Bonhala .. ... 12 5 ,, Matungooria ... 12 5 মটুঙ্গা গোড়্যা ,, Belkichak Gopinath 12 5 ,, Kheenkania ... 12 5 ,, Nandapura ... 8 10 ,, Rajibchak ... 12 5 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Godadhar Malkap and others.	528 8 7	.....	30 11 10 March to September 1906.
1731	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Ankhapurba.	1,001 7 2	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No 1, 8 annas share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Ganga Narain Maity, present purchaser Nil Kanta Jana.	500 11 7	.....	91 11 1 June and September 1906.
1731	Ditto ...	1,001 7 2	.....	S. A. No. I, 8 annas share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Sreematya Nirode Kumari Dasi, mother and guardian of Khitish Chandra Ghose, minor, and others.	500 11 7	.....	38 6 7
2347	Pargana Sabong, mahal Mohar.	1,445 9 0	Entire ...	.....	Sarat Chandra Jana and others.	.....	110 12 0	.....
				Part II.				
2884	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Mangalpore.	2,491 0 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No. II. 12a. 19g. share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Upendra Nandan Das Das Mahapatra and others.	2,016 2 6	.....	137 10 0 June and September 1906.
				Part III.				
2004	Pargana Taraf Bisnan, mahal Gorahar, &c., Bajeapti No. 147.	814 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Government (Settlement-holder Panchanon Midhya and others).	.....	62 3 0	.....

Midnapore Collectorate, the 1st December 1906.

D. WESTON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 4th January 1907 at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

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		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3551	Annapurna, pargana Pajnaur.	941 0 0	The whole.		Annapurna Devi		5 2 9	
2551	Saradaprosad, pargana Pajnaur.	706 0 0	Ditto.		Sarada Prasad Sur and others.		3 13 4	
3297	Ambaria, pargana Shabaujial.	2,241 1 0		12 annas' share covered by separate account No. 3297/0. All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rakhibannesa Bibi and others.	930 12 10		1 2 2

Nadia Collectorate, the 30th November 1906.

S. HALDAR, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1907 at midday for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
361	Janta Lalji Missir, pargana Barail.	893 11 6	Entire estate.	.....	Mossammat Rani Kuar and others.	.....	166 8 1	.....
2357	Bishoonpur Balbhaddar, Chakla Garjowl.	562 1 4	Do.	.....	Babu Langat Singh ...	.....	60 0 2	.....
3478	Uphrowl, pargana Hajeepur.	1,435 7 9	Do.	.....	Akal Singh and others ...	.....	351 6 2	.....
3817 Rs.	Chhapra Hassanpur, pargana Tariani.	1,105 1 5	.....	Residuary share, Chhapra, Rs. 3p. 8kr. 6m. 10d.; Hassanpur, 11a. 7p. 9kr. 6m. 10d.; Balandpur, 11a. 7p. 9kr. 6m. 10d.; Ditto, 13a. 3p. 9kr. 6m. 10d.; Supowl, 13a. 3p. 9kr. 6m. 10d. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sheikh Mahamad Akbar Ali *alias* Chhotey Nawab.	895 11 6	.....	8 14 11
21339	Dharampur Harka Manashi Kasim Hussain, pargana Morwahkalan.	1,154 9 10	Entire estate.	.....	Mossammat Bibi Noorjahan Begam, self and guardian of Kasim Hussain Khan and others.	.....	6 8 11	.....

E. V. LEOINGE, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Gaya will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1907 at noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1387	Saidpur Wagairah, pargana Bhelawar.	Rs. A. P. 1,466 12 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares consisting of— (1) Saidpur, 8-11-1-19-0-0. (2) Soorka, 8-14-17-4-11-5. (3) Narainpur, 8-14-17-4-11-5. (4) Kaloca chak, 8-14-17-4-11-5. (5) Keotar, 8-14-17-4-11-5. (6) Sarey Hisa khas, 12-14-0-14-1-5. (7) Imaiya, 9-8-3-17-17-18.	Babu Ishar Singh and others.	Rs. A. P. 848 13 0	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 2 4 0
3421	Cheya, pargana Narhat.	1,173 5 0	Whole ...	.....	Balkishun Dass and others.	.....	12 3 0	.....
4100	Deokli, pargana Pahra	24,761 13 0	.....	Mokarri right of village Kharanti Gopalpur, 16 annas.	Radheshri Koer and Ambika Dubey.	512 13 0	.....	3,256 3 2
4579	Jaipur Dumrawan, pargana Sherghatti.	4,898 8 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share consisting of— As. (1) Jaipur Dumrawan ... 8 (2) Akhauri khap .. ... 8 (3) Pindra ... ... 8 (4) Daudpur *alias* Pundaul ... ... 8 (5) Jari khap ... ... 8 (6) Deoghar khap ... 4 (7) Ibrahimpur ... ... 8 (8) Hardia ... ... 8 (9) Kalhoon ... ... 8 (10) Makhdumpur ... 8 (11) Basir khap ... ... 4 (12) Majhar 8	Parasnath Singh ...	1,035 8 0	.....	1,016 8 0
4758	Tarwan taluqa, pargana Sherghatti.	2,303 5 0	Whole ...	.....	Mussamat Bhawani Koer.	.....	8 0 3	.....

Gaya Collectorate, the 7th December 1906.

B. FOLEY, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1907 at 12 A.M. for arrears for September 1906 kist of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
96	Bara Kalikapur, pargana Sasilampur.	Rs. A. P. 1,074 11 10	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Tinkori Hati and others.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 44 1 6	Rs. A. P. .....

Burdwan Collectorate, the 1st December 1906.

H. F. SAMMAN, Collector.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 4th December 1906.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 73,65,446 12 8			
Ditto ditto at Branches ,, 72,96,556 3 5	1,46,62,003	0	1
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	13,36,83,947	3	1
Bank Post Bills, &c.	9,28,718	10	10
Sundries	29,10,506	15	11
Rupees ...	18,66,85,175	13	11

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	1,07,85,645	0	0
Other authorised investments ...	44,70,933	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	4,32,46,757	6	11
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	4,72,47,757	10	10
Bills discounted and purchased	3,55,07,238	6	1
Balances with other Banks	9,43,784	9	10
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	18,37,011	5	0
Stamps	14,464	6	10
Sundries	7,08,397	10	7
	14,47,31,969	8	1
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office Rs. 1,62,74,384 12 0*			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches ... ,, 2,56,78 871 9 10†	4,19,53,206	5	10
Rupees ...	18,66,85,175	13	11

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 5,03,520 0 0
† Do. do. do. ,, 3,30,232 8 0
Rs. 8,33,752 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, 6th December 1906.

C. M. BASTIN, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans, 9 per cent.
Percentage 27·56

W. D. CRUICKSHANK, Secretary and Treasurer.

(1284—1)

WANTED for the Survey and Settlement works of Mourbhanj Proper.

(1) Eight Kanungos for six months on a consolidated salary of Rs. 75 each per mensem. Candidates must possess some knowledge in English and Uria and also a thorough and practical experience in cadastral survey and khanapuri works.

(2) Twenty-four cadastral and khanapuri Inspectors for four months on a salary of Rs. 30 each per mensem. Knowledge in Uria is indispensably necessary. Preference will be given to those who have a practical experience of the works.

Applications with copies of testimonials and with a statement of age will be received by the undersigned up to 15th January 1907.

S. K. CHATTERJI,
Settlement Officer,
Mourbhanj P. O.

The 9th December 1906.

(1323—4)

WANTED an experienced and qualified Accountant for Hooghly District Board's Office. Pay Rs. 80 a month *plus* Rs. 15 as allowance for Public Works accounts. Preference will be given to graduates of the Calcutta University having experience of Public Works accounts as well as District Board's accounts. Applications with testimonials will be received up to the 21st December 1906. The selected candidate will have to furnish security for Rs. 500.

K. K. BISWAS,
for Chairman, District Board.

Hooghly District Board's Office, Chinsurah, the 26th November 1906. (1286—2)

WANTED immediately for the partition work in the district of 24-Parganas 30 Surveyors on Rs. 30 and 3 Survey Inspectors on Rs. 40 each. The appointments will last for about six months. None need apply who has not experience of the work and knowledge of plane table survey.

Applications with testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 20th December next.

RAI CHARAN GHOSE,
Partition Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 27th November 1906.

WANTED 20 passed Sub-Overseers for famine-relief works. Salary Rs. 30 to Rs 45 consolidated according to qualification.

Applications to be addressed to the District Engineer, Laharia Sarai, up to 15th December 1906.

(1271—2)

Wanted.

A HEAD CLERK on Rs. 90 rising to Rs. 100, by a yearly increment of Rs. 2, for the office of the Settlement Officer of Bihar, at present at Bhagalpur. Long experience of correspondence work in Government offices essential. One with Settlement experience preferred. The candidate selected will be expected to stick to the post for at least three years. Applications with copies of testimonials stating age and qualifications should be addressed to—"The Settlement Officer, Bhagalpur" so as to reach not later than the 16th of December 1906.

P. W. MURPHY, I.C.S.,
Settlement Officer.

Bhagalpur, the 22nd November 1906.

Wanted—

(1) An experienced Accountant and Head Clerk on Rs. 60—3—75 for the District Engineer's office.

(2) An experienced Overseer on Rs. 70—3—85; travelling allowance under Civil Service Regulations.

The candidates must be qualified under Rules 9 and 7 (1) of the Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1901, and state their age.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 22nd December 1906.

The selected candidates must have to join at once and to furnish security deposit of Rs. 1,100 and Rs. 500 respectively

S. C. CHATTERJEE,
District Engineer, Nadia.

Krishnagar, the 5th December 1906. (1282—2)

Wanted

AN Accountant and Head Clerk for District Engineer's office, Purnea. Pay Rs. 60 to Rs. 80 by annual increments of Rs. 5. Must be qualified under the rules. Applications will be received up to the 20th instant by the District Engineer, Purnea.

(1285—2)

Wanted

A CLERK for this office on Rs. 55 rising to Rs. 85 by five annual increments.

Preference will be given to those who are able to draft letters well, to put up notes and *précis* on cases and are well acquainted with the Public Works Department Codes and other Rules.

The selected candidate will be on probation for six months.

Apply with copies of testimonials, (which will not be returned) stating age. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 15th January 1907.

A. S. THOMSON,
Superintending Engineer, Orissa Circle.

Cuttack, the 8th December 1906.

Wanted for the Boinchee B. L. Mukherji's Trust Estate

A SUB-MANAGER on a monthly salary of Rs. 75 *plus* Rs. 25 on account of fixed allowance.

The selected candidate will be required to furnish a cash security of Rs. 1,000 for due performance of his duties, and shall have to execute an agreement for an equal amount for liquidated damages. Applications of those who combine a knowledge of law with experience of Zamindary work will be preferred.

		Rs.	
A Head Clerk for Manager's office at Boinchee on	...	30	per month.
An accountant for	ditto ...	25	
A record-keeper for	ditto ...	20	
A muharrir for	ditto ...	15	
A Head Clerk for Sub-Manager's office at Nampo on	...	30	
An accountant for	ditto ...	20	
One record-keeper for	ditto ...	15	
Two muharrirs for	ditto ...	15	each

Applications stating age and qualifications, together with copies of testimonials, should reach the undersigned not later than the 12th December next. They should also contain a statement whether the applicant has previously been employed in any post under the Government or any Local authority, and if so, a copy of the candidate's character-book and other record of service should be submitted.

CHANDRA S. KAR,
for Collector of Hooghly.

Dated Chinsura, the 26th November 1906.

(1261—2)

Khulna District Board.

WANTED immediately an Overseer. Pay Rs. 80—4—100. Travelling allowance Rs. 37-8. Applications up to 25th December to undersigned. None need apply but passed or plucked B. Es.

H. D. CHATTERJEE, District Engineer.

Camp Satkhira, the 10th December 1906. (1325—2)

Notice.

WANTED respectable contractors—

(1) to construct masonry iron bridges, Gohile-Durgapur Road. The sanctioned estimate is for Rs. 24,465 for 11 bridges.

(2) Durgapur-Talora feeder road, earthwork and masonry culvert works.

Sanctioned estimate—

	Rs.
For earthwork	2,926
„ culverts	1,633

The contractors will tender their own rates and the estimate can be consulted in this office.

Tenders will be received on the afternoon of the 20th instant.

(ILLEGIBLE), District Engineer, Bogra.

Bogra, the 5th December 1906. (1288—2)

Notice.

WANTED an experienced Surveyor on a salary of Rs. 30 per mensem for two months to survey the roads, lands on road sides, sites of buildings, tanks, &c., in possession of the Kotechandpur Municipality and the public buildings and to prepare a correct map of the Municipality.

None need apply who has got no experience in survey work. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 31st instant.

A. K. CHATARJI,
Chairman of the Kotechandpur Municipality and Subdivisional Officer, Jhenidah.

Jhenidah, the 6th December 1906. (1292—3)

Notice.

WANTED an experienced Estimator for the office of the District Engineer, Saran, for two years with prospect of being made permanent, on a salary of Rs. 45 rising to Rs. 65, by biennial increment of Rs. 2.

Preference will be given to a passed Upper Subordinate with experience in estimating, taking out quantities from plans, calculating waterways of bridges and strains and stresses of beams etc.

Applications with copies of testimonials and particulars as to age, etc., must reach the undersigned on or before the 21st. December 1906.

E. J. BULL, C.E., M.E., ASSOC. M.I. M.E., ETC.,
District Engineer, Saran.

Dated Chapra, the 7th December 1906. (1297—2)

SEALED TENDERS in Form No. 2 available in the District Engineer's Office are invited for the re-excavation of the Muchikhali khal joining the rivers Kumar and Madhumati, in the subdivision of Magurah, district Jessore. The cost of the work has been estimated at Rs. 1,48,192, and the necessary information can be had in the office of the District Engineer and on application only.

Tenders accompanied by challan crediting earnest-money (Rs. 3,000) into the Jessore District Fund will be received by the undersigned up to 3 P.M. of the 15th December 1906.

B. C. SEN,
Chairman, District Board, Jessore.

The 30th November 1906. (1269—2)

Road-cess Notice.

THE District Board of Jessore at a special meeting held on 4th September 1906 resolved that road-cess be levied in the district at the maximum rate of six pies on the rupee during the year 1907-1908 as heretofore.

RADHIKA CH. DUTT,
for Chairman, District Board, Jessore.

Dated the 4th December 1906. (1279—3)

Road Cess Notice.

THE District Board of Saran, at a meeting held on the 1st December 1906, resolved that the road cess be levied in this district at the maximum rate of one-half anna in each rupee of annual value of lands during the year 1907-08.

JAGDAM SAHAI,
for Chairman, District Board, Saran.

Chapra, the 6th December 1906. (1298—3)

SURESH CHANDRA MUKERJEE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (1290—4—1121)

SARAT KUMAR CHAKRAVARTI, M.A., B.L., intends to apply to be admitted to practise as a Vakil in the Calcutta High Court. (1248—4—1088)

Road Cess Notification.

DISTRICT HOOGHLY.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under section 46 of the Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the District Board of Hooghly, at their special meeting held on the 28th November 1906, have resolved to fix six pies in the rupee as the rate at which road cess shall be levied in the Hooghly district during the year 1907-08, on the annual value of lands and on the net profits from mines, quarries, tramways, railways and other immoveable properties as prescribed in the law.

K. K. BISWAS, *for* Chairman.

Hooghly District Board's Office, Chinsurah, the 5th December 1906 (1287—1)

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Bruce Institution.

ANNUAL ELECTION, 1907.

THE Governors of the Bruce Institution will proceed on Friday, the 18th January 1907, to the election of not less than 24 Eurasian girls on the Bruce Foundation, if so many are eligible. Candidates must not, on the day of the election, be under five or over ten years of age Perference will be given to orphans and to destitute children.

A statement of the case should be drawn up by the Minister countersigning the application form and sent by him to the Secretary of the Bruce Institution along with the application. No application will be considered which is uncompanied by such a statement.

Forms of application may be obtained from Mr F. D'Silva, Assistant in charge, Office of the Bruce Institution, Room No. 29, top floor, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta; and applications on this form *only* must reach the office of the Secretary not later than Thursday, the 10th January 1907.

A. EARLE,

Honorary Secretary to the Governors.

Calcutta, the 7th December 1906. (1291—4)

Notice to Creditors.

In the goods of John Reid Gavin, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration with copy Trust Disposition and Settlement annexed to the property and credits of the deceased abovenamed having, on the seventh day of December instant, been granted to Charles Henry Kesteven, all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of January 1907, after which date the assets of the estate of the said deceased will be distributed by the said Charles Henry Kesteven, the Administrator, amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said Charles Henry Kesteven will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution; such notice to be sent to the undersigned.

Dated this 8th day of December 1906.

S. S. HODSON,

Royal Insurance Buildings, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta,

Attorney for Charles Henry Kesteven, Administrator to the estate of the deceased.

(1293—3—1127)

Notice to Creditors.

In the goods of William Forbes Gibbon, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration with Copy Will annexed to the property and credits of the deceased above named having on the 7th day of December instant been granted to Charles Henry Kesteven, all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of January 1907, after which date the assets of the estate of the said deceased will be distributed by the said Charles Henry Kesteven, the Administrator, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said Charles Henry Kesteven will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution; such notice to be sent to the undersigned.

Dated this 8th day of December 1906.

S. S. HODSON, Royal Insurance Buildings,

Dalhousie Square, Calcutta,

Attorney for C. H. Kesteven, Administrator to the estate of the deceased. (1294—3—1126)

Notice to Creditors.

In the goods of Charles Sanderson, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration with copy Will annexed to the property and credits of the deceased abovenamed having, on the 10th day of December instant, been granted to Charles Henry Kesteven, all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of January 1907, after which date the assets of the estate of the said deceased will be distributed by the said Charles Henry Kesteven, the Administrator, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said Charles Henry Kesteven will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution; such notice to be sent to the undersigned.

Dated this 10th day of December 1906.

S. S. HODSON,

Royal Insurance Buildings, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta,

Attorney for Charles Henry Kesteven, Administrator to the estate of the deceased. (1322—3—1125)

Estate Mrs. Catherine Bridget Norman of 72 Wellesley Road, Croydon deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased abovenamed are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co., 4 and 5 Koila Ghat Street, Calcutta, on or before the 25th day of January 1907, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 7th day of December 1906.

W. H. TAYLOR,

Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased.

4 and 5 Koila Ghat Street, Calcutta. (1299—3—1128)

Estate Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Crosthwaite, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased abovenamed are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co. 4 and 5 Koilaghat Street, Calcutta, on or before the 25th day of January 1907, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 7th day of December 1906.

W. H. TAYLOR,
Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased.

4 and 5 Koilaghat Street, Calcutta.

(1300—3—1129)

In the matter of the Dum Duma Jhar Tea Co., Ld. (in liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the abovenamed Company, which is being voluntarily wound up, namely, those, if any, who have not been paid off, are required on or before the 21st December 1906 to send in full particulars of their debts or claims, and, if so required, to prove the same at such time and place as the undersigned may notify, or in default they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

S. P. PAUL,
S. K. BOSE,
Liquidators,
Dum Duma Jhar Tea Co., Ld.

Office, C/o Messrs. Jetmull and Bhojraj, Bankers, Judge Bazar, Darjeeling.

The 3rd December 1906. (1281—2—1122)

Statutory Notice.

In the Goods of James Wyburd Furrell, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trustees' and Mortgagees' Powers Act, 1866 (being Act XXVIII of 1866), and to section 320 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865 (being Act X of 1865), both of the Governor-General of India in Council, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of James Wyburd Furrell, deceased, formerly of Yercaud in the Presidency of Madras, and who died at Hove in the County of Sussex, in England, on or about the 5th day of October 1906, and Letters of Administration of whose property and credits were duly granted to me, William James Simmons of Calcutta, Solicitor, the Constituted Attorney of Jane Phipps Furrell (the Sole Executrix appointed by the Will of the said deceased), by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Testamentary and Intestate Jurisdiction on the 20th day of June last, and which are dated the 20th day of June last, are hereby required to submit in writing the full particulars of their claims, or demands, to me (with their names, addresses and descriptions and the nature of the securities, if any) held by them at my office, No. 6, Hastings Street in the City of Calcutta, on or before the 20th day of December 1906 And notice is hereby also given that at the expiration of the last-mentioned day, I shall be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said James Wyburd Furrell, deceased, or any part thereof, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which I shall then have had notice, and that I shall not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof so distributed, to any person of whose claim I have not had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this 15th day of November 1906.

W. J. SIMMONS, Administrator, Estate J. W. FURRELL, deceased. (1270—2—1108)

Notice.

IT is hereby notified that the Chaibassa Annual Fair will be held from the 15th December 1906 to the 14th January 1907. Traders and shop-keepers are invited to bring their shops to the *mêla* ground.

E. CYRIL PRABAL,
for Deputy Commissioner of Singhbhum.

Dy. Commr.'s Office, Chaibassa, the 27th November 1906.

Notice.

IT is hereby notified that claims for refund under the Sea Customs Act for goods shortlanded from an importing vessel should be submitted to the Collector of Customs within three months from the date of payment of duty, in default of which a refund is not permissible in view of the provisions of section 40 of the Sea Customs Act.

L. F. MORSHEAD, Collector of Customs.

Custom House, Calcutta, the 5th December 1906. (1289—2)

Notice

IS hereby given for the information of the public that the Faridpur Agricultural Industrial and Horticultural Exhibition and *mela* will be held as usual at this station from the 7th January to the 7th February next, and the bazar will be removed to the *mela* grounds from the 1st January 1907. Dealers, merchants, and traders, etc., of all quarters are invited to buy and sell at the *mela* during that time.

A. MABB, Magistrate-President.

Faridpur, the 7th December 1906. (1324—3)

In the Court of the Munsif of Bongaon 1st Court.

EXECUTION CASE No. 849 OF 1906.

Hira Lal Banerjee, decree-holder, *versus* Mahim Chandra Roy Chowdhury and others, judgment-debtors.

THE undermentioned property of the judgment-debtors will be sold by auction sale on the 17th December 1906 in the Munsif's Court, Bongaon, at 12 o'clock noon for the realisation of the decretal amount, Rs. 386-4-6 :—

Description of the property to be sold.

The darpatni jama of the judgment-debtors under tauzi No. 2257 of the 24-Parganas Collectorate, comprising village mauza Kharidanga, in police-station Sarsa, subdivision Bongaon, district Jessore, and villages Taraf Polta, Nejpol'a, Polta, Pata and Nischindipur etc., within police station Baduria, district 24-Parganas.

AMULYA CHANDRA GHOSH Munsif.

Bongaon, the 8th December 1906. (1296—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of SHAIK ROHIM BUX, an insolvent.

On the 1st day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day in January next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Paul, Attorney. (1301—2)

In the matter of CHRISTOPHER GOTTFREID D'SOUZA, an insolvent

On the 26th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day in January next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1302—2)

In the matter of ALBERT JOHN JUDGE, an insolvent.

On the 28th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day in January next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (1303—2)

In the matter of SAKHIR MOLLAH, an insolvent.

On the 26th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day in January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Paul, Attorney. (1304—2)

In the matter of MATY RAM SETT, carrying on business as shawl merchant and jeweller at No. 53-7 Park Street in the town of Calcutta under the name, style and firm of Maty Ram Sett and Son, an insolvent.

On the 30th day of November last, it was, on the petition of Kedar Nath Sett, residing at No. 160 Harrison Road, in the town of Calcutta, a merchant and trader, a creditor of the said insolvent, adjudged that the said Maty Ram Sett hath committed an act of insolvency under the provision of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI and by another order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. L. Mookerjee, Attorney. (1305—2)

In the matter of NUDDEA CHAND SUNNYASI and others, insolvents.

On the 2.th day of November last, by an order of this Court the said insolvents were adjudged entitled to their personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, as to all persons named in their schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively, and the Official Assignee of this Court and Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvents be at liberty to pay out of the assets belonging to the estate of the said insolvents the cost of the adjudicating creditor and of the insolvents to be taxed by the Taxing Officer of this Court.

M. N. Bannerjee, Attorney.
C. C. Bose, Attorney. (1306—1)

In the matter of GIRISH CHUNDER CHUCKERBUTTY, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday, the 17th day of December instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

K. N. De, Attorney. (1307—1)

In the matter of KESSO PROSAD and CHOGEMULL' insolvents.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Monday the 17th day of December instant, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvents desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (1308—1)

In the matter of ALBERT JOHN JUDGE, residing at Sahebgunge, in the district of of Raniganj, and serving as a guard in the E. I. Railway at Sahebgunge, a European, British-born subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 28th day of November last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (1309—1)

In the matter of SAKIR MOLLAH, residing at No. 17 Marquis Street, in the town of Calcutta, by occupation a mistry in the employ of Ijjut Mollah of New China Bazar, Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 26th day of November last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

P. N. Paul, Attorney. (1310—1)

In the matter of CHRISTOPHER GOTTFRIED DESOUZA, of No. 1 Gungadhur Babu's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, formerly employed as examiner in the Government of India Press, and at present out of employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 26th day of November last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1311—1)

In the matter of SHAIK ROHIM BUX, residing at No. 1 Market Street, in the town of Calcutta, a servant in the employ of Hossain Bux of the same place, Muttonseller, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 1st day of December instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

P. N. Paul, Attorney. (1312—1)

In the matter of GOPAL CHANDRA SETT, residing at No. 47 Nimtolla Ghat Street, in the town of Calcutta, employed as a Sirkar in the employ of Messrs. N. Dutt & Co., an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 5th day of December instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1313—1)

In the matter of KESSO PROSAD and CHOGUMULL, both residing at No. 48 Shibco Thakoor's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and lately carrying on business at No. 24 Puggeaputty in Calcutta, aforesaid, as dealers in woollen goods under the name, style and firm of Kanio Lall Chogumull. The insolvent Kesso Prosad also lately serving as a Broker in the office of Messrs. Walker Gowards & Company, on a monthly salary of Rs. 70. Both are at present without any occupation, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic, Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 30th day of November last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (1314—1)

In the matter of RAM CHAND SEAL, residing at No. 31 College Street, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business of piece-goods under the name of Ram Chand Seal at No. 207-1 Harrison Road, in Calcutta aforesaid, Trader, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 30th day of November last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. C. Hazra, Attorney. (1315—1)

In the matter of ABDUL KARIM OMER, residing at 37 Dhurrumtolla Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and carrying on business in Calcutta aforesaid and having his office and place of business at 16 Ezra Street, in Calcutta aforesaid, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 28th day of November last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Manuel and Augerwallah, Attorneys. (1316—1)

In the matter of CHOUTMULL, lately carrying on business in piece-goods in copartnership with Gopi Kissen under the name, style and firm of Choutmull Gopi Kissen at No. 53-Cross Street, in the town of Calcutta, and residing at No. 1 Bysack Street in Calcutta aforesaid, and now without employment, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 27th day of November last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

S. C. Bysack, Attorney. (1317—1)

In the matter of SARAT CHUNDER MITTER, residing at No. 19-1 Manick Bose's Ghat Street, in the town of Calcutta, lately a clerk and also a boat contractor in the office of Messrs. Shaw Wallace & Co., at No 20 Strand Road, in Calcutta, now a clerk in the office of Messrs. Allen Brothers & Co., at No. 1 New China Bazar Street in Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 30th day of November last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1318—1)

In the matter of CHOTOOLAL DOOGAR and INDER CHAND DOOGAR, both residing at No. 8 Panchaguly in Calcutta, and lately carried on business in piece-goods in copartnership at No. 51 Cross Street in Calcutta, under the name and style of Inder Chand Doogar and forming members of joint Hindu family governed by Mitakshara school of Hindu law, the said Chotoolal Doogar now serving as a gomastha in the employ of Messrs. Hariram Bhagiratha, of No. 201 Harrison Road, in Calcutta, the said Inder Chand Doogar now serving as a gomastha in the employ of Messrs. Udoy Chand Karpur Chand of No. 92 Sootaputty, in Calcutta, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 28th day of November last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1319—1)

In the matter of EDEN JAMES BLANCHETTE, at present of No. 200 Loco. quarters, Assansol, a driver in the employ of the East Indian Railway Company, and a European British subject, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 14th day of November last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

C. G. Lewis, Attorney. (1320—1)

In the matter of (1) NARAIN DASS, (2) PURUSUTHUM DASS, (3) GOLAB CHAND and (4) MUNSOOK DASS, all of No 13 Jackson Lane in the town of Calcutta, and members of a joint family governed by Mitakshara law, formerly carried on business in copartnership with each other and with one Radha Kissen as dealers in piece-goods under the name and style of Radha Kissen Golab Chand, the said Narain Dass is employed and the said Purusuthum Dass and Munsook Dass serving as gomostha in the employ of Jagannath Gajanan and Ramdeo Baijnath respectively and both of them are now prisoners in the Civil Side of the Presidency Jail, Calcutta, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 27th day of November last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvents in person. (1321—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of the 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 15 OF 1906.

Jahar Lal Das Sadhukhan,—*Applicant.*

NOTICE is hereby given that Jahar Lal Das Sadhukhan of Chetla, thana Alipore, district 24 Parganas, was declared an insolvent on 5th November 1906 The 17th December 1906 is fixed for creditors to prove their debts.

R. R. POPE, District Judge.

District Judge's Court, 24-Parganas, dated Alipore, the 14th November 1906. (1184—1—1091)

In the 1st Court of the Munsif at Baraset.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1906.

Meajan Mandal, petitioner.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Meajan Mandal, of Benapole, thana Baraset, district 24-Parganas, was declared an insolvent on 3rd November 1906.

B. B. MITRA, Munsif.

Baraset, the 30th November 1906. (1283—1—1123)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling.

In the matter of Bhakatbir Rai, an insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the application of the above insolvent will be heard by the Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling on 15th December 1906 at the Deputy Commissioner's Court at Darjeeling.

T. G. E. PIFFARD,
for Deputy Commissioner.

Darjeeling, the 30th November 1906.

(1295—1—1124)

CALCUTTA POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.		Route by which despatched.
	1906.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Egypt, Europe, America, West Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	Dec. 13	At 6-30	Per P. & O. steamer from Bombay.
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* Australasian Colonies ...	17	At 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.*
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Burma	18	,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	15	,, 7-30	Ditto ditto.
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway.	14	,, 7-30	
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	17	,, 7-30	
Port Blair	15	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Maharaja.*
Mauritius, Réunion, Mayotte and Nossi-Bé.	15	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Wardha* from Colombo.
Mauritius, Réunion, Mayotte and Nossi-Be (Supplemental).	16	,, 7-30	

* Although the date entered in column 2 is, as far as can be calculated, the latest safe date of posting for the next Mail steamer, full allowance being made for the steamer being in advance of her published timing, Mails for the places mentioned in column 1 are despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that they may proceed by any steamer from Colombo that has been unusually accelerated or retarded, or by any special opportunity that may be afforded by a steamer not belonging to one of the regular lines.

† On other days correspondence for China and Japan is despatched daily to Tuticorin, so that it may proceed by the first steamer from Colombo.

1. The letter-box for Inland articles will be cleared for the forenoon Mails at the following hours:—

For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 6 A.M.
For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.
For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.
For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 4-15 P.M.
For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 1-15 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 1-35 P.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—

For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.
For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-55 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 4-15 P.M.
For the Bombay Mail *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For Midnapore, Orissa, Madras Presidency and Ceylon, at 7-30 P.M. } and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, Darjeeling, and places on the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway, at 7-30 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—

For the Bombay Mail *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
For the Punjab Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Eastern Bengal Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
For the Khulna Mail, from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M.
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CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 10th December 1906.*

JOHN OWENS,
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Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 7th December 1906.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water soundings. Ft.	in.	REMARKS.
Bhagirathi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	7	3	
	Thence to Geriah ...	4	0	Momintola.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...	3	0	Alampore.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore	2	0	Berhampore.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa...	2	0	Bhootghat.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...	3	0	Raghunathpur.
Bhairab-Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...	6	0	
	Thence to Akriganj ...	4	0	Moricha.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi	-	-	Pirojpur.
	Thence to Patkabari			Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia			Moheshganj.
Matha-bhanga.	Entrance from Ganges ...			
	Thence to Dewanganj ...			Dewanganj.
	From Dewanganj to Shikarpur			Megna.
	Shikarpur to Boalia			Mohamadpur.
	Boalia to Chuadanga ...			Malipara.
	Chuadanga to Kissengan and Hanskhali ...			Chapra.

Gauge Readings

	Locality.	Date.	Hour.	Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level.	REMARKS.
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
Ganges	Sahebganj ...	8-12-1906	8	2·42	70·42	Steady.
	Rampur Boalia...	.....	...	...	...	...
	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah...	9-12-1906	A.M. 7	7·45	52·45	Falling
	Entrance of Bhairab Jalangi, Akriganj ..	9-12-1906	A.M. 7	3·34	41·30	Do.
	Entrance of Mathabhanga ...	.....	...	...	...	...
Bhagirathi.	Jangipur ...	9-12-1906	A.M. 8	22·75	43·55	Falling.
	Berhampore ...	10-12-1906	A.M. 7	5	38·75	Do.
	Katwa .	5-12-1906	P.M. 5	7·25	23·41	Do.
Jalangi	Krishnagar ...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sarupganj ...	9-12-1906	Noon 12	5·20	5·20	Falling.
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali ...	8-12-1906	P.M. 4	6·50	17·35	Do.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

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CALCUTTA, *the 5th December 1906.*

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Kurnafuli river—Depth of water in the channels.

No. 468 (first publication).—The Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the channels by soundings taken on the 29th and 30th November 1906—

	Ft.	In.
Track No. 1—Outer bar—		
Disc on diamond	14	0
Track No. 2—Inner bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	6
Batten beacon on pillar	11	6
Track No. 3—		
Triangle on cross and ball	16	6
Track No. 4—Guptakhally crossing—		
Tripod on cross and ball and diamond	20	0

INDIA, WEST—SIND COAST.

Karachi harbour—Removal of Deep Water Point mooring buoy.

No. 469 (first publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 125, dated 28th November), that the Deep Water Point Mooring Buoy, Karachi Harbour, has been removed and will not be replaced until further notice.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Karachi Harbour, No. 40; also West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 304, and Supplement 1903, page 19.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Borneo, south-east coast.

Pulo Laut strait—Light-buoy established.

No. 470 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 226, dated 26th June 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1271 of 1906) that a light-buoy exhibiting a *white occulting* light, *every twenty seconds*, thus:—light, *ten seconds;* eclipse, *ten seconds*, has been established in a position situated about one mile S. 75° E. from Petang point, in the southern entrance to Pulo Laut strait.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 37′ S., long. 115° 57¾′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Makassar strait, No. 2637; plan of Pulo Laut strait on chart No. 2662; Also Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 277.

CHINA, NORTH—Manchuria, south coast.

Cambrian or Lakhutan cove.—Non-existence of shoal.

No. 471 (first publication).—With reference to notice to Mariners No. 498, dated 12th December 1905, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1272 of 1906) that the rock reported by the S.S. *Ishibashi Maru* off Cambrian cove, as situated in a position 12 cables S. 73° W. from the rock off the south-eastern extremity of South Entry point, in the approach to Talien hwan bay, has been repeatedly and carefully searched for at a distance of 2 cables in all directions around the assigned position without any indication being found of its existence, the general depths in the locality being 17 fathoms over mud, sand, and shells bottom. This rock has therefore been erased from the charts.

Approximate position, lat. 38° 51′ N., long. 121° 40¾′ E.

Note.—The Japanese name for the Talien islands to the westward of Cambrian cove is Dairen, and this has now been adopted on chart No. 1798.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Kwang tung peninsula, No. 1798: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 590.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Malay peninsula, west coast—Siam, Puket or Tongka harbour.

Goh Tapaunoi light—Temporary alterations.

No. 472 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1273 of 1906) that Goh Tapaunoi white flashing light, Tongka harbour, will be temporarily replaced by a *white fixed* light whilst undergoing repairs.

Approximate position, lat. 7° 59¾′ N., long. 98° 25½′ E.

Further Notice will be given as necessary.

This notice temporarily affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Puket or Tongka harbour, No. 843: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 383; Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 434; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 117.

PACIFIC OCEAN—Sulu sea—The Philippine islands.

Basilan strait—Shoal inserted on Charts.

No. 473 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1274 of 1906) that as a shoal with a depth of 3¼ fathoms over it appears on the United States Government chart of Basilan strait, situated on chart No. 961 in approximately lat. 6° 46′ 0″ N., long. 122° 4′ 20″ E., it has been inserted on the Admiralty charts in this position.

Note.—The authority for this danger is a Spanish chart corrected to 1895.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Sulu Archipelago, Nos. 2576, 928; Basilan strait, No. 961: Also, Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1890, page 99.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Pamanakan rock—Buoy replaced by light-buoy.

No. 474 (first publication).—With refsrence to Notice to Mariners No. 226, dated 26th June 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1275 of 1906) that the black-bell buoy surmounted by a ball marking Pamanukan rock, has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every twenty seconds*, thus:—light, *ten seconds;* eclipse, *ten seconds.*

Approximate position, lat. 6° 1′ S., long. 107° 52½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Java, No. 1653: Also Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 97.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA ISLAND, EAST COAST—SURABAYA STRAIT

Kleta reef.—Beacon erected.

No. 475 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1292 of 1906) that an iron screwpile beacon, painted in black and red horizontal bands, with a truncated cone as a topmark, has been erected in a depth of 2 feet on Kleta reef, in the eastern entrance to Surabaya strait, in a position situated at a distance of 6 $\frac{6}{10}$ miles S. 42° E. from Larangan mosque.

Approximate position on chart No. 934, lat. 7° 19½′ S., long 112° 52′ E.

Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Java, No. 1654, Surabaya strait on chart No. 934: Also, Eastern Archipelago, Part II 1904, page 127; and Supplement, 1906, page 11.

JAPAN SEA—PETER THE GREAT BAY—VLADIVOSTOK APPROACH.

Cape Camova light—Further particulars given, Askold island—Pilot station.

No. 476 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 402, dated 20th October, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1293 of 1906) that a *white group flashing* light showing groups of *two* flashes, each group being of about *two seconds'* duration, *every ten seconds*, elevated 210 feet above high water, and visible from a distance of 16 miles, has been established on cape Gamova, Vladivostok approach. The light, which is of the 2nd order, is shown from a lighthouse 48 feet high.

A siren worked by compressed air and a bell have been established on the southern end of the cape; during thick or foggy weather the siren will give one blast of four seconds' duration *every minute*, and the bell probably worked in accordance with the Russian uniform system.

Approximate position, lat. 42° 33½′ N., long. 131° 12¼′ E.

Also, that it is no longer now requisite to make cape Gamova when approaching Vladivostok, but it is equally safe to make Askold island, and, obtaining a pilot from thence, to approach Vladivostok by the eastern entrance to the Eastern Bosporus strait.

Approximate position, Askold light. lat. 42° 44′ N., long. 132° 22′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kuril islands, No. 2405; Tumen Ula to Strelok bay, No. 2432; Trinity bay to the Eastern Bosporus, No. 511: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 189, No. 1156; and Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 162, 191.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—GULF OF ST. VINCENT—BACKSTAIRS PASSAGE.

Yatala shoal—Buoy established.

No. 477 (first publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1298 of 1906) that, on or about the 24th of that month, a spherical buoy, painted in red and white horizontal bands, and surmounted by a half globe, base downwards, would be moored in a

depth of 5 fathoms on the north-western side of Yatala shoal, Backstairs passage. The exact position of this buoy is not given, but it has been placed on the chart at a distance of $4\frac{1}{10}$ miles N. 19° E. from cape St. Alban.

Approximate position, lat. 35° 44½′ S., long. 138° 9¾′ E.

(*Variation 5° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of St. Vincent, &c., No. 2389a; Backstairs passage, No. 25: Also Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897, page 308.

AUSTRALIA—New South Wales.

Port Jackson—Fog Signals altered.

No. 478 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 286, dated 29th July 1905, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1299 of 1906) that the fog bells at Bradley head, fort Denison, and Dawes point, in port Jackson, will in future be sounded continuously during thick or foggy weather, and not as described in the above-mentioned Notice.

Approximate position, fort Denison, lat. 33° 51½′ S., long. 151° 13½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Jackson, No. 1069; Wooloomooloo, &c., No 1890: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, Nos. 1364a, 1365, 1365a; Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897, pages 824, 829; vol. II, 1898, pages 59, 62, 63.

The 10th December 1906.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Bankot buoys relaid.

No. 459 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 269, dated the 3rd August last, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 121 of 1906) that the Bankot buoys have been relaid on the 5th November 1906.

ARABIA, NORTH-EAST—Persian Gulf.

Shoal outside Kowcit Harbour.

No. 460 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 361, dated 21st September 1906, issued by this office, the following further notice issued by the Bombay Government (No. 122 of 1906) is republished:—

On examination of the soundings to the southward of Ras al Arz two shoal patches are situated as follows—

'Kola' Patch with a least depth of 7 feet rocky bottom bearing from Ras al Arz Beacon S. 3° E., distant 3·6 miles, and from N. E. corner of Sirra Hill Fort N. 82 3/4° E, distant 3·5 miles.

Another Patch with a least depth of 2 fathoms hard sandy bottom bearing from Ras al Arz Beacon S. 0 3/4° W., distant 2·0 miles, and from N. E. corner of Sirra Hill Fort N. 57 3/4° E., distant 3·8 miles.

The bearings are true.

These shoals are close to the coast, and the neighbourhood should be avoided. No buoy was seen on the Kola Patch as reported.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Persian Gulf, Western Sheet, No. 2837B., Kowcit Harbour, No. 22; and Persian Gulf Pilot, 4th edition, pages 155 and 160.

CEYLON—Trincomali Harbour.

Back bay—Shoal.

No. 461 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1249 of 1906) of the existence of a rock with a depth of 3½ fathoms over it in Back bay, Trincomali approach, situated in a position from which Elizabeth point bears S. 55° W., distant 1¼ miles, and Flagstaff point S. 1° E. This danger, named Flat rock, about 30 feet in diameter, has a depth of 5 fathoms close around, outside which the water deepens suddenly to 10 fathoms.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 38¾′ N., long. 81° 14½′ E.

(*Variation Nil in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Ceylon, No. 2031; Trincomali, No. 815: Also Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 117.

CHINA SEA—NATUNA ISLANDS.

Midai (Low) island and Elphinstone rock—Dangers between.

No. 462 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1250 of 1906) that a line of dangers, more or less connected together, extends for a distance of about 11 miles to the northward of Low island, which is now known as Midai island. The eastern limit of these dangers is fairly well defined by a line joining the east point of Midai island to Elphinstone or Postillon rocks.

The 3-fathom shoal given in the above notice is detached from this line of dangers.

Approximate position, north point of Midai island, lat. 3° 1′ N., long. 107° 48′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—China sea, No. 2660a; Natuna islands, No. 1348: Also China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 92.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—LOMBOK STRAIT.

Ampenan light—Character altered.

No. 463 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 385, dated 12th October 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1255 of 1906) that the character of Ampenan light has been altered from a white fixed to a *white group occulting* light *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *three seconds*; eclipse, *three seconds*; light, *twelve seconds*; eclipse, *twelve seconds*; the new light being of the 4th order.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 34½′ S., long. 116° 4′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 941b; island of Java, No. 1654; Ampenan road on chart No. 895: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 512; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 201.

INDIAN OCEAN.

Seychelles—Mauritius—And Chagos Archipelago—Standard time adopted.

No. 464 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1264 of 1906) that on 1st January 1907, the standard time of the 60th meridian of East longitude, or 4 hrs. fast on Greenwich Mean time, will be adopted in the Seychelles and Mauritius, and that of 75th meridian of East longitude, or 5hrs. fast on Greenwich Mean Time, in the Chagos Archipelago.

The time-ball at port Louis, Mauritius, will in consequence be dropped at 1h 0m 0s P.M. Standard Time or 0h 50m 12·4s P.M. Local Mean Time, corresponding to 21h 0m 0s Greenwich Mean Time, instead of 1h 0m 0s Local Mean Time as at present.

Approximate position, port Louis signal station, lat 20° 10′ 5″ S., long. 57° 29′ 0″ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Port Louis, No. 713: Also List of Time Signals, 1904, No. 48; and Islands in the Southern Indian Ocean, 1904, pages 24, 309, 363, 343.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—SPENCER GULF.

Tipara light-house—A Gong to be sounded during the prevalence of Fog or Mist.

No. 465 (second publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 21 of 1906) that during the prevalence of Fog or Mist a Gong will be sounded at the above-mentioned light-house for a period of thirty seconds in duration and at intervals of five minutes.

The sound will be audible in ordinary weather for a distance of three miles.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 2389B.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—GULF OF ST. VINCENT.

Port Adelaide, outer harbour—Black buoy removed—No. 1G Beacon light temporarily exhibited.

No. 466 (second publication).—The President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 22 of 1906) informing Masters of Vessels, Pilots and others that, owing to the

progress of deepening operations at the North Bank, Port Adelaide River, the Black Buoy thereon has been removed and its position is now occupied by the dredger.

No. 1G Beacon Light will be temporarily exhibited from the Reflecting Beacon until it can be shown from the position it is to occupy permanently, as to which a further notice will be issued.

This affects Admiralty Charts 2389A and B, 1750, and 1752.

The 30th November 1906.

AUSTRALIA—Sandy strait.

Woody island—Alteration in marks.

No. 467 (second publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 6 of 1906) that, on and after the 7th proximo, the red buoy on the Long Middle Bank off Woody Island will be shifted two (2) cables' length to the northward, and the red sector of Woody Island lower light altered to cut outside the buoy on a bearing of S. 46° W. The course from the Nun buoy will now be E. § S. instead of E. ¾ S., as shown on Admiralty Chart.

Chart affected—No. 3110; Australia Directory, vol. 2.

The 3rd December 1906.

BAY OF BENGAL—Chittagong Coast.

South Patches—Light vessel to be temporarily removed from her station.

No. 448 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 295, dated the 17th August last, issued by this office, the Port Officer, Chittagong, has given further notice that the South Patches light-vessel will be removed from her station on the 3rd January 1907, and replaced on the 5th March 1907. A red barrel buoy with staff will mark the position during her absence.

Approximate position, lat. 21° 29′ N., long. 91° 36′ E.

The 22nd November 1906.

AUSTRALIA—Victoria—Hobson bay.

Gellibrand point light-house—Fog signal established.

No. 449 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 289, dated 10th August 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further Notice (No. 1210 of 1906) that a fog-horn and a fog rocket have been established at the pile light-house of Gellibrand point, Hobson bay. During thick or foggy weather the horn will be sounded and the rocket fired, alternately, *every five minutes.*

Approximate position, lat. 37° 52¾′ S., long. 144° 55′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Port Philip, No. 1171b; Hobson bay No. 624: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 1320; Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897 page 459; and Supplement, 1900, page 17.

The 23rd November 1906.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Spencer gulf.

Corny point light—Intended red sector.

No. 450 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1211 of 1906), that it is intended, on 1st January 1907, to alter Corny point light, Spencer gulf, to show *red* over Webb rock between the bearings of N. 50° E. and N. 25° E. in place of the present obscured arc. The red light will be visible in clear weather from a distance of 14 miles.

Approximate position, lat. 34° 54′ S., long 137° 1′ E.

(*Variation 4° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Gulf of St. Vincent, &c., No. 2389a; Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 1218; Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897, page 219 : and Supplement, 1900, page 14.

KOREA—EAST COAST.

Goshkevitch bay—Rock.

No. 451 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given Notice (No. 1222 of 1906) of the existence of a rock, with a depth of 2 fathoms over it, in Goshkevitch bay, situated in a position from which the southern extremity of Red island bears N. 64° E., distant 8½ cables, and West point N. 75° W.

Approximate position, lat 42° 18½′ N., long. 130° 32½′ E.

This rock, named Gyokugan, is steep-to, having depths of 14 to 15 fathoms around it.

(Variation 7° Westerly in 1906.)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Tumen Ula to Strelok bay, No. 2432; Goshkevitch bay on chart No. 1186: Also, Sailing Directions for Japan and Korea, 1904, page 155.

CHINA, NORTH—MANCHURIA—LIAU TUNG GULF.

Kwang tung peninsula, north coast—Mines removed.

No. 452 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 420, dated 20th October 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further Notice (No. 1223 of 1906) that sweeping operations for mines over an area to the northward of a line joining cape Collinson and Iron island in a north-east direction to Kiu Chau bay were completed on August 26th last.

The cautionary note respecting mines has therefore been removed from the undermentioned charts.

Approximate position, Iron island, lat. 38° 56¾′ N., long. 120° 59E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of Pechili and Liau tung, No. 1256; Kwang tung peninsula, No. 1798; Pechili strait, No. 1392: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, pages 634, 635.

PERSIAN GULF—MOUTHS OF THE EUPHRATES.

Shatt-al-Arab—Regulations regarding speed of vessels.

No. 453 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1226 of 1906) that, in consequence of the damage caused by vessels proceeding at a high rate of speed in the Shatt-al-Arab and the adjacent rivers and tributaries, the Turkish Government has notified, through the Vali of Basra, that the speed of all vessels after passing Fao must not exceed five knots. Legal proceedings for damages will be taken against Mariners who contravene this regulation.

Approximate position, Fao, lat. 29° 58½′ N., long. 48° 29½′ E.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Shatt-al-Arab, No. 1235; Also Persian Gulf Pilot, 1898, page 239; and Supplement, 1905, page 28.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—MALACCA STRAIT.

One Fathom Bank light—Alteration postponed.

No. 454 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 2, dated 8th January 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further Notice (No. 1227 of 1906) that the alteration in the light exhibited from the One Fathom Bank light-house, Malacca strait, from revolving to a *white group flashing* light, showing groups of four flashes *every fifteen seconds*, will not be completed before the close of 1907.

Approximate position, lat. 2° 53′ N, long. 101° 0′ E.

Further notice will be given when this alteration has been made.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Malacca strait, Nos. 1355 and 794; cape Rachado to Singapore, No. 795; Also List of Lights, Part VI, 1906, No. 423; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 182.

CHINA, NORTH—MANCHURIA, SOUTH COAST.

Ta lien hwan—Regulations relative to, cancelled.

No. 455 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 312, dated the 3rd September 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1228 of 1906) that the regulations respecting Ta lien hwan contained in the above-mentioned notice have been cancelled and are no longer in force. The pecked lines from San shan tau light-house, indicating the limits of the districts, have therefore been erased from the charts, and also the note that inside those pecked lines Japanese harbour regulations are to be followed.

Approximate position of San shan tau light, lat. 38° 51½′ N., long. 121° 50¼′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Kwantung peninsula, No. 1798; Also China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 586.

JAPAN, NAIKAI (INLAND) SEA—SIMONOSEKI STRAIT.

Moji ko—Wreck.

No. 456 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1244 of 1906) that the wreck of the S.S. *Naka Maru* lies sunk, with masts and funnel above water, in Moji ko, in a position from which Moji machi harbour office flagstaff bears S. 56° E., distant 3$\frac{1}{10}$ cables, and Kojo yama (Moji hill) N. 52° E.

Approximate position, lat. 33° 57′ N., long. 130° 57½′ E.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Simonoseki strait, No. 1578; Moji ko, No. 3114: Also Sailing Directions for Japan, 1904, page 502.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Krishna shoal light-vessel will shortly resume her station.

No. 457 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 408, dated 23rd October 1906, issued by this office, a further telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Rangoon, stating that the Krishna shoal light-vessel will resume her station on or about the 29th November 1906, exhibiting original light. The temporary light-vessel will be withdrawn.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

Kurnafuli river—Depth of water in the channels.

No. 458 (third publication).—The Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the channels by soundings taken on the 22nd November 1906.

	Ft.	in.
Track No. 1.—Outer bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	0
Marks open to the north	14	0
Track No. 2.—Inner bar—		
Batton beacon on pillar	12	0
Track No. 3.—		
Triangle on cross and ball	16	6
Track No. 4.—Guptakhally crossing—		
Tripod on diamond	18	0

The 26th November 1906.

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RESOLUTION ON THE REPORTS ON INLAND EMIGRATION FOR THE YEAR ENDING THE 30TH OF JUNE 1906.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT—EMIGRATION.

Calcutta, the 10th December 1906.

RESOLUTION—No. 8021.

READ—

The reports on Inland Emigration for the year ending the 30th of June 1906 submitted by the Superintendents of Emigration, Calcutta, the Sonthal Parganas, Hazaribagh, Ranchi, Palamau, Manbhum and Singhbhum and Sambalpur.

Read also—

The remarks of the Commissioners of the Bhagalpur, Chota Nagpur and Orissa Divisions on the reports submitted by the Superintendents of Emigration in their respective Divisions.

1. During the year the district of Sambalpur was transferred from the Central Provinces to the jurisdiction of this Government, while the port of embarkation for emigrants at Goalundo and the landing station at Chandpur passed to the control of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

2. The question of the supply of labour for the tea gardens of Assam having for some time past engaged attention and the special enquiries instituted having demonstrated that the situation in Assam compared unfavourably with that obtaining in other tea-producing tracts of India, both in respect of the relations between employer and employed, and as regards the system of obtaining labour, the Government of India, in a Resolution dated the 20th February 1906, decided that the Assam Labour and Emigration Act (VI of 1901) should be withdrawn from the Surma valley and the districts of Kamrup and Goalpara, but at the same time considered it undesirable that the withdrawal of the Act should take effect until the questions connected with emigration to the districts of the Upper Assam valley had been examined and reported on by a Committee. The Government of India appointed a Committee known as the Assam Labour Enquiry Committee for this purpose, indicating the points which required investigation. The Committee's report has been received and is now under the consideration of the Government.

3. It had been brought to the notice of the Government that the inland steam companies were losing money in carrying emigrants from Cachar and Sylhet by reason of the operation of Rule 165 of the rules framed by the Government of Bengal under Act VI of 1901, which required that every steamer authorised to convey emigrants to the labour districts should carry a medical officer. The question having been carefully examined by Government, in consultation with the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals and the Superintendent of Emigration, Calcutta, it was decided to amend the Rule. Provided that certain conditions are complied with, the most important being to the effect that the principal river-side dispensaries should be subsidised by the steamer companies for rendering assistance in case of need, the employment of a medical officer on board steamers proceeding to Cachar and Sylhet is no longer obligatory when the number of emigrants is less than 50.

4. In the Resolution recorded on last year's reports a reference was made to the practice of taking persons from notified districts to depôts situated in places outside those areas for despatch as free emigrants. It was stated that a rule had been framed prescribing that details descriptive of all persons recruited under section 92 should be entered in a register and laying down that no emigrant should be despatched from places of accommodation until an officer of Government had inspected the register. Complaints were received during the year under review that the observance of this rule caused great delays and much inconvenience. The question was referred to the Assam Labour Enquiry Committee, and will be considered in connection with the Committee's report.

5. The Inland Labour Transport Fund still continues to be in an unsatisfactory condition although the actual deficit was less than in previous years owing largely to the transfer of the emigration establishments at Goalundo and Chandpur to the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam. The Government of India in September, 1905, sanctioned the temporary abolition, and have recently consented to the permanent abolition, of the post of Travelling Superintendent of Emigration for Bengal and the Central Provinces.

6. During the past year 37,115 emigrants of all classes recruited from Bengal, Madras and the Central Provinces, embarked at Goalundo and Dhubri as against 22,322 in the previous year. Of this number, 4,765 or 12·84 per cent. were recruited by licensed contractors under Chapter III of the Act, 10,934 or 29·46 per cent. by garden sardars working under Chapter IV of the Act, 1,039 or 2·80 per cent. by specially employed sardars working under sections 90 and 91, and 20,377 or 54·90 per cent. under the system of free recruitment permissible under section 92 in all areas except Chota Nagpur and the Sonthal Parganas. There has been an increase in the number of all classes of emigrants, the increase being most marked in the number of emigrants recruited under the free system. In Bengal, excluding Chota Nagpur and the Sonthal Parganas, which are closed to free recruitment, the number of emigrants despatched under section 92 during the year is nearly double what it was in the year 1904-05, while the number recruited under Chapters III and IV is considerably less, the variation being apparently due to the fact that recruiters find it easier and more profitable to carry on business under the free system. In the

newly transferred district of Sambalpur also there has been a falling off in the number of emigrants registered under Chapters III and IV, the decline being attributed to the extraordinary growth of free recruitment in the adjoining Native States which offer better inducements as recruiting grounds. In Chota Nagpur and the Sonthal Parganas, however, inspite of the number who are believed to be taken outside those areas and recruited under the free system by a fraud upon the law, to which they themselves may or may not be parties, there has been an increase in the number of emigrants recruited under the provisions of Chapters III and IV and sections 90 and 91 of the Act. This result is attributed to bad crops and the exceptionally high price of food grains.

7. The reports under review indicate that abuses in connection with recruitment still continue. The number of criminal cases connected with emigration during the year was 181 as compared with 157 in 1905, but it is satisfactory to observe that the proportion of criminal cases to the number of emigrants actually decreased. The hope is, therefore, entertained that the proportion of emigrants who are induced to go to the labour districts by fraud, deceit or coercion is steadily diminishing.

8. The practice of taking persons from prohibited areas to the free depôts at Asansol, Raniganj, Midnapore and Kharagpur, is referred to in the following extracts from the reports received from local officers :—

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Commissioner of Chota Nagpur.

The amendments of the law effected in 1901 have greatly reduced the abuses that formerly prevailed, and complaints of abduction are far fewer than they were formerly. There are still, however, cases of this kind. The provisions of the law prohibiting recruitment by contractors in certain areas are constantly being evaded. These malpractices are rendered comparatively easy by the fact that there are free depôts at Asansol and Raniganj on the borders of this division, and that the business is so profitable that persons implicated can afford to disburse large sums in order to spoil cases. The Ranchi and Manbhum reports show that in those districts active steps were taken to check malpractices as much as possible, and that a number of offenders were caught and punished.

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Deputy Commissioner of Ranchi.

17. Recruitment of coolies by persons other than the garden sardars, whose certificates were duly countersigned for this district, and recruiters duly licensed on applications of the contractors, was also frequent during the year under report. I am of opinion that there was no increase in the actual amount of illegal recruitment—it was indeed probably slightly less—but every effort was this year put forth to check it, and special police officers were deputed to investigate as soon as information was received. There were 9 such cases brought to trial in which 16 such recruiters were involved, of whom 1 was sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 150, 1 to suffer rigorous imprisonment for 9 months, including solitary confinement for two months and to pay a fine of Rs. 100, 4 to 6 months' rigorous imprisonment each including one month's solitary confinement in each case, 3 to six months' rigorous imprisonment each, 4 to three months' rigorous imprisonment each, including one month's solitary confinement each; in respect of 2 of them, 1 was acquitted and 2 awaited their trial at the close of the year, 1 of whom has since been sentenced to three months' rigorous imprisonment with one month's solitary confinement. In all these cases the coolies were not registered in this district, although they were recruited in it, but smuggled and registered elsewhere, some at Chaibassa, some sold at Asansol and some at Calcutta and other places.

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Deputy Commissioner of Manbhum.

11. Thirty-three cases were instituted during the year under report of which 15 were under section 164 of the Emigration Act, 5 under 170, 4 under 184, 1 under 167 and 169, 5 under 168, 1 under 363 and 417 of the Indian Penal Code, and section 164 of Act VI of 1901, 1 under section 341 of the Indian Penal Code, and 1 under 341 of the Indian Penal Code and 168 of the Emigration Act. Of the cases instituted under section 164 of Act VI of 1901, 6 cases ended in the conviction of the accused persons. In the remaining 9 cases the accused were either acquitted or discharged for want of sufficient evidence, as the witnesses, and, in some cases the complainants themselves were gained over. The fact that once a cooly, however illegally recruited, is traced and restored to his relatives, no one has any very strong motive for securing a conviction, is a standing difficulty in the way of bringing even the most flagrant offenders to justice. As in previous years, frequent complaints were received regarding the enticing away of coolies to the free depôts at Asansol, Raniganj or Midnapore. Enquiries in such cases have nearly always proved abortive, and it is certain that such coolies are almost always registered under false names and descriptions. The number of prosecutions for fraudulent recruitment rose from 12 to 15 in this district.

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Deputy Commissioner of Hazaribagh.

17. No cases of unauthorized recruitment were discovered during the period from 1st July 1905 to 30th June 1906. One case, which was pending on the 30th June 1905, was disposed of during the period under report. Of the five accused three were acquitted and two sentenced each to undergo three months' simple imprisonment. Indications were not wanting that large numbers of inhabitants of this district were placed under contract under false names and addresses at places outside the notified area. This traffic is most pernicious and it shows that many unauthorized persons are constantly recruiting illegally within the notified area. There were during the year several cases of complaints of the disappearance of individuals. In all these the missing persons could not be traced. The system of pass-ports and verifications of emigrants' home addresses advocated by me in last year's report should be introduced without further delay.

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Deputy Commissioner of the Sonthal Parganas.

6. There were 36 prosecutions for fraudulent and illegal recruitment during the year against 24 of the preceding year and seven sardars were prosecuted against nil the year before for not returning to their gardens on the expiry of the term of their licenses. Sixteen out of the 36 cases of illicit recruiting were at Deoghar for smuggling recruits into Raniganj and there were similar prosecutions at Sadar for taking unregistered recruits to Rampur Hat or Raniganj. The rest of the cases were for unlicensed recruiting.

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By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

T. W. RICHARDSON,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 10th December 1906.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee. This week.	Previous week.	Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
1					
		Inches.			
1	Burdwan	Nil			Sowing of *rabi* crops completed. Sugarcane doing well. Winter paddy being harvested. Outturn estimated to be about 12 annas. Cholera and small-pox reported from Khetugram and thana Mongalkot. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Birbhum	Nil			Harvesting of paddy continuing. Standing crops doing well. Old common rice selling at 7½ seers a rupee. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Bankura	Nil		9¾	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy commenced. *Rabi* crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Midnapore ...	Nil			Weather seasonable. Outturn of sugarcane in Contai and Tamluk estimated at 75 per cent. Winter rice being harvested. Fodder and water sufficient.
5	Hooghly	Nil	8*	6½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *aman* paddy and sugarcane fair. Reaping of winter paddy continuing. Sowing of *rabi* crops almost finished. Old common rice selling at 6½ seers a rupee. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Howrah	Nil			Winter rice crop still being harvested. Standing crops doing well. Outturn expected to be normal. No cattle-disease. No deficiency in the supply of fodder and water.
	24-Parganas	Nil			Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops finished. Harvesting of *aman* in progress. State of standing crops good. Prospects of sugarcane and *aman* paddy good. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient. Number of persons on relief nil.
	Nadia	Nil			Prospects of standing crops good. Sowing of *rabi* crops finished. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Murshidabad	Nil	7½		Weather seasonable. Paddy crop being reaped. Condition of standing crops good. Sowing of *rabi* crops still continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	Jessore	Nil	7⅝	7½	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on. Harvesting of *aman* paddy continuing. Condition of crops fair. High prices and slight distress. No cattle disease. Fodder and waters ufficient. Cholera at Sadar and in the interior.

* New rice.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
11	KHULNA ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Condition of *til* fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA ...	Nil	7½ 12½*	7½ 12½*	Weather cold. Harvesting of paddy and pressing of sugarcane in progress. Standing crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
13	GAYA ...	Nil	9 6/16† 13 1/16*	9 6/16† 13 6/16*	Weather cool and clear. Harvesting of paddy and pressing of sugarcane continuing. *Rabi* crops doing well. Rain wanted for these crops in the Aurangabad subdivision. Prices stationary. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
14	SHAHABAD ...	Nil	10† 13*	10† 13*	Harvesting of paddy going on. Sugarcane-pressing continuing. Prospects of *rabi* crops good. Old common rice selling at 8½ seers a rupee. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN ...	Nil	9¼ 12½*	9 12*	Weather seasonable. Threshing of paddy and pressing of sugarcane going on. Standing crops doing well. Test-relief works and kitchens closed. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	9¼ 12*	9 12*	Weather bright and clear. *Rabi* crops being sown and weeded. Germination good, but rain urgently wanted. Poppy sowings nearing completion. Plants coming up well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	8 12½*	8 12½*	Weather seasonable at Sadar and Hajipur, but still hot at Sitamarhi for the time of the year. Harvesting of winter rice going on. *Rabi* sowings approaching completion. Common rice and maize selling at 7¾ and 12¼ seers a rupee respectively at Hajipur and at 7½ and 12½ seers a rupee respectively at Sitamarhi. Average daily attendance at kitchens 2,411. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
18	DARBHANGA ...	Nil	6 12*	6 12*	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops almost over. Their prospects not favourable for want of rain. Number of persons on relief works for the last day available—18,408, as against 15,343 for last week. Number on test-works in Madhubani subdivision for the last day available 6; this low number being due to the employment of people on paddy-cutting in Nepal and elsewhere. Number of persons gratuitously relieved at kitchens on the last day of the week—Sadar thana 1,873, Bahera thana 5,103, Roserha thana 9,901, Samastipur subdivision 224, Madhubani subdivision 1,066,—total 18,167, as against 18,719, for last week. Number on works increasing, number on gratuitous relief nearly stationary. This was anticipated. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.
† Newarice.

	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
19	Monghyr ..	Nil	8½ 11½*	8½ 11½*	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy going on. *Rabi* crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from Khargpur. Fodder and water sufficient.
20	Bhagalpur ...	Nil	9½ 12*	8⅞ 12*	Weather seasonable. *Rabi* crops being sown Harvesting of *aghani* paddy still going on. Outturn good. Pressing of sugarcane continuing. Cholera reported from Supaul and Daparkha. Cattle-disease reported from a *mauza* in thana Madhipura. Fodder and water sufficient.
1	Purnea ...	Nil	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. *Aghani* paddy being harvested Prospects fair. *Rabi* sowings now over. Rain badly wanted. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water plentiful.
22	Darjeeling ...	Nil	7 12*	6 12*	Weather cold. Hills—Wheat, barley and mustard in fair state. Winter rice, *bhadoi* paddy and *marua* being harvested. Terai—Cutting of winter rice going on. Transplantation of tobacco finished.
23	Sonthal Parganas.	Nil	11 16*	11 16½*	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice continuing. Sowing of wheat over. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient. Report from Godda not received.
24	Cuttack ...	Nil	10½	10½	*Laghu sarad* and sugarcane being harvested. *Guru sarad* ripening. *Arhar* growing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
5	Balasore ...	Nil	9	10	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *sarad* going on. Sugarcane, *rabi* crops and vegetables thriving. Prospects fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
26	Angul ...	Nil	11½	11½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy in progress. *Rabi* crops, sugarcane and other miscellaneous crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
27	Puri ...	Nil	10½	10½	Weather seasonable. *Sarad* and *laghu* paddy being harvested. Sugarcane being pressed. *Rabi* and other miscellaneous crops getting on well. Fodder and water sufficient. Small-pox reported from Khurda and Bhubaneswar.
28	Sambalpur ...	Nil	12	12	Weather cool and cloudy. Reaping of winter rice continuing. Threshing and harvesting of autumn and winter rice, of *maghi til*, and of *mung* and *kurthi* in progress. Pressing of sugarcane commenced in Sambalpur tahsil. Outturn of *bahal* and *berna* paddy estimated at 105 and 120 per cent. respectively. In Bargarh tahsil outturn of cotton estimated at 12 annas. Condition of standing crops good. Cattle-disease reported from three villages in Sadar tahsil. Fodder and water sufficient.

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
29	HAZARIBAGH	Nil	9½	10½	Prospects of standing crops good. Harvesting of paddy going on. Cattle-disease reported from three thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
30	RANCHI ...	Nil	11	11½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy and *sirguja* continuing. *Rabi* crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from one thana. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	Nil	9 9/16	10¼	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy going on. Prospects fair. Cattle-disease reported from some places. Fodder and water sufficient.
32	MANBHUM ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. *Bajra* ripe. Cattle-disease reported from thana Gobindpur. Fodder and water sufficient.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	Nil	10	9	Harvesting of winter paddy continuing. Common rice selling at 12 seers a rupee in Seraikella and Kharsawan. Cattle-disease reported from thana Ghatsila and outpost Bahargora. Fodder and water sufficient.
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	6½	6 5/13	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of tobacco seedlings and sowing of mustard nearly over. Harvesting of *aman* paddy going on. Fodder and water sufficient.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—There was no rain during the week. Harvesting of winter paddy is still in progress. *Rabi* sowings are almost all over in the Bihar districts; they are still going on in some places in Lower Bengal. Rain is needed for the *rabi* crops in Gaya, Champaran and Purnea. Prospects of these crops are unfavourable in Darbhanga for want of rain. Sugarcane-pressing continues in Bihar. It has also commenced in Orissa. The number of persons on gratuitous relief is 2,411 in Muzaffarpur and 18,167 in Darbhanga. Only six persons are reported to be on test-works, in the Madhubani subdivision of district Darbhanga. The number on relief works in Darbhanga is 18,408. Cattle-disease exists in eight districts. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cholera continues in parts of Burdwan, Jessore and Bhagalpur. Small-pox is reported from Burdwan and Puri. The price of common rice has risen in six and fallen in ten districts.

C. A. OLDHAM,

Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL,

The 11th December 1906.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 8th December 1906, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 8th December 1906.			Week ending Saturday, the 9th December 1905.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	419	21,010	267	489	35,994	468
Jute	766	2,18,515*	3,776	461	1,51,510†	2,460
Firewood	39	24,400	365	62	68,012	1,007
Other articles	712	1,57,138	2,020	747	1,64,986	2,386
Total	1,936	4,21,063	6,428	1,759	4,20,502	6,321

* Weight by canal measurement, 2,31,157½ maunds.
† Ditto ditto 1,70,535½ do.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters.

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN											
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
BURDWAN DIVISION. 1	Burdwan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 4 Old	8 0	13 0	...	...	...
2	Birbhum ...	9 0	8 8	10 8	...	...	...	7 2 New 9 0	6 12	13 8	...	...	...
3	Bankura ...	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	Old 8 12 New 9 8	Old 8 12 New 9 0	Old 14 0 New 15 8	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	10 0	10 0	9 0	...	...	...	New 10 0	8 8	14 0	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	8 8	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	7 8	6 9	10 0	...	...	...
6	Howrah ...	...	...	12 0	...	...	...	7 12	7 0	11 8	...	...	...
PRESIDENCY DIVISION 7	24-Parganas ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	..		...	9 0	8 0	11 8	...	...	...
8	Calcutta ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	12 14	12 14	12 4	8 14	8 14	7 0	...	...	...
9	Nadia ...	11 0	11 0	...	13 5	13 5	...	8 10	8 0	13 0	...	...	...
10	Murshidabad ...	11 0	10 8	14 8	15 0	16 0	22 0	8 8	7 8	12 8	...	...	...
11	Jessore ...	8 0	8 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	11 4	8 0	7 12	11 0	...	..	...
12	Khulna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	11 8	...	...	...
	BIHAR.												
PATNA DIVISION. 13	Patna ...	11 12	12 6	13 0	13 4	14 4	18 0	7 8	7 8	15 0 Old 14 5	14 4	11 14	...
14	Gaya ...	11 13	11 12	13 5	13 5	14 5	22 8	8 11	8 11	Now 15 6	11 14	11 4	18 7
15	Shahabad ...	11 0	11 0	14 0	13 0	13 0	18 0	New 9 12 Old 8 0	New 10 0 Old 8 0	14 0	...	...	...
16	Saran ...	11 4	11 4	11 0	14 8	14 0	16 0	9 0	8 8	14 0	...	...	16 0
17	Champaran ...	10 0	10 0	15 0	13 0	13 8	20 0	9 0	8 8	15 8	...	...	...
18	Muzaffarpur ..	10 8	10 0	11 0	13 0	11 0	17 0	8 0	7 0	11 0	...	...	...
19	Darbhanga ..	11 0	10 6	14 4	12 3	13 3	15 6	7 11	7 11	15 6	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 16 seers 8 chitaks; Raniganj 16 seers; Kalna 17 seers 12 chitaks.

B. At Rampur Hát the retail price of salt is 16 seers.

C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee.

D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contai 16 seers; Tamluk 16 seers; Ghatal 17 seers 8 chitaks.

E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 16 seers (Liverpool); Arambagh 16 seers (Karkatch.)

F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee.

G. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Chetla 16 seers; Barasat 16 seers; Baduria 16 seers (crushed); Mograhat 16 seers; Barrackpore 13 seers (karkatch).

H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 15 seers (panga); Chuadanga 13 seers (karkatch); Meherpur 16 seers (karkatch); Ranaghat 12 seers (crushed).

Station Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 30th November 1906.

INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR (*dál*) OR TUR, CAJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*).			SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS. SALT.			DISTRICTS.	Number.	
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	BENGAL.		
...	...	..	8 4	8 0	9 0	A 17 0	17 0	16 8	2 5 0	Karkatch. 2 5 0	2 2 6	Burdwan.	1	BURDWAN DIVISION.
.	..	..	4 8	6 0	7 8	B 15 0	15 0	14 0	2 8 0	Karkatch. 2 8 0	2 7 0	Birbhum.	2	
...	.	...	8 0	8 8	10 4	C 16 0	16 0	17 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 6 0	Bankura.	3	
...	...	...	6 8	6 8	8 0	D 14 0	Crushed. 14 0	16 0	2 4 0	Crushed. 2 4 0	2 3 0	Midnapore.	4	
						13 12	Panga. 13 12	14 0	2 5 0	Panga. 2 5 0	2 6 0			
...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 0	E 17 0	17 0	16 0	2 3 0	Panga. 2 3 0	2 6 0	Hooghly.	5	
...	...	...	8 8	8 0	9 0	F 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	Howrah.	6	
...	...	...	7 8	7 8	10 8	G 16 0	18 8	18 0	2 1 0	Panga. 2 1 6	2 0 0	24-Parganas.	7	PRESIDENCY DIVISION.
13 0	13 4	12 4	6 14	6 14	8 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	2 2 0	Panga. 2 2 0	2 8 0	Calcutta.	8	
...	...	...	6 6⅘	6 10⅘	8 0	H 16 0	16 0	13 0	2 6 0	Karkatch. 2 4 0	2 8 0	Nadia.	9	
...	...	...	7 0	7 0	8 0	I 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	Karkatch. 2 8 0	2 8 0	Murshidabad.	10	
...	..	...	10 0	11 4	13 4	J 16 0	16 0	12 0	2 8 0	Panga. 2 8 0	3 0 0	Jessore.	11	
..	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	K 13 5	13 5	13 0	2 12 0	Panga. 2 12 0	2 12 0	Khulna.	12	
												BIHAR.		
12 12	12 0	16 0	7 8	7 4	9 8	L 15 2	15 0	16 0	2 7 0	Panga. 2 10 6	2 6 0	Patna	13	PATNA DIVISION.
13 5	12 13	13 7	7 3	7 3	9 3	M 15 14	15 14	16 2	2 9 0	Panga. 2 9 0	2 8 0	Gaya.	14	
12 8	12 0	18 0	8 0	8 0	8 4	N 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	Shahabad.	15	
12 0	12 0	17 0	7 8	10 0	9 0	O 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	Panga. 2 8 0	2 8 0	Saran.	16	
11 8	10 12	19 0	6 12	6 8	10 8	P 15 0	15 0	15 0	2 10 9	2 10 9	2 13 0	Champaran.	17	
12 8	11 0	18 0	7 0	10 8	9 0	Q 14 8	14 8	14 0	2 10 6	Panga. 2 10 6	2 12 0	Muzaffarpur	18	
12 1	11 8	19 12	5 8	6 9	14 4	R 14 4	14 4	14 4	2 13 0	2 13 0	2 14 0	Darbhanga.	19	

I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jangipur 16 seers; Lalbagh 14 seers; Kandi 15 seers.
J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 13 seers 12 chitaks (karkatch); Magura 12 seers (karkatch); Bangaon 16 seers (panga) and Narail 14 seers 3 chitaks (panga).
K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Bagerhat 12 seers (karkatch); Satkhira 16 seers.
L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Dinapore 10 seers; Bihar 14 seers.
M. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jahanabad 16, Nawada 16 and Aurangabad 16 seers.
N. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 16 seers; Bhabua 14 seers and Sasaram 16 seers.
O. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Siwan 15 seers; Gopalganj 15 seers 2 chitaks (panga).
P. At Bettiah the retail price of salt is 14 seers 8 chitaks per rupee.
Q. In the subdivisions the prices of salt per rupee are—Sitamarhi 15 seers; Hajipur 15 seers.
R. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Samastipur 14 seers; Madhubani 15 seers 9 chitaks.

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QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	BIHAR—*concluded.*												
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 20	Monghyr ...	10 8	10 8	12 13	13 0	...	...	New. 9 0	7 0	12 0	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 21	Bhagalpur ..	11 6	10 10	13 14	12 10	11 4	20 4	8 14 Old	8 2 Old	14 8 New	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 22	Purnea ...	9 8	9 4	13 0	...	...	...	5 8 New 6 8	6 0 New 7 0	13 0 Old 10 0	..	...	—
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 23	Darjeeling ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	6 8	9 0	...	...	...
BHAGALPUR DIVISION. 24	Sonthal Parganas.	9 8	10 0	10 8	13 0	13 0	19 0	11 4	New 11 0 Old 8 0	15 0	...	...	...
	ORISSA.												
ORISSA DIVISION. 25	Cuttack ...	10 8	11 13	11 13	...	...	...	10 8	9 13	13 12½	...	...	—
ORISSA DIVISION. 26	Balasore ...	11 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	9 8	13 0	...	...	...
ORISSA DIVISION. 27	Angul ...	6 0	6 0	9 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	13 0	..	—	...
ORISSA DIVISION. 28	Puri ...	9 13	10 8	11 13	...	...	...	10 8	9 13	12 7	...	...	—
ORISSA DIVISION. 29	Sambalpur ...	13 0	13 0	12 8	...	...	...	12 0	11 0	16 0	...	...	—
	CHOTA NAGPUR												
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 30	Hazaribagh ...	10 0	10 0	10 8	14 0	11 0	18 0	9 0	9 8	13 0	...	...	—
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 31	Ranchi ...	9 8 to 10 8	9 12 to 10 8	8 0 to 10 12	14 0	14 0	16 0	12 0	11 0	15 0	...	—	...
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 32	Palamau ...	11 4	11 4	14 10	12 0	13 8	20 4	10 2	11 4	14 1	...	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 33	Manbhum ...	11 0	12 0	11 8	10 8	10 0	16 0	10 0	10 0	New 15 0	..	...	...
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION. 34	Singhbhum ..	10 0	9 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	8 0	13 0	...	—	...

S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Jamui 16 seers ; Begusarai 15 seers.

T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 13¾ seers ; Madhipura 13 seers and Supaul 13 seers.

U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 14 seers ; Basantpur 14 seers.

V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are Kurseong 11 seers and Siliguri 13 seers.

W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jamtara 13 seers ; Pakour 16 seers ; Deoghar 16 seers and Rajmahal 16 seers.

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SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine Coracana*).			Indian-corn or Maize (*Zea mays*).		Arhar (*dál*) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).		Salt.		Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.	Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.							Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
															Bihar—*concluded.*	
												Panga.				
1 15	11	15	11									2 10 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	Monghyr	20
												Panga.				
8 15	8	15	12									2 6 9	2 6 9	2 8 0	Bhagalpur.	21
0 13	0	13	0									Panga.				
												3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Purnea.	22
0 12	0	12	0									3 5 0	3 5 0	3 4 0	Darjeeling.	23
												Panga.				
0 14	0	14	0									2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Santhal Parganas.	24
															Orissa.	
												Karkatch.				
0 18	0	16	0									2 3 0	2 3 0	2 8 0	Cuttack.	25
												Panga.				
0 16	0	17	0									2 5 0	2 5 0	2 6 0	Balasore.	26
												Karkatch.				
8 10	8	10	8									3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Angul.	27
0 18	0	15	0									2 2 0	2 2 0	2 8 0	Puri	28
												Karkatch.				
0 13	0	11	8									3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Sambalpur.	29
															Chota Nagpur.	
												Panga.				
8 12	8	12	8									3 1 3	3 1 3	3 1 3	Hazaribagh.	30
												Panga.				
0 13	0	13	0									3 0 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	Ranchi.	31
3 15	3	15	3									...	...	...	Palamau.	32
												Panga.				
0 15	0	14	8									2 10 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	Manbhum.	33
												Panga.				
0 14	0	13	0									3 0 0	2 10 0	3 0 0	Singhbhum.	34
															Bhagalpur Division.	
															Orissa Division.	
															Chota Nagpur Division.	
...	...	...	19	0	20 0	24	0									
...	...	...	26	0	0	30	0									
...	...	...	18	0	16 14	27	0									

f salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 16 seers ; Jajpur 16.

16 seers per rupee (panga).
district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Saukhpur 11 seers

8 seers per rupee.
11 seers (Bombay).
) seers (panga).
f salt per rupee are—Gobindapur 16 seers (panga) ; Jhalda 11 seers.

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QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT. Present return.	WHEAT. Next preceding return.	WHEAT. Corresponding return of last year.	BARLEY. Present return.	BARLEY. Next preceding return.	BARLEY. Corresponding return of last year.	RICE, COM Present return.	RICE, COM Next preceding return.
	BIHAR—*concluded.*	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. C
Bhagalpur Division. 20	Monghyr ...	10 8	10 8	12 13	13 0	...	...	New. 9 0	7
Bhagalpur Division. 21	Bhagalpur ...	11 6	10 10	13 14	12 10	11 4	20 4	8 14	8
Bhagalpur Division. 22	Purnea ...	9 8	9 4	13 0	...	...	...	Old 5 8 New 6 8	Old 6 New 7
Bhagalpur Division. 23	Darjeeling ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	6
Bhagalpur Division. 24	Sonthal Parganas.	9 8	10 0	10 8	13 0	13 0	19 0	11 4	New 11 Old 8
	ORISSA.								
Orissa Division. 25	Cuttack ...	10 8	11 13	11 13	...	...	...	10 8	9 1
Orissa Division. 26	Balasore ...	11 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	9
Orissa Division. 27	Angul ...	6 0	6 0	9 0	...	...	...	11 8	11
Orissa Division. 28	Puri ...	9 13	10 8	11 13	...	...	...	10 8	9 1
Orissa Division. 29	Sambalpur ...	13 0	13 0	12 8	...	...	...	12 0	11
	CHOTA NAGPUR								
Chota Nagpur Division. 30	Hazaribagh ...	10 0	10 0	10 8	14 0	11 0	18 0	9 0	9
Chota Nagpur Division. 31	Ranchi ...	9 8 to 10 8	9 12 to 10 8	8 0 to 10 12	14 0	14 0	16 0	12 0	11
Chota Nagpur Division. 32	Palamau ...	11 4	11 4	14 10	12 6	13 8	20 4	10 2	11
Chota Nagpur Division. 33	Manbhum ...	11 0	12 0	11 8	10 8	10 0	16 0	10 0	10
Chota Nagpur Division. 34	Singhbhum ...	10 0	9 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	8

Number.	DISTRICTS.	KANGNI OR KAKUN, ITALIAN MILLET (*Setaria italica*). Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	GRAM, CHA CHHOLA, KAD OR SUNAG (*Cicer arietin* Present return.	Next preceding return.	
	BIHAR—*concluded.*	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S.
Bhagalpur Division. 20	Monghyr ...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	15
Bhagalpur Division. 21	Bhagalpur ...	...	...	...	12 10	12 0	16
Bhagalpur Division. 22	Purnea ...	...	...	...	10 0	10 8	Pat 11 ordi 15
Bhagalpur Division. 23	Darjeeling ...	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	10
Bhagalpur Division. 24	Sonthal Parganas.	...	...	...	10 8	10 0	14
	ORISSA.					Biri or kalai.	
Orissa Division. 25	Cuttack ...	...	...	...	11 13	11 13	15 1
Orissa Division. 26	Balasore ...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0 Chhola.	13
Orissa Division. 27	Angul ...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0 Biri.	14
Orissa Division. 28	Puri ...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0 Biri.	15
Orissa Division. 29	Sambalpur ...	...	...	...	...	11 2 Biri.	15 1
	CHOTA NAGPUR						
Chota Nagpur Division. 30	Hazaribagh ...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	12 8
Chota Nagpur Division. 31	Ranchi ...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	14 0
Chota Nagpur Division. 32	Palamau ...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	13 0
Chota Nagpur Division. 33	Manbhum ...	...	...	...	13 8	12 6	16 14
Chota Nagpur Division. 34	Singhbhum ...	...	...	...	11 0	10 8	12 0
		...	...	...	10 0	9 0	13 0

S. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Jamui 16 see
T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 13¾ seers; 13 seers.
U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 14 seers;
V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are Kurseong 11 seers and
W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jamtara 14 see 16 seers and Rajmahal 16 seers.

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INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR (*dál*) OR TUR, CADJAN PEA (*cajanus indicus*).			SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS. SALT.			DISTRICTS.	Number.	
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	BIHAR—*concluded.*		
11 8	11 8	17 8	6 8	6 12	8 6	S 15 11	15 11	15 11	2 10 0	Panga. 2 10 0	2 8 0	Monghyr	20	BHAGALPUR DIVISION.
12 0	11 4	20 4	7 0	6 14	8 14	T 15 8	15 8	15 12	2 6 9	Panga. 2 6 9	2 8 0	Bhagalpur.	21	
10 8	10 12	20 0	6 8	6 8	7 0	U 13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0 0	Panga. 3 0 0	3 0 0	Purnea.	22	
12 0	11 0	13 0	5 8	5 8	6 8	V 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 4 0	Darjeeling.	23	
14 8	16 0	26 0	9 0	9 8	13 0	W 14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12 0	Panga. 2 12 0	2 12 0	Santhal Parganas.	24	
												ORISSA.		
...	...	...	11 13	11 13	14 7	X 18 0	18 0	16 0	2 3 0	Karkatch. 2 3 0	2 8 0	Cuttack.	25	ORISSA DIVISION.
...	...	...	8 0	7 0	8 0	Y 16 0	16 0	17 0	2 5 0	Panga. 2 5 0	2 6 0	Balasore.	26	
...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	Z 10 8	10 8	10 8	3 0 0	Karkatch. 3 0 0	3 0 0	Angul.	27	
...	..	...	6 9	6 9	9 3	a 18 0	18 0	15 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 8 0	Puri	28	
...	...	...	7 8	8 8	9 0	b 13 0	13 0	11 8	3 0 0	Karkatch. 3 0 0	3 0 0	Sambalpur.	29	
												CHOTA NAGPUR.		
15 0	16 8	20 0	6 14	6 12	8 0	12 8	12 8	12 8	3 1 3	Panga. 3 1 3	3 1 3	Hazaribagh.	30	CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.
18 0	19 0	24 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	c 13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0 0	Panga. 3 1 0	3 1 0	Ranchi.	31	
15 12	13 8	27 0	9 0	9 0	11 4	15 3	15 3	15 3	...	...	...	Palamau.	32	
15 0	16 0	20 0	8 0	9 0	9 8	d 15 0	15 0	14 8	2 10 0	Panga. 2 10 0	2 10 0	Manbhum.	33	
...	...	...	8 0	9 0	12 0	13 0	14 0	13 0	3 0 0	Panga. 2 10 0	3 0 0	Singhbhum.	34	

X. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 16 seers ; Jajpur 16.

Y. At Bhadrak the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee (panga).

Z. In the towns in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Saukhpur 11 seers (karkatch) ; Phulbani 12 seers.

a. At Khurda the retail price of salt is 18 seers per rupee.

b. At Bargarh the retail price of salt is 11 seers (Bombay).

c. At Gumla the retail price of salt is 10 seers (panga).

d. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Gobindapur 16 seers (panga) ; Jhalda 11 seers.

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., f

PRICE PER MAUND O

Number.	Marts.	Rice (best sort).			Common rice (*mota chaul*).			Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).			Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
1	Calcutta ...	6 8 0	6 12 0	6 4 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	5 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 10
2	Burdwan ...	5 12 0	5 0 0	3 8 0	4 13 0	4 13 0	3 1 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Midnapore ...	6 4 0	6 4 0	3 12 0	New 4 10 0	Old 4 0 0	2 13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Patna ...	6 0 0	6 3 0	4 0 0	5 3 0	5 3 0	2 10 0	3 5 3	3 3 0	3 1 0	2 15 0	2 10 0	2 3
	Muzaffarpur ...	6 10 6	6 10 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 11 6	3 5 3	3 10 0	3 13 0	3 5 3	2 15 3	3 5 3	2 3
	Bhagalpur ...	7 1 0	6 11 0	3 15 0	New 4 8 0	4 11 9	2 12 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	2 14 0	3 2 6	3 9 0	1 15
	Cuttack ...	5 5 6	5 5 6	5 0 9	3 13 0	4 1 0	2 14 6	3 13 0	3 7 6	3 3 9	...	...	...
	Sambalpur ...	4 3 0	4 3 0	3 13 0	3 2 0	3 9 6	2 6 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...
	Ranchi ...	3 10 6 to 5 0 0	4 12 6	4 8 0	3 3 0	3 5 3	2 8 0	3 13 0 to 4 3 8	3 15 4	3 12 0 to 5 0 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 8

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the 6th December 1906.

STANDARD SEERS.

Cholum (*Sorghum vulgare*).			Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*).			Gram, Chana, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*).		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
...	...	...	3 4 0	3 4 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 12 0	3 4 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8 0	4 6 0	3 4 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4 0 to 3 12 0	3 4 to 3 12 0	3 0 0 to 3 8 0
3 4 0	3 5 0	...	2 8 0	3 0 0	...	2 12 0	2 13 0	...	3 6 0	3 5 0	2 12 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 5 3	2 1 6	3 3 0	3 5 3	2 13 9
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 3 0	3 5 0	2 7 0
									Biri or Kalai,		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 3 6	3 3 6	2 12 3
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 11 6	3 11 6	3 0 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 10 6	3 10 6	3 1 0

INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR DAL OR THUR—CADJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*).			LINSEED.			MUSTARD AND RAPESEED.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 14 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 12 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	4 6 0
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 9 0	..	..	...	7 8 0	6 13 0	5 9 0
} —	...	...	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 12 0	Black Mustard. 7 8 0 / Rapeseed. 6 8 0	7 4 0 / 6 4 0	6 0 0 / 4 4 0
3 3 0	3 5 0	2 8 0	5 5 0	5 11 0	4 3 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	4 12 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0
3 3 0	3 8 0	2 1 6	5 5 0	3 10 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3 5 0	3 9 0	1 15 6	5 12 0	5 11 0	4 8 0	5 10 0	5 10 0	4 8 0	Mustard. 5 12 0 / Rapeseed. ...	5 12 0 / ...	5 5 0 / 6 2 0
...	...	...	3 9 0	3 9 0	2 12 3	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 12 0
..	...	...	5 4 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 12 0
...	...	...	6 10 6	6 10 6	6 10 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 10 6	6 6 6 to 6 10 6	5 5 0 to 6 0 0

)0 STANDARD SEERS.

Til or Jinjili seed			Sugar (raw).			Cotton (cleaned).			Jute.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
6 12 0	6 12 0	4 8 0	6 12 0	6 12 0	6 4 0	19 8 0	19 8 0	17 0 0	10 12 0	10 6 0	7 0 0
...	—	—	5 0 0	5 13 0	6 8 0	...	...	21 0 0	...	...	...
} ...	—	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	8 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	20 0 0 to 24 0 0	} ...	...	...
7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	17 0 0	18 0 0	18 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0
...	...	...	4 0 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
} ...	...	...	4 8 0	4 9 9	5 0 0	20 0 0	21 0 0	21 0 0	...	—	—
5 11 6	5 11 6	5 5 3	3 10 0	3 10 0	6 8 0	20 5 0	20 5 0	22 13 0	...	—	
5 8 0	6 0 0	4 12 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 4 0	—	...	—	4 0	...	...
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PRICE PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.																				
Ghi (clarified butter).						Tobacco Leaf.						Hides (cow).						Grass.		
Present return.			Next preceding return.			Corresponding return of last year.			Present return.			Next preceding return.			Corresponding return of last year.			Present return.			Next preceding return.			Corresponding return of last year.		
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															Per 100 pieces.											
4	0	0	43	0	0	39	0	0	8	8	0	8	8	0	8	0	0	430	0	0	430	0	0	500	0	0
42	0	0	42	0	0	35	0	0	...			...			...			..			...			...		
																		Uncleaned per piece.								
												Madhukhali.						2	12	0	3	0	0	2	12	0
									7	0	0	7	0	0	6	0	0	to			to			to		
																		3	12	0	4	0	0	3	12	0
43	0	0	43	0	0	38	8	0				Pulta.						Cleaned per piece.								
																		3	0	0	3	4	0	3	0	0
									9	0	0	9	0	0	8	4	0	to			to			to		
																		4	0	0	4	4	0	4	0	0
38	0	0	38	0	0	36	0	0	2	8	0	2	8	0	3	12	0	..			...			..		
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40	0	0	40	0	0	36	4	0	16	0	0	16	0	0	16	0	0	40	0	0	40	0	0	40	0	0
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37	8	0	37	8	0	33	11	0																		
to			to			to			20	0	0	20	0	0	10	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0
40	0	0	40	0	0	37	0	0																		

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal on the 30th November 1906.

STRAW.			JUAR STALKS.			PRICE PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.									MARTS
						IRON.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
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...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 11 6	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 4 0	Panga. 2 10 6	2 11 6	2 12 0	5. Muzaffarpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	2 6 9	2 6 9	2 8 0	6. Bhagalpur.
0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 6	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	3 13 4	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	Karkatch. 2 2 0	2 2 0	2 8 0	7. Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	Karkatch. 3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	8. Sambalpur.
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C. A. OLDHAM,

Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS

Meteorological Div. sions.	Divisions.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
South-West Bengal.	Presidency. Burdwan.	Burdwan	Kaina	0·09	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Burdwan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Katwa	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Raniganj	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Mankur	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Birbhum	Suri	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Hetampur	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Rampur Hat	0·42	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bolpur	0·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Murari	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Labpur	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bankura	Bankura	0·15	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Vishnupur	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Maliara	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Khatra	0·06	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Indas	0·03	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Kotalpur	...	0·51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Onda	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Gangajalghati	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Raipur	0·15	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Sonamukhi	0·12	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Midnapore	Contai	0·10	...	.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Tamluk	0·12	..	0·0	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Midnapore	0·46	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Ghatal	0·10	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Kukrahaty	0·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Garhbeta	0·03	1·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Panskura	1·30	0·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Danton	...	2·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Chandrakona	0·80	1·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hooghly	Serampore	0·76	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Hooghly	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Arambagh (Jahanabad)	...	0·17	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Howrah	Howrah	0·28	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Mohesreka	0·04	0·08	0·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Uluberia	1·05	0·01	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Amta	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		24-Parganas	Saugor Island	0·18			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Diamond Harbour.	0·12	0·15	0·50	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Budge-Budge	0·82	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Canning Town	1·37	0·09	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Alipore (Obsy.	0·11	0·01	0·23	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Barrackpore	0·35	0·03	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Dum-Dum	0·6.	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Barasat	0·21	0 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Basirhat	0·17	0 19	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nadia	Ranaghat	...	...	...																	
			Krishnagar	0·17	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Chuadanga	0·29	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Meherpur	0·08	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Kushtia	2·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Murshidabad	Kandi	0·43	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...
			Berhampore	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Lalbagh	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Azimganj	0·97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Jangipur	..	...	...		..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Lalgola	0·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Akriganj	1·10	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Patkabari																				
			Dumkal	0·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Kullyanganj	0·20	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jessore	Narail	1·42	0·62	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Jessore	2·77	0·25	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Jhenida	1 68	0·05	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Magura	1·70	0·02	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bangaon	0·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khulna	Satkhira	1·10	1 85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bagerhat	0·21	0·38	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Khulna	0 18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Kaliganj		0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Nalipur	0·03	0·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Dumuria	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Rampal	0·40	0·02	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Kalaroa	0·22	0·07	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Patkgachha	...	4·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Mollahat	1·02	1·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Moreiganj	0·29	0·06	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Tala	...	0·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bihar.	Patna.	Patna	Patna	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Dinapore	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bihar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Barh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bikram	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Hilsa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Islampur	..	..	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Asthawan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gaya	Aurangabad	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Gaya																				
			Nawadah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Jahanabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Arwal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Daudnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Sherghati	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Rajauli	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Pakri Barawan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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			Aehinagar	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th October 1906.	Average rainfall from 16th October.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
										Nil	0·74	0·09	0·87	0·09	5·79	2·06	Kalna	Burdwan ...	Burdwan.	South-West Bengal.
										Nil	0·81	Nil	0·94	Nil	3·98	2·24	Burdwan			
										Nil	0·61	0·02	0·59	0·02	2·00	2·08	Katwa.			
										1	0·63	0·18	0·54	0·18	2·53	1·66	Raniganj			
										1	0·81	0·13	0·49	0·13	1·20	1·24	Mankur.			
										Nil	0·63	0·07	0·33	0·07	3·23	1·78	Suri	Birbhum ...		
										Nil	0·77	0·07	0·45	0·07	2·59	1·54	Hetampur.			
										1	0·64	0·42	0·37	0·42	4·27	1·69	Rampur Hat.			
										1	0·81	0·46	0·67	0·18	1·63	1·58	Bolpur.			
										1	0·62	0·25	0·34	0·25	3·59	1·61	Murarai.			
										Nil	0·39	0·01	0·23	0·04	2·88	2·31	Labpur.			
										1	0·79	0·17	0·51	0·15	2·23	1·97	Bankura ...	Bankura ...		
										Nil	0·64	0·03	0·46	0·03	2·35	1·64	Vishnupur			
										Nil	0·78	0·07	0·36	0·07	2·12	1·49	Maliara			
										1	1·19	0·24	0·79	0·18	4·10	1·98	Khatra.			
										Nil	1·00	0·06	0·46	0·03	2·51	1·29	Indas.			
										1	0·76	0·51	0·57	0·51	2·41	1·52	Kotalpur.			
										Nil	0·44	0·06	0·30	0·06	2·12	1·18	Onda.			
										Nil	0·81	Nil	0·68	Nil	2·19	1·51	Gangajalghati.			
										2	0·94	0·27	0·71	0·15	3·65	2·22	Raipur.			
										1	0·81	0·12	0·68	0·12	3·24	1·67	Sonamukhi.			
										1	1·16	0·10	1·32	0·10	8·44	4·96	Contai ..	Midnapore ...		
										2	0·71	0·32	0·45	0·20	3·91	2·35	Tamluk.			
										1	1·14	0·49	0·56	0·46	3·89	2·80	Midnapore.			
										2	0·63	0·72	0·54	0·62	4·73	1·34	Ghatal.			
										1	1·07	0·29	0·83	0·29	4·33	1·83	Kukrahaty.			
										1	0·69	1·09	0·42	1·06	3·92	1·76	Garhbeta.			
										2	0·36	2·20	0·62	1·30	3·34	1·90	Panskura.			
										1	0·25	2·30	0·35	2·30	6·18	2·41	Dantan.			
										2	?	2·30	?	1·50	7·30		Chanderkona.			
										1	0·33	0·32	0·65	0·76	5·09	2·30	Serampore ...	Hooghly ...		
										1	0·81	0·62	0·66	0·62	4·28	2·04	Hooghly.			
										1	0·67	0·17	0·45	0·17	3·52	1·76	*Arambagh* (Jahanabad)			
										2	0·84	0·41	0·50	0·28	4·04	2·21	Howrah	Howrah. ...		
										2	0·77	1·49	0·52	0·94	9·00	1·49	Mohesreka.			
										1	0·70	1·10	0·51	1·05	4·55	1·50	Ulubaria.			
										Nil		? Nil	?	Nil		?	*Amta.*			
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										3	1·10	0·77	0·79	0·50	7·83	2·61	Diamond Harbour.			
										1	?	0·82	?	0·82	5·07	?	*Budge-Budge.*			
										1	1·19	1·46	1·38	1·37	4·59	2·78	Canning Town.			
										2	0·06	0·35	0·62	0·23	5·24	1·72	Alipore (Obsy.).			
										1	0·97	0·88	0·74	0·85	4·51	2·21	Barrackpur.			
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										1	0·81	0·17	0·74	0·17	1·62	1·80	Krishnagar.			
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										1	0·52	0·40	0·40	0·40	1·88	1·71	Berhampore			
										1	0·63	0·60	0·67	0·60	2·38	1·77	Lalbagh.			
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										1	0·73	1·00	0·45	1·00	3·96	1·95	Akriganj.			
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										1	?	0·20	?	0·20	3·50	?	*Kullyanganj.*			
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										2	1·10	3·02	1·18	2·77	5·57	3·27	Jessore.			
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										1	0·87	0·52	0·62	0·52	3·95	2·53	Bangaon.			
										2	1·13	1·95	0·66	1·85	5·53	2·33	Satkhira ...	Khulna ...		
										2	1·27	0·59	0·88	0·38	2·37	3·33	Bagerhat.			
										1	1·07	0·18	0·72	0·18	2·27	2·57	Khulna.			
										1	?	0·81	?	0·04	2·46	?	*Kaliganj.*			
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										2	?	2·52		1·50	3·77	?	*Mollahat.*			
										1	?	0·35	?	0·29	1·05	?	*Morelganj.*			
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										Nil	0·31	Nil	0·24	Nil	1·65	1·01	Majauli.			
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										Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	0·44	?	*Nabinagar.*			

TABLE OF RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS

Division.	Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BIHAR—concluded.	Patna—concluded.	Shahabad ...	Buxar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Dehri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bhabhua ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Sasaram ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Arrah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Mohanea ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Ageaon ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Ramagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Koath ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Sikroul ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bassowan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Monaharpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Akberpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Saran ...	Gopalganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Siwan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Ekma ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Chapra ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Hathwa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Amnor ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Basantpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Darauli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bhoreh ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Sripur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Champaran ...	Motihari ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bettiah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bagaha ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Burhurwa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Ramnagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Narkatganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Kissoriah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Dhanaha ...																				
		Muzaffarpur...	Sitamarhi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Muzaffarpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Hajipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Paru ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Mahua ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Shiuhar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Pupri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Darbhanga ...	Tajpur (Samastipur)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Darbhanga ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Madhubani ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bahera ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Rosera ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Khutonia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Ladania ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Laukahi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bhagalpur.	Monghyr ...	Begusarai ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Monghyr ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Jamui ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Gogri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Jamalpur ...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Shaikhpura ...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Chakai Bamda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Chupreon ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Gidhour ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Kharagpur ...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhagalpur ...	Madhipura ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Banganon (Syabad).																				
			Supaul ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Pratapganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bhagalpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Banka ...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Colgong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bansli ...	0·51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Darjeeling ...	Siliguri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Darjeeling ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Kalimpong ...																				
			Mongpoo ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Kurseong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Pedong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tibet ...	Yatung ...																				
		Purnea ...	Kishanganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Araria ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Purnea ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Gondwara (*Korah*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Barsoe ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Forbesganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Kallaganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Santhal Parganas.	Rajmahal ...	0·79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Godda ...	0·68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Pakaur ...	1·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Naya Dumka																				
			Deoghur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Jamtara ...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Mohagama ...																				
			Nanihat ...																				
			Asseuboni																				
			Katikund ...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Madhupur ...																				
			Sarwan ...																				
			Sarath ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Barkopo ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bhagya ...																				
			Monoapur ...	0·63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Diranagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Barharwa ...	1·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Sahibganj ...	0·64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			Bario ...	0·74	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

21	22	23	24	25	26.	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 16th October 1906.	Average rainfall from 16th October.	Station.	District.	Division.	Meteorological Division.
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											?	Nil	?			?	*Dhanaha.*			
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										Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	?	*Ladania.*			
										Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	0·71	?	*Laukaha.*			
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		Bargarh ...	0·05	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Gangpur ...	0·09	0·89	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bonaigurh ...	0·85	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Cuttack ...	0·06	...	0·39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Kendrapara ...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jajpur ...	1·19	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dharmsala ...	...	0·31	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Bhadrak ...	0·04	...	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Jellasore ...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Turigaria ...																				
		Basuth ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Tikerpara ...																				
		Balandapara ...	0·22	0·44	...																	
	Orissa Tributary Mahals.	Baramba ...	0·18	...	0·02	0·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kunjabongarh ...	...	10·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Baisinga ...	...	...	0·17	0·61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Keoujhar ...																				
		Anandapur ...	...	...	...	0·07	0·36	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Baripada ...	0·16	0·06	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Pal Lahera ...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ranpur ...	...	...	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Athmalik ...																				
		Hindol ...																				
		Boad ...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nilgiri ...	...	0·13	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Athgurh ...	...	...	0·35	1·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Gop ...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23
		Satpara ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Kanas ...																				
Chota Nagpur.	Hazaribagh ...	Pachamba (*Giridih*).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Ramgar ...																				
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		Chainpur ...	0·80	0·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Husainabad ...	...	...	...																	
		Garhwa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mahuadanr ...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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		Barabhum ...	0·20	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		1·37		0·83			2·03	Keonjhar.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·65	0·48	0·80	0·36	2·35	2·86	Anandapur.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·14	0·82	0·81	0·60	4 68	2·47	Baripada.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	?	1·61	?	0·95	2·11	?	*Karanjia.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·60	Nil	1·24	Nil	1·10	2·59	Narsinkpur.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		1·25		1·09			3·34	Nayagarh.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·56	0·40	0·40	0·40	2·05	1·30	Pal Lahera.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·13	0·28	0·67	0·28	5·77	2 69	Ranpur.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·55	1·90	1·06	1·20	2·53	1·85	Talcher.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		?		?			?	*Athmalik.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		?		?			?	*Hindol.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	?	0·07	?	0·07		?	*Boad.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	?	0·54	?	0·43	2·34	?	*Nilgiri.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	?	2·10	?	1·75	4·15	?	*Athgurh.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2·45	0·31	2·68	0·29	3·53	7·00	Puri ...	Puri ...		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·43	0·30	1·77	0·20	5·83	4·48	Khurda.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		2·18		2·14			5·16	Bhanpur.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2 31	0·35	3·77	0·28	9·03	7·02	Gop.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	2·38	Nil	1·97	Nil	7·60	4·90	Satpara.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·53	Nil	1·51	Nil	6·97	3·77	Pipli.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		?		?			?	*Kanas.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·58	Nil	0·19	Nil	1·40	1·43	Pachamba ... (*Giridih*).	Hazaribagh		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·65	0·13	0·30	0·13	2·09	1·48	Hazaribagh.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·31	Nil	0·17	Nil	1·76	1·43	Barhi.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·50	0·08	0·24	0·08	1·55	1·10	Chatra.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		0·50		0·33			1·24	Khargdiha.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		0·63		0·05			1·79	Ramgar.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	3·38	?	*Koderma.*			
											?		?			?	*Bagodar.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·71	Nil	0·46	Nil	1·75	1·09	Lohardaga ...	Ranchi ...		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·72	0·03	0·31	0·03	2·87	1·34	Ranchi.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·34	Nil	0·26	Nil	3·52	0·78	Silli.			
											0·50		0·39			1·16	Palkot.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	1·90	?	*Bano.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		0·89		0·61			1·02	Tamar.			
										Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil		?	*Kurdeg.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		?		?			?	*Gumla.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·00	1·98	0·47	0·80	4·23	1·31	Chainpur.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	?	1·18	?	1·18	4·09		Khunti.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·68	0·04	0·35	0·02	1·32	1·20	Palamau ... (*Daltonganj*)	Palamau ...	Chota Nagpur.	Chota Nagpur
											0·47		0·38			1·50	Balumath.			
											0·69		0·25			1·51	Husainabad			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·63	Nil	0·23	Nil	0·88	1·19	Garhwa.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	?	0·15	?	0·15	3·00	?	*Mahuadanr.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	?	*Panki.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	0·23	?	*Latehar.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	0·04	?	*Nagaruteri.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		?		?			?	*Ranka.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		?		?			?	*Chatterpur.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	Nil	?	*Bhaonathpur.*			
											?		?			?	*Patan.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	0·10	?	*Monatu.*			
											?		?			?	*Lesliganj.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	?	Nil	?	Nil	0·92	?	*Kerh.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	?	0·51	?	0·51	1·18	?	*Garu.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·74	0·26	0·24	0·26	2·34	1·22	Purulia ...	Manbhum ...		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·48	Nil	0·22	Nil	2·31	1·27	Gobindpur.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·63	0·15	0·47	0·15	3·67	0·97	Raghunathpur.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·81	0·90	0·53	0·70	2·33	1·31	Barabhabhum			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·63	0·31	0·27	0·30	3·45	1·03	Jhalda.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·50	Nil	0·32	Nil	3·28	1·13	Chas.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·56	Nil	0·14	Nil	6·81	1·84	Pandra.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	?	0·90	?	0·50	2·41	?	*Manbazar.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·81	1·77	0·40	1·20	5·51	1·42	Chaibasa	Singhbhum ...		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·13	0·13	0·73	0·13	3·21	1·51	Chakradharpur			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·75	1·67	0·58	1·22	3·78	1·57	Ghatsila.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·75	0·03	0·53	0·03	3·65	1·73	Baharagura.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·38	0·27	0·27	0·27	1·01	0·96	Gaikura.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·50	2·05	0·32	1·90	4·16	1·90	Kalikapur.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		0·29		0·21			0·47	Monoharpur.			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	?	5·25	?	0·26	2·52	?	*Katbari.*			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		?		?			?	*Seraikella.*			

DISTRICT RAINFALL TABLE OF THE PROVINCE OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1906.

Meteorological Division.	Division.	District.	District Observations. Rainfall. Of month. Mean of district.	Normal mean.	Variation from mean.	Number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.	Since 16th October 1906. Mean of district	Normal mean.	Variation.	Mean number of rainy days.	Normal mean number of rainy days.
South-West Bengal.	Burdwan	Burdwan	0·08	0·63	−0·55	0·40	0·72	3·28	1·85	+1·43	4·40	2·14
		Birbhum	0·22	0·41	−0·19	0·50	0·63	2·17	1·56	+0·61	4·83	1·96
		Bankura	0·26	0·54	−0·28	0·60	0·85	1·54	1·65	−0·11	4·71	2·80
		Midnapore	0·94	0·64	+0·30	1·38	0·75	5·53	2·47	+3·06	4·94	2·37
		Hooghly	0·54	0·59	−0·05	1·00	0·77	4·30	1·96	+2·34	5·00	2·50
		Howrah	1·00	0·51	+0·49	1·67	0·77	6·16	1·73	+4·43	5·67	2·49
	Presidency	24-Parganas	0·74	0·82	−0·08	1·63	1·04	5·61	2·81	+2·80	6·06	3·00
		Calcutta	0·35	0·62	−0·27	2·00	0·96	5·24	1·72	+3·52	6·00	2·86
		Nadia	0·49	0·74	−0·25	0·40	0·73	4·45	2·26	+2·19	3·60	2·44
		Murshidabad	0·66	0·49	+0·17	1·00	0·65	3·31	1·78	+1·53	4·63	2·05
		Jessore	1·74	0·88	+0·86	1·25	0·97	4·96	2·65	+2·31	6·49	2·90
		Khulna	0·98	0·93	+0·05	1·80	1·06	3·18	2·94	+0·24	5·20	3·04
Bihar.	Patna	Patna	Nil	0·19	−0·19	0·00	0·33	0·09	1·23	−1·14	0·00	1·38
		Gaya	Nil	0·20	−0·20	0·00	0·35	0·61	0·98	−0·37	1·45	1·86
		Shahabad	Nil	0·35	−0·35	0·00	0·39	0·06	1·45	−1·39	0·00	1·39
		Saran	Nil	0·18	−0·18	0·00	0·28	Nil	1·20	−1·20	0·00	0·90
		Champaran	Nil	0·11	−0·11	0·00	0·20	Nil	0·79	−0·79	0·00	0·80
		Muzaffarpur	Nil	0·11	−0·11	0·00	0·28	Nil	0·96	−0·96	0·00	0·99
		Darbhanga	Nil	0·11	−0·11	0·00	0·21	0·04	0·84	−0·80	0·00	0·9.
	Bhagalpur	Monghyr	0·01	0·09	−0·08	0·00	0·20	0·50	1·04	−0·54	1·22	1·10
		Bhagalpur	0·12	0·07	+0·05	0·14	0·18	1·03	0·98	+0·05	1·14	1·07
		Darjeeling	0·13	0·31	−0·18	0·60	0·77	0·13	1·93	−1·80	0·60	2·33
		Purnea	Nil	0·07	−0·07	0·00	0·16	0·24	0·90	−0·66	0·60	0·98
		Sonthal Parganas.	0·45	0·28	+0·17	0·50	0·46	4·43	1·49	+2·94	3·98	1·56
Orissa.	Orissa	Sambalpur	0·24	0·42	−0·18	1·00	1·00	1·17	1·02	+0·15	4·00	4·00
		Angul	0·48	1·09	−0·61	1·50	1·93	1·22	2·58	−1·36	3·70	4·69
		Cuttack	0·42	1·67	−1·25	0·75	1·73	5·39	4·00	+1·39	5·13	4·41
		Balasore	0·42	1·21	−0·79	1·50	1·42	4·01	3·14	+0·87	4·90	3·62
		Puri	0·24	2·30	−2·06	1·00	2·14	6·39	5·38	+1·01	5·00	5·14
Chota Nagpur.	Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	0·05	0·31	−0·26	0·25	0·53	1·69	1·41	+0·28	5·00	1·55
		Ranchi	0·23	0·38	−0·15	0·10	0·59	3·11	1·21	+1·90	4·65	2·01
		Palamau	0·01	0·29	−0·28	0·00	0·62	0·89	1·38	−0·49	2·61	1·73
		Manbhum	0·27	0·31	−0·04	0·83	0·62	3·58	1·38	+2·20	4·83	1·92
		Singhbhum	0·99	0·42	+0·57	1·33	0·66	3·07	1·38	+1·69	5·04	2·36

SUMMARY OF THE RAINFALL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1906.

The rainfall of November was confined to the first four days of the month throughout the Province, with the exception of a few districts in Bihar, where it was rainless throughout the month. It was in excess in the districts of Midnapore, Howrah, Murshidabad, Jessore and Khulna in South-West Bengal, in Bhagalpur and the Sonthal Parganas in Bihar, and in defect in all the districts of Orissa and Chota Nagpur, except the district of Singhbhum.

In South-West Bengal the rainfall was almost normal; while in Bihar and Orissa it was in defect and in Chota Nagpur in excess.

From the abstract table it will be seen that South-West Bengal received 97 per cent. Bihar 39 per cent., Orissa 26 per cent. and Chota Nagpur 117 per cent. of the normal.

The total rainfall from January to the end of Novemher 1906 was 95 per cent. of the normal in South-West Bengal, 96 per cent. in Bihar, 81 per cent. in Orissa and 92 per cent. in Chota Nagpur.

Full details of the rainfall registered at each rainfall station in all the districts of Bengal are given in the accompanying table, day by day, for the month.

The following table compares the rainfall in the four divisions during November with the normal fall, the actual being given as a percentage of the normal. The table also shows the actual falls for each of the previous months of the year, expressed in the same notation, and the last column of the table shows the total rainfall of the past eleven months of the year :—

Meteorological Divisions.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	Actual rainfall of first eleven months expressed as a percentage of the normal rainfall for the period.
South West Bengal ...	467	489	177	3	71	62	94	95	83	139	97	95
Bihar	81	424	113	6	73	88	104	129	49	85	39	96
Orissa	321	378	73	11	65	86	91	64	78	88	26	81
Chota Nagpur ...	376	693	192	3	58	68	105	73	83	110	117	92

The following table gives a summary of the rainfall data of each of the four Meterological divisions of the Province of Bengal for the month of November 1906:—

Meteorological Divisions.	Rainfall of month.			Rainy days.			Rainfall since 16th October 1906.	
	Average for the Division.	Normal average.	Variation.	Average number in month.	Normal average number in month.	Variation.	Average for the Division.	Normal average.
South-West Bengal ...	0·62	0·64	−0·02	1·01	0·81	+0·23	3·92	2·12
Bihar	0·07	0·18	−0·11	0·09	0 31	−0·22	0·37	1·15
Orissa	0 46	1·72	−1·26	1·11	1 76	−0 65	4·72	4·15
Chota Nagpur ...	0.11	0·35	+0·06	0·07	0 61	−0·54	2·76	1·54

C. A. Oldham,
Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

The 11th December 1906.

Abstract of the Results of Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory in the month of November 1906.

	Inches.	Date.	Hour.
The mean pressure of the month	29·978		
The average pressure of November from 44 years' registers ...	29·961		
The highest pressure in the month	30·133	21st and 27th	10
The lowest pressure in the month	29·786	1st	16
The range of pressure	0·347		
	Hours		
The total number of hours of bright sunshine during the month	240·3		
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine ...	350·8		
	°		
The mean temperature of the month	73·5		
The average temperature of November from 20 years' registers...	72·4		
The highest temperature in the month	86·4	3rd	
The lowest temperature in the month	59·5	26th	
The range of temperature during the month	26·9		
The mean daily range of temperature	17·3		
The greatest range of temperature in one day	22·6	11th	
	Per cent.		
The mean humidity of the month	74		
The average humidity of November from 20 years' registers ...	73		
	Inches.		
The mean vapour tension of the month	0·616		
The average vapour tension of November from 20 years' registers	0·584		
The mean cloud proportion of the month	1·87		
The average cloud proportion of November from 29 years' registers	2·33		
	Inches.		
The total rainfall of the month	0·35		
The total rainfall indicated by a Beckley's self-registering rain-gauge (mouth of the gauge about 8 feet above the ground)	0·30		
The average fall of November from 24 years' registers ...	0·62		
The greatest fall in 24 hours	0·23	3rd	
	Days.		
The number of rainy days in the month	2		
The average number of rainy days in November from 24 years' registers	1		
The mean maximum equilibrium temperature of solar radiation during the month	133·7		
The mean difference of sun and air temperatures	50·9		
The greatest sun temperature	145·7	3rd	
The greatest excess of sun over air temperature	59·3	3rd	
The mean temperature of the nocturnal radiation thermometer on woollen cloth	60·4		
The mean depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature at 4 feet above the ground	4·9		
The greatest depression of the nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum air temperature	5·9	27th	
	Miles.		
The mean movement of the wind per day	42·8		
The greatest movement of the wind in one day	83·0	23rd	
The greatest movement of the wind in one hour	10	24th	2 to 3 P.M.

The number of hours with winds from each of the eight points—
N. 257, N.E. 21, E. 19, S.E. 24, S. 0, S.W. 35, W. 28, N.W. 93, Calm 243.

C. W. PEAKE,
for *Director-General of Observatories.*

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 10th December 1906.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 2nd to 8th December 1906.

Date.	Maximum in	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure at 3 P.M.	Temperature. Minimum	Wet bulb. Mean at 3 P.M.	Hygrometry. Vapour tension.	Humidity at 3 P.M.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Rainfall.	Weather.
1906.			Inches.			Inches.	%		Inches.	
Dec. 2nd	150·0	8·0	30·011	69·5	79·9	18·8	61·1	63·5	0·491	58·4	67	N, NNE and N by W.	57	Nil	Clear,
3rd	129·6	7·9	·011	69·4	80·3	19·8	60·5	63·6	·497	58·8	67	N by W ...	79		Partially cloudy,
4th	129·6	7·9	·009	69·5	79·5	18·1	61·4	63·9	·511	59·6	70	N and N by W ...			Partially cloudy, ☁..
5th	129·8	7·6	·021	68·1	78·6	19·0	59·6	63·8	·526	60·4	74	N by W and N ...	78		Partially cloudy, ☁.
6th	130·3	3·3	·029	67·5	76·8	16·6	60·2	62·7	·509	59·5	75	N by W and calm	55		Chiefly cloudy, ☁,
7th	135·1	7·4	29·991	66·2	78·2	22·1	56·1	60·4	·417	55·8	70	N by W, NW by N and calm.	42		Partially cloudy,
8th	129·4	7·6	30·015	65·2	77·8	23·2	54·6	60·0	·438	55·2	70	N by W and calm	31		Partially cloudy,

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	30·013
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	30·018
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	49·7
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	75·5
The mean temperature of the seven days	67·9
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	69·7
The extreme variation of temperature	25·7
The maximum temperature	80·3
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	10
	%
The mean relative humidity	70
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	71
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 2nd to 8th December 1906	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	0·04
The total fall from 1st January to 8th December 1906	57·19
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	65·31

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

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for *Director-General of Observatories.*

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 10th December 1906.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

Abstract of Principal Commodities carried over the Eastern Bengal State Railway during the month of September 1906 as compared with the same month of the previous year.

No.	Staples.	1906.	1905.	Increase in 1906.	Decrease in 1906.	Explanations of fluctuations by Traffic Superintendent.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
1	Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	30	86		47	
2	Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	26,564	30,902		4,338	
3	Cotton—					
	(1) Raw	156	47	*109		
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Twist and yarn, European ...	57	160		103	
	(b) Ditto, Indian ...	206	331		125	
	(c) Piece-goods, European ...	1,708	2,701		993	
	(d) Ditto, Indian ...	477	281	196		
	(e) Others	.....	76		76	
4	Chemicals, excepting saltpetre		1		1	
5	Drugs—					
	(1) Intoxicating, other than opium		1			
	(2) Non-intoxicating—					
	(a) Medicinal preparations		15			
	(b) Others					
	Dyes and Tans—					
	(1) Al (Moriuda citrifolia) ...					
	(2) Alizarine and Aniline dyes		25		21	
	(3) Cutch		4		4	
	(4) Indigo			.....	.....	
	(5) Myrabolams ...			.....	.....	
	(6) Tanning barks	206	127	79	.....	
	(7) Turmeric ...	51	34	17	.....	
	(8) Others					
	Fodder.	708	510	198	.....	
	(1) Oilcake ...	1,517	969	548	.....	
	(2) Hay, straw and grass	200	103	197	.....	
	Fruits and vegetables, fresh					
	Grain and Pulse—	4,916	3,757	1,159	.....	
	(1) Gram and pulse ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	
	(2) Jawar and bajra ...	19,443	5,174	14,269	.....	
	(3) Rice in the husk ...	42,245	4,631	37,614	.....	
	(4) Do. not in the husk	612	183	429	.....	
	(5) Wheat	1,774	783	986	.....	
	(6) Do. flour	380	264	116	.....	
	(7) Others					
10	Hides and skins—					
	(1) Hides of cattle—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	1,479	840			
	(b) Raw					
	(2) Skins of sheep and other animals—					
	(a) Dressed or tanned	112	108			
	(b) Raw	65	3			
11	Horns	35	538		503	
12	Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.					
13	Jute—	112,191	107,268	4,92		
	(1) Raw	1,461	840	621		
	(2) Gunny-bags and cloth	3	20		17	
	Lac					
	Leather—					
	(1) Unwrought	37		37		
	(2) Wrought, excepting boots and shoes					
16	Liquors—	31	27	4		
	(1) Ale and beer	52	58			
	(2) Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit					
	(3) Wines					
	(4) All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquors, other than ale and beer.					
17	Metals—					
	Brass, unwrought		24	12		
	Do., wrought	547	204	343		
	Copper, unwrought	4	6	...		
	Do., wrought	38	18	20		
	Iron and steel—					
	(a) Cast	230	10	220		
	(b) Unwrought	125	24	101		
	(c) Wrought	1,379	1,517		138	
	(d) Manufactures	31	879		848	
	(6) Others	527	322	205		
18	Oils—	10,855	10,657	198		
	(1) Kerosine	4	5		1	
	(2) Castor	.....	89		89	
	(3) Cocoanut	660	483	227		
	(4) Mustard and rape	24	39			
	(5) Others					
19	Oilseeds—	173	14	159		
	(1) Castor ...	.....	.....			
	(2) Earthnuts	123	219		96	
	(3) Linseed ...	333	.....	333	.....	
	(4) Poppy ...	1,358	1,874		516	
	(5) Rape and mustard ...	.....	26		26	
	(6) Til or jinjili	8	24	.....	16	
	(7) Others	23	.....	23		
	Opium	939	555	384		
21	Paper and pasteboard ...					
	Provisions—	43	138		95	
	(1) Dried fruits and nuts	123	63	60	.....	
	(2) Ghee	506	736		230	
	(3) Others					

No.	Staples.	1906.	1905.	Increase in 1906.	Decrease in 1906.	Explanations of fluctuations by Traffic Superintendent.
		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	
23	Railway Plant, &c., for the Public and Foreign Railways—					
	(1) Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.					
	(2) Carriages and trucks and parts thereof		110		110	
	(3) Materials—					
	(a) Steel rails and fish-plates					
	(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.					
	(c) Other	1,137	2,109		972	
	Salt	7,380	6,319	1,061		
	Saltpetre and other saline substances—					
	(1) Saltpetre	1	...	1		
	(2) Other saline substances	224	202			
	Silk—					
	(1) Raw—					
	(a) Foreign					
	(b) Indian	24				
	(2) Piece-goods—					
	(a) Foreign					
	(b) Indian					
27	Spices—					
	(1) Betelnuts	747	870	....	123	
	(2) Cardamoms	26	43	....	17	
	(3) Chillies ...	147	369	....	222	
	(4) Ginger ...	5	48	...	43	
	(5) Pepper ...	24	3	21	.....	
	(6) Others ...	27	166	...	139	
28	Stone and lime	3,243	1,805	1,438	.....	
29	Sugar—					
	(1) Refined or crystallized, including sugar candy.	1,095	1,090	5	.....	
	(2) Unrefined—					
	(a) Sugar	501	1,319		818	
	(b) Gur, *rab*, jaggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce.	1,836	2,420		584	
30	Tea—					
	(1) Foreign	.....	.....	.....		
	(2) Indian	5,107	4,052	1,055		
31	Tobacco—					
	(1) Unmanufactured ...	772	1,983		1,211	
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Cigars					
	(b) Other sorts ...		55		55	
32	Wood—					
	(1) Timber, unwrought ...	2,193	2,561		368	
	(2) Manufactures	332	153			
33	Wool—					
	(1) Raw					
	(2) Manufactured—					
	(a) Carpets and rugs					
	(b) Piece-goods, European ...					
	(c) Ditto, Indian		19		1	
	(d) Other sorts of manufactures					
34	All other articles of merchandise ...	6,306	6,911		545	
	Total	266,313	211,309	66,479	13,505	

A. W. SMART,
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CALCUTTA, *the 6th December 1906.*

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 24th November 1906 on 2,094·73 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	419,045	4,25,396 0 0	68,88,276 0	11,87,531 0 0	32,598 0 0	16,45,525 0 0	180,645	197,349	377,99
Or per mile of railway	...	203 1 3	...	566 14 8	15 9 0	785 8 11	...	...	..
For previous 20 weeks of half-year	8,978,004*	85,14,488 0 0*	12,07,79,849 0†	2,00,52,127 0 0‡	5,06,147 0 0‡	2,91,02,762 0 0	2,618,821§	3,473,424§	6,091,24
Total for 21 weeks ...	9,397,049	89,39,884 0 0	12,73,68,125 0	2,12,39,658 0 0	6,28 745 0 0	3,08,08,287 0 0	2,799,466	3,669,773	6,469,29
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	418,720	4,55,097 8 10	61,85,378 0	10,76,076 1 7	35,239 11 8	15,66,413 6 1	131,680	169,547	301,23
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	221 14 1	...	524 10 3	17 2 11	763 11 3		...	..
Total for corresponding 21½ weeks of previous year	8,988,431	90,48,680 2 0	12,51,83,047 0	1,96,76,040 5 0	6,41,017 12 5	2,93,66,337 3 5	2,674,785	3,503,840	6,178 62

(a) The increase is chiefly in food-grains.
* Added No. of passengers 5,399 and Rs. 19,331
† Deducted Mds. 31,880 and added Rs. 23,553
‡ Added Rs. 2,758
} on account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 6th October 1906.
§ Audited figures up to 6th October 1906.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A.
*2,078·13	Week ended 7th July ...	507,167	4,48,481	69,19,072	9,69,219	25,096	14,42,796	694	304,958	4 11
*2,076·13	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	490,864	4,04,840	63,51,825	9,32,054	28,603	13,07,006	658	301,066	4 8
*2,078·13	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	457,480	4,35,442	57,13,738	9,49,878	27,975	14,13,296	680	298,384	4 11
*2,078·13	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	420,003	4,04,955	45,30,696	8,05,509	28,678	12,39,202	596	274,042	4 8
*2,078·13	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	487,011	4,43,618	59,95,837	9,09,114	28,810	13,81,542	665	303,109	4 8
*2,078·13	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	442,083	3,93,293	53,22,554	8,88,133	27,970	13,09,402	630	287,511	4 8
*2,087·63	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	410,076	3,75,272	54,48,275	9,14,251	28,706	13,18,229	631	285,186	4 9
*2,094·73	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	411,543	3,43,077	57,05,6·7	9,18,847	27,820	12,95,744	619	280,208	4 8
*2,094·73	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	487,315	4,45,677	62,03,480	10,22,339	30,916	15,68,932	749	312,885	5 0
*2,094·73	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	454,812	4,40,552	58,85,630	10,40,668	30,718	15,11,938	722	333,416	4 8
*2,094·73	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	424,405	4,05,248	66,49,122	10,50,879	35,248	14,91,375	713	304,350	4 14
*2,094·73	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	472,490	4,69,642	71,17,8 90	10,49,203	28,062	15,47,507	739	299,821	5 2
*2,094·73	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	462,890	4,18,937	[57,77,855	9,05,671	37,636	13,62,204	650	302,063	4 8
*2,094·73	,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	421,784	4,23,344	55,50,065	9,31,654	30,857	13,85,855	662	298,571	4 10
2,094·73	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	422,656	4,10,854	66,14,432	11,24,445	28,257	15,63,556	746	315,047	4 15
2,094·73	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	396,018	4,22,341	61,01,561	10,32,859	27,998	14,83,189	708	311,854	4 12
2,094·73	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	429,237	4,45,935	59,13,064	10,38,345	28,598	15,12,878	722	311,998	4 13
2,094·73	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	485,751	4,87,147	64,02,600	11,03,378	29,308	16,19,833	773	313,454	5 2
2,094·73	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	443,208	4,66,767	63,15,680	11,79,502	30,723	16,76,992	801	323,827	5 2
2,094·73	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	421,291	4,33,977	62,67,906	12,14,668	32,562	16,71,207	798	332,927	5 2
2,094·73	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	419,045	4,25,396	65,88,276	11,87,531	32,598	16,45,525	786	327,994	5 0
	Totals up to date ...	9,397,049	89,39,884	12,73,68,125	2,12,39,658	6,28,745	3,08,08,287	702	6,419,239	4 12

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A.
2,041·33	First 8 days of July ...	569,904	5,07,598	78,45,162	10,75,471	31,699	16,14,733	791	342,064	4 11
2,041·33	Week ended 15th July ...	530,089	4,89,596	55,11,313	8,18,437	29,903	13,08,026	641	291,785	4 7
2 041·33	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	463,007	4,41,863	54,65,115	8,81,667	28,775	13,52,304	662	286,188	4 11
2,041·33	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	423,410	4,40,780	60,80,666	8,88,062	27,926	13,56,768	665	289,095	4 12
2 041·33	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	425,588	4,14,472	60,12,732	8,20,683	28,394	12,63,549	619	276,531	4 9
2,041·33	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	412,045	3,84,088	54,93,2 0	8,43,045	25,463	12,53,596	614	274,051	4 9
2,048·08	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	422,019	3,76,084	49,30,908	7,43,810	26,401	11,46,295	561	269,757	4 4
2,049 96	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	373,357	3,72,541	64,7·,721	8,63,016	26,808	12,62,365	616	271,293	4 10
2,050 28	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	382,791	3,59,779	68,75,259	9,99,026	32,849	13,91,654	679	289,906	4 13
2,051·07	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	395,255	3,91,755	62,85,480	9,14,011	30,213	13,35,989	651	295,190	4 8
2,051·07	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	443,159	4,35,554	57,01,210	8,92,604	30,757	13,58,895	663	301,798	4 8
2,051·07	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	463,136	4,09,686	51,59,016	8,7·,050	31,121	13,17,857	645	293,798	4 8
2,051·07	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	409,400	4,40,809	54,22,807	9,27,713	29,038	13,96,160	682	283,380	4 14
2,051·07	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	439,820	4,51,763	52,28,280	8,59,659	32,551	13,43,973	656	287,199	4 10
2,051·07	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	403,914	4,33,585	50,45,453	8,29,841	29,348	12,92,774	630	275,462	4 11
2,051·07	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	385,224	4,37,172	64,05,673	10,58,077	32,428	15,37,677	750	301,895	5 1
2,051·07	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	365,710	4,18,983	62,65,838	10,90,080	30,781	15,39,954	751	312,173	4 14
2,051·07	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	414,971	4,77,913	64,48,697	10,21,533	33,594	15,33,043	747	314,447	4 14
2,051·07	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	464,756	491,090	59,88,752	10,01,573	31,688	15,14,351	737	317,439	5 1
2,051·07	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	453,062	4,47,807	69,05,228	10,94,596	35,301	15,77,698	769	313,406	5 0
2,051·07	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	418,720	4,55,098	61,85,378	10,76,076	35,239	15,66,413	764	301,237	5 3
	Totals up to date ...	8,988,431	90,48,680	12,51,83,047	1,96,76,040	6,41,017	2,93,66,337	678	6,175,235	4 12

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 24th November 1906 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	26,640	5,992 0 0	22,222 0	1,133 0 0	7 0 0	7,132 0 0	963	225	1,188
Or per mile of railway	...	269 8 9	...	50 15 6	0 5 0	320 13 3	...	...	...
For previous 20 weeks of half-year	450,217*	1,04,598 0 0*	3,04,707 0†	13,016 0 0†	166 0 0‡	1,17,780 0 0	19,358§	4,598§	23,956
Total for 21 weeks	476,857	1,10,590 0 0	3,26,929 0	14,149 0 0	173 0 0	1,24,912 0 0	20,321	4,733	25,054
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	22,612	5,062 6 2	21,853 0	1,035 3 0	10 6 9	6,107 15 11	961	225	1,186
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year		227 11 8		46 9 1	0 7 6	274 12 3	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 20½ weeks of previous year	456,733	1,04,617 12 0	3,54,454 20	13,031 6 0	166 8 3	1,17,815 10 3	[illegible]24	4,716	25,040

* Added No. of passengers 1,528 and Rs. 405
† Deducted Mds. 7,979 and ,, 173
‡ Do. Re. 1
§ Audited figures up to 6th October 1906.

} On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 6th October 1906.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	Week ended 7th July ...	41,904	10,696	14,889	553	15	11,264	507	1,252	8 15 11
*22·23	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	24,510	5,737	10,816	416	13	6,166	277	1,190	5 2 11
*22·23	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	21,707	5,008	11,170	374	6	5,388	242	1,256	4 4 8
*22·23	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	17,649	4,140	5,048	242	9	4,391	198	1,126	3 14 5
*22·23	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	21,759	5,656	10,176	330	13	5,999	270	1,208	4 15 5
*22·23	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	20,034	4,601	7,994	330	12	4,943	222	1,100	4 7 11
*22·23	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	17,511	3,936	5,039	224	7	3,967	174	1,228	3 2 5
*22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	16,747	3,596	9,455	404	9	4,009	180	1,188	3 6 0
*22·23	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	16,049	3,471	6,250	270	7	3,748	169	1,190	3 2 5
*22·23	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	18,391	4,402	10,948	405	2	4,809	216	1,124	4 4 6
*22·23	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	19,735	4,074	11,768	511	7	4,592	207	1,202	3 13 2
*22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	20,847	4,597	22,509	902	8	5,507	248	1,256	4 6 2
*22·23	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	23,887	5,014	16,026	720	8	5,742	258	1,232	4 10 7
*22·23	,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	23,548	6,126	17,375	814	8	6,948	313	1,188	5 13 9
22·23	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	22,703	5,261	30,691	1,312	9	6,582	296	1,188	5 5 8
22·23	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	22,345	4,915	27,208	1,188	8	6,141	276	1,188	5 2 8
22·23	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	24,894	5,542	28,010	1,230	8	6,780	305	1,188	5 11 4
22·23	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	24,420	5,081	13,273	551	6	5,638	254	1,188	5 8 1
22·23	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	25,026	6,078	22,012	1,089	5	7,172	323	1,188	6 0 7
22·23	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	26,861	6,037	23,129	1,151	6	7,194	324	1,188	6 0 11
22·23	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	26,640	5,992	22,222	1,133	7	7,132	321	1,188	6 0 1
	Totals up to date ...	476,857	1,10,590	3,26,929	14,149	173	1,24,912	268	25,054	4 15 9

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 8 days of July ...	25,207	5,782	11,209	364	10	6,156	279	1,208	4 12 4
22·23	Week ended 15th July ...	33,030	7,843	9,826	283	9	8 134	366	1,252	6 7 11
22·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	26,308	6,519	5,291	212	4	6,735	303	1,010	6 10 8
22·23	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	16,036	3,679	4,222	171	14	3,864	174	1,384	2 12 6
22·23	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	15,506	3,494	13,446	276	9	3,779	170	1,190	3 2 7
22·23	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	21,980	5,409	4,943	227	6	5,722	258	1,032	5 8 10
22·23	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	19,279	4,230	42,165	637	6	4,872	219	884	5 13 6
22·23	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	16,240	3,484	7,738	411	8	3,903	176	1,780	2 3 1
22·23	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	16,890	3,745	7,701	311	4	4,060	183	1,186	3 6 9
22·23	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	19,339	4,394	10,749	402	8	4,804	219	1,186	4 1 7
22·23	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	20,267	4,348	10,087	437	9	4,694	211	1,186	3 15 4
22·23	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	18,033	3,906	17,287	694	9	4,606	207	1,186	3 15 2
22·23	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	18,097	3,942	13,811	633	6	4,581	206	1,142	4 0 2
22·23	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	24,027	5,877	14,796	655	8	6,540	294	1,056	6 3 1
22·23	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	23,070	5,256	19,491	857	6	6,119	275	1,206	4 11 7
22·23	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	20,600	4,631	24,573	1,069	4	5,704	257	1,210	4 11 1
22·23	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	20,446	4,540	22,981	878	10	5,423	244	1,186	4 9 2
22·23	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	24,244	6,272	24,282	1,108	9	7,389	332	1,212	6 1 6
22·23	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	27,695	6,453	28,836	1,3·1	4	7,758	349	1,036	7 8 7
22·23	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	25,829	5,754	30,167	995	7	6,756	304	1,186	5 11 2
22·23	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	22,012	5,062	21,853	1,035	11	6,108	275	1,186	5 2 5
	Totals up to date ...	456,733	1,04,618	3,54,454	13,031	167	1,17,816	251	25,040	4 11 3

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 17th November 1906 on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	123,272	20,433 0 0	1,94,775 0	15,868 0 0	67 0 0	36,368 0 0	9,357	3,645	13,182
Or per mile of railway	...	125 13 7	...	97 11 9	0 6 7	223 15 11	...	...	...
For previous 20 weeks of half-year.	422,155*	4,18,699 0 0*	32,94,601 0†	3,04,223 0 0†	1,303 0 0‡	7,24,225 0 0	183,995§	78,285§	262,280
Total for 21 weeks	545,427	4,39,132 0 0	34,89,376 0	3,20,091 0 0	1,370 0 0	7,60,593 0 0	193,352	82,130	275,482
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	23,726	21,366 8 1	2,12,873 0	20,900 15 0	54 6 0	42,321 13 1	9,252	3,980	13,232
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	131 9 7	...	128 11 9	0 5 4	260 10 8	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 21 weeks of previous year...	563,172	4,66,858 11 3	38,09,833 20	3,64,678 14 0	1,283 13 3	8,32,821 6 6	175,029	85,202	260,231

* Deducted No. of passengers 177 and amount Rs. 356
† Added Mds. 1,45,419 " " 3,354 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 6th
‡ Do. " 28 } October 1906.
§ Audited figures up to 6th October 1906.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*162·36	Week ended 7th July ...	31,177	21,273	1,34,000	13,005	58	34,336	211	13,124	2 9 10
*162·36	" " 14th " ...	28,355	20,955	98,220	15,213	54	36,222	223	14,036	2 9 3
*162·36	" " 21st " ...	25,950	20,413	1,19,465	16,782	71	37,266	230	13,717	2 11 6
*162·36	" " 28th " ...	26,176	18,131	1,71,547	16,651	57	34,839	213	12,986	2 10 7
*162·36	" " 4th Aug. ...	28,532	19,151	1,04,462	12,842	39	31,992	197	12,617	2 8 5
*162·36	" " 11th " ...	27,271	17,835	81,529	9,517	58	27,240	168	11,953	2 4 6
*162·36	" " 18th " ...	26,507	17,244	1,84,767	13,071	59	30,374	199	13,372	2 6 9
*162·36	" " 25th " ...	28,542	19,350	1,76,784	15,791	64	35,104	217	13,024	2 11 3
*162·36	" " 1st Sept. ...	24,027	20,453	2,28,587	12,858	63	33,374	206	11,785	2 13 4
*162·36	" " 8th " ...	23,497	18,595	1,60,577	16,297	78	34,970	215	12,168	2 14 0
*162·36	" " 15th " ...	19,456	17,090	3,11,371	16,798	105	34,993	209	12,910	2 10 2
*162·36	" " 22nd " ...	25,435	20,201	1,96,108	16,586	90	36,880	227	13,968	2 13 6
*162·36	" " 29th " ...	26,666	21,787	1,28,017	16,204	59	37,350	230	13,032	2 13 10
*162·36	" " 6th Oct. ...	25,513	21,155	2,79,721	19,765	80	41,300	254	15,183	2 11 6
162·36	" " 13th " ...	25,204	23,139	1,57,610	15,155	49	37,323	230	12,721	2 14 11
162·36	" " 20th " ...	24,560	24,007	1,24,313	14,637	53	40,697	251	12,807	3 2 10
162·36	" " 27th " ...	23,886	24,078	1,49,005	16,945	59	41,082	253	13,402	3 1 1
162·36	" " 3rd Nov. ...	25,350	24,255	1,35,443	13,333	64	38,652	238	13,602	2 13 2
162·36	" " 10th " ...	25,110	25,067	1,77,483	15,231	69	40,360	249	13,205	3 0 7
162·36	" " 17th " ...	24,504	22,978	1,61,662	16,047	74	39,081	241	13,438	2 14 6
‖162·36	" " 24th " ...	23,572	24,433	1,94,775	15,868	67	40,368	244	13,182	2 12 2
	Totals up to date ...	545,127	4,39,132	34,89,376	3,20,091	1,370	7,60,593	223	2,75,462	2 12 2

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concld. *1905.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 6 days of July ...	32,[illegible]	24,092	2,64,455	20,[illegible]	63	44,178	272	14,084	3 2 7
162·36	Week ended 15th " ...	29,557	22,387	1,47,254	15,306	55	37,745	230	12,280	2 3 3
162·36	22nd " ...	27,[illegible]6	19,733	1,50,854	17,037	62	36,832	227	10,070	3 3 9
162·36	29th " ...	27,[illegible]52	19,912	2,65,755	24,[illegible]8	45	44,518	276	11,076	4 0 9
162·36	5th Aug. ...	25,[illegible]16	18,903	1,68,867	16,189	36	35,130	216	10,938	3 3 5
162·36	12th	26,426	19,446	1,16,599	10,578	40	30,065	185	11,028	2 11 7
162·36	19th	25,705	18,299	83,527	9,998	30	28,146	173	11,258	2 6 0
162·36	26th	24,0[illegible]2	18,[illegible]52	2,44,494	16,427	45	34,825	214	10,037	3 4 5
162·36	2nd Sept. ...	58,[illegible]58	34,171	1,65,001	16,460	76	50,647	343	14,280	3 14 4
162·36	9th " ...	25,007	14,386	1,68,211	19,002	68	33,456	237	11,085	3 4 8
162·36	16th " ...	21,610	18,956	2,11,073	16,936	112	35,[illegible]8	[illegible]	11,100	3 4 9
162·36	23rd " ...	19,758	17,247	2,28,260	15,611	44	32,898	203	11,426	2 14 1
162·36	30th " ...	22,[illegible]30	20,255	1,19,550	14,240	47	35,220	217	11,053	3 0 4
162·36	7th Oct. ...	2[illegible]6	21,618	1,23,536	15,744	60	37,422	230	11,652	3 3 5
162·36	14th "	25,2[illegible]	21,568	1,49,652	20,291	55	41,914	258	10,018	3 13 8
162·36	21st "	2[illegible]18	22,[illegible]27	1,71,414	16,822	82	40,129	247	14,361	2 12 8
162·36	28th "	21,[illegible]5	25,651	1,02,838	18,086	88	43,124	261	16,021	2 10 4
162·36	4th Nov.	24,[illegible]04	26,900	2,72,367	22,774	77	49,758	306	13,882	3 9 7
162·36	11th "	2[illegible],[illegible]9	29,477	1,82,869	19,964	74	49,502	306	14,783	3 5 10
162·36	18th "	2[illegible],[illegible]3	29,216	1,96,013	18,835	51	48,102	253	13,093	3 2 3
162·36	25th "	2[illegible],[illegible]7	2[illegible],367	2,12,873	20,901	54	42,322	261	13,232	3 3 2
	Totals up to date	503,[illegible]72	4,66,850	38,09,833	3,64,679	1,283	8,32,821		260,231	3 3 2

* Audited figures

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 24th November 1906 on 768 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	58,035	35,523 0 0	3,23,302 0	49,402 0 0	3,532 0 0	88,457 0 0	13,833	21,032	34,865
Or per mile of railway	75·57	46·25	418·15	64·08	4·58	114·91	18·01	27·28	45·29
For previous 20 weeks of half-year	948,796	5,76,075 0 0	79,72,225 0	11,18,771 0 0	1,32,246 0 0	18,29,092 0 0	235,542	377,730	613,272
Total for 21 weeks* ...	1,006,831	6,13,598 0 0	82,94,617 0	11,68,173 0 0	1,35,778 0 0	19,17,549 0 0	249,375	398,762	648,137
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	46,231	30,092 0 0	3,72,456 0	47,773 0 0	4,654 0 0	82,519 0 0	10,306	21,313	31,619
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	62·73	40·83	503·32	64·56	6·29	111·68	13·98	28·80	42·78
Total to corresponding date of previous year	838,962	5,34,908 0 0	57,29,954 0	8,03,083 0 0	1,13,828 0 0	15,41,819 0 0	210,170	387,309	606,479

* Includes Noakhali Railway earnings Rs. 33,003 and train-mileage 17,934.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 24th November 1906.			Receipts for week ending 25th November 1905.			Total receipts from 1st April 1906 to 24th November 1906.			Total receipts from 1st April 1905 to 25th November 1905.			Total increase in 1906.	Total decrease in 1906.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
771	88,457		740	82,519	111·68	771	28,49,382			22,42,798		6,06,584	

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 24th November 1906 on 1,518 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,518 miles open	241,340	(a) 1,51,090	11,27,530	(b) 1,70,480	(c) 30,170	3,31,670	49,302	(d) 48,198	97,490
Or per mile of railway	159·00	84 04	7·28 36	110·13	19·49	214·26	.....	.....	.....
For previous 20 weeks of half-year (e)	5,765,016	22,60,529	1,01,44,346	20,62,200	3,78,077	47,09,806	983,148	744,318	1,727,466
Total for 21 weeks ...	6,006,356	24,00,549	1,72,71,876	22,32,680	4,08,247	50,41,476	1,032,450	792,506	1,824,956
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,467 miles open	264,204	1,17,790	9,06,630	1,18,627	35,746	2,72,163	43,479	(f) 43,730	87,209
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	180·10	80·29	658·98	80·86	24 37	185·52	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	5,472,092	22,08,438	1,56,12,357	18,04,310	3,70,288	43,83,536	990,734	701,666	1,692,400
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train-mile respectively during the week	.....	2·66	.....	3·54	·31	3·10	.....	.....	.....
Ditto for corresponding week of previous year	.....	2·71	.....	2·71	·41	3·12	.....	.....	.....

(a) General increase.
(b) Increase chiefly under foreign inward, grain for Bengal.
(c) Decrease mainly under sundries.
(d) Includes 1,697 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Ditto audited figures up to week ending 13th October 1906.
(f) Ditto 3,592 miles of ballast trains.

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ending 1st December 1906 on 1,548 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 1,548 miles open	260,150	(a)1,20,070	10,42,580	(b)1,57,870	(c)12,320	2,97,260	48,544	(d)40,804	89,348
Ditto per mile of railway ...	171·03	77·5	673·5	101·98	12·4	192·03	.....	.....	.....
Total for previous 21 weeks of half-year (e)	6,000,716	23,99,098	1,73,04,081	22,37,339	4,06,980	50,43,467	1,033,621	792,921	1,826,546
Total for 22 weeks ...	6,266,866	25,19,168	1,83,46,661	23,95,259	4,26,300	53,40,727	1,082,166	839,725	1,921,894
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year on 1,467 miles open	230,043	1,12,079	9,58,985	1,25,541	16,214	2,53,834	44,393	(f)141,027	85,420
Per mile of corresponding week of previous year	162·95	76·4	653·7	85·58	11·0	173·0			
Total to corresponding date of previous year	5,711,101	25,20,517	1,65,71,342	19,30,351	3,86,502	46,37,370	1,035,063	742,694	1,777,757
Earnings per Coaching, Goods and Total train mile respectively during the week ...		2·4		3·37	·20	3·1			
Do. for corresponding week of previous year		2·53		3·06	·19	2·97			

(a) General increase.
(b) Increase mainly under foreign inward, grain for Bengal.
(c) Increase chiefly under Steamboat.
(d) Includes 3,302 miles of ballast train.
(e) Ditto Audited figures up to week ending 20th October 1906.
(f) Ditto 5,386 miles of ballast trains.

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 24th November 1906 on 1,271 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including steam-boat).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s	Rs. A P	Rs. A P	Rs. A P			
Total traffic for the week ...	376,420	1,82,140 0 0	26,51,880 (	3,59,741 0 0	56,750 0 0	5,98,330 0 0	61,231	56,313	117,544
Ditto per mile of railway ...	298	143 0 0	2,086 (	283 0 0	29 0 0*	455 0 0*	.....	.....	.....
Total for previous 20 weeks of half-year†	7,386,054	31,82,155 0 0	3,90,86,644 (	47,27,077 0 0	5,87,873 0 0	1,01,97,105 0 0	1,230,182	1,130,873	2,361,055
Total for 21 weeks	7,761,484	33,64,295 0 0	4,17,38,524 0	50,86,817 0	6,44,623 0 0	1,10,95,335 0 0	1,291,413	1,187,186	2,478,599
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	352,580	2,02,315 0 0	23,39,916	3,52,627 0 0	62,063 0 0	6,16,935	61,725	53,306	115,031
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,235 miles)	285	164 0 0	1,895 0	285 0					
Total to corresponding date of previous year	7,122,242	31,50,525 0 0	3,49,11,040 0	52,58,425 0 0	6,01,031 0 0	1,00,22,181 0 0	1,128,203	1,017,109	2,215,375

* Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. ... 69.
† Audited up to week ending 13th October 1906.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 24th November 1906 on 86 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A P			
Total traffic for the week	42,380	14,110 0 0	79,620 0	7,650 0 0	110 0 0	21,260 0 0	3,710	3,169	6,918
Per mile of railway	500	164 0 0	923 0	89 0 0			.....	.....	.....
For previous 20 weeks of half-year*	7,17,200	2,19,256 0 0	12,84,018 0	1,16,588 0 0	4,597 0 0	3,40,740 0 0	83,104	37,510	1,20,703
Total for 21 weeks	7,59,580	2,33,365 0 0	13,63,638 0	1,23,938 0 0	4,707 0 0	3,62,000 0 0	86,814	40,703	1,27,621
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	5,154	10,710 0 0	97,930 0	7,916 0 0	759 0 0	19,385 0 0	3,148	2,510	5,658
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	307	125 0 0	1,138 0	92 0 0	9 0 0	226 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	6,67,661	1,98,615 0 0	14,12,983 0	1,08,580 0 0	4,905 0 0	3,12,100 0 0	66,894	40,864	1,07,758

* Audited up to week ending 13th October 1906.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 24th November 1906 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	4,350	1,640 0 0	18,870 0	1,540 0 0	10 0 0	3,190 0 0	* 483	(a)1,041	1,524
Or per mile of railway	...	49 0 0	0	46 0 0	.....	95 0 0	.....	.....	...
For previous 20 weeks of half-year*	66,680	25,238 0 0	5,46,357 0	34,583 0 0	332 0 0	60,159 0 0	8,481	27,983	36,464
Total for 21 weeks ..	71,030	26,878 0 0	5,65,257 0	36,129 0 0	342 0 0	63,349 0 0	8,964	29,024	37,988
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	3,619	1,277 0 0	20,838 0	1,596 0 0	16 0 0	2,889 0 0	483	513	996
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	108	38 0 0	620 0	47 0 0	1 0 0	86 0 0	.....		
Total to corresponding date of previous year	75,116	26,454 0 0	2,70,760 0	23,924 0 0	267 0 0	49,645 0 0	9,354	9,138	19,492

* Audited up to week ending 13th October 1906.
(a) Includes ballast train miles 400.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 24th November 1906 on 50·69 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	14,970	4,020 0 0	46,220 0	2,130 0 0	40 0 0	6,1-0 0 0	1,767	933	2,700
Or per mile of railway ...	295	79 0 0	912 0	42 0 0	1 0 0	122 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 20 weeks of half-year* ..	208,243	59,009 0 0	8,52,180 0	40,905 0 0	897 0 0	1,09,810 0 0	28,319	16,848	45,167
Total for 21 weeks ...	223,213	63,028 0 0	8,98,400 0	43,035 0 0	937 0 0	1,16,000 0 0	30,086	17,781	47,867
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	11,580	3,338 0 0	78,963 0	3,651 0 0	43 0 0	6,997 0 0	1,184	946	2,130
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	226	64 0 0	1,538 0	71 0 0	1 0 0	136 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	190,774	53,566 0 0	9,16,714 0	45,297 0 0	703 0 0	99,571 0 0	24,173	12,116	36,248

* Audited up to week ending 13th October 1906

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st December 1906 on 1,271 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including steam-boat).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	356,300	1,89,480 0 0	1,526,700 0	3,05,080 0 0	16,880 0 0	5,11,380 0 0	60,554	57,207	117,761
Or per mile of railway	304	140 0 0	1,201 0	240 0 0	*1 0 0	*280 0 0	..	..	...
For previous 21 weeks of half-year†	7,775,432	33,68,924 0 0	41,278,248 0	70,07,[illegible] 0 0	6 46,741 0 0	1,50,21,125 0 0	1,302,990	1,183,143	2,476,173
Total for 22 weeks ...	8,161,732	35,58,344 0 0	42,804,[illegible]48 0	73,12,[illegible]80 0 0	6,61,671 0 0	1,15,32,505 0 0	1,363,544	1,240,350	2,593,934
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year...	325,789	1,58,594 0 0	1,590,481 0	3,25,[illegible]23 0 0	16,592 0 0	5,00,809 0 0	58,747	55,460	114,207
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,235 miles)	264	128 0 0	1,288 0	264 0 0	1 0 0	393 0 0	...		
Total to corresponding date of previous year	7,448,024	33,18,139 0 0	36,501,521 0	65,84,[illegible]67 0 0	6,20,624 0 0	1,05,72,990 0 0	1,237,013	1,072,569	2,309,582

* Excluding steam-[illegible] earnings, Rs. 15,540
† Audited up to week ending 20th October 1906.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st December 1906 on 66 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	45,260	14,050 0 0	69,050 0	6,590 0 0	80 0 0	20,720 0 0	3,721	3,349	7,070
Or per mile of railway	526	163 0 0	803 0	77 0 0	1 0 0	241 9 0	...	...	...
For previous 21 weeks of half-year*	758,302	2,33,962 0 0	1,378,190 0	1,25,754 0 0	4,696 0 0	3,63,952 0 0	93,977	40,480	134,457
Total for 22 weeks	803,562	2,47,...3 0 0	1,447,240 0	1,32,344 0 0	4,776 0 0	3,84,672 0 0	97,708	43,829	141,537
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	30,893	...879 0 0	68,221 0	6,228 0 0	89 0 0	15,936 0 0	3,090	2,066	5,156
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	359	113 0 0	793 0	72 0 0	1 0 0	196 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	667,955	2,08,294 0 0	1,481,204 0		4,995 0 0	3,23,097 0 0	9,9[illegible]	43,630	113,544

* Audited up to week ending 20th October 1906.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st December 1906 on 33·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	4,010	1,690 0 0	13,810 0	1,340 0 0	10 0 0	3,040 0 0	462	(a)1,162	1,624
Or per mile of railway	119	50 0 0	411 0	40 0 0		90 0 0	...		
For previous 21 weeks of half-year*	71,167	26,771 0 0	569,117 0	36,150 0 0	346 0 0	63,267 0 0	8,860	29,559	38,428
Total for 22 weeks	75,177	28,461 0 0	582,927 0	37,490 0 0	356 0 0	66,307 0 0	9,331	30,721	40,052
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	3,204	1,198 0 0	17,378 0	1,659 0 0	12 0 0	2,869 0 0	462	482	944
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	95	36 0 0	517 0	49 0 0	.....	85 0 0	..	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	78,319	27,632 0 0	294,128 0	24,583 0 0	299 0 0	52,514 0 0	10,816	9,620	20,436

* Audited up to week ending 20th October 1906.
(a) Includes ballast train-miles 500

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st December 1906 on 50·69 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	16,100	4,210 0 0	42,780 0	2,500 0 0	30 0 0	6,740 0 0	1,725	875	2,600
Or per mile of railway	318	83 0 0	844 0	49 0 0	1 0 0	133 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 21 weeks of half-year*	223,404	62,861 0 0	895,808 0	47,801 0 0	925 0 0	1,11,587 0 0	30,303	17,887	48,190
Total for 22 weeks	239,504	67,071 0 0	938,588 0	50,301 0 0	955 0 0	1,18,327 0 0	32,028	18,762	50,790
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	1[illegible],262	2 893 0 0	66,126 0	3,577 0 0	35 0 0	6,619 0 0	1,173	927	2,100
Per mile of railway corresponding week of [illegible]	1[illegible]	57 0 0	1,247 0	69 0 0	1 0 0	127 0 0			
Total to corresponding date of [illegible]	9[illegible],978	[illegible],475 0 0	933,840 0	48,974 0 0	741 0 0	1,06,090 0 0	25,[illegible]46	13,043	38,[illegible]88

* Audited up to week ending 20th October 1906.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

			Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 1st December 1906	Coaching ...		8,198	0	0			
	Goods		8,831	0	0	17,085	0	0
	Other earnings .		56	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1905 ...	Coaching .		7,964	0	0			
	Goods .		9,723	0	0	17,747	0	0
	Other earnings .		60	0	0			
		Decrease ...				662	0	0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 1st December 1906						335	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905						347	15	8
		Decrease ...				12	15	8
Receipts from 1st July to 1st December 1906						3,89,300	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905						4,06,834	0	0
		Decrease ...				17,534	0	0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 4877A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 4690A.—The 12th December 1906.*—Babu Nagendra Nath Ray, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Singhbhum, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district.

Singhbhum.
Ranchi.

No. 4713A.—The 14th December 1906.—Maulvi Subhan Ali Khan, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ranaghat, Nadia, is appointed to have charge of the Satkhira subdivision of the Khulna district.

Nadia.
Khulna.

No. 4715A.—The 14th December 1906.—Babu Kumud Bandhu Das Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Satkhira, Khulna, is appointed to have charge of the Ranaghat subdivision of the Nadia district.

Khulna.
Nadia.

No. 4824A.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Srimanta Kumar Das Gupta, Probationary Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to be a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the eighth grade, and is posted to the head-quarters station of that district.

24-Parganas.

No. 4849A.—The 18th December 1906.—Mr. J. Johnston, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the head-quarters station of the Darbhanga district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating District and Sessions Judge of that district.

Darbhanga.

This cancels the order of the 19th October 1906, posting Mr. J. Johnston to the head-quarters station of the Ranchi district.

Ranchi.

No. 4863A.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Bhabadeb Sarkar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Manbhum district.

Manbhum.

No. 4865A.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Nanda Kishor Tripathi, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Manbhum, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Jessore district.

Manbhum.
Jessore.

No. 4869A.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Rakhal Mohan Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Vishnupur subdivision of the Bankura district.

Bankura.

No. 4871A.—The 18th December 1906.—The order, dated the 4th December 1906, appointing Babu Chandra Shekhar Kar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, to have charge of the Arambagh subdivision of that district is cancelled.

Hooghly.

No. 4873A.—The 18th December 1906.—Maulvi Muhammad Shams-uz-Zoha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bagerhat, Khulna, is appointed to have charge of the Arambagh subdivision of the Hooghly district.

Khulna.
Hooghly.

No. 4875A.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Bipin Bihari Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur, is appointed to have charge of the Bagerhat subdivision of the Khulna district.

Bhagalpur.
Khulna.

VOLUNTEERS.—*No. 4786A.—The 17th December 1906.*—Major the Hon'ble Mr. Richard Harington, Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps, is appointed to act as Commandant of that Corps, during the absence, on leave, of Commander E. W. Petley, C.I.E., A.D.C., or until further orders, with effect from the 4th August 1906.

Calcutta.

No. 4790A.—The 18th December 1906.—Captain William Henry Hoare Vincent, Supernumerary List, Behar Light Horse, is transferred, in the same rank, to the Supernumerary List of the Chota Nagpur Mounted Rifles, with effect from the 1st November 1906.

Chota Nagpur.

POLICE.—*No. 4752A.—The 15th December 1906.*—Mr. H. A. S. Burt, Superintendent of Police, Hazaribagh, is transferred to Murshidabad.

Hazaribagh.
Murshidabad.

No. 4754A.—The 15th December 1906.—Mr. W. C. Fasson, Superintendent of Police, Patna, is transferred to Hazaribagh.

Patna.
Hazaribagh.

Murshidabad. Patna. *No. 4756A.—The 15th December 1906.*—Mr. W. Swain, Superintendent of Police, Murshidabad, is transferred to Patna.

Calcutta. Ranchi. *No. 4797A.—The 18th December 1906.*—Mr. A. V. Knyvett, C.I.E., a Deputy Inspector-General of Police, who was Officiating as Inspector-General of Police, Bengal, is appointed to be Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Burdwan Range, with head-quarters at Ranchi, with effect from the 1st April 1906.

This cancels the Notification No. 4615A., dated the 11th December 1906, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th idem.

Calcutta. *No. 4799A.—The 18th December 1906.*—Mr. C. W. C. Plowden, who was on deputation to the Criminal Investigation Department, is appointed to be Deputy Inspector-General of Police for Crime and Railways, with head-quarters at Calcutta, with effect from the 1st April 1906.

Calcutta. *No. 4801A.—The 18th December 1906.*—Mr. F. N. Warden, Superintendent of Police, who was on deputation to the Criminal Investigation Department, is appointed to be Assistant to the Deputy Inspector-General of Police for Crime and Railways, with head-quarters at Calcutta, with effect from the 1st April 1906.

24-Parganas. ECCLESIASTICAL.—*No. 4731A.—The 14th December 1906.*—The Revd. W. K. Firminger is appointed to be Chaplain of St. Stephen's Church, Kidderpore, with effect from the date on which he may take over charge.

24-Parganas. *No. 4733A.—The 14th December 1906.*—The Revd. P. H. Crozier is appointed to be Chaplain of Dum-Dum, with effect from the 1st December 1906, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge.

LEAVE.

Singhbhum. GENERAL.—*No. 4738A.—The 15th December 1906.*—Babu Tulshi Charan Pal, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, under orders of transfer to Singhbhum, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th December 1906.

No. 4792A.—The 18th December 1906.—Mr. H. Coupland, I.C.S., has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for three days.

No. 4793A.—The 18th December 1906.—Mr. H. H. Heard, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of leave on medical certificate for six weeks.

Ranchi. *No. 4803A.—The 18th December 1906.*—Babu Chandra Nath De, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ranchi, is allowed leave for one month, under article 242 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1907.

Bankura. *No. 4867A.—The 18th December 1906.*—Babu Atal Bihari Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Vishnupur, Bankura, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

POWERS.

Muzaffarpur. GENERAL.—*No. 4794A.—The 18th December 1906.*—Babu Harabansha Sahay, Deputy Collector, on Partition work, Muzaffarpur, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

The following orders are republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette*, dated 8th December 1906 :—

No. 12499C.—The 5th December 1906.—The services of Babu Haripada Mazumdar, Munsif of Dacca, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 12509C.—The 5th December 1906.—Babu Ambika Charan Mukharji, Munsif of Dacca, is appointed to act as Judge, Court of Small Causes, Dacca and Munshiganj, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Durga Charan Sen, or until further orders, and is vested with the powers of a Subordinate Judge.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4522A.—The 18th December 1906.—The report of the Central Examination Committee having been received, the result of the second Half-yearly Departmental Examination of the Assistants of the Opium Department held on the 5th and 6th November 1906 is published for general information :—

I. The officers, named below, who passed partially at previous examinations, have now passed in the remaining subject or subjects mentioned opposite their names :—

1. Maulvi S. Ashfak Husain ... Opium Laws and Procedure.
2. Mr. E. G. Browne ... Ditto ditto, Hindustani (Nagri) and Urdu (Persian).
3. „ D. E. Augier ... Opium Laws and Procedure, Hindustani (Nagri) and Urdu (Persian).

II. The undermentioned officers have passed partially and are still liable to examination in the remaining subject or subjects mentioned in column 3 :—

Name.	Now passed in—	Still liable to examination in—
1		
Mr. A. B. Cockburn ...	Hindustani (Nagri) ...	Practical work.
„ G. W. Murphy ...	Opium Laws and Procedure.	Hindustani (Kaithi), Accounts and Practical work.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3542L A.—The 18th December 1906.—In the fourth line of declaration
Nadia. No. 1224L.A., dated the 5th March 1906, published at page 874, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 7th idem, *for* "Mamjoan" *read* "Ranaghat."

DECLARATION.

No. 3535L.A.—The 17th December 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government
Manbhum. at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for ballast quarries for the construction of the Purulia-Ranchi Railway in the village of Narainpur, pargana Joypur, zilla Manbhum, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 80 acres 3 roods 19 poles of standard measurement, close to the Narainpur station yard of the Railway, is required within the aforesaid village of Narainpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be seen in the Office of the Land Acquisition Officer at Purulia.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 3473L.A.—The 13th December 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government
Bhagalpur. at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for road diversion in mile No. 1 of the Bhagalpur Kutchery extension of the Hajipur-Katihar extension of the Tirhut State Railway, in the village of Kasba Barari, pargana Bhagalpur, zilla Bhagalpur, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 17 cottahs 12 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—
South— } By the garden land of Babu Ugro Mohan Thakur and *parti* land of Babu Sri Mohan Thakur,

East—By the land already acquired by the Bengal and North-Western Railway,

West—By the public road—

is required within the aforesaid village of Kasba Barari.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3115.—The 15th December 1906.—Maulvi Nasirul Haq, a teacher of the Ravenshaw
Cuttack. Collegiate School, Cuttack, is appointed to be a member of the Orissa Text-Book Committee, *vice* Maulvi Syed Tajammul Ali.

No. 3117.—The 15th December 1906.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sarada Charan Mitra
Calcutta. is appointed to be a member of the Central Text-Book Committee, Calcutta, *vice* Mr. C. Russell, resigned.

No. 3046.—The 12th December 1906.—The Notification No. 918, dated the 27th February 1906, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th idem,
Birbhum. which declared the Temple and *Rasmancha* in the town of Suri, in the district of Birbhum, to be a protected monument, is confirmed under section 3 (3) of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (VII of 1904),

No. 3130.—The 17th December 1906.—It is notified for general information that during the ensuing Christmas and New Year's holidays, the Imperial Library will remain entirely closed on the 25th December 1906, and on the 1st January 1907. On all other day (including Sundays) the reading-room of the Library will remain open from 2 to 5 P. M.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 9728 R.—The 14th December 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 188 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Mr. L. F. Morshead, Collector of Customs, Calcutta, to hear appeals from decisions or orders passed by the Assistant Collectors of Customs, Calcutta.

No. 9680.—The 12th December 1906.—Mr. C. F. Russell, Assistant Opium Agent,

Sitapur. appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agen Sitapur, with effect from the afternoon of the 26th November 1906 during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. Hastings, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, or until further orders.

H. J. MCINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 490Medl.—The 13th December 1906.—Captain F. A. F. Barnardo, I.M.S., Officiating Civil Surgeon, stationed at Shahabad, is appointed, with effect from

Shahabad. Bhagalpur. the afternoon of the 9th November 1906, to act as Civil Surgeon of Bhagalpur, during the absence, on deputation, of Major C. R. Stevens, I.M.S., or until further orders

No. 492Medl.—The 13th December 1906.—Captain A. F. Stevens, I.M.S., Officiating

Hooghly Shahabad. Civil Surgeon, is transferred from Hooghly to Shahabad, with effect from the forenoon of the 17th November 1906.

No. 494Medl.—The 13th December 1906.—Captain M. Mackelvie, I.M.S., was on general

Calcutta. duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the forenoon of the 20th to the afternoon of the 30th October 1906.

No. 496Medl.—The 13th December 1906.—Captain M. Mackelvie, I.M.S., is appointed

Sambalpur. temporarily to act as a Civil Surgeon, and is posted to Sambalpur, with effect from the forenoon of the 1st November 1906.

Manbhum. Birbhum. *No. 498Medl.—The 13th December 1906.*—Captain J. G. Fleming, I.S.M.D., Civil Surgeon, Manbhum, is transferred to Birbhum.

No. 500Medl.—The 13th December 1906.—Captain F. P. Connor, I.M.S., was on general

Calcutta. duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the forenoon of the 6th to the afternoon of the 20th November 1906.

No. 502Medl.—The 13th December 1906.—Captain F. P. Connor, I.M.S., is appointed

Manbhum. temporarily to act as a Civil Surgeon, and is posted to Manbhum, with effect from the forenoon of the 22nd November 1906.

No. 504Med.—The 13th December 1906.—Captain W. C. Ross, I.M.S., is appointed,

Bihar. Chota Nagpur. with effect from the forenoon of the 26th November 1906, to act as Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Bihar and Chota Nagpur Circle, during the absence, on deputation, of Major B. R. Chatterton, I.M.S., until further orders.

No. 556Medl.—The 17th December 1906.—Captain W. W. Clemesha, I.M.S., reported his departure from India, on leave, on the 21st November 1906.

H. J. MCINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 4878A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 4775A.—The 17th December 1906.—Babu Binod Bihari Ray, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Jhenida, during the absence, on leave, of Lala Damodar Prasad, or until further orders.

Jessore.

No. 4808A.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Bijay Gopal Chatarji, Munsif of Kushtia, in the district of Nadia, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Magura, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 and with the function of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Magura munsifi.

Jessore.

No. 4810A.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Hem Chandra Bose, No. I, Additional Munsif of Kushtia and Ranaghat, now on deputation to Kushtia, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Kushtia, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Kushtia munsifi.

Nadia.

No. 4812A.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Radha Kanta Ghosh, Munsif of Magura, in the district of Jessore, now under orders of transfer to Bangaon, in the same district, is appointed to be an Additional Munsif in the district of Nadia, to be ordinarily stationed at Kushtia and Ranaghat, but for the present to be on deputation to Kushtia.

Jessore.
Nadia.

No. 4814A.—The 18th December 1906.—The order of the 4th December 1906, appointing Babu Hemendra Lal Singh, Munsif of Bangaon, in the district of Jessore, to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Magura, and vesting him with the powers of a Judge of the Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs 100, and with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Magura munsifi, is cancelled.

Jessore.

No. 4837A.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Atul Chandra Ghosh, Munsif of Hooghly, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Nadia, to be ordinarily stationed at Krishnagar, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Krishnagar Munsifi. He is also vested with powers, under section 19, sub-section (2), of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000 arising within the local limits of the original jurisdiction of the District Judge of Nadia.

Hooghly.
Nadia.

No. 4839A.—The 18th December 1906.—Mr. A. S. M. Ziya-ur Rahman, Additional Munsif of Darbhanga, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of that portion of the Hooghly Munsifi which lies outside the limits of the jurisdiction of the Small Cause Court proper at Hooghly.

Darbhanga.
Hooghly.

No. 4843A.—The 18th December 1906.—Lala Tarak Nath, B.L., is appointed to act until further orders, as an Additional Munsif in the district of Darbhanga, but, for the present, to be on deputation to the Sadar station.

Darbhanga.

No. 4845A.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Ras Bihari Mukharji, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Birbhum, to be ordinarily stationed at Rampur Hât, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Durga Das Chakrabatti, or until further orders.

Birbhum.

No. 4847A.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Gour Krishna Basu, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Bageihat, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Haripada Banarji, or until further orders.

Jessore.

No. 4854A.—The 18th December 1906.—Maulvi Muhammad Habibullah, now stationed at Sambalpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Cuttack, to be ordinarily stationed at Sambalpur, and is vested with powers under section 19, sub-section (2), of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act, XII of 1887, to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000 arising within the local limits of the Sambalpur and Bargarh Munsifis. He is also vested with the functions of a District Court, under-section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, and with the powers conferred on District Judges under sections 344 to 359 (both inclusive) of the Code of Civil Procedure in cases where the amount of debts owing by the insolvents does not exceed Rs. 1,000, arising within the local limits of his jurisdiction.

Cuttack.

No. 4856A.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Surendra Krishna Ghosh, now stationed at Sambalpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Cuttack, to be ordinarily stationed at Sambalpur, and is vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, and also with the powers conferred on District Judges under sections 344 to 359 (both inclusive) of the Code of Civil Procedure in cases where the amount of debts owing by the insolvents does not exceed Rs. 1,000, arising within the local limits of the Sambalpur Munsifi.

Cuttack.

No. 4858A.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Nata Bihari Ghosh, now stationed at Sambalpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Cuttack, to be ordinarily stationed at Sambalpur.

Cuttack.

No. 4860.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Lakshmi Narayan Patnaik, now stationed at Bargarh (Sambalpur), is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Cuttack, to be ordinarily stationed at Bargarh.

Cuttack.

LEAVE.

No. 4852A.—The 11th December 1906.—Lala Damodar Prasad, Munsif of Jhenida, in the district of Jessore, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1907.

Jessore.

No. 4853A.—The 14th December 1906.—Babu Purna Chandra Sarkar, Munsif of Krishnagar, in the district of Nadia, is allowed leave for sixty-one days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1907.

Nadia.

The 14th December 1906.—Babu Durgadas Chakrabatti, Munsif of Rampur Hât, in the district of Birbhum, is allowed leave for one month, viz., three days under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations and the remaining period under article 271 of the same Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1907.

Birbhum.

POWERS.

No. 4806A.—The 18th December 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Mr. H. C. Liddell, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Birbhum, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Mr. Liddell is also vested with powers under sections 110, 133, 134, 174, 190 (1) (*c*) and 524 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Birbhum.

No. 4824A.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Srimanta Kumar Das Gupta, Deputy Magistrate, 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

24-Parganas.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3629J.—The 13th December 1906.—The gentlemen named below are re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Benches mentioned opposite their names in the district of Birbhum :—

Birbhum.

Babu Kripa Nath Dutt	Suri	Independent Bench.
Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Abdul Hafiz	Rampur Hât.	ditto.

No. 3632J.—The 12th December 1906.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Kaim Husain is re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Daudnagar, in the district of Gaya.

Gaya.

No. 3729J.—The 17th December 1906.—Babu Gopi Nath Mattey is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench in the district of Shahabad.

Shahabad.

No. 3785J.—The 17th December 1906.—Babu Radha Nath Mahanty and Babu Gopi Nath Adhikari are re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Khurda, in the district of Puri.

Puri.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 3627J.—The 12th December 1906.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. Walter Davies of his appointment as a Presidency Magistrate for the town of Calcutta.

Calcutta.

No. 3701J.—The 14th December 1906.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. W. R. B. Wight Boycott of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Kanchrapara Independent Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

POWERS.

No. 3630J.—The 13th December 1906.—The gentlemen named below, who have been re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Benches mentioned opposite their names in the district of Birbhum, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class:—

Birbhum.

Babu Kripa Nath Dutt	Suri	Independent Bench.
Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Abdul Hafiz	Rampur Hât	ditto.

No. 3633J.—The 12th December 1906.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Kaim Husain, who has been re-appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Daudnagar, in the district of Gaya, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class. He is also empowered, under section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Gaya.

No. 3730J.—The 17th December 1906.—Babu Gopi Nath Mattey, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Independent Bench, in the district of Shahabad, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class. He is also authorised to sit singly for the trial of such cases as may be made over to him by the District Magistrate.

Shahabad.

Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Gopi Nath Mattey to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

No. 3767J.—The 17th December 1906.—Babu Sarat Chandra Mukharji, an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Tamluk, in the district of Midnapore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Midnapore.

No. 3786J.—The 17th December 1906.—Babu Radha Nath Mahanty and Babu Gopi Nath Adhikari, who have been re-appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Independent Bench at Khurda, in the district of Puri, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class. Babu Radha Nath Mahanty is also empowered under section 357, sub-section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

Puri.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3664J.—The 13th December 1906.—It is hereby notified that the Subordinate Judge of Hazaribagh, Ranchi and Palamau in Chota Nagpur will hold sittings at Palamau from the 2nd January 1907 for the trial there of original suits.

Hazaribagh. Ranchi. Palamau.

No. 3736J.—The 14th December 1906.—Under section 3, Act I (B.C.) of 1876 (an Act to provide for the voluntary registration of Muhammadan marriages and divorces), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a license to Maulvi Mukhleswar Rahman authorizing him, as a temporary measure, to register Muhammadan marriages and divorces, and to exercise the other functions of a Muhammadan Registrar within thanas Muslandpur and Nandigram, with head-quarters at Mohisadal, in the district of Midnapore.

Midnapore

No. 3737J.—The 14th December 1906.—Under section 2, Act XII of 1880 (an Act for the appointment of persons to the office of Kazi), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to grant a *sanad* (license) to Maulvi Mukhleswar Rahman appointing him, as a temporary measure, Kazi of thanas Muslandpur and Nandigram with head-quarters at Mohisadal, in the district of Midnapore, for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies, when application is made to him to perform any such functions.

Midnapore.

No. 3770J.—The 18th December 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (3) of section 1 of the Sambalpur Civil Courts Act, 1906, (Bengal Act IV of 1906), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that the said Act shall come into force on and from the 1st January, 1907.

Sambalpur.

No. 3771J.—The 18th December 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13, sub-section (1) of the Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Assam Civil Courts Act (XII of 1887), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to establish, with effect from the 1st January, 1907, a Subordinate Judge's Court at Sambalpur, in the district of Sambalpur, and to declare that the Subordinate Judge shall exercise jurisdiction within the local limits of the said district of Sambalpur.

Sambalpur.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

No. 2613P.—The 15th December 1906.—Mr. O. F. Ottman, Inspector of Police, Patna, is promoted from the second to the first grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 23rd August 1906, *vice* Babu Madan Mohan Lal, *retired.*

Patna.

Babu Rajani Kumar Mazumdar, Inspector of Police, Manbhum, is promoted from the third to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 4th August 1906, *vice* Babu Shaligram Sahay of the Criminal Investigation Department, *deceased.*

Manbhum.

Babu Bishnu Chandra Sen, Inspector of Police, Howrah, is promoted from the third to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 14th August 1906, *vice* Babu Sharat Chandra Das, *retired.*

Howrah.

Babu Banwari Lal Chatarji, Inspector of Police, Balasore, is promoted from the third to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 23rd August 1906, *vice* Mr. O. F. Ottman, promoted to the first grade.

Balasore.

Babu Shib Prasad Regmi, Inspector of Police, Bhagalpur, is promoted from the fourth to the second grade of Inspectors, sanctioned for the districts of Purnea and Darjeeling, in Government order No. 257P.D., dated the 2nd May 1906, with effect from the 1st September 1906.

Bhagalpur.

No. 2654P.—The 15th December 1906.—Babu Gyanendra Nath Ohdadar, Inspector of Police, Patna, is promoted from the third to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 8th November 1906, *vice* Babu Debendra Nath Mukharji, deceased.

Patna.

No. 2656P.—The 15th December 1906.—Babu Shashi Bhushan Rai, Inspector of Police, Sonthal Parganas, is promoted from the third to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from 23rd October 1906, *vice* Babu Keshab Lal Guha, on deputation to the Kalahandi State.

Sonthal Parganas.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

POLICE.

No. 2567P.—The 15th December 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Jogendra Nath Singh Ray, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. XIV—Bikrampur of thana Nakasipara in the district of Nadia, *vice* Babu Jatindra Nath Singh Ray, resigned, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Nadia.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Jogendra Nath Singh Ray for a period of three years only from the date of this notification.

No. 2568P.—The 15th December 1906.—The Notification No. 1286P.D., dated the 3rd July 1906, published at pages 1362 to 1365, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Jatindra Nath Singh Ray, as President of the panchayat of Union No. XIV—Bikrampur of thana Nakasipara in the district of Nadia, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Nadia.

No. 2570P.—The 15th December 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Surendra Mohan Bhattacharji, who has been appointed to be President of the panchayat of Union No. VI—Korchadanga of thana Jibannagar, in the district of Nadia, *vice* Babu Chandra Nath Mukharji, resigned, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by him within the limits of that Union.

Nadia.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by Babu Surendra Mohan Bhattacharji for a period of three years only from the date of this notification.

No. 2571P.—The 15th December 1906.—The Notification No. 1132P.D., dated the 25th June 1906, published at pages 1328 to 1330, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th July 1906, so far as it relates to the investment of Babu Chandra Nath Mukharji as President of the panchayat of Union No. VI—Korchadanga of thana Jibannagar in the district of Nadia, with the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

Nadia.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

POLICE.

No 2566P.—The 15th December 1906.—In the Notification No. 1286P.D., dated the 3rd July 1906, published at pages 1362 to 1365, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, conferring upon certain Presidents of Panchayats, in the district of Nadia, the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898:—

Nadia.

under *Thana Kumarkhali, for* "Babu Akshay Charan Singh" shown against Union No. XXIII—Salgamadia, *read* "Babu Abhay Charan Singh;"

under *Thana Meherpur, for* "Babu Aim-ud-din Biswas" shown against Union No. VIII—Singhati, *read* "Ain-ud-din Biswas," and *for* "Babu Purna Chandra Mukharji" shown against Union No. IX—Mojhampur, *read* "Babu Purna Chandra Mallik;"

under *Thana Karimpur, for* "Babu Sri Kanta Mitra" shown against Union No. II—Dhoradah, *read* "Babu Srikanta Maitra;"

for "Maulvi Monir-ud-din Biswas" shown against Union No. V—Fazil Nagar, *read* "Saiyid Maulvi Monir-ud-din Ahmad;"

for "Babu Saradananda Pathak" shown against Union No. X—Singdiah, *read* "Babu Sadananda Pathak," and *for* "Babu Sri Nath Ray" shown against Union No. XIX—Hari Kristopur, *read* "Babu Shib Nath De;"

and under *Thana Tehatta, for* "Ebarat Mandal" shown against Union No. IX—Babura, *read* "Ebadat Mandal," and *for* "Babu Panchananda Pal" shown against Union No. XVI—Mirgy, *read* "Babu Panchananda Singh."

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 2435P.—The 10th December 1906.—Maulvi Muhammad Amir, Special Sub-Registrar of Motihari, in the district of Champaran, is granted leave for one day, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 7th May 1906.

Champaran.

No. 2579P.—The 14th December 1906.—Maulvi Sha Muhammad Nawab, Rural Sub-Registrar, Masaudhi, in the district of Patna, was on leave from the 12th to the 30th July 1906, both days inclusive, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Patna.

No. 2581P.—The 15th December 1906.—Babu Badri Narayan, Rural Sub-Registrar, Bankipore, in the district of Patna, acted as Rural Sub-Registrar, Masaudhi, in that district, from the 12th to the 30th July 1906, both days inclusive, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Sha Muhammad Nawab.

Patna.

No. 2729P.—The 18th December 1906.—Kara Yusuf Mirza, Probationer, acted as Rural Sub-Registrar, Sealdah, in the district of the 24-Parganas, from the 11th to 21st October 1906, both days inclusive, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Krishnadhan Mallik.

24-Parganas.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 17th December 1906.

No. 240.—The following extract from a notificatication issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department is republished for information :—

No 173, dated the 12th December 1906.

The undermentioned gentleman have been appointed Assistant Engineers, third grade, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, and are posted as follows :—

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Bengal.
Mr. Robert John Angus.

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No. 241.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department Notification No. 173, dated 12th December 1906, Mr. R. J. Angus, Assistant Engineer, third grade, is posted to the Darjeeling Division.

M. J. SCOBIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 18th December 1906.

No. 242.—Mr. C. B. Bayley, Assistant Secretary, is appointed to officiate as Under-Secretary to this Government in the Irrigation and Railway Branches with effect from the 1st November 1906 in addition to his own duties.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 18th December 1906.

No. 9.—Notification.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 99 and 78 of Act III (B. C.) of 1876, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to make the following additions and alterations in rule 5 of the Water-rate Rules for the Orissa Canals and in items 2 and 5 of the Schedule of rates to be charged for water supplied from the said canals.

A draft of the additions and alterations was published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the dates noted in the margin as Notification No. 8, dated the 6th November 1906.

The 7th, 14th, 21st and 28th November and 5th and 12th December 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Former rule and rate.	Present rule and rate.
Rule 5 (1st portion only).—The preliminary application for a lease for a term of years, either new or renewal, may be of an informal nature, but it must be in writing. It may be presented at any time; but, if presented after the 31st March in the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of one pice per *goont* of local measure, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, will be made for the year following that in which the lease has been applied for.	*Rule 5 (1st portion only).*—The preliminary application for a lease for a term of years, either new or renewal, may be of an informal nature, but it must be in writing. It may be presented at any time; but, if presented after the 31st March in the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of 1 pice per *goont* of local measure, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, will be made *on all lands leased at Re. 1-12 per mán, and an additional charge of 1 pie per goont of local measure, equivalent to 2 annas and 1 pie per mán, will be made on all lands leased at 8 annas per man* for the year following that in which the lease has been applied for.
Item 2 of the Schedule (portion only).—Provided that in all cases in which the preliminary application for the lease has been presented on any date subsequent to the 31st of March of the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of 1 pice per *goont*, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán*, shall be made on all lands in the lease for the year subsequent to that from which the lease commences.	*Item 2 of the Schedule (portion only).*—Provided that in all cases in which the preliminary application for the lease has been presented on any date subsequent to the 31st of March of the year during which the lease is to commence, an additional charge of one pice per *goont*, equivalent to 6 annas 3 pies per *mán* shall be made *on all lands leased at Re. 1-12 per mán, and an additional charge of 1 pie per goont of local measure, equivalent to 2 annas and 1 pie per mán, will be made on all lands leased at 8 annas per mán,* for the year subsequent to that from which the lease commences.
Item 5 of the Schedule.—For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June—Rs. 3-8 per *mán.*	*Item 5 of the Schedule.*—(*a*) For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June *on lands leased for a term of years at Re. 1-8 per mán—Rs. 3-8 per mán.* (*b*) *For the irrigation of sugarcane between 1st April and 16th June on lands leased for a term of years at Re. 1-12 per mán—Rs. 3-4 per mán.*

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 18th December 1906

No. 18 Marine.—The following Order in Council, dated the 22nd October 1906, published in pages 895 and 896, Part I of the *Gazette of India* of the 8th December 1906, is republished for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

AT THE COURT AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE.

The 22nd day of October 1906.

PRESENT:

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

PRIME MINISTER. LORD CHAMBERLAIN.
LORD PRESIDENT. LORD SUFFIELD.
LORD PRIVY SEAL.

WHEREAS by "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894," it is (amongst other things) enacted that where the Legislature of any British Possession provides for the examination of and grant of Certificates of Competency to persons intending to act as Masters, Mates or Engineers on board British ships, and the Board of Trade report to His Majesty that they are satisfied that the examinations are so conducted as to be equally efficient with the examinations for the same purpose in the United Kingdom under the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, and that the Certificates are granted on such principles as to show the like qualifications and competency as those granted under the said Act and are liable to be forfeited for the like reasons and in the like manner, His Majesty may, by Order in Council—

(1) declare that the said Certificates shall be of the same force as if they had been granted under the said Act;

(2) declare that all or any of the provisions of the said Act which relate to Certificates of Competency granted under that Act shall apply to the Certificates referred to in the said Order;

(3) impose such conditions and make such regulations with respect to the said Certificates and to the use, issue, delivery, cancellation and suspension thereof as

His Majesty may think fit, and impose penalties not exceeding fifty pounds for the breach of those conditions and regulations:

And that upon the publication in the *London Gazette* of any such Order in Council as last aforesaid, the Order shall, as from the date of the publication or any later date mentioned in the Order, take effect as if it were enacted by Parliament:

And whereas at the coming into operation of the said Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, there were in force the Orders in Council of the 9th day of May 1891 and the 23rd day of November 1893 hereinafter mentioned, being Orders in Council made under enactments repealed by the said Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, and it was provided by the said Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, that Orders in Council so made should remain in force as if made or granted under the said Merchant Shipping Act, 1894:

And whereas by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, it is further provided that His Majesty may, by Order in Council, revoke, alter or add to any Order in Council made under the Merchant Shipping Acts:

And whereas by the said Order in Council of the 9th day of May 1891, it was declared *inter alia* that Colonial Certificates of Competency granted by certain Authorities therein named and described in the case of the several British Possessions therein mentioned to persons intending to act as therein mentioned on board British ships should be of the same force as if they had been granted under the Acts relating to merchant shipping:

And whereas by the said Order last mentioned the regulations set out in the Schedule A thereto with respect to the said Colonial Certificates of Competency were imposed and made, and it was declared that the regulations set out in the said Schedule A thereto should apply to all Colonial Certificates of Competency that might theretofore have been or should thereafter be granted:

And whereas by the said Order in Council of the 23rd day of November 1893, it was declared that Colonial Certificates of Competency granted by the Marine Board of Victoria from and after the 21st day of December 1888 as therein mentioned should be of the same force as if they had been granted under the Acts relating to merchant shipping, and should be subject to the same conditions and regulations as are set out in Schedule A to the said Order in Council of the 9th day of May 1891:

And whereas by the provisions of the Navigation (Amendment) Act, 1899, passed by the Legislature of New South Wales and by the provisions of the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1903, passed by the Legislature of New Zealand, certain changes were made in the Authorities authorised by the said Legislatures respectively to grant Colonial Certificates of Competency in those Possessions respectively, and other similar changes may be made by the Legislature of the British Possessions referred to in the said Orders in Council with regard to the Authorities authorised to grant such Certificates in such several Possessions:

And whereas it has been made to appear to His Majesty that it is expedient that the said Orders in Council should be so altered as to apply to Certificates of Competency granted by the proper Authority for the time being in the British Possessions mentioned in the said Orders in Council:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of His Privy Council, is hereby pleased—

To declare that the Colonial Certificates of Competency granted or to be hereafter granted by the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Administrator, Head of the Government, Minister, Board, Body or Corporation of or in any British Possession mentioned in the said Orders in Council for the time being authorised by the Legislature or Legislative Authority of such Possession to grant Colonial Certificates of Competency (hereinafter called "the proper Authority") from and after the respective dates in the case of the several Possessions with reference to the several kinds of Certificate in the said Orders in Council mentioned shall be of the same force as if they had been granted under the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, and shall be subject to the same conditions and regulations as are set out in Schedule A to the said Order in Council of the 9th day of May 1891, and the said Orders in Council shall be read and construed as if the proper Authority had been originally mentioned therein in the case of each such Possession in lieu of the Authority in each case actually named and described therein.

A. W. FITZROY.

The 18th December 1906.

No. 138 Marine.—In accordance with the provisions of section 50A, clause (2) of the Indian Ports Act, 1899, the following revised account of the receipts and expenditure of the Hospital Port Dues Fund of the Port of Calcutta for the year 1905-06 is published for general information. It should be read as a supplement to the abstract account of receipts and expenditure of the Port of Calcutta for the year 1905-06 published in the Appendix to the *Calcutta Gazette* of 17th October 1906. This Notification is issued in supplement of Notification No 121 Marine, dated the 13th November 1906, which was published in Part I, page 1996, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 14th November 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Statement of receipts and disbursements on account of the Calcutta Hospital Port Dues Fund for the year 1905-06.

	Receipts.	Repairs of steam-launch bhowlia and panay.	Salary of Health Officer and Assistant Port Officer.	Exchange compensation allowance.	Establishment.	Office expenses.	Miscellaneous	Travelling allowance.	Charges for sick seamen sent to Howrah Hospital.	Charges for sick seamen sent to Presidency General Hospital.	Charges for sick seamen sent to Medical College Hospital.	Charges for sick seamen sent to Mayo Hospital.	Charges for sick seamen sent to Campbell Hospital.	Contribution to the Victoria Zenana Hospital.	Cost of firewood and coal.	Hire of hand and crane.	Cost of coal for steam-launch Relief.	Dock-yard supplies and services	Grant-in-aid to Diamond Harbour Dispensary.	Telegram and postal charges.	Pensions.	Rents, rates and taxes.	Subscription to newspapers and periodical.	Contribution to the Hospital Nurses' Institution.	Contributions.	Temporary establishment.	House allowances.	Total.
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No. 4879A.

No. 4745A.—The 15th December 1906.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Yakub, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Giridih, Hazaribagh, is transferred to the Khunti subdivision of the Ranchi district.

Hazaribagh. Ranchi.

No. 4777A.—The 17th December 1906.—Babu Abinash Chandra Banarji, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Burdwan Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Burdwan district.

Burdwan.

No. 4779A.—The 17th December 1906.—Babu Pramatha Nath Chatarji, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Patna Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Patna district.

Patna.

No. 4781A.—The 17th December 1906.—Mr. J. F. Gantzer, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is transferred to the Barrackpore subdivision of that district.

24-Parganas.

No. 4784A.—The 17th December 1906.—Babu Baushidhar Naik, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Orissa Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Sambalpur district.

Sambalpur.

No. 4788A.—The 17th December 1906.—Babu Ashutosh Deb, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Bankura, is transferred to the Serampore subdivision of the Hooghly district.

Bankura. Hooghly.

No. 4816A.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Chandra Shekhar Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Giridih, Hazaribagh, is transferred to the Burdwan Division.

Hazaribagh. Burdwan Divn.

No. 4826A.—The 18th December 1906.—The Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors.

Babu Baidya Nath Ray. | Babu Shashi Bhushan Biswas.

No. 4831A.—The 18th December 1906.—Babu Tarakeshwar Bhattacharji, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the head-quarters station of that district.

Bhagalpur.

He is also vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

No. 4833A.—The 18th December 1906.—The substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collectors of the Patna Division, named below, are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned against their names:—

Saran. Shahabad.

Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Aziz	... ...	Saran.
„ Shah Muhammad Musla-ud-din	... ...	Shahabad.

No. 4835A.—The 18th December 1906.—The Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors of the Orissa Division named below, are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned against their names:—

Orissa Divn.

Babu Gour Kishore Das	... ...	Balasore.
„ Uma Charan Das	... ...	Puri.
„ Troilokyanath Mitra	... ...	Angul.

Erratum.

No. 4767A.—The 17th December 1906.—In the notifications of the 10th and 11th December 1906, appointing Babu Nripendra Nath Mitra a Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector and posting him to the Presidency Division and to Murshidabad, *for* "Mitra" *read* "Maitra."

Presidency Divn.

R. W. Carlyle,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 11972, dated Calcutta, the 15th December 1906.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. Jordan, I.M.S., made over charge of the Midnapore Central Jail to Captain R. M. Dalziel, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 21st November 1906.

W. J. BUCHANAN,
Inspr.-Gen. of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 8147—dated Calcutta, the 17th December 1906.—Babu Braja Gopal Chatarji, third grade Assistant Surgeon, is appointed to do supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, until further orders, with effect from the forenoon of the 8th December 1906.

No. 8228, dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1906.—This Department Notification No. 7169, dated the 23rd November 1906, appointing 2nd grade Assistant Surgeon, Babu Shashi Bhushan Banarji of the Deoghar Subdivision and Dispensary, to the Asansol Subdivision in the district of Burdwan is cancelled.

No. 8233, dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1906.—This Department Notification No. 7174, dated the 23rd November 1906, appointing 2nd grade Assistant Surgeon, Babu Ras Behari Maitra of the Asansol Subdivision, to the Disghar Subdivision and Dispensary in the Santhal Parganas is cancelled.

R. MACRAE, M B, COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal

TREASURY NOTICES.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU MADHAB LAL is temporarily placed in charge of the Muzaffarpur Treasury, *vice* Babu Manasa Ranjan Sen and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

R. G. KILBY, for *Collector.*

MUZAFFARPUR TREASURY, *the 8th December 1906.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU SURENDRA LAL MITRA has been placed in charge of the Murshidabad Treasury from the 6th December 1906, and authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

E. W. COLLIN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 15th December 1906.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

BABU JOGESH CHANDRA MUKHERJEE, Munsif of Arambagh, in the district of Hooghly, is appointed to be a District Delegate, under section 235A of Act X of 1865 and section 52 of Act V of 1881, respectively, within the local limits of the Arambagh Munsifi.

HIGH COURT,
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT,
CIVIL;
The 14th December 1906.

By order of the High Court,
A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Registrar.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following rule amending the rules as to the qualifications, &c., of Pleaders and Mukhtars reproduced in Chapter XI of the General Rules and Circular Orders, Civil, having been framed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in the exercise of the powers vested in it by section 6 of Act XVIII of 1879, is published for general information.

By order of the High Court,

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

The 14th December 1906. *Registrar.*

CIVIL.

Rule No. of 1906.

1. In the seventh line of the first proviso to clause (*a*) of Rule 5 at page 262, Chapter XI, of the High Court's General Rules and Circular Orders, Civil, *insert* the words "the Garo Hills district or of," between the words "native of" and the words "one of the districts."

2. In the penultimate line of the second proviso to the same clause and rule, at page 263, *ibid*, *insert* the words "district and," between the words "limits of the said" and the word "Commissionerships."

3. In the fourth line of clause (*a*) of Rule 6, at page 263, *ibid*, *insert* the words "the Garo Hills district or," between the word "within" and the words "the Commissionerships."

4. In the eighth line of the proviso to clause (*a*) of Rule 10, at page 276, *ibid*, *insert* the words "the Garo Hills district or of," between the words "native of," and the word "one," and in the penultimate line, *insert* the words "district and" between the words "the said" and the word "Commissionerships."

5. In the fourteenth line of Rule 13, at page 278, *ibid*, *insert* the words "the Garo Hills district or of," between the words "native of," and the words "one of the districts."

HIGH COURT ORIGINAL SIDE.

The 18th December 1906.

The Honorable the Chief Justice has, with the approval of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council and with effect from the afternoon of the 17th December 1906, appointed Mr. John Evelyn Godfrey, Barrister-at-law, to officiate as Master and Official Referee on the Original Side of the High Court, Calcutta, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. H. Hechle, or until further order.

By order,
W. R. FINK,
Register.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 11th December 1906.—Mr. Ellis Samuel, an Assistant in the office of the Director of Public Instruction (class VII), is allowed leave of absence for one month under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1907, or the date on which the office re-opens after the Christmas holidays.

He is also permitted to prefix the Christmas holidays to his leave under article 220 of the Civil Service Regulations.

The 16th December 1906.—Pandit Lalji Misra, an Assistant Master (Head Pandit) in the Northbrook School, Darbhanga (class VII), was absent on leave for twelve days under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 27th August 1906.

The 17th December 1906.—Babu Girish Chandra Bose, an Assistant Master (Science Teacher) in the Barasat Government School (class VIII), was absent on leave for twelve days under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 30th July 1906, and also for sixteen days under that article, with effect from the 16th August 1906.

The 18th December 1906.—Babu Surendra Nath Das is temporarily appointed to act as a Lecturer in the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, and in class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service on a salary of Rs. 75 a month, with effect from the 12th December 1906, vice Babu Kali Narayan Sen, B.E., transferred.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 18th December 1906.—The following nominal rolls of officers in Classes III to VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service are issued on account of the reorganisation. The promotions will take effect from the 10th September 1905, unless otherwise specified in the nominal rolls (*vide* paragraph 8 of the Resolution of the Government of Bengal, in the General Department, No. 3149, dated the 18th December 1906).

CLASS—III. (51+1=52*)—Rs. 150.

1. Bindu Lal Banerjea, B.A., Head Master, Palamau Zilla School.
2. Bishnu Charan Bhattacharyea, B,A., Assistant Head Master, Bhagalpur Zilla School and now Officiating Head Master, Jessore Zilla School.
3. Miss Ada E. Stocker, Assistant Head Mistress, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong.
4. Kali Pada Sarkar, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.
5. Rama Nath Das, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Cuttack.
6. Avinash Chandra Sen, B.A., Head Master, Birbhum Zilla School.
7. Charles S. Price, Assistant Master, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong.
8. Iswar Prasad Pain, B.A., Head Master, Barrackpur Government School.
9. Chandra Mohan Moharana, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Cuttack Training School.
10. Sri Lal Som, B.A., Head Master, Monghyr Zilla School, on leave.
11. Manmatha Nath Rudra, M.A., Assistant to the Bengali Translator to Government.
12. Shams-ul-Ulama Vilayat Hossain, Assistant Head Maulvi, Calcutta Madrasah.
13. Miss Surabala Ghosh, B.A., Lecturer, Bethune College.
14. Prasanna Kumar Bose, Assistant Head Master, Cuttack Survey School.
15. Binode Behari Sen, Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
16. Miss Hemprabha Bose, M.A., Head Mistress, Bethune Collegiate School, and Lecturer, Bethune College.
17. Surendra Nath Sinha, B.A., Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
18. Bhagabati Charan Das, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Bihar School of Engineering.
19. Aghore Nath Ghosh, B.A., Head Master, Rangpur Zilla School.
20. Nil Madhav Chakravarti, Head Clerk, Office of Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division. Retrenched with effect from 15th March 1906.
21. Miss Surabala Rakshit, B.A., Head Mistress, Eden Female School, Dacca.
22. B. Kenneth Evans, Foreman Instructor, Ashanullah School of Engineering, Dacca, on probation, sub. *pro tem.*
23. Aghore Nath Banerjea, M.A., Head Assistant, Office of the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
24. A. S. H. Hossain, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Midnapore.
25. Durga Prasad Tewari, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur.
26. Syama Charan Gupta, B.A., Head Master, Bethune Collegiate School.
27. Kamal Krishna Sen, Assistant Master, Dacca Collegiate School.
28. Jogesh Chandra Das, B.A., Head Master, Khulna Zilla School.
29. Kedar Nath Das Gupta, B.A., Head Master, Purulia Zilla School.
30. Girwardhari Lal, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Gaya.
31. Pramatha Nath Tarkabhusan, Lecturer, Sanskrit College.
32. Kali Narayan Sen, B.E., Head Master, Cuttack Survey School.
33. Jadu Nath Chaudhuri, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Jalpaiguri.
34. Abdul Hai, Lecturer on Arabic and Persian, Patna College.
35. Rakhal Kali Sil, Head Clerk, Calcutta Madrasah.
36. Gopal Chandra Sen, B.A., Lecturer in Chemistry, Krishnagar College.
37. Muhammad Quasim, Assistant Maulvi, Calcutta Madrasah.
38. Sarat Chandra Brahmachari, M.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Darbhanga, on deputation.
39. Allauddin Ahmed M.A., Head Master, Patna City School.
40. Abdul Lateef, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Jessore.
41. Bhola Nath Sarkar, M.A., Head Master, Bankura Zilla School.
42. Beni Madhab Das, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Chittagong Training School, and now Officiating Head Master, Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Cuttack.
43. Umesh Chandra Das Gupta, M.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Noakhali.
44. Krishna Lal Sadhu, M.A., Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Southal Parganas, and now Officiating Head Master, Chittagong Training School.
45. Ramdas Bhattacharjea, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Krishnagar Collegiate School.
46. Hira Lal Mukherjea, Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
47. Chinta Haran Chakravarti, B.A., Head Master, Comilla Zilla School.
48. Shams-ul-Ulama Sadat Hossain, Assistant Maulvi, Calcutta Madrasah, from the 2nd October 1905.

* Sanctioned temporarily under Government order No. 2810, dated the 11th November 1905.

CLASS III. (51+1*)—Rs. 150—*concluded.*

43. Akrur Chandra Sen, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Tippera, sub. *pro tem.*, from the 1st November 1905.
50. Rakhal Das Banerjea, B.A., Head Master, Dinajpur Zilla School, sub. *pro tem.*, from the 6th November 1905.
51. T. G. Barker, Assistant Master, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong (for five years), sub. *pro tem.* from 5th December 1905.
52. Hem Chandra Das Gupta, Demonstrator, Geological Laboratory, Presidency College, Temporary. Confirmed with effect from the 13th March 1906, *vice* Babu Nilmadab Chakrabarti, retired.

CLASS IV (72)—Rs. 125.

1. Surendra Nath Banerjea, Clerk and Deputy Keeper, Art Gallery, and now officiating Clerk, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
2. Woomesh Chandra Sen, Head Clerk, Patna College, on leave.
3. Radhika Prasad Lahiry, Clerk, Calcutta Training School.
4. Krishna Lal Chatterjea, Drawing Master, Hare School.
5. Trisuldhari Sinha, Deputy Inspector of Schools Hazaribagh, on leave.
6. Amrita Lal Chatterjea, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Hooghly Branch School.
7. Rajani Nath Gangopadhyaya, B.A., Head Master, Noakhali Zilla School.
8. Sarada Prasad Banerjea, Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Midnapore. *Atai Elahi*, B.A.
9. Jogendra Nath Ganguli, Assistant Master, Dacca School of Engineering.
10. Barada Prasad Sarkar, Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Backerganj.
11. Kedar Nath Mukerjea, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Ranchi.
12. Kshetra Mohan Banerjea, B.A., Assistant Master, Hare School.
13. Shastivar Biswas, B.A., Head Master, Motihari Zilla School.
14. Barada Prasad Ghosh, First Assistant, Physical Laboratory, Presidency College.
15. Tarini Prasad Mukerjea, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Hindu School.
16. Isan Chandra Sen, B.A., Head Master, Malda Zilla School.
17. Srinath Banerjea, Head Clerk, Office of Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.
18. Jnanendra Lal Sen, B.A., Head Master, Muzaffarpur Zilla School.
19. Sris Chandra Chakravarti, B.A., Lecturer on Sanskrit, Dacca College.
20. Matloob Ahmed Khan Chaudhuri, M.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Chittagong.
21. Abdur Razaq, Head Maulvi, Hooghly Madrasah.
22. Bihari Lal Chaube, Assistant Master (Pandit), Patna City School.
23. Golam Salmani, Assistant Maulvi, Calcutta Madrasah.
24. Giris Chandra Som, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Malda.
25. Krishna Chandra Banerjea, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Hooghly.
26. Ramji Das Gupta, Assistant Master, Bihar School of Engineering.
27. Hari Prasad Das, Head Master, Sambalpur High School.
28. A. G. Hoefke, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Orissa Tributary Mahals.
29. Kasi Bhusan Sen, B.A., Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, and now Officiating Deputy Inspector of Schools, Manbhum.
30. Bhuban Mohan Sen, Assistant Head Master, Mymensingh Zilla School.
31. Man Mohan Chandra, B.A., Head Master, Northbrook School, Darbhanga, on leave.
32. Aswini Kumar Das, M.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Purnea.
33. Phatik Chandra Chakravarti, B.A., Head Master, Purnea Zilla School.
34. Manmohan Chakravarti, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Murshidabad Nawab's High School.
35. W. B. Finnigan, Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal. On probation. Sub. *pro tem.*, from 1st November 1905.
36. Mahananda Datta, officiating Deputy Inspector of Schools, Mymensingh. Sub. *pro tem.*
37. Priya Nath Brahmachari, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Khulna. On probation. Sub. *pro. tem*
38. Ashutosh Banerjea, Clerk, Dow Hill Girls' School.
39. Jogendra Lal Sinha, Librarian, Presidency College.
40. Krishna Pada Vidyaratna, Lecturer on Sanskrit, Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
41. Muhammad Ismail, Lecturer on Arabic and Persian, Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
42. Umesh Chandra Chatterjea, Cashier, Presidency College.
43. Abdul Aziz, Lecturer on Arabic and Persian, Dacca College.
44. Atul Chandra Banerjea, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Dacca Training School.
45. Mrs. L. E. Sharp, Assistant Mistress, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong.
46. Kiran Chandra Banerjea, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Howrah.
47. Divya Sinha Misra, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Balasore.
48. Kunja Behari Ghosh, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Faridpur Zilla School.
49. Janaki Nath Bhattacharjea, Lecturer on Sanskrit, Krishnagar College.
50. Upendra Narayan Datta Gupta, B.A., Head Master, Balasore Zilla School.
51. Hara Kanta Bose, B.A., Head Master, Ranchi Zilla School.

* Sanctioned temporarily under Government order No. 2830, dated the 11th November 1905.

CLASS IV (72)--Rs 125.—*concluded.*

52. Satis Narayan Chaudhuri, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Rangpur Zilla School.
53. Suresh Chandra Gupta, B A., Assistant Head Master, Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Cuttack.
54. Vanamali Chakravarti, M.A., Lecturer on Vedanta, Sanskrit College.
55. Sasadhar Sen, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Calcutta Training School. Died on 14th April 1906.
56. Bijay Krishna Basu, M A., Assistant Master, Dacca Training College.
57. Santosh Kumar Chatterjea, M.A., Lecturer, Chittagong College.
58. Hira Lal Bhattacharjea, M A., Head Master, Ranchi Training School.
59. Kali Pada Bhattacharjea, B.A., Head Master, Barasat Government School, on leave.
60. Purna Chandra Gupta, B A., Assistant Master, Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Cuttack.
61. Aghore Nath Adhikari, Assistant Head Master, Pabna Zilla School, and Officiating Assistant Head Master, Chittagong Training School.
62. Muhammad Latif, Assistant Master, Bihar School of Engineering.
63. Mati Lal Datta, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Singhbhum.
64. Jagannath Chaube, First Hindi Assistant to the Hindi and Urdu Translator to Government.
65. Jnanendra Lal Mazumdar, B.A., Assistant to the Bengali Translator to Government.
66. A. R. Greene, B.A., Assistant Master, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong. Draws a personal allowance of Rs. 25 a month to be absorbed on his promotion to Class III.
67. Sasi Bhusan Bose, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Birbhum Zilla School.
68. Trailokya Nath Datta, Assistant Master (Engineering Teacher), Ranchi Industrial School.
69. Kali Kamal Sanyal, Assistant Head Master, Patna Collegiate School.
70. Nalini Kumar Datta, M.A., Lecturer, Rajshahi College. Sub *pro tem.*, from the 1st October 1905.
71. Rajendra Prasad, Assistant Head Master, Patna Training School, Sub. *pro tem.*, from the 2nd October 1905.
72. Prakash Chandra Mazumdar, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Darjeeling High School Sub. *pro tem.*, from the 6th November 1905.

CLASS V (87) –Rs. 100

1. Syed Reazat Hossain, Assistant Head Master, Muzaffarpur Zilla School.
2. Syed Akbar Hossain, Atalik, Murshidabad Nawab's Madrasah.
3. Muhammad Razeuddin, Assistant Master (Head Maulvi), Murshidabad Nawab's Madrasah.
4. Mathura Prasad, Assistant Head Master, Arrah Zilla School.
5. Barada Kanta Datta, Teacher of Advanced Freehand, School of Art.
6. Chandra Kanta Vidyalankar, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Chittagong Collegiate School.
7. Manendra Chandra Som, Assistant Head Master, Bogra Zilla School.
8. Mati Lal Mukherjea, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Palamau.
9. Tarak Ram Dubey, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Singhbhum. Retired with effect from 31st May 1906.
10. Baij Nath Singh, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Gaya Zilla School.
11. Manmatha Nath Ray, Assistant Master (Drawing Master), Cuttack Training School and Revenshaw Collegiate School.
12. Jay Chandra Mahalanavis, Assistant Master (Drawing Master), Dacca Training School.
13. Mir Ikram Ali, Assistant Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrasah.
14. Pramatha Nath Ray, Head Clerk, Rajshahi College.
15. J. Elliott, Teacher of Engineering, Technical Class, Victoria Boys' School.
16. Miss Ida D'Cruz, Assistant Mistress, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong. Draws a local allowance of Rs. 25 a month for teaching cooking and domestic science.
17. Miss Jessie Russell, Assistant Mistress, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong.
18. Braja Ballav Ghosh, Head Clerk, Office of Inspector of Schools, Orissa Division.
19. Surendra Nath Ghosh, M.A., Assistant Master (Science Teacher), Ashanullah School of Engineering, Dacca.
20. Mahendra Nath Lahiri, Assistant Master, Krishnagar Collegiate School.
21. Abdul Qadir Khan, M.A., Assistant Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrassah.
22. Haripada Chatterjea, Assistant Master (Drawing Master), Patna Collegiate School.
23. Basanta Kumar Mitra, B.A., Head Master, Chittagong Collegiate School.
24. Samares Rai Chaudhuri, B.E., Assistant Master, Ashanulla School of Engineering, Dacca. On probation. Sub. *pro tem.*
25. Narain Prasad Mahanty, B A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Puri, and now Officiating Deputy Inspector of Schools, Cuttack. On probation. Sub. *pro tem.*

CLASS V (87)—Rs 100—*continued.*

26. Amulyadhan Benerjea, M.A., Lecturer, Hooghly College, and now Officiating Professor, Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
27. Hari Lal Chaudhuri, M.A., Lecturer, Patna College (1st November 1905.)
28. Sripati Mallik, Assistant Master (Drawing Master), Chapra Zilla School.
29. Gagan Chandra Barua, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Hill Tracts.
30. Hara Kisor Chaudhuri, Assistant Master (Drawing Master), Chittagong Training School and Madrasah.
31. Binode Behari Das, Assistant Master (Drawing Master), Patna Training School.
32. Ashutosh Mitra, Assistant Master (Drawing Master), Hooghly Training School.
33. Lalit Mohan Bose, Assistant Master (Drawing Master), Dacca Collegiate School.
34. Muhammad Faslul Karim, Head Maulvi, Arabic Department, Dacca Madrasah.
35. Hari Charan Chatterjea, Head Clerk, Office of the Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.
36. Miss Jessie D'Souza, Assistant Mistress, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong.
37. Ram Chandra Maitra, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Purulia Zilla School.
38. Satis Chandra Sen, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Comilla Zilla School.
39. Atul Chandra Ganguli, B.A., Second Assistant, Chemical Laboratory, Presidency College.
40. Miss Eleanor Phillips, Assistant Mistress, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong.
41. Devendra Nath Ghosh, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Sanskrit Collegiate School.
42. F. D'Silva, Assistant to Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
43. Manmatha Chandra Mitra, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Dumka Zilla School.
44. Bhagabat Narayan, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Muzaffarpur.
45. Upendra Math Mitra, Head Laboratory Assistant, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
46. Kali Das Banerjea, B.A., Assistant Master, Sanskrit Collegiate School.
47. Bireswar Das, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Malda Zilla School.
48. Siddheswar Ganguli, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Uttarpara Government School.
49. Satya Prasanna Mukherjea, Engineering Drawing Teacher, School of Art, and Assistant in the Art Gallery. Draws a local allowance of Rs. 10 a month.
50. Surendra Nath Bhattacharjea, M.A., Lecturer, Sanskrit College.
51. Krishna Sahay, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Monghyr.
52. Srinibas Singh, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Angul.
53. Muhammad Hossain, Head Maulvi, Chittagong Madrasah.
54. Durga Das Ray, Assistant Master, Murshidabad Nawab's High School.
55. Abdul Karim, Assistant Master (Persian Teacher), Hooghly Branch School.
56. Ashutosh Ganguli, Cashier, Civil Engineering College.
57. Ishan Chandra Bhattacharjea, Assistant Head Master, Rangpur Zilla School.
58. Dwijendra Nath Neogi, B.A., Head Master, Jalpaiguri Zilla School.
59. Umesh Chandra Bhattacharjea, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Hooghly Collegiate School.
60. Rajendra Nath Bose, Assistant Master, Chaibassa Zilla School.
61. Adhar Lal Datta, Head Draftsman and Estimator, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, and now Officiating Additional Drawing Master in the Engineering and Apprentice Departments of that College.
62. Anil Chandra Gupta, B.A., Assistant Master, Dumka Zilla School.
63. Rajendra Nath Vidyabhusan Smitiratna, Lecturer, Sanskrit College.
64. Hriday Nath Tarkaratna, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Rangpur Training School.
65. Ahsan Ahmed, Assistant Master (Head Maulvi), Murshidabad Nawab's High School.
66. Prasanna Chandra Datta, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Sonthal Parganas.
67. Madhu Sudan Das, B.A., Head Master, Puri Zilla School.
68. Siddheswar Bose, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Chaibassa Zilla School.
69. Umesh Chandra Ray, Assistant Head Master, Dinajpur Zilla School.
70. Kali Prasanna Ganguli, B.A., Assistant Master, Hindu School.
71. Narendra Nath Pal, Assistant Superintendent, Alipore Reformatory School.
72. Miss Marie Stuart, Assistant Mistress, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong.
73. Mahammad Wahidun Nabi, B.A., Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Dacca.
74. Akshay Kumar Mukerjea, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Chittagong Collegiate School, and Officiating Assistant Head Master, Pabna Zilla School.
75. Basanta Kumar Mitra, B.A., Head Master, Arrah Zilla School.
76. Khalilulla, Head Maulvi, Arabic Department, Rajshahi College.
77. Hari Narayan Bose, Teacher, Foliage Drawing Class, and Officiating Vice-Principal, School of Art. Promoted sub. *pro. tem.* to Class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service with effect from 2st April 1906.
78. Bhola Nath Josh, B.A., Assistant Master, Sanskrit Collegiate School.
79. Hara Mohan De, B.A., Assistant Master, Dacca Collegiate School.
80. Panna Lal Banerjea, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Manbhum, and now Officiating Head Master, Barasat Government School.

CLASS V (87)—Rs. 100—*concluded.*

81. Jnânendra Nath Mitra, B.A., Assistant Master, Palamau Zilla School. Sub. *pro tem.*
82. Nil Madhab Barik, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Bankura Zilla School. Sub. *pro tem.*, from the 1st October 1905.
83. Suraj Mohan Ray, B.A., Head Master, Taki Government School. Sub. *pro tem.*, from the 8th November 1905.
84. Thakur Prasad Acharyya, Lecturer, Sanskrit College on probation, sub. *pro tem.*, from (19th December 1905).
85. Ramavatar Sarma, M.A., Lecturer on Sanskrit, Patna College, on probation, from 10th April 1906, sub. *pro. tem.*
86. C. A. Shavier, Assistant Master, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong, on probation, from 22nd April 1906, sub. *pro tem.*
87. Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Mymensing (vacant from 2nd October 1905).

CLASS VI (93+1=94*)—Rs. 75.

1. Rajendra Lal Sinha, Gymnastic Master, Presidency College.
   Jagannath Rao, services lent to the Athmalik State.
2. Syama Charan Ghosh, Gymnastic Teacher, and Assistant Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.
3. Suresh Chandra Sarkar, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Singhbhum.
4. Mani Charan Mahapatra, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Tributory Mahals, Orissa.
5. Hafiz Abdur Rauf, Assistant Maulvi, Arabic Department, Calcutta Madrasah.
6. Upendra Kumar Chatterjea, Assistant Master, Arrah Zilla School.
7. Mati Lal Banerjea, B.A., Assistant Master, Bhagalpur Zilla School, and now Offg. Assistant Head Master of the same Institution.
8. Quasimuddin Khan, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Champaran.
9. Sarat Chandra Mukerjea, Head Clerk, Hooghly College.
10. T. A. Gregory, Assistant to Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
11. Fajaruddin Ahamad, B.A., Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Faridpur.
12. Kumud Bandhab Chatterjea, M.A., Assistant Master (Grammar Pandit), Sanskrit Collegiate School. Sub. *pro tem.*
13. Edward A. Pinto, Assistant Master, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong. Sub. *pro tem.*
14. Srish Chandra Ray, B.A., Clerk, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
15. S. W. Percival, Assistant Master, Dacca Collegiate School.
16. Baidya Nath Ghoshal, B.A., Assistant Master, Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Cuttack
17. Bidhu Bhusan Dutta, M.A., Third Assistant, Chemical Laboratory, Presidency College.
18. Kesav Chandra Sarkar, B.A., Sub-Inspector of Schools, Calcutta.
19. Sasi Bhusan Ghosh, Assistant Head Master, Palamau Zilla School.
20. Hurmutulla, Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools, Burdwan.
21. Ihsan Ali, Assistant Master, Arabic Department, Calcutta Madrasah.
22. Siddheswar Sarkar, B.A., Assistant Master, Bhagalpur Zilla School.
23. Sris Chandra Palit, Assistant Master (Drawing Master), Murshidabad Nawab's Madrasah and High School.
24. Adya Nath Ray, B.A., Assistant Master, Dacca Collegiate School.
25. Umes Chandra Haldar, M.A., Assistant Master, Krishnagar Collegiate School.
26. Jogendra Nath Bhattacharjea, M.A., Assistant Master, Hindu School.
27. Syama Charan Sarkar, Draftsman, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
28. Muhammad Yasin, Assistant Master (Maulvi), Chapra Zilla School, and Officiating Assistant Master (Maulvi), Patna Collegiate School.
29. Nilmani Sadhukhan, M.A., Assistant Master, Ravenshaw Collegiate School, and Lecturer, Ravenshaw College.
30. Hari Lal Chatterjea, M.A., Lecturer on Sanskrit, Chittagong College.
31. Durga Das Bhatta, M.A., Head Master, Rangamati High School.
32. Zahurul Huq B.A., Head Master, Anglo-Persion Department, Dacca Madrasah.
33. Tarini Kanta Vidyanidhi, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Pabna Zilla School.
34. Ram Prasad Nandi, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Orissa Tributary Mahals.
35. Bhabatosh Chatterjea, Assistant to Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
36. Rajendra Chandra Chakravarti, B.A., Assistant Master, Mymensingh Zilla School.
37. Besharatullah, Clerk and Gymastic Master, Murshidabad Nawab's Madrasah.
38. Karamatullah, Assistant Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta, Madrasah.
39. Basanta Chandra Das, B.A., Assistant Master (Science Teacher), Dacca Collegiate School.
40. Sasi Kumar Bose, Assistant Master, Mymensingh Zilla School.
    Kasiswar Kavyatirtha, Assistant Master (Pandit), Barisal Zilla School.
41. Pabitra Kumar Guha, B.A., Head Clerk, Dacca College.
42. Dvarka Nath Das, Head Clerk, Office of Inspector of Schools, Rajshahi Division.

* Sanctioned in Government order No. 907, dated 28th February 1906, for the Commercial Class, Victoria Boys' School.

CLASS VI (93+1*)—Rs 75—*concluded.*

43. Pramatha Nath Bhattacharjea, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Barrackpur Government School.
44. Narayan Das Ghosh, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Khulna Zilla School.
Rdvaneshwar Banerjee, B.A., Assistant Master, Hooghly Training School, on deputation as Teacher of Agriculture, Dumraon High School
45. Muhammad Muslin, Assistant Master (Head Maulvi), Arrah Zilla School.
46. Upendra Nath Banerjee, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Hazaribagh Zilla School and now Officiating Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction.
47. Sriharsha Bhattacharjea, Assistant Master, Birbhum Zilla School.
48. Hrishikesh Sastri, Second Pandit, Sanskrit Collegiate School.
49. Kumud Nath Chaudhuri, M.A., Demonstrator, Rajshahi College.
50. Tulshi Prasad, First Urdu Assistant to the Urdu and Hindi Translator to Government.
51. T. Aroomoogam Achary, Teacher of Modelling, School of Art.
52. Ananda Chandra Pati, B.A., Assistant to the Uriya Translator to Government.
53. Devendra Kumar Banerjea, M.A., Lecturer on Sanskrit, Rajshahi College.
54. Haran Chandra Gupta, Assistant Master, Balasore Zilla School.
55. Hamidul Huq, Head Clerk, Hazaribagh Reformatory School.
56. Lalji Misra, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Northbrook School, Darbhanga.
57. Moha Vishnu Jyoti, Assistant to Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
58. Giris Chandra Nandi, Head Clerk, Office of Inspector of Schools, Patna Division.
59. Anukul Chandra Banerjee, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Ranchi Zilla School.
60. Syama Charan Mukerji, M.A., Assistant Master, Ravenshaw Collegiate School.
61. Pyari Mohan Mukerjea, B.A., Assistant Master, Khulna Zilla School.
62. Abinash Chandra Mallik, Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
63. Hara Chandra Majumdar, Head Clerk, Krishnagar College.
64. Jnanda Charan Muzumdar, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Northbrook High School, Darbhanga.
65. Mahesh Chandra Ghosh, B.A., Assistant Master, Bankura Zilla School.
66. Kunja Bihari Ray, B.A., Assistant to the Bengali Translator to Government.
67. Satis Chandra Mitra, B.A., Assistant to Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
68. Mangal Dayal Singh, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Saran.
69. Kali Prasanna Banerjee, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Calcutta Training School.
70. Ellis Samuel, Assistant to Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
71. Mahammad Irfan, M.A., Assistant Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrasah, on deputation as Officiating Professor, Gauhati College.
72. Nurul Alam, Assistant Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrasah.
73. Latful Huq, Assistant Master, Murshidabad Nawab's Madrasah.
Sris Chandra Chatterjea, Assistant Master, Barisal Zilla School.
74. Kamala Prasad, B.A., Sub-Inspector of Schools, Sonthal Parganas.
75. Devakar Datta Misra, B.A., Assistant Master, Patna Training School.
76. Sarat Chandra Chakravarti, M.A., Lecturer on Sanskrit, Bethune College.
77. Mrs. Saralabala Mitter, B.A., Assistant Mistress, Bethune Collegiate School on leave.
78. Prasanna Kumar Sarkar, B.A., Assistant Master, Hare School.
79. Prabodh Chandra Sen, M.A., Assistant Master, Dacca Collegiate School.
80. Harihar Banerjea, M.A., Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Hare School.
81. Abul Hashem Khan, M.A., Assistant Master, Rajshahi Collegiate School.
82. Bisveswar Banerjea, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Barasat Government School.
83. Janaki Nath Das, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Eden Female School, Dacca.
84. Ram Kisor Lal, B.A., Assistant Master, Gaya Zilla School.
85 Jadu Nath Banerjea, Assistant Master, Rajshahi Collegiate School.
86. Charu Chandra Ghosh, Head Clerk, Office of Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.
87. Abinash Chandra Banerjea, B.A., Sub-Inspector of Schools, Sonthal Parganas. Sub. *pro tem.*
88. Makhan Lal Rai Chaudhuri, B.A., Assistant Master, Calcutta Training School. Sub. *pro tem.*
89. Hari Pada Mukerjea, B.A., Assistant Master, Patna Collegiate School. Sub. *pro tem.*
90. Hari Das Chakravarti, M.A., Assistant Master (Head Pandit) Dacca Collegiate School and now Officiating Assistant Master, Hindu School Sub. *pro tem.*
91. Abhay Charan Sen, Assistant Master, Purulia Zilla School. Sub. *pro tem.*
92. Kamada Charan Chakravarti, M.A., Assistant Master, Bihar School of Engineering. Sub. *pro tem.*, from the 1st October 1905.
93. Tulsi Das Kar, M.A., Laboratory Assistant, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur. Sub. *pro tem.* from the 6th November 1905.
94. E. A. D'Abreu, Assistant Master, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong. On probation. Sub. *pro tem.*, (6th March 1906).

* Sanctioned in Government order No. 907, dated 26th February 1906, for the Commercial Class, Victoria Boys' School

CLASS VII (114—12*=102)—Rs. 60.

1. Braja Lal Adhikari, Clerk, Office of Inspector of European Schools Retired with effect from 3rd February 1906.
2. Sarveswar Mukerjea, Assistant Master, Gaya Zilla School.
3. Rames Chandra Gupta, M.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Bogra. On probation.
4. Govinda Hari Dhar, Head Clerk, Office of Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division.
5. Umakanta Datta, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Comilla Zilla School.
6. Rajendra Nath Sinha, B.A., Assistant Master, Hare School.
7. Artaballabha Ghosh, Head Clerk, Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
8. Hara Prasad Ray, Assistant Master, Dacca School of Engineering. On probation.
9. Kesav Lal Saha, Assistant Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.
10. Ram Chandra Ghosh, Assistant Master, Hindu School.
11. Gris Chandra Bose, Assistant Master (Science Teacher), Barasat Government School.
12. Suresh Chandra Mukerjea, B.A., Assistant Master, Hazaribagh Zilla School and now Officiating Sub-Inspector of Schools, Singhbhum.
13. Hari Ballabh Mandal, Assistant Master, Pabna Zilla School.
14. Srinath Chandra, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Mymensingh Zilla School.
15. Jagadindu Ray, Second Assistant, Physical Laboratory, Presidency College.
16. Jogendra Nath Bose, B.A., Sub-Inspector of Schools, Darjeeling Terai.
17. Chuni Lal Mustafi, Farm Overseer, Hazaribagh Reformatory School.
18. Mahendra Kumar Sen Gupta, Assistant Master, Bihar School of Engineering.
19. Satya Rup Misra, Assistant Head Master, Patna City School.
20. Haris Chandra Khan, Assistant Master, Bihar School of Engineering.
21. Guru Bandhu Bhattacharjee, B.A., Assistant Master, Chittagong Collegiate School.
22. Akbar Hosain, Assistant Master, Patna Collegiate School.
23. Braja Gopal Goswami, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Bethune Collegiate School.
24. Kumud Kanta Ukil, B.A, Assistant Master, Muzaffarpur Zilla School.
25. Durga Prasanna Mukerjea, Assistant Head Master, Hooghly Training School.
26. Surendra Nath Tarafdar, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Chapra Zilla School.
27. Kali Prasanna Mukerjee, Assistant Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.
28. Prasanna Kumar Tarkanidhi, Lecturer on Naya, Sanskrit College.
29. Bidhubhushun Sen Gupta, M.A, Assistant Master, Hindu School.
30. Girindra Nath Chatterjee, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Jessore Zilla School.
31. Maulvi Syed Hossain Ali, B.A., Assistant Master, Arabic Department, Calcutta Madrasah.
32. Bama Charan Sen, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Monghyr Zilla School.
33. Indu Bhusan Sarkar, B.A., Assistant Master, Krishnagar Collegiate School.
34. Bipin Behari Chatterjee, B A., Assistant Master, Hare School.
35. Mahammad Ismail, B.A., Assistant, Office of the Hindi Translator to Government and the Bengal Library.
36. Brahmakisor Mukerjee, B.A., Assistant Master, Hindu School.
37. Janaki Prasad Ojha, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Patna Collegiate School.
38. Aditya Nath Upadhyaya, Assistant Master (Hea dandit), Monghyr Zilla School.
39. Narendra Nath Chakravarti, M.A., Assistant Master, Rajshahi Collegiate School.
40. Nritya Gopal Pal, M.A., Fourth Assistant, Chemical Laboratory, Presidency College.
41. Kisori Lal Ray, Assistant Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.
42. Chinta Haran Chakravarti, M.A., Assistant Master, Muzaffarpur Zilla School.
43. Akshoy Kumar Sen Gupta, M.A, Assistant Master, Purulia Zilla School.
44. Ashutosh Gupta Assistant Master, Ranchi Zilla School.
45. Nibaran Chandra Das Gupta, M A, Assistant Master, Ravenshaw Collegiate School
46. Arabinda Prakas Ghosh, M.A., Assistant Master, Hindu School. Resigned with effect from 15th August 1906.
47. Surya Prasad Banerjea, M A., Assistant Master, Rajshahi Collegiate School.
48. Makhan Lal Ganguli, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Puri Zilla School.
49. Prasanna Kumar Ghose, Assistant Master, Khulna Zilla School.
50. Mohendra Nath Bhattacharjea, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Murshidabad Nawab's High School.
51. Abdul Quayum, Assistant Master (Persian Teacher), Hooghly Collegiate School.
52. Mahendra Nath Ghosh, Assistant Master, Model School attached to the Calcutta Training School.
53. Ram Prasad Chanda, B A, Assistant Master, Rajshahi Collegiate School.
54. Satyendra Nath Gupta, B.A., Assistant Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.
55. Gopal Chandra Ghosh, B.A., Assistant Master, Hindu School.
56. Binay Krishna Banerjee, Assistant to Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
57. Chandra Kumar Ghosh, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Dacca Madrasah.
58. Ashyuta Nath Adhikari, B.A., Assistant Master, Bogra Zilla School.

* Transferred to Eastern Bengal and Assam.

CLASS VII (114—12*=102)—Rs. 60—*concluded.*

59. Loke Nath Patnaik, B.A., Sub-Inspector of Schools, Orissa Tributary Mahals.
60. Radha Charan Das, B.A., Sub-Inspector of Schools, Orissa Tributary Mahals.
61. Lalit Kumar Chakravarti, B.A., Assistant Master, Krishnagar Collegiate School.
62. Rati Kanta Kundu, M.A., Assistant Master, Comilla Zilla School On probation Sub. *pro tem.*
63. Mathura Kanta Nandi, M.A, Assistant Master, Chittagong Collegiate School On probation. Sub. *pro tem.*
64. Nibaran Chandra Bhattacharjia, B.SC., Assistant, Biological Laboratory, Presidency College. On probation. Sub. *pro tem.*
65. Atul Krishna Chatterjea, Accountant, Pr——
66. Syed Muhammad Ali Hussain, M.A., Assistant Master, Chapra Zilla School. probation Sub. *pro tem.*
67. Khudiram Mukerjea, Assistant Master, Krishnagar Collegiate School.
68. Rajendra Lal Bhattacharjee, Clerk, Office of Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.
69. Sibendra Nath Bhadra, B.A., Assistant Master, Khulna Zilla School.
70. Kamini Kumar Bhattacharjee, B.A., Assistant Master, Chittagong Collegiate School.
71. Hari Har Charan, B.A., Assistant Master (Science Teacher), Patna Collegiate School.
72. Chandra Kanta Ghosh, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Noakhali Zilla School. On probation, Sub. *pro tem.*
73. Rajendra Chandra Ghosh, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Jalpaiguri Zilla School, from 6th November 1905.
74. Khirod Chandra Chandra, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Jessore, on probation, on leave.
75. Sadasiv Misra Kavyatirtha, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Puri Zilla School.
76. Giris Chandra Lahiri, Assistant Master, Chyabassa Zilla School.
77. Siva Nath Bhattacharjea, Laboratory Assistant, Patna College.
78. Tara Prasanna Vidyaratna, Assistant Master (Grammar Pandit), Sanskrit Collegiate School.
79. Kali Prasanna Bose, B.A., Assistant Master (Science Teacher), Hooghly Collegiate School.
80. Indra Narayan Misra, B.A., Assistant Master, Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Cuttack
81. Nagendra Nath Gupta, B.A., Assistant Master (Science Teacher), Ranchi Industrial School.
82. Ugra Prabha Chaudhuri, B.A., Assistant Master, C Class, Ranchi Zilla School.
83. Sarat Chandra Dev, Assistant Master (Drawing Master), Calcutta Training School.
84. Panchanan Mukerji, Drawing Master, Jessore Zilla School.
85. Devendra Nath Banerjea, Assistant Master, Arrah Zilla School.
86. Durga Das Chatterjea, B.A., Assistant Master, Uttarpara Government School.
87. Jogadis Chandra Sen Gupta, B.A., Assistant Master, Science Teacher, Calcutta Madrasah.
88. Satis Chandra Ray, B.A., Science Teacher, C Class, Ranchi Training School. Resigned with effect from 3rd August 1096.
89. Hasmat Ali, Assistant Master (Persian Teacher), Hooghly Collegiate School.
90. Kamakhya Nath Pal, Teacher, Wood-engraving class, School of Art.
91. Muhammad Nasirul Huq, Assistant Master, Bhagalpur Zilla School.
92. Dwarka Nath Das, Assistant Master, Bethune Collegiate School.
93. Hrradhan Ghosh, B.A., Librarian, Ravenshaw College, Cuttack.
94. Bhairab Chandra Datta, B.A., Assistant Master, Puri Zilla School.
95. Deves Chandra Vidyaratna, Assistant Master (Grammar Pandit), Sanskrit Collegiate School. Sub. *pro tem.*
96. Muhammad Abdul Aziz, Assistant Master (Head Maulvi), Bhagalpur Zilla School. Sub. *pro tem.*
97. Kiran Sasi Datta, B.A., Assistant Master, Hare School. Sub. *pro tem.*
98. Raghu Nandan Tripathi, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Patna Training School. Sub. *pro tem.*
99. Maulvi Abul Mukaren Fazlul Wahab, Clerk and Librarian, Calcutta Madrasah. Sub *pro tem.*
100. Ashutosh Ganguli, B.A., Head Clerk, Office of Inspectress of Schools, Bengal. Sub. *pro tem.*, from the 1st October 1905.
101. Jatindra Nath Mukerji, B.A., Assistant Master, Hindu School. Sub. *pro tem.*, from the 1st October 1905.
102. Miss Lena Slane, Assistant Mistress, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong. On probation. Sub. *pro tem.*, from 30th March 1906.

* Transferred to Eastern Bengal and Assam.

CLASS VIII (136—40*+1†+1‡+1§=99)—Rs. 50.

1. Jadu Nath Ghosh, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Khulna.
2. Hari Lal Chakravarti, Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction.
3. Uma Charan Mitra, Assistant Master, Bankura Zilla School. Retired with effect from 16th October 1906.
4. Dasarath Misra, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Muzaffarpur Zilla School.
5. Upendra Nath Mukerjea, Teacher of Elementary Painting Class, School of Art, from 20th December 1905.
6. Narendra Nath Ganguli, B.A., Joint Superintendent, Eden Hindu Hostel.
7. Kritiman Pradhan, Clerk, Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong. On probation. Sub. *pro tem.*
8. Akshay Chandra Pal, B.A., Temporary Assistant Master, Monghyr Zilla School. Sub. *pro tem.* Died on 17th March 1906
9. John Nava Kishore Sircar, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Sonthal Parganas. On Sub. *pro tem.*
10. Suresh Chandra Ghosh, B.A., Assistant Master, Cuttack Training School. On probation. Sub. *pro tem.*
11. Surendra Nath Banerji, Drill and Gymnastic Master, Krishnagar College.
12. Abdul Hamid, Assistant Master (Urdu Teacher), Ranchi Training School.
13. Jatindra Mohan Mukerji, Drawing Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.
14. Mir Muhammad,, Assistant Master (Urdu Teacher), Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrasah.
15. Basanta Kumar Roy, Drawing Master, Krishnagar Collegiate School.
16. Akhil Chandra Chatterji, Drawing Master, Hindu School
17. Maheswar Prasad Singh, Assistant Master, Patna Collegiate School.
18. Miss Nagendra Bala Banerji, Assistant Mistress, Bethune Collegiate School.
19. Maulvi Mohib Ali, Assistant Master (Head Maulvi), Monghyr Zilla School.
20. Pramatha Nath Ghosh, Assistant Master, Northbrook School, Darbhanga.
21. Jogendra Nath Mukerjea, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Model School, attached to the Calcutta Training School.
22. Purna Chandra Mukerjea, Assistant Master (Pandit), Hooghly Training School.
23. Jogendra Nath Ganguli, Assistant Master, Arrah Zilla School.
24. Abdur Rahman, Assistant Master (Head Maulvi), Chapra Zilla School.
25. Santosh Kumar Das, Teacher, Blackboard Class, School of Art.
26. Haridas Chatterji, Assistant Master, Sanskrit Collegiate School.
27. Joges Chandra Sarkar, Clerk, Office of Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, and now Officiating Head Clerk, Bihar School of Engineering. Died on 26th May 1906.
28. Upendra Nath Bhattacharjea, Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
29. Gopinath Upadhyava, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Chapra Zilla School.
30. Nakur Chandra Biswas, Assistant Master, Bethune Coollegiate School.
31. Kunja Bihari Kaviratna, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Hooghly Branch School.
32. Muhammad Isa, Assistant Master, Calcutta Madrasah.
33. Rajkumar Kavyatirtha, Assistant Master (Pandit), Hooghly Training School.
34. Syed Wajhulla, Assistant Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrasah.
35. Annada Charan Chatterjea, Assistant Master, Uttarpara Government School.
36. Rakhal Das Mallik, Assistant to Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
37. Pulin Bihari Basu, Head Clerk, Office of Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division.
38. Laeba Dhundup, Drawing and Surveying Master, Darjeeling High School.
39. Satya Narayan Pande, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Arrah Zilla School.
40. Gostha Bihari Chakravarti, Assistant Master, Hooghly Branch School.
41. Bejoy Krishna Chatterjea, B.A., Assistant Master, Darjeeling High School.
42. Brahma Datt Tripathi, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Motihari Zilla School.
43. Mahendra Nath Chakravarti, Assistant to Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
44. Mahabir Saran, Assistant Master, Northbrook School, Darbhanga.
45. Raj Kumar Chandra, Assistant Master, Bhagalpur Zilla School.
46. Sasadhar Datta, Assistant Master, Jessore Zilla School.
47. Kawleswar Prasad, Assistant Master, Arrah Zilla School.
48. Shakwat Hossain, Assistant Master (Head Maulvi), Gaya Zilla School.
49. Janaki Nath Chatterjea, Clerk, Office of Inspector of Schools, Chota Nagpur Division.
50. Hari Balav Das, Drawing Master, Ranchi Training School.
51. Muhammad Abdul Ghani, Assistant Master (Maulvi), Arabic Department, Calcutta Madrasah.
52. Abul Khair, Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
53. Abdul Jalil, Assistant Master (Maulvi), Hooghly Madrasah.

* Transferred to Eastern Bengal and Assam.

† Sanctioned in Government order No. 907, dated the 26th February 1906, for a Master for the Commercial Class, Victoria Boy's School, Kurseong.

‡ Sanctioned in Government order No. 737, dated the 16th February 1906, for the Head Master, Woodburn Middle English School for Muhammadans.

§ Sanctioned in Government order No. 539, dated the 3rd February 1906, for Head Mistress, Bankipore Female School.

CLASS VIII (156 – 40* + 1† + 1‡ + 1§ = 99)—Rs. 50—*concluded.*

54. Lakshmi Narayan Roy, Assistant Master, Murshidabad Nawab's Madrasah.
55. Bhut Nath bhattacharji, Assistant Master (Pandit), Bhagalpur Zilla School.
56. Gangadhar Sastri, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Gaya Zilla School.
57. Trailokya Nath Chakravarti, Assistant Master, Murshidabad Nawab's High School.
58. Syed Muhammad Ali, Assistant Master (Maulvi), Murshidabad Nawab's Madrasah. Draws an allowance of Rs. 10 a month as Assistant Superintendent of the attached Hostel.
59. Purna Chandra Chatterjea, Assistant Master, Bhagalpur Zilla School.
60. Mati Lal Vidyalankar, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Ranchi Zilla School.
61. Upendra Nath Bhattacharji, Assistant Master, Barrackpore Government School.
62 Prasanna Nath Lahiri, Sub-Inspector of Schools, 24-Parganas.
63. Muhammad Maula Buksh, B.A., Assistant Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrasah.
64. Basanta Kumar Chakravarti, Drawing Master and Clerk, Barrackpore Government School.
65. Quasi Muhammad Abdul Quddus, Assistant Master (Head Maulvi), Purnea Zilla School.
66. Sarat Chandra Kavyatirtha, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Khulna Zilla School.
67. Gaya Prasad, B.A., Assistant Master, Bhagalpur Zilla School.
68. Anadi Charan Mukerjea, Librarian, Sanskrit College.
69. Banwari Lal Rai, B.A., Assistant Head Master, Taki Government School.
70. Ramanuj Vidyarnab, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Hindu School.
71. Hira Lal Datta, Assistant Master, Khulna Zilla School, died on 4th June 1906.
72 Rango Lal Sarkar, Head Clerk, Office of Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.
73. Aghore Nath Chatterjee, Assistant Master, Ranchi Zilla School.
74 Govinda Prosad Bose, B.A., Assistant Master, Ravenshaw Collegiate School.
75. Sital Prasad Tewari, Head Master, Motihari Training School.
76. Mahendra Narayan Sen, Assistant Master (Pandit), Bethune Collegiate School.
77. Raj Krishna Datta, Assistant Master (Pandit), Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrasah.
78. Radha Krishna Ram, Assistant Master, Hazaribagh Zilla School.
79. Pramatha Nath Bhattacharjea, Assistant Master (Pandit), Krishnagar Collegiate School.
80. Manmatha Nath Ganguli, Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction Bengal.
81. Atul Chandra Ghosh, Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
82. Miss Subala Sarkar, Assistant Mistress, Bethune Collegiate School.
83.* Muhammad Syeed, Assistant Master (Head Maulvi), Patna Training School.
84. Adhar Chandra Chatterjea, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Burdwan, on probation.
85. Hari Lal Kavyatirtha, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Uttarpara Government School.
86. Prafulla Nath Sen, Assistant Master, Uttarpara Government School.
87. Krishna Kumar Kavyaratna, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Taki Government School.
88. Chintamani Kar, Assistant Master Puri Zilla School.
89. Lok Nath Mahapatra Kavyatirtha, Assistant Master (Head Pandit), Balasore Zilla School
90. Muhammad Iraq Ali, Assistant Master (Maulvi), Murshidabad Nawab's High School.
91. Kshirod Chandra Chatterji, Assistant Master, Hindu School.
92. Nikunja Bihari De, B.A., Assistant Master, Hooghly Training School.
93. Mahadev Prasad, Clerk, Office of Inspector of Schools, Bhagalpur Division.
94. Siris Chandra Mitra, Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, from the 1st October 1905.
95. Muhammad Ishaq, Head Master, Woodburn Middle English School for Muhammadans, from the 1st February 1906.
96. Dharanidhar, M.A., Assistant Head Master, Motihari Zilla School, from the 24th January 1906.
97. Prasanna Kumar Deo, B.A. Munshi, Commercial Class, Victoria Boys' School, on probation, sub *protem.*
98. Vacant. Accountant, Civil Engineering College.
99. Vacant. Head Mistress, Bankipore Female School.

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A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, UNITED PROVINCES.

NOTICE.

Dated Allahabad, the 2nd October 1906.

THE Local Government having approved of an application made by Raja Tasadduq Rasul Khan, C.S.I., of Jahangirabad in the Bara Banki district, that a sum of Rs. 20,200 be vested under the designation of the "Tasadduq Rasul Arabic Scholarship Endowment Trust, Aligarh," in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the said Local Government, to be applied in Trust upon the terms that the interest accruing thereon be expended in the payment of scholarships for the higher study of Arabic at the Muhammadan Anglo-Oriental College, Aligarh, on certain conditions, the following is published for general information:—

(1) that the scholarships shall be awarded in each year to Muhammadan students of Arabic who, after having passed the examination for the time being prescribed for the B. A. degree of any University to which the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), applies purpose to study in the Muhammadan Anglo-Oriental College, Aligarh, for two years for the examination for the time being prescribed for the M. A. degree in Arabic of the Allahabad University;

(2) that there shall be one or more scholarships of the value of Rs. 20 per mensem, tenable for two years; and the Secretary and the Principal of the Muhammadan Anglo-Oriental College, Aligarh, shall decide, with reference to the funds available for the purpose, the number of the scholarships to be granted in any year;

(3) that the nomination for the said scholarship or scholarships shall rest with the Principal of the said College who shall in making the nomination give preference to candidates who are inhabitants of the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh;

(4) that the holder of a scholarship shall in all matters carry out the instructions of the Principal, who shall have power to suspend and withdraw the scholarship in the event of the misconduct of the holder;

(5) that the income accruing on the Trust shall be expended in the payment of these Arabic scholarships and no other object;

(6) that all savings, from whatever cause arising, shall, if the said Local Government deem the amount to be sufficient for the purpose, be added to and form part of the funds hereby vested in the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments; and the income accruing on the amounts so added shall also be expended in the manner prescribed for the income accruing on the said funds;

(7) that in the event of the Arabic classes of the said College being abolished and in the event of its ceasing to teach Arabic the income accruing from the Trust shall be expended in scholarships for some other branch of higher education at the same College in the name of the donor, and in the event of the Muhammadan Anglo-Oriental College, Aligarh, ceasing to exist the amount of the Trust shall be returned to the said Raja Tasadduq Rasul Khan, C.S.I., of Jahangirabad, or his heir or representative.

2. Applications for these scholarships should be made in writing to the Principal, Muhammadan Anglo-Oriental College, Aligarh.

T. C. LEWIS, M.A.,

Director of Public Instruction, United Provinces.

THE FINAL EXAMINATION FOR B AND C CLASSES, 1907.

I

ROUTINE FOR FINAL EXAMINATION OF THE B CLASSES, 1907.

THE examination will be held at the following centres and on the following dates:—

BENGAL ... ... Bankipore, Midnapore and Ranchi.
EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM Rampur Boalia, Rangpur, Pabna, Barisal, Dacca and Mymensingh.

DATES.	8 to 11 A.M.	1 to 4 P.M.
Friday, the 1st February 1907	Manual Training ...	Manual Training.
Saturday, the 2nd February 1907	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Monday, the 4th February 1907	Arithmetic and Algebra.	Geometry and Mensuration.
Tuesday, the 5th February 1907	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	Engineering.
Wednesday, the 6th February 1907	Surveying ...	Modern English, I.
Thursday, the 7th February 1907	Modern English, II	Elementary Science.

2. The exact periods allotted to the Manual Training test will be indicated on the examination paper. The examination will begin on Friday, the 1st February 1907, at 8 A.M., and continue, morning and afternoon, until the time allotted has expired. The Manual Training test is on no account to be conducted during any hours other than those prescribed on the examination paper.

3. After each period the candidate's test work together with his question-paper will be taken from him and locked up by the Superintendent and securely sealed. It will remain in his custody until the hour set apart for resuming the examination. Before re-distributing the work to the candidates the Superintendent should assure himself that the seal has not been tampered with.

4. The examination at each centre will be in charge of the Superintendent of the local Technical School. Each Superintendent will be informed by the Examiner, not later than the first week in January, as to the scantlings and length of wood necessary for the practical test. It will be the duty of the Superintendent to see that a sufficient quantity of wood of the required size is available.

5. No extra wood may be given to any candidate.

6. No mistry will be allowed in the shops during the examination.

7. When the time allotted to the practical test has expired, the Superintendent is immediately to pack carefully the materials which have been worked on by the candidates and despatch the packages under seal to the Head Master, Ahsanullah School of Engineering, Dacca, together with a certificate that in each case these examination rules have been rigidly complied with. He will inform the Head Master by telegraph of the despatch of the tests.

II.

ROUTINE FOR THE FINAL EXAMINATION OF THE C CLASSES, 1907, BENGAL CENTRES.

1. The examination will be conducted at the following centres and on the following dates:—

The Hare School, Calcutta (for all Calcutta candidates) Ranchi, Uttarpara, Hooghly and Barasat.

DATES.	8 to 11 A.M.	1 to 4 P.M.
Monday, the 4th February 1907	Arithmetic and Algebra	Geometry and Mensuration.
Tuesday, the 5th February 1907	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	History.
Wednesday, the 6th February 1907	Geography ...	Modern English, I.
Thursday, the 7th February 1907	Modern English, II.	

2. Arrangements for conducting the final examination of the C classes in Eastern Bengal and Assam will be published by the Director of Public Instruction, Eastern Bengal and Assam.

III.

General Instructions.

1. The following regulations are to be observed for the final examination both of the B and C classes:—

Each Head Master of a school sending up candidates for these examinations must send to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, a list of candidates appearing from his school before the 20th December 1906. This list is to be accompanied by:—

(*a*) a certificate of the age of each candidate on January 1st, 1907;
(*b*) a declaration of the candidate's vernacular;
(*c*) a fee of Rs. 10 from each candidate. This fee will in no case be refunded.

Duplicate copies of (*a*) and (*b*) are to be sent at the same time to the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

2. The following Examiners have been appointed:—

Classes	Subjects.	Examiner.	Address.
B and *C*	Arithmetic and Algebra.	Babu Kalipada Basu, M.A.	Professor, Dacca College.
B and *C*	Geometry and Mensuration.	Babu Radha Raman Guha.	Assistant Head Master, Dacca School of Engineering.
B and *C*	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	Babu Surendra Kumar Bose.	Assistant Professor, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
B and *C*	Modern English, I—	Mr. J. A. Chapman	Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta.
	(*a*) Grammar and Parsing (1½ hours).		
	(*b*) Translation from Vernacular (1½ hours)—		
	Bengali ...	Babu Debendra Kumar Roy.	Head Master, Dacca Training School.
	Hindi ...	Babu Bhagabati Sahai.	Assistant Inspector of Schools, Patna Division.
	Urdu ...	Maulvi Ashanulla, M.A.	Head Master, Rajshahi Collegiate School.
B and *C*	Modern English, II—		
	(*a*) Essay (1½ hours)	Mr. J. A. Chapman...	Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta.
	(*b*) Translation from English (1½ hours)—Paper to be set by— ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
	Examiner (Bengali)	Mr. D. N. Mallik ...	Professor, Patna College.
	Do. (Hindi) ...	Babu Bhagabati Sahai.	Assistant Inspector of Schools, Patna Division.
	Do. (Urdu) ...	Maulvi Amjadali ...	Head Master, Calcutta Madrassa.
B	Engineering ...	Mr. F. W. Arnold ...	Head Master, Dacca School of Engineering.
B	Surveying ...	„ P. W. Byers ...	Teacher, C. E. College, Sibpur.
B	Elementary Science...	„ P. Brühl ...	Professor, C. E. College, Sibpur.
B	Manual Training ...	„ B. Kenneth Evans.	Foreman-Instructor, Dacca Ahsanulla School of Engineering.
C	History ...	Mr. J. N. Das Gupta	Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta.
C	Geography ...	„ J. V. Francis ..	Superintendent, Apprentice Department, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
C	Modern English, III	„ J. A. Chapman	Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta.
C	Elementary Practical Mechanics.	„ F. W. Arnold ...	Head Master, Dacca School of Engineering.

3. All question-papers, except those for the practical tests, are to be such as can be answered in three-hour periods. Modern English (I) and Modern English (II) are divided into two sections; the questions on each section should be such as can be answered in 1½ hours. The answer-papers on each section of Modern English are to be collected at the end of the 1½-hour period assigned to it.

CALCUTTA,
The 11th December 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Post-graduate Research Scholarships, 1907.

1. Two post-graduate Research Scholarships of the monthly value of Rs. 100 each, and tenable for a maximum period of three years, but in the first instance for one year only will be awarded early in the year 1907.

2. No candidate will be considered who has not passed the M.A., the M.D., the D.L. or the Master in Engineering Examination of the Calcutta University in 1904, 1905, or 1906. No candidate will be considered who is not possessed of high qualifications and who cannot show that he has a capacity for original research.

3. One of the scholarships will be awarded to a candidate who proposes to carry on original research in some Scientific subjects, such as Natural and Physical Science, Chemistry, Mathemetical Science, etc. The other may be awarded to a candidate who undertakes research in some literary subject, such as a Language, Comparative Philology, Palæography, Epigraphy, Philosophy, History, Archæology, Anthropology, etc.; but no application for a scholarship for researches in a literary subject will be considered unless a candidate presents himself who not only shows that he has the capacity for undertaking the research proposed, but also makes it clear by the programme which he submits that he has thought out a definite course of inquiry. In the event of no suitable candidate for a literary research scholarship being forthcoming, this office may recommend thatboth the scholarships may be awarded for scientific research.

4. All applications must be submitted, through the head of the institution in which the candidate read last, so as to reach the undersigned on or before the 31st January 1907.

5. Application forms may be had from the Personal Assistant, Office of the Director of Public Instruction, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta.

CALCUTTA,
The 10th December 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College.—

I.—Engineer Department.

A four-year course leading to the Engineering Degrees of the Calcutta University. Admissions made yearly in June. Admission qualification, the First Arts examination of the Calcutta University or its equivalent.

II.—Apprentice Department.

The full course of study covers five years. There are special classes in Mining and in Electrical Engineering.

After 1½ years the Sub-Overseer examination is held.

After 3½ years the Final or Overseer examination is held with special modification for Mining students.

After a further 1½ years' practical training the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate is given.

Admissions are made yearly in June to 1st year and in March to 2nd and 3rd years. Admission qualifications—

To 1st-year class, Entrance examination of Calcutta University or equivalent, to the Middle School.

To 2nd-year class, the Final examination of B Course of zilla schools.

To 3rd-year class, the Sub-Overseer examination of affiliated Technical schools.

III.—Workshops.

Artisan classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters';	Fitters';	Machine,
Blacksmiths';	Turners;	and Foundry.

IV.—Agricultural Department.

Admission made by nomination of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor. Application to be sent to the Principal. A two-year course leading to the Agricultural Diploma of the College. Admission made yearly in November.

Admission qualifications—

As general student, B. A., B Course, of Calcutta University or equivalent.

As special student, satisfactory evidence that the candidate can benefit by the instruction.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

SIBPUR,
The 7th June 1906.

B. HEATON,
Principal.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

NOTICE.

THE HON'BLE MR. F. A. SLACKE, I.C.S.,
Member in charge.

WHEREAS the Court of Wards has assumed charge of the estate of Babu Bhikambar Singh, zamindar of pargana Jaypur, in the district of Manbhum, in pursuance of the orders of Government, No. 3048L.R., dated the 28th November 1906, declaring him to be a disqualified proprietor, on his own application, under section 6 (*e*) of Act IX (B.C.) of 1879, notice is hereby given, under sub-section (1), section 10A of the same Act, as amended by Act I (B.C.) of 1906, that all creditors having claims against the said disqualified proprietor or his immovable property shall submit the same in writing to the Deputy Commissioner of Manbhum at Purulia, within six months from the date of the publication of this notice.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
S. L. MADDOX,
Secretary.

LAND REVENUE DEPT., WARDS' BRANCH, CALCUTTA,
The 12th December 1906.

No. 5998A.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. F. A. SLACKE, I.C.S.

Dated Calcutta, the 8th December 1906.

THE price lists of staple food-crops in the local areas, prepared under section 39 (1) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, for the period from the 1st of April 1906 to 30th of June 1906 having been approved by the Board of Revenue, L. P., are published for general information under sub-section 4 of that section.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

S. L. MADDOX,

Secretary.

Price List (retail) of Staple Food-crops in the local areas of Bengal, prepared under section 39

BURDWAN

1	2	3	4
DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
BURDWAN ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Burdwan	Rice ... ...
	Raniganj ditto ...	Raniganj	Do. ... ...
	Katwa ditto ...	Katwa	Do. ... ...
	Kalna ditto ...	Kalna	Do. ... ..
BIRBHUM ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Suri	Rice ... ...
	Rampur Hât ditto ...	Rampur Hât ...	Do. ... .
BANKURA ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Bankura	Rice ... ...
	Vishnupur ditto ...	Vishnupur	Do. ... ...
MIDNAPORE ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Midnapore (Colonel Gola)	Rice ... ...
	Ghatal ditto ...	Ghatal	Do. ... ...
	Tamluk ditto ...	Tamluk	Do. ... ..
	Contai ditto ...	Contai (Kontala Bazar) ...	Do. ... ..
HOOGHLY ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Hooghly	Rice ... ...
	Serampore ditto ...	Bhuddessuar ...	Do. ... ...
	Arambagh ditto ...	Jahanabad	Do. ... ...
	Howrah ditto ...	Mohiari	Do. ... ...
	Ulubaria ditto ...	Ulubaria	Do. ... ...

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24-PARGANAS ...	Diamond Harbour subdivision ...	Mugra Hât ...	Rice ... ...
	Sadar ditto ...	Chetla Hât ...	Do. ... ...
	Barasat ditto ...	Barasat	Do. ... ...
	Basirhat ditto ...	Baduria Baraon ...	Do. ... ...
NADIA ...	Kushtia subdivision ...	Bahadurkhali ...	Rice ... ...
	Meherpore ditto	Kaliabazar	Do. ... ...
	Chuadanga ditto	Chuadanga	Do. ... ...
	Sadar ditto	Goaree	Do. ... ...
	Ranaghat ditto	Ranaghat	Do. ... ...
MURSHIDABAD ...	Sadar subdivision	Berhampore	Rice ... ...
	Jangipur ditto	Jangipur	Do. ... ..

of the Bengal Tenancy Act (No. VIII of 1885) for three months, from April to June 1906.

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5	6.	7	8	9	10
Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1906.	REMARKS.
	April 1906.	May 1906.	June 1906.		
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Last day of the month ...	10 0	9 0	8 14	9 5	
27th of the month ...	11 8	11 0	10 0	10 13	
Ditto ...	10 10	10 7	9 8	10 3	
28th of every month ...	9 1	9 2	8 14	9 0	
Last day of each month ...	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	
Ditto ...	10 4	9 12	9 8	9 13	
Last day of the month ...	12 0	11 0	10 8	11 3	
Ditto	12 0	11 4	11 0	11 7	
Last day of each month ...	11 0	9 12	10 0	10 4	
27th of every month ...	10 8	9 0	8 12	9 7	
3rd Wednesday of every month ...	10 0	9 8	9 0	9 8	
Any market day from 27th to 30th of every month.	11 0	11 0	9 0	10 5	
Last Thursday of each month ...	9 12	9 10	8 10	9 5	
Ditto ditto ...	8 10	7 13	7 13	8 1	
Ditto ditto ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	
Dttto ditto ...	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 8	
Ditto ditto ...	8 8	8 0	9 0	8 8	

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Last market day which immediately precedes the last Saturday of every month.	10 5	9 6	9 0	9 9
Last Saturday of every month ...	9 11	10 4	9 0	9 10
Last market day which immediately precedes the last Saturday of every month.	9 0	7 11	7 13	8 3
Ditto ditto ...	8 9	8 7	8 7	8 8
28th of each month	9 0	8 14	8 0	8 10
Ditto	8 12	9 0	8 12	8 13
Saturday immediately preceding the 28th of each month.	8 14	10 0	8 0	8 15
Last day of each month ...	9 8	9 6	9 6	9 7
28th of each month	9 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
Ditto	9 8	9 6	9 3	9 6
Market day which falls immediately before the 28th of each month ...	10 0	10 4	9 8	9 15

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1	2	3	4
DISTRICT.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
MURSHIDABAD ...	Lalbagh subdivision	Lalbagh	Rice ... ...
	Kandi ditto	Kandi	Do. ... ...
JESSORE ...	Jhenida subdivision ...	Jhenida	Rice ... ...
	Magura ditto ...	Magura	Do. ... ...
	Sadar ditto ...	Jessore	Do. ... ...
	Narail ditto ...	Narail	Do. ... ...
	Bangaon ditto ...	Bangaon	Do. ... ...
KHULNA ...	Sadar subdivision ..	Khulna	Rice ... ...
	Satkhira ditto ...	Satkhira	Do. ... ...
	Bagerhat ditto ...	Bagerhat	Do. ... ...

PATNA

	Sadar subdivision, excluding thana Maner.	Marufganj	*Makai* up-land
			Rice low-land
	Dinapore subdivision with thana Maner.	Dinapore	Barley up-land
			Rice low-land
PATNA	Barh subdivision ...	Barh	*Makai* up-land
			Rice low-land ...
	Bihar ditto ...	Bihar	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Sadar subdivision	Gaya	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Nawadah ditto	Nawadah ..	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land
...YA ...	Jahanabad ditto	Jahanabad ...	Wheat up-land
			Rice low-land
	Aurangabad ditto	Aurangabad	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...

DIVISION—*concluded.*

5	6	7	8	9	10
Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1906	REMARKS.
	April 1906.	May 1906.	June 1906.		
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
First Monday of each month ...	9 8	9 4	10 8	9 12	
Market day which falls immediately before the 28th of each month.	10 10	10 10	9 12	10 5	
Thursday or Sunday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February, in which the Thursday falling on or next before the 26th.	* 9 0	8 0	8 0	8 5	
Ditto ditto ...	8 10	8 7	7 14	8 5	
Monday or Friday falling on or next before the last day of every month.	8 0	8 0	9 0	8 5	
Thursday or Sunday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February in which the Thursday falling on or next before the 26th.	8 0	8 3	8 14	8 6	
Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 28th of every month, except February in which the Monday or Friday falling on or next before the 26th.	8 14	7 9	8 0	8 2	
Last market day of every month ...	7 7	8 2	7 9	7 11	
28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the 26th.	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	
Sunday falling on or before the 28th of every month, except February, when the price will be taken on the Sunday falling on or before the 26th.	9 14	8 10	7 11	8 12	

DIVISION.

28th of each month	13 0	10 13	13 8	12 7	
	11 0	13 0	10 5	11 7	
Ditto	16 0	16 0	14 6	15 7	
	11 4	10 12	9 14	10 10	
Ditto	*	*	*		*No sale.
	9 15	9 0	8 15	9 5	
Ditto	11 0	12 0	13 0	12 0	
	10 4	11 10	10 12	10 14	
Last day of the month ...	12 4	13 5	12 4	12 10	
	11 12	11 12	10 13	11 7	
Last market day of the month, not being less than two days before the close of the month.	13 10	14 8	13 6	13 13	
	11 13	11 2	11 0	11 5	
Ditto ditto ...	12 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	
	11 0	11 0	10 8	10 13	
Last market day of the month, being not less than three days before the close of the month.	15 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	
	13 4	13 0	13 0	13 1	

PATNA

1	2	3	4
District.	Local areas.	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
Shahabad ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Arrah	Wheat up land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Buxar ditto ...	Buxar	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Sasaram ditto ...	Sasaram	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Bhabhua ditto ..	Bhabhua	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
Saran ...	Gopalganj subdivision ...	Mirganj	*Makai* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Siwan ditto	Siwan	*Makai* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ..
	Sadar ditto ...	Chapra	*Makai* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
Champaran ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Motihari	*Makai* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Bettiah ditto ...	Bettiah	*Makai* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
Muzaffarpur ...	Sitamarhi subdivision ...	Sitamarhi	*Makai* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Sadar ditto ..	Muzaffarpur ...	*Makai* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Hajipur ditto ...	Hajipur	*Makai* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
Darbhanga ...	Madhubani subdivision ...	Madhubani ...	*Murwa* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Sadar ditto ...	Darbhanga	*Murwa* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Samastipur ditto ...	Samastipur... ...	*Makai* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...

DIVISION—*concluded.*

5	6	7	8	9	
Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1906.	REMARKS.
	April 1906.	May 1906	June 1906.		
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
1st Saturday of each month ...	11 3	11 11	12 3	11 11	
	11 8	10 7	10 11	10 14	
1st Thursday of every month ...	11 0	13 0	13 0	12 5	
	11 0	12 8	10 12	11 7	
Ditto ditto ...	12 13	13 5	13 7	13 5	
	11 15	11 9	11 11	11 12	
Ditto ditto ...	12 3	12 8	13 8	12 13	
	12 0	11 8	11 8	11 11	
Last market day immediately preceding the 15th of each month.	13 13	12 14	12 4	13 0	
	10 13	9 8	9 4	9 14	
Ditto ditto ...	14 3	13 4	13 9	13 11	
	10 11	8 14	9 4	9 10	
15th of each month	14 0	13 4	13 0	13 7	
	10 8	10 0	10 0	10 3	
Last day of the month ...	11 8	11 8	11 8	11 8	
	10 8	10 8	10 0	10 3	
Ditto	13 0	13 0	13 0	12 11	
	10 0	9 8	9 12	9 12	
Last Wednesday of every month...	...*	...*	14 0	...	*No sale.
	11 0	10 0	10 8	10 8	
Last day of every month ...	12 0	12 0	11 0	11 11	
	10 0	9 0	9 0	9 5	
3rd day from the end of the month	12 12	12 12	12 4	12 9	
	9 12	9 8	9 12	9 11	
28th of each month, except in February, when it will be 26th.	16 4	16 4	15 9	16 0	
	10 6	9 12	9 12	9 15	
Last day of each month A.	16 8	15 6	16 8	16 2.	
	10 7	9 10	10 2	10 1	
28th of each month, except in February, when it will be 26th.	13 0	12 0	12 8	12 8	
	11 0	9 8	10 8	10 5	

BHAGALPUR

1	2	3	4
District.	Local areas	Marts at which prices were taken.	Staple food-crop or crops.
Monghyr ..	Sadar subdivision ...	Monghyr	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Begusarai ditto ...	Begusarai	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Jamui ditto ...	Jamui	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
Bhagalpur ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Bhagalpur	*Makai* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Supaul ditto ...	Supaul	*Murwa* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Madhipura ditto ...	Madhipura	*Murwa* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Banka ditto ...	Banka.	*Makai* up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
Purnea ..	Araria subdivision ...	Araria	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Kishanganj ditto ...	Kishanganj ...	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...
	Sadar ditto ...	Beamsganj ...	Wheat up-land ...
			Rice low-land ...

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Cuttack ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Cuttack town ...	Rice ... ...
	Kendrapara ditto ...	Kendrapara	Do. ... ...
	Jajpur ditto ..	Jajpur town ...	Do. ... ...
	Banki ditto ...	Charchika Hât ...	Do. ... ...
Balasore ...	Bhadrak subdivision ...	Bhadrak	Rice ... ...
		Chandbali	Do. ... ...
	Sadar ditto ...	Balasore	Dō. ... ...
Puri ...	Sadar subdivision ...	Puri	Rice ... ...
	Khurda ditto ...	Khurda	Do. ... ...

DIVISION.

5	6	7	8	9	10
Market days for the preparation of price-lists.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAS, COMPANY'S WEIGHT.			Average price for the quarter ending the 30th June 1906.	REMARKS.
	April 1906.	May 1906.	June 1906.		
	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	S. c.	
Last day of every month ...	14 0	13 10	12 9	13 6	
	10 3	9 7	9 7	9 11	
25th of every month	11 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	
	9 8	9 0	9 0	9 3	
29th of every month	14 0	14 0	13 0	13 11	
	11 0	11 0	9 8	10 8	
The date preceding the close of the month.	...*	...*	11 6	...	
	10 12	10 2	10 2	10 5	*No sale.
The hát day that falls between the 24th and 27th of the month.	18 0	18 0	20 0	18 11	
	11 0	11 0	10 12	10 15	
The last hát day in the month, but one.	18 0	16 0	17 0	17 0	
	11 8	10 8	10 8	10 13	
Ditto ditto ...	...*	...*	..*	...	*No sale.
	10 8	9 11	9 6	9 13	
Last market day of the month ...	16 0	13 0	11 0	13 5	
	9 0	9 0	7 8	8 8	
Ditto	10 0	11 0	11 8	10 13	
	8 4	7 8	7 8	7 12	
Ditto	10 0	11 0	12 0	11 0	
	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 3	

DIVISION.

1st Sunday of each month ...	12 7	11 13	11 2	11 13	
Ditto	14 7	14 7	14 7	14 7	
Ditto	14 0	13 2	13 2	13 7	
1st Tuesday of each month ...	13 13	13 7	10 8	12 9	
1st Wednesday of every month ...	14 0	14 0	13 0	13 11	
1st Thursday of every month ...	13 0	13 0	12 0	12 11	
1st Saturday of every month ...	12 0	11 0	11 0	11 5	
The 5th of every month ...	12 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	
Ditto	14 7	13 2	13 2	13 9	

No. 7131B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Sale of Opium, the provision of 1904-05, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 3rd January 1907, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,400 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of ...	2,200
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of ...	2,200
Total ...	4,400

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 27th November 1906, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 21st January 1907, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 8th January 1907, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 21st January 1907.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 5th February 1907	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 5th March ,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd April	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday, 1st May	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 4th June	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd July	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 6th August	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday 4th September	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Thursday, 3rd October ,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Friday, 1st November ,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 3rd December ,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
Total	24,200	24,200	48,400

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA, *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 1st December 1906.*

No. 7054B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1907, will consist of about 26,400 chests prepared at the Patna Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chitaks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chitaks used for pasting the leaves of the shell, and about 26,400 chests prepared at the Ghazipur Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chitaks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chitaks used for pasting the leaves of the shell, being of the seasons 1904-1905 and 1905-1906 in the proportion marginally noted.

OPIUM.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory.

		Chests.
Supply from 1904-1905	...	20,888
Ditto 1905-1906	...	5,512
Total	...	26,400

Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

		Chests.
Supply from 1904-1905	...	16,895
Ditto 1905-1906	...	10,505
Total	...	26,400

2. The dates on or about which the sales will be held, and the total quantity of opium, as well as the respective quantities manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories which will be brought forward for sale every month, are specified below. The Board of Revenue reserve to themselves the right of altering the dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so. In accordance with the Notification of the Government of India, No. 3494A., dated 22nd June 1906, 2,200 chests of Patna and 2,200 chests of Benares opium will be sold monthly from January to December 1907:—

DATES.		Chests manufactured at the Patna Factory.	Chests manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.	Total chests.
1		2		
On or about Thursday, 3rd January	1907	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 5th February	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 5th March	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd April	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday, 1st May	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 4th June	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd July	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 6th August	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday, 4th September	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Thursday, 3rd October	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Friday, 1st November	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 3rd December	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
	Total	26,400	26,400	52,800

The following are the conditions of sale:—

1. The opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

2. The opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 800 per chest, and sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for

which, provision is made by clause 13 of these conditions of sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

3. The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M., but if at that hour any of the lots advertised for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of the Board of Revenue, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday), at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or if the whole quantity advertised shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Board of Revenue may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

4. Each lot shall contain five chests.

5. A Promissory Note for a sum, calculated according to the scale, noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room and before the lot is registered in the sale-book, and all such Promissory Notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this office by Bank of Bengal receipts or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India, on or before 3-30 P.M., in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the said notes must be redeemed by 1-30 P.M., or, on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as the Board of Revenue shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

DEPOSIT.

When the amount bid is less than Rs. 1,200 per chest, Rs. 200 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,200 and upwards, but less than Rs. 1,600 per chest, Rs. 300 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 2,000 per chest, Rs. 400 per chest.
And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400.

6. The said Promissory Notes shall be absolutely payable in any event, and the amount thereof shall be absolutely forfeited upon such default as before mentioned, and the amount thereof shall not go or be credited in reduction of any loss on re-sale or expenses thereby incurred, but shall be recoverable whether such re-sale shall be had or not, or whether there shall be a loss on such re-sale or not.

7. The Promissory Notes taken on the day of sale under the fifth condition, if remaining unredeemed at 3-30 P.M. of the fifth day following the day of sale or 1-30 P.M., if the last day falls on a Saturday, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

8. No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities, on account of opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before the prescribed time in clause 5 on the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted. Provided always that money so subsequently tendered may be taken in payment of the said Promissory Note, but such acceptance of money shall in no way entitle the payer thereof to any right to delivery of the lot or lots in respect whereof the said note was given, or to any of the rights of a purchaser thereof, or release the payer from liability for any unpaid balance of such notes or from the additional liability for the loss and expenses of such re-sale as provided for in clauses No. 5 and No. 6.

9. The opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than by 3-30 P.M. of the fifteenth day from the day of sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the opium must be paid for by 1-30 P.M.; and, in case any lots of such opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth condition, or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as the Board of Revenue shall think fit; and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good all expenses and any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale, and the liability for the loss or difference of price and expenses shall be in addition to, and wholly independent of, the amount of the deposit so forfeited.

10. Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of opium, after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorizing the delivery of single lots or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests ordinarily required to be included in each certificate or order.

11. No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present conditions will be received in this office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale-book, or his authorized agent. The receipt for deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

12. The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall on demand render at the time a deposit either in Government of India Notes, Bank of Bengal receipts, or Government securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a Promissory Note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these conditions.

13. With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually by Rs. 5 at a time until a bid is obtained; and the first *bonâ fide* bidder for a lot, after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described, shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 800 specified in the second of these conditions.

14. The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of the same Agency opium not exceeding altogether twenty-five lots, provided always that there remains a sufficient number of lots of the opium to complete the said twenty-five.

15. In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

16. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue:—

No. 1, Certificate of the opium advertised for sale;

No. 2, Report of the examination of such opium.

17. The public are hereby informed that in providing the investment of the opium manufactured at the Patna Factory and the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory for the year 1905-1906, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug, when packed at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken, for the purpose of comparison, from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

18. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the opium advertised for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Board of Revenue entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the opium for shipment.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA,
Offg. Secretary.

CALCUTTA,
The 27th November 1906.

NOTICE.

No. 6965B.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.,

Member in charge.

APPLICATIONS for tickets of admission to the Opium Sale Rooms for the year 1907 should be made at the Office of the Board of Revenue, L. P., on or after the 20th December 1906.

Tickets for the year 1906, which have not already been surrendered, should be returned at the same time.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

R. B. MISRA,
Offg. Secretary.

MIS. REVR. DEPT., OPIUM (SALE) BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 22nd November 1906.*

No. 7458.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1906.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 86 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878) the Board of Revenue, L. P., prescribe the following form of Bill-of-Entry for consumption, in supersession of the form shown as No. 9 at page 144 of the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 (corrected up to the 30th September 1905:—

Bill-of-Entry for Consumption.

PORT _____

VESSEL.	MASTER OR AGENTS.	COLOURS.	PORT FROM WHICH GOODS SHIPPED.

PACKAGES.		DETAILS OF GOODS TO BE GIVEN SEPARATELY FOR EACH CLASS OR DESCRIPTION.								
Number and description.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.		Description.	Value according to Tariff valuation.		Real value as defined in the Sea Customs Act.		Duty		Country consig
					Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	

TOTAL VALUE UPON WHICH DUTY ASSESSED (in words and figures).

RUPEES

TOTAL DUTY (in words and figures).

RUPEES

I hereby declare the particulars given above to be true.

* I hereby declare that I am unable from want of full information to state the real value and contents of packages above marked, and pray that they may be

IMPORTER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND SIGNATURE,

SIGNATURE OF AGENT IF ACTING FOR IMPORTER.

*Dated*_____

* This declaration to be struck out if not required.

2. The form should be printed in duplicate on stout white or blue paper with the words "Original" in one copy and "Duplicate" in the other inserted on the top right hand corner.

3. The form will come into use from the 15th January 1907.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA,

Offg. Secretary.

No. 7459B.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1906.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 91 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878) the Board of Revenue, L. P., prescribe the following form of application for goods to be warehoused under bond, in supersession of the form shown as No. 10 at page 145 of the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 (corrected up to the 30th September 1905):—

Application for Goods to be Warehoused under Bond at

PORT ———————

VESSEL.	MASTER OR AGENTS.	COLOURS.	PORT FROM WHICH GOODS SHIPPED.

PACKAGES.		DETAILS OF GOODS TO BE GIVEN SEPARATELY FOR EACH CLASS OR DESCRIPTION.									
Number and description.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.		Description.	Value according to Tariff valuation.		Real value as defined in the Sea Customs Act.		Duty.		Country whence consigned.
					Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	

TOTAL VALUE UPON WHICH DUTY ASSESSED (in words and figures).

RUPEES

TOTAL DUTY (in words and figures).

RUPEES

I hereby declare the particulars given above to be true.

* I hereby declare that I am unable from want of full information to state the real value and contents of packages above marked, and pray that they may be

IMPORTER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND SIGNATURE.

SIGNATURE OF AGENT IF ACTING FOR IMPORTER

Dated ———————

* This declaration to be struck out if not required.

2. The form should be printed in duplicate on stout buff paper with the words "Original" in one copy and "Duplicate" in the other inserted on the top right hand corner.

3. The form will come into use from the 15th January 1907.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA,

Offg. Secretary.

No. 7460B.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1906.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under sections 104, 105 and 113 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878) the Board of Revenue, L. P., prescribe the following form of application for clearance of goods warehoused under bond, in supersession of the forms shown as Nos. 11, 12 and 13 at pages 146, 147 and 148, respectively, of the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 (corrected up to the 30th September 1905):—

Application for clearance of Goods Warehoused under Bond at _____ *under No.* _____ *dated* _____ *for*

PORT _____

VESSEL.	MASTER OR AGENTS.	COLOURS.	PORT FROM WHICH GOODS SHIPPED.

PACKAGES. DETAILS OF GOODS TO BE GIVEN SEPARATELY FOR EACH CLASS OR DESCRIPTION.

Number and description.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.		Description.	Value according to Tariff valuation.		Real value as defined in the Sea Customs Act.		Duty.		Country whence consigned.
					Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	

TOTAL VALUE UPON WHICH DUTY ASSESSED (in words and figures).

RUPEES

TOTAL DUTY (in words and figures).

RUPEES

I hereby declare the particulars given above to be true.
* I hereby declare that I am unable from want of full information to state the real value and contents of packages above marked, and pray that they may be

IMPORTER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND SIGNATURE.

SIGNATURE OF AGENT IF ACTING FOR IMPORTER.

Dated _____

* This declaration to be struck out if not required.

2. The form should be printed in duplicate on stout green paper with the words "Original" in one copy and "Duplicate" in the other inserted on the top right hand corner.

3. The form shall be used for any of the following purposes:—

(*i*) For the removal of warehoused goods from one warehouse to another in the same port.

(*ii*) For the removal of warehoused goods in order to be re-warehoused in another port.

(*iii*) For clearance of goods out of bond for consumption on payment of duty, or exportation to a foreign port.

The form will come into use from the 15th January 1907.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA,

Offg. Secretary.

No. 7461B.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1906.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 137(*a*) of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878) the Board of Revenue, L.P., prescribe the following forms of Shipping Bills for free and dutiable goods, in supersession of the form shown as No. 14, at page 149 of the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 (corrected up to the 30th September 1905) :—

PORT——————.

Shipping Bill for Free Goods.

NAME OF VESSEL. | MASTER OR AGENTS. | COLOURS. PORT AT WHICH GOODS TO BE DISCHARGED.

PACKAGES.		DETAILS OF GOODS TO BE GIVEN SEPARATELY FOR EACH CLASS OR DESCRIPTION.					REMARKS, (State whether Indian Merchandise or Foreign Merchandise to be re-exported.)
Number and description.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Real value as defined in the Sea Customs Act. Rate.	Real value as defined in the Sea Customs Act. Amount.	Country of final destination.	
	Total ...			Total ...			

I hereby declare the particulars given above to be true.
I claim drawback in the amount of Rs.*

EXPORTER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND SIGNATURE.

SIGNATURE OF AGENT IF ACTING FOR EXPORTER.

Dated——————

* In words and figures.

PORT_____

Shipping Bill for Dutiable Goods.

NAME OF VESSEL.	MASTER OR AGENTS.	COLOURS.	PORT AT WHICH GOODS TO BE DISCHARGED.

PACKAGES.		DETAILS OF GOODS TO BE GIVEN SEPARATELY FOR EACH CLASS OR DESCRIPTION.						
Number and description.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Real value as defined in the Sea Customs Act.		Duty.		Country of final destination.
				Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	
TOTAL QUANTITY (in words and figures) MAUNDS lbs.				TOTAL DUTY (in words and figures). RUPEES				

I hereby declare the particulars given above to be true.

EXPORTER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND SIGNATURE.

SIGNATURE OF AGENT IF ACTING FOR EXPORTER.

*Dated*_____

2. The forms should be printed in duplicate on stout white or blue paper with the words "Original" in one copy and "Duplicate" in the other inserted on the top right-hand corner.

3. The form of Shipping Bill for free goods shall also be used for the shipment of goods under claim for drawback and that for dutiable goods for the shipment of dutiable goods only.

4. The forms will come into use from the 15th January 1907.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

R. B. MISRA,

Offg. Secretary.

No. 7462B.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1906.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 86 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878) the Board of Revenue, L. P., prescribe the following form of Bill-of-entry for coasting trade :—

Bill-of-Entry for consumption.

COASTING.

PORT—

VESSEL.	MASTER OR AGENTS.	COLOURS.	PORT FROM WHICH GOODS SHIPPED.

PACKAGES.		DETAILS OF GOODS TO BE GIVEN SEPARATELY FOR EACH CLASS OR DESCRIPTION.					REMARKS. (State whether Indian Merchandise or Foreign Merchandise).
Number and description.	Marks and numbers.	QUANTITY.		Description.	Real value as defined in the Sea Customs Act.		
					Rate.	Amount.	
	Total ...			Total ..			

I hereby declare the particulars given above to be true.

IMPORTER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND SIGNATURE.

SIGNATURE OF AGENT IF ACTING FOR IMPORTER.

Dated ——

2. The form should be printed in duplicate on stout white or blue paper with the words "Original" in one copy and "Duplicate" in the other inserted on the top right-hand corner.

3. The form shall be used for the clearance of goods in the coasting trade under the last sentence of rule 2 of the coasting trade rules published in Part I, pages 299 to 301 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 17th April 1889.

4. The form will come into use from the 15th January 1907.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

R. B. MISRA,

Offg. Secretary.

No 7433B.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1906.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 158 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Board of Revenue, L. P., prescribe the following form of shipping bill for coasting vessels (including those for which a general pass has been granted under section 164 of the Act), in supersession of the form shown as No. 18 at page 153 of the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 (corrected up to the 30th September 1905) :—

Shipping Bill. COASTING.

PORT._____

NAME OF VESSEL.	MASTER OR AGENTS.	COLOURS.	PORT AT WHICH GOODS TO BE DISCHARGED.

PACKAGES.		DETAILS OF GOODS TO BE GIVEN SEPARATELY FOR EACH CLASS OR DESCRIPTION.				REMARKS.
Number and description.	Marks and Numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Real value as defined in the Sea Customs Act.		(State whether Indian Merchandise or Foreign Merchandise to be re-exported).
				Rate.	Amount.	
	Total ...			Total ...		

I hereby declare the particulars given above to be true.

EXPORTER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND SIGNATURE.

SIGNATURE OF AGENT IF ACTING FOR EXPORTER.

*Dated*_____

2. The form should be printed in triplicate in stout white or blue paper with the words "Original" in one copy, "Duplicate" in the second, and "Triplicate" in the third inserted on the top right hand corner.

3. For the shipment of free goods the form shall be used in duplicate, but for dutiable goods in triplicate with the word "Dutiable" printed across in large type in red ink.

4. The form will come into use from the 15th January 1907.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

R. B. MISRA,

Offg. Secretary.

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in the bye-election held on the December 1906 in the Kurseong Municipality, in the district of Darjeeling, Mr. F Willett was duly elected as a Commissioner in the place of Revd. C. H. Owen, resigned

D. J. MACPHERSON, *Commr. of the Bhagalpur Divn.* (*on tou*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BHAGALPUR, *the 14th December 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the bye-election held on Frid the 30th November 1906, Babu Deokinardan was duly elected a Commissioner in Wa No. VIII of the Gaya Municipality, in the district of Gaya, *vice* Babu Akhauri Laks Narain, deceased.

F. W. DUKE, *Offg. Addtl. Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 14th December 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU SRI KISHEN LAL has been appointed as a member of the Committee for t management of the District Board Dispensary at Daudnagar, in the district of Gaya, *v* Maulvi Warasat Hussain, resigned.

F. W. DUKE, *Additional Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, *the 14th December 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under Rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual o Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the followin gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of th Charitable Dispensary at Katwa, in the district of Burdwan:—

1. The Civil Surgeon of Burdwan, *ex officio.*
2. The Subdivisional Officer of Katwa, do
3. The Munsif, 2nd Court, Katwa, do.
4. Babu Bepin Behary Chowdhuri, Mukhtar.
5. „ Gobinda Pado Singha, Pleader.
6. „ Banwari Lal Dutta, Mukhtar.
7. „ Saroda Prasad Basu, Medical Practitioner.
8. Munshi Sheikh Fakirulla, ditto.
9. Babu Jogendra Lal Saha, Pleader and Zamindar.
10. „ Jotindra Mohan Roy, Zamindar.

N. L. BAGCHI, for *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 10th December 1906.*

NOTIFICATION.

MR. C. H. GORDON has been appointed as a member of the Municipal Dispensary Com mittee at Bettia in the district of Champaran, *vice* Babu Raghunandan Prosad, deceased.

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, F. W. DUKE,

The 14th December 1906. *Offg. Addl. Commissioner.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Arambagh, in the district of Hooghly :—

1. The Civil Surgeon of Hooghly ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. The Subdivisional Officer of Arambagh ... } *Ex-officio.*
3. The Sub-Deputy Collector of Ditto ... } *Ex-officio.*
4. The Rural Sub-Registrar of Ditto ... } *Ex-officio.*
5. Babu Peary Mohan Roy.
6. ,, Naba Gopal Basu.
7. ,, Braja Nath Goswami.
8. ,, Sital Chandra Banerjee.
9. ,, Sashi Bhusan Basu.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Persl. Asst.*, for *Commr. on tour.*

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 13th December 1906.*

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PART IA.

[*Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 15th December 1906.*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 13th December 1906.

No. 28.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Indian Councils Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., c. 67), and section 1 of the Indian Councils Act, 1892 (55 and 56 Vict., c. 14), the Governor-General is pleased to nominate Dr. Rashbehari Ghose, C.I.E., D.L., to be an Additional Member of the Council of the Governor-General for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 10th December 1906.

No. 2947G.B.—With reference to Foreign Department Notification No. 903G.B., dated the 4th May 1906, Mr. W. Bleeck, Consul for Germany at Calcutta, resumed charge of his office on the 10th November 1906.

L. W. DANE,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

(EXPLOSIVES.)

Calcutta, the 14th December 1906.

No. 9835—8.—Corrigendum.—In the Commerce and Industry Department Notification No. 9045—8 (Explosives), dated the 29th November 1906, published in Part I at pages 827

to 856 of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 1st instant, the following corrections should be made:—

(*a*) An asterisk should be placed above the last word in clause (2) of rule 1;
(*b*) in the third line of clause (2) (*a*) of rule 7 *for* "phosphorous" *read* "phosphorus";
(*c*) in the second line of condition 4, Form J, *for* "of" after the word "tools" *read* "or";
(*d*) in the sixth line of condition 9, Form J, *for* "or" after the word "danger" *read* "of";
(*e*) at the end of the first line of figures in the table of distances *for* "10" *read* "100"; and
(*f*) in note (*c*) (1) at foot of the table of distances *for* "2 lbs." after the word "than" *read* "2½ lbs."

W. L. HARVEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Fort William, the 14th December 1906.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Calcutta Light Horse.

No. 673—Sir James Austin Bourdillon. K.C.S.I., V.D., resigns his appointment as Honorary Colonel. Dated 17th October 1906.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Lieut.-Col.*,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2323L.S.-G.—The 13th December 1906—It is hereby notified that, under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the following gentlemen have been elected to be members of the District Board of Birbhum :—

Birbhum.

Local Boards by which elected.	Names of members.
Suri ...	... Maulvi Saiyid Hussain Ali.
Rampur Hât	... Babu Syamalanandan Mukharji.

The following gentlemen are appointed under section 7 of the Act to be members of the Board :—

The District Superintendent of Police, *ex officio*.
Raja Ranjit Sinha Bahadur.
Chaudhuri Abdul Gaffur.

No. 2356L.S.-G.—The 14th December 1906.—Mr. A. O'Brien Webb is appointed to be a member of the Kurseong branch Road Committee, *vice* Mr. M. W. S. Pemberton, resigned.

Darjeeling.

No. 2344M. The 15th December 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Jamalpur Municipality, in the district of Monghyr :—

Monghyr.

The Locomotive Superintendent, East Indian Railway ...
The Deputy Locomotive Superintendent, ditto ...
The Resident Engineer, ditto ...
The Manager, Locomotive Works, ditto ... } *Ex officio.*
The Chemist and Metallurgist, Locomotive Department, East Indian Railway.
The Accountant, Locomotive Office, East Indian Railway ...

No. 2346M.—The 15th December 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Darjeeling Municipality, in the district of Darjeeling :—

Darjeeling.

Rai Sarat Chandra Das Bahadur, C.I.E., *vice* Mr. H. K. Robinson, resigned.
Babu Suresh Krishna Basu, *vice* Mr. R. Pymm, resigned.

No 2363M.—The 17th December 1906.—It is hereby notified that, under section 17 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Kendrapara Municipality in the district of Cuttack:—

Cuttack.

The Subdivisional Officer, *ex-officio*.
Maulvi Saiyid Makbul Ali.
Mr. C W. Craven.
Babu Ambika Charan Basu.
„ Srikrishna Chatarji.
„ Shyam Sundar Das.
Babu Balaram Bramarbar Rai.
„ Shyam Sundar Narendra.
Chaudhuri Madan Mohan Das.
Babu Guru Charan Sen.
„ Durga Charan Das.
Munshi Shaikh Kanhan Ali.

No. 2365L.S.-G.—The 17th December 1906.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Giridih Local Board, in the district of Hazaribagh, under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, of Mr. J. F. W. James to be their Chairman.

Hazaribagh.

No. 559S.—The 17th December 1906.—Whereas a notification No. 75T.S., dated the 1st September 1906, announcing the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor to extend the provisions of the Bengal Vaccination Act, V (B.C.) of 1880, to the Garden Reach Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, was published at page 140, Part 1B of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th September 1906, and whereas no valid objection has been raised to the proposal within six weeks from the date of the publication of the notification within the Municipality, it is hereby notified, for general information, that, in the exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 1 of the said Act, the Lieutenant-Governor extends the provisions of the Act to the Garden Reach Municipality.

24-Parganas.

H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Saran will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1907, corresponding to 8th Magh 1314 Fasli, on Monday, at 12 o'clock in the day, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		F. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
61	Banthu, pargana Ander.	1,064 8 6	.....	Ijmal— Banthu, 6as. 2p, 19k. 15m. Santhu, 6as. Karmouli, 14as. 2p, 4k. 8m. 10d. Haibatpur, 16as. Hurnathpus, 16as. All other shares besides those specified will be excluded from the sale.	Chandreshwar Pershad Narain Singh and Narain Pershad Singh.	673 8 6	.....	31 1 5
266	Tiaon, pargana Ander.	1,051 11 6	Entire ...	.....	Inderdeo Narain Mokhtar, sale-purchaser, and others.	.....	4 13 6	.....
264/1	Bagoura, pargana Bal.	4,102 10 11	.....	Separate account No. 1— Bagoura, 2 as. Mathia Bechangir, 2 as. Bhadeya or Bhadpa, 4 as. Tola Bhusi, 2as. 6p. Tola Manoha, 6as. Madarichak, 8as. Dahakui, 8 as. All other shares besides those specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mosstt Chanderjot Kuer, wife of Harnarain Sahu, deceased.	512 13 5	.....	13 5

(ILLEGIBLE), *for* Collector.

The 3rd December 1906.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or befo next latest date of payment, viz., the 28th September 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the dist Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at 12 noon for the said arre

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such shar or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature amount demand which t sold.
1	2	3.	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
35-6	Mondleghat, pargana Mondleghat,	2,22,433 3 8	Nil	5g. 11k. 3 til share of the estate.	Jahur Lal Seal ...	2,270 5 2	Nil	89 . 7 8	Arrears of 1905.

M. A. KADIR, Dy. Collr. in charge, for Collect

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th November 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares o estates, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 4th February 1907, a 12 o'clock noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understoo that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate not specifically mentioned i column 5 are excluded from sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of the proprietors of the property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.		As.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1/6 1	Ta. Ganeswarpur, Ph. Banchas.	1,619 0 0	.....	Kismat ... 9	Baladeb Prakash Brahmachari.	910 11 0	.....	465 0 0	Due for kist November 1906.
166 2	Ditto ...	1,619 0 0	.....	Do. ... 7	Chadmoni Dibya, mother and guardian of Hanuman Khuntia, minor, and others.	708 5 0	.....	354 0 0	Ditto.
66	Ma. Drugadaspur, Ph. Kotrahang.	879 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Bhikari Misra and others.	.....	439 0 0	.....	Ditto.
171	Mg. Gope, Ph. Banchas.	555 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Satyabadi Patra and others.	.....	278 4 10	.....	Ditto.
7 1	Killah Balarampur, Ph. Paschhimduai.	2,657 0 0	.....	Kismat ... 4	Mussummat Sadatan Nissa Begam *alias* Chunee Begam and others.	664 4 0	.....	332 2 0	Ditto.

Puri Collectorate, the 15th October 1906. P. C MITTER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1907 at 12 A.M. for arrears for September 1906 kist of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
96	Bara Kalikapur, pargana Sasilampur,	1,074 11 10	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Tinkori Hati and others.	.....	44 1 6	.....

Burdwan Collectorate, the 1st December 1906. H. F. SAMMAN, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1907 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		PART II. *Temporarily-settled Estate.*		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A P
1433	Akberpur Barari, pargana Malki.	2,806 14 0	.....	12a. 8g. ijmali share ...	Nilkanth Singh and others	1,787 13 0	.....	2 14

Monghyr Collectorate, the 16th November 1906. H. MCPHERSON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Hooghly will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2831	Digra, pargana Boro	530 3 5	Entire ...	Nil.	Shaikh Mohammad Ali	Nil.	153 0 0	Nil.
2902	Kristobati Chherachar, pargana Raypur.	1,002 6 0	Do. ...	Nil.	Rajendra Nath Roy, Manager to the estate of Brindaban Chandra Tagore.	Nil.	159 10 0	Nil.

Hooghly Collectorate, the 8th November 1906. K. N. MITRA, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Murshidabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st December 1906 at noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
397	Rashulpur, pargana Shergur.	.....	.....	14a. 8g. 1k. 1k. ijmali share	Khondkar Mehedi Hosen and others.	2,267 4 4	.....	1 7 1
861	Char Kantbalia, pargana Fateshingha.	1,825	Whole ...	.....	Dwijendra Narain Ray and others.	Revenue ...	55 2 7	
						Dak cess ...	3 13 8	
						Penalty ...	3 13 8	
						Road cess ...	9 8 4	
							72 6 3	

Berhampore, the 10th November 1906. R. S. BHATTACHARJEE, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1869, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in t district of Shahabad will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on 20th of December 1906 at 12 no arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land-revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understo it a separate account is kept for that share.

No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
875	Baghalpore, Chausa. pargana	Rs. A. P. 565 0 0	The whole		Moona Kuar ...	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 35 5 0	Rs. A.
1796	Kanauli, Chausa. pargana	0 0	Ditto		Deoki Thakur and others.		2 13 7	
2075	Amaon, Chainpur. pargana	11,161 13 8		The share to be sold is as follows :—				
88, 90, and 96.				A. P. K. M. D.		292 9 8		210
				Khata 21—		77 8 10		
				Amarha 0 9 0 0 0	Mohiuddin Khan and others.	40 3 4		17
				Anantpurkhilopur ... 0 10 10 0 0		106 0 8		
				Bahari 0 9 0 0 0		105 9 4		
				Bararhi 1 1 10 0 0		30 9 0		
				Piparia 0 10 10 0 0				
				Bhadaura 0 5 8 0 0				
				Nati 0 9 0 0 0				
				Pipra Sakarwar 0 9 0 0 0				
				Pakarihar 0 9 0 0 0				
				Chintamanpur 0 9 0 0 0				
				Jamurni 0 9 0 0 0				
				Chauthi 0 9 0 0 0				
				Chak Kalandi *alias* Chakia 0 9 0 0 0				
				Dandwa Viran 1 1 10 0 0				
				Dasanti 1 0 0 0 0				
				Dewana 0 9 0 0 0				
				Darwa dakhli Fakhrabad 0 5 8 0 0				
				Ramrur 1 0 0 0 0				
				Siarduar 0 10 10 0 0				
				Sahebahe 1 0 0 0 0				
				Semaria 0 9 0 0 0				
				Sarsila 0 9 0 0 0				
				Saraidhandahar 0 9 0 0 0				
				Sikandarpur... ... ... 0 5 8 0 0				
				Sikara 1 0 0 0 0				
				Surhia 0 4 10 0 0				
				Kulharia 0 9 0 0 0				
				Gorahand 0 9 0 0 0				
				Kohari 0 9 0 0 0				
				Karauni 0 9 0 0 0				
				Ramailpur 0 9 0 0 0				
				Kunrwa 0 11 2 0 0				
				Kharsaunda 0 9 0 0 0				
				Ganeapur 0 5 8 0 0				
				Mehia 0 9 0 0 0				
				Nausenbeje 0 10 10 0 0				
				Bagchhara 0 10 10 0 0				
				Khata 86—				
				Sikara 2 3 3 6 10	Phul Kuar.			
				Bahari 2 3 3 6 10				
				Khata 88 —				
				Amaon 0 4 10 0 0	ala Gaya Pershad			
				Aaila Patna 0 4 10 0 0				
				Lahopakar 0 4 10 0 0				
				Dighi 0 4 10 0 0				
				Khata 90—				
				Bhadaura 0 1 16 0 0	Thakur Kuldip Narain.			
				Esmailpur 0 4 10 0 0				
				Karauni 0 4 10 0 0				
				Kunrwa 0 2 8 0 0				
				Gangapur 0 1 16 0 0				
				Rampur Baraju 1 0 0 0 0				
				Sikandarpur 0 1 16 0 0				
				Danrwa dakhli Fakirabad 0 1 16 0 0				
				And 3p. in each of the following villages :—				
				Amarha, Anantpur, Khilopur, Bahari, Piparia, Nati, Pakarihar, Jamurni, Pipra Sakarwar, Chauthi, Diwana, Chintamanpur, Kulharia, Gorahand, Kohari, Khorsaunda, Sarsila, Siarduar, Semaria, Nauan Beje, Mehia, Chak Kalandi *alias* Chakia, Sarai, Dhandahar and Bagachhara.				
				A. P. K. M. D. B.				
				Khata 97—				
				Surhia 6 1 13 6 10 0	Raghunath Rai.			
				Khata 98—				
				Chintamanpur 0 10 3 9 9 19	Bhagirathi Kuar.			
				Kohari 0 10 6 19 14 0				
				Khatas 1, 18, 24, 93, 94, 96, 39, 40, 51, 83 will also be sold.				
				Other shares are excluded from sale.				
2066	Umapur, Chainpur pargana	5,942 6		The share to be sold is as follows :—		392 13 1		9
Ijmal, 26, 32, 37, 38 and 39.				A. P. K.				
				Ijmal—				
				Umapur 0 6 0	Kandhaya Lal Sahoo and others	13 14 8		
				Chandrauli 7 7 0		35 13 4		
				Sarison 5 0 0		1 13 7		
				Semaria 8 0 0		14 5 9		
				Chaukhanda .. 16 0 0		85 9 10		
				Chak Bhagwat .. 8 0 0				
				Harkataya 8 0 0				
				Kutbanpur 8 0 0				
				Dohar Pat Sarwa .. 8 0 0				
				Sarsibelbhadarpur 3 9 0				
				Kishunpura .. 6 3 0				

Sale No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of properties to be sold.	If only a share to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
				Khata 35— Sahijna ... ... A. P. K. 1 3 0	Ram Chandrika Dubey.			
				Khata 36— Sarisan 2 6 0	Ramdahin Rai.			
				Khata 37 - Lahangpatti 5 6 10	Raghunath Rai.			
				Khata 38— Sarisan 1 0 0	Deonandan Rai.			
				Khata 39— Chandrauli ... ... 8 5 0 Sahijna ... ... 3 0 0 Other shares are excluded from sale.	Lachhuman Rai and others.			
4091 jmal	Khopira Bichhianon, pargana Pawar.	660 10 8	.....	The ijmali share to be sold is as follows:— A. P. K. Khopira ... ... 13 4 19 Bichhianon ... ... 12 11 0 Other shares are excluded from sale.	Jhumak Lal and others.	544 14 3	.....	6 7 6
5303	Dihra, pargana Sasaram.	1,280 14 1	The whole	.....	Shaikh Karamat Husain and others.	...	1 5 1	.....

Arrah, the 20th November 1906.

ANIS-UZ-ZAMAN KHAN, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary rights of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Hooghly will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 21st December 1906, corresponding with 6th Pous 1313 (B.S.).

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale is to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the Revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate, pargana or thana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	REMARKS.
		A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
4588	Panchla, thana Jagatballavpur ...	10 1 27	63 3 0	
4609	Khantora, „ „ ...	0 1 8	4 8 0	
4752	Kullya and other., „ „ ...	0 2 22	9 12 0	
4795	Bamanpara, „ „ ...	2 3 12	28 6 0	
4796	Jagonathpur, „ „ ...	1 0 13	10 10 0	

Chinsurah, the 21st November 1906.

CHANDRA S. KAR, *for* Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 21st December 1906, corresponding with 6th of Paus 1313 B.S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in each estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and the purchaser to be bound to respect the rights of the resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount of bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by the noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate, pargana or thana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue.	Remarks.
		A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1998	Haribati, thana Pandua	0 3 14	7 4 0	
2009	Ditto ditto	0 0 9	0 8 0	
4071	Masuria, thana Balagar	0 0 19½	4 13 0	
4602	Dwarpara ditto	6 1 0	39 10 0	
4603	Srikristapur, thana Dhaniakhali	3 3 7	24 14 0	
4604	Serampur, ditto	0 3 21	5 8 0	
4625	Atty, thana Pandua	1 1 36	9 0 0	
4626	Toregram, ditto	1 1 10	20 12 0	
4627	Tunney ditto	1 1 1	8 1 0	
4640	Telipara, ditto	0 1 7	5 6 0	
4647	Sankarpur, thana Dhaniakhali	0 2 1	3 13 0	
4648	Sirijpur, ditto	2 3 4½	20 15 0	
4658	Guptipara, thana Balagar	0 1 29	2 15 0	
4661	Koachmali, thana Pandua	0 0 26½	0 8 0	
4668	Dhopur Mullickpur, ditto	5 0 14½	25 14 0	
4677	Digra, thana Dhaniakhali	3 0 32½	19 6 0	
4070	Kowgachi, thana Balagar	6 1 17	28 14 0	
2979	Pandua, thana Pandua	0 0 14	0 6 0	
4810	Srikristapur; thana Dhaniakhali	3 3 0	24 1 0	
4840	Inchura, thana Pandua	26 0 0	175 3 0	
4825	Srikristapur, thana Dhaniakhali	4 0 6	30 4 0	
4836	Dwarpara, thana Balagar	10 1 20	63 0 0	
3687	Telinipara, ditto	0 1 1	0 8 0	
4073	Gopalnagore, thana Pandua	3 0 32	7 6 0	
3760	Ditto, ditto	3 1 32	8 3 0	
4479	Dwarpara, thana Balagar	18 0 10	54 10 0	
3420	Pandua, thana Pandua	0 0 13	0 5 0	
3419	Ditto, ditto	0 1 29	0 8 0	
3169	Ditto, ditto	0 0 29	0 7 0	
3082	Ditto, ditto	0 1 2½	2 0 0	
2978	Rameswarpur, thana Pandua	0 3 0	1 1 0	
3648	Ditto, ditto	0 1 18	1 1 0	
1041	Kanoor, ditto	0 1 32½	1 3 0	
3417	Pandua, ditto	0 2 21	0 8 0	
3773	Pandua Ramkanaipur, thana Pandua	0 2 30	1 1 0	
3060	Pandua, thana Pandua	0 0 39	1 3 0	
4774	Srikristapur, thana Dhaniakhali	2 3 30	27 0 0	

Chinsura, the 21st November 1906.

CHANDRA S. KAR, for Collector.

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th day of January 1907 at 12 o'clock noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share and that the share or shares are excluded from sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
3-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Laskarpore and others.	8,289 12 6½		Excluding 10 annas' share, the remaining 6 annas' share.	Chandan Bala Debi, mother and guardian for minor Haridhan Roy Chowdhry.	3,108 6 11½		
	Pargana Muragacha, Moodia and others.	646 2 0		Excluding 2a. 2g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 13a. 17g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Kristo Prosanno Mondal and others.	559 15 7		
53 B.S.	Pargana Magura, kismat Rameswarpore and others.	3,194 10 11		Excluding 5a. 6g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 10 a. 13g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Radha Mohon Mondal and others.	1,751 9 9½		
56 B.S.	Pargana Magura, mauza Sreerampore.	3,726 5 7½		Excluding 1a. 15g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 14a. 4g. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share.	Srimati Coomari Dassi and others.	2,778 15 8½		
63 B.S.	Pargana Magura, kismat Bansdrowni and others.	9,130 2 0		Excluding 6a. 6g. 2k. 3kag 10t., remaining 9a. 13g. 1k. 10t. share.	Raj Kumar Sarkar and others.	5,513 9 10½		
63-1	Ditto ...	9,130 2 0		Excluding 10a. 8g. 2k., remaining 5a. 11g. 2k. share.	Ditto	3,616 8 1½		
100 B.S.	Pargana Magura, kismat Somacanga and others.	884 11 10		Excluding 2a. 13g. 1k. 2kt., remaining 13a. 6g. 2k. 2kt share.	Raj Atul Chunder Chatterjee Bahadur, common manager, Bawali estate.	737 4 6		
115-1	Pargana Magura, mauza Mahampore and others.	1,786 11 4		Excluding 10a. 9g. 2k. 1½dt., remaining 5a. 10g. 1k. 7½dt. share.	Charu Chunder Datta Mozumdar and others.	620 1 10		
120	Pargana Baridhati, kismat Koodalia and others.	5,093 5 2½	Whole		Shib Kristo and Mohit Lal Chatterjee.		844 14 2½	
151-6	Pargana Baridhati, kismat Chouk Hatoorin and others.	39,860 7 4		Excluding 15a. 15g. 1k. 1kag, remaining 4g. 11kag share.	Apurba Kumari Dassi ...	555 3 0½		
152 B.S.	Pargana Khaspore, Sreerampore and others.	703		Excluding 1a. 15g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 14a. 4g. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share.	Raj Atul Chunder Chatterjee Bahadur, common manager, Bawali estate.	625 5 11		
315-1	Pargana Muragacha, mauza Raghunathpore and others.	10,229 15 6		Excluding 15a. 1g. 1k. share, remaining 15g. 3k. share.	Nobo Kisore Mondal and others.	6 7½		
315-2	Ditto ...	10,229 15 6		Excluding 14a. 19g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share.	Ditto	653 9 3		
315-3	Ditto	10,229 15 6		Excluding 13a. 19g. 2k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 2a. 1k. 1dt. share.	Gopi Kissore Mondal and others.	1,287 9 11½		
315-11	Ditto	10,229 15		Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Apurba Kumari Dasi	719 4 9		
	Pargana Balia, mauza Rajarampore.	1,196 3	Whole		Upendra Kristo Mondal and others.		157 5 0½	
385-1	Pargana Azimabad, Budarashkhali and others.	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share, in all the mauzas except mauza Khakramuri.	Radha Binode Mondal and others.	1,365 12		
385-2	Ditto	19,424 8 1½		Excluding 14a. 19g. 2 k. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share in all the mauzas except mauza Khagramuri.	Gopi Kissore Mondal and others.	1,238 0 10		
385-4	Ditto	19,424 8 1½		Excluding 15a. 4g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 15g. 1k. 1kt. share ditto.	Brojendra Nath Mondal ...	928 8 7½		
385-8	Ditto	19,424 8 1½		Excluding 14a. 18g. 1k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1g. 2k. 1dt. share.	Kristo Prosanno Mondal and others.	1,393 10 7½		
385-9	Ditto	19,424 8 1½		Excluding 15a. 4g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 15g. 1k. 1kt. share ditto.	Ditto ...	928 8 7½		
385-9	Ditto	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share in each of the 33 mauzas out of the 33 mauzas in the estate except mauza Khakramuri.	Apurba Kumari Dasi	1,362 9 7½		
385-13	Ditto	19,424 8 1½		Excluding 15a. 10g. share, remaining 10g. in each of the 32 mauzas out of 33 mauzas in the estate.	Nobo Kisore and Gopi Kissore Mondal.	605 9 5		

'aunl No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
385-14	Pargana Azimabad Hudarashkhali and others.	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 15a. 5g., remaining 15g. share in each of the 32 mauzas out of the 33 mauzas in the estate.	Jhandi Charan Mondal and others.	908 6 1	.....	100 13
388-1	Pargana Balia, mauza Moleyapore and others.	8,326 9 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Nobo Kisore Mondal and others.	585 8 2½	.....	77 2 1
388-2	Ditto ...	8,326 9 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 19g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share.	Ditto ..	532 1 0	.....	70 2
388-3	Ditto ..	8,326 9 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 1k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. 1dt. share.	Ditto ...	560 3 4½	.....	73 13
388-12	Ditto ..	8,326 9 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Apurba Kumari Dassi ...	585 8 2½	.....	77 2 1
389-1	Pargana Balia, mauza Santoshpore and others.	9,401 5 10	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Radha Binode Mondal and others.	663 5 10½	.....	88 6
389-2	Ditto ..	9,401 5 10	.....	Excluding 14a. 19g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 1a. 1k. 2kt. 1dt.	Nobo Kisore Mondal and others.	605 0 10½	.....	80 5
389-4	Ditto ...	9,401 5 10	.....	Excluding 14a. 18g. 1k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1g. 2k. 1dt. share.	Ditto ..	634 11 3½	.....	84 10
389-12	Ditto ...	9,401 5 10	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Sita Nath Ghosh ...	663 5 11	.....	88 6 1
391-5	Pargana Murugacha, mauza Gomukhi and others.	5,538 8 6	.....	Excluding 13a. 19g. 2k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 2a. 1k. 1dt. share.	Brojendra Nath Mondal and others.	537 2 0	.....	71 13
391-6	Ditto ...	5,538 8 6	.....	Excluding 14a. 6g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 1a. 13g. 1k. 1kt. share.	S. M. Khiroda Moye Dassi, widow of Soshi Bhusan Biswas.	576 14 11	.....	59 7
394-6	Pargana Azimabad, taraf Kissorepore.	7,108 12 11	.....	Ditto ...	Khiroda Mohini Dasi ...	740 8 1	.....	134 14
R. S.	Pargana Magura, taraf Makhalia and others.	741 11 5	.....	Excluding 4a. 15g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 11a. 4g 1k. 7dt. share.	Gopi Kissore Mondal and others.	520 3 6½	.....	97 3
R. S.	Pargana Azimabad, Huda Ramkristopore and others.	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a. 9g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 1a. 10g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Sarat Coomari Dassi and others.	847 9 10	...	185 12
401-1	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a.17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Rai Atul Chunder Chatterjee Bahadur and others, common manager, Bawali estate.	628 11 3½	.....	75 7
401-2	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a. 9g. 1k. 1kt., remaining 1a. 10g. 2k. 2kt. share.	Ditto ...	856 14 5½	.....	187 14
401-4	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a 14g. 2kt., remaining 1a. 5g 3k. 1kt., share.	Ditto ...	721 13 6½	.....	158 4
401-7	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Radha Binode Mondal and others.	628 11 3½	.....	137 13
401-11	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Ditto ...	Apurba Kumari Dassi ...	628 11 3½		137 13
R. S.	Pargana Azimabad, taraf Patharberia and others.	5,143 3 3	.....	Excluding 9a. 14g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 6a. 5g. 1k. 1kt.	Kristo Prosonno Mondal and others.	2,014 6 6½	.....	371 13
403-2	Ditto ...	5,143 3 3	.....	Excluding 9a. 6g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 6a. 13g. 1k. 1kt.	Khiroda Mohini Dasi ...	2,142 15 11	.....	395 7
424	Pargana Hatisghar, Lakhipasha and others.	1,967 12 3	.....	Excluding 5a. 13g. 1k. 2kt 2dt. 10kag. remaining 10a. 6g. 2k. 6kag.	Anis Molla and others ...	1,269 14 2	.....	44 6
R. S.	Pargana Anarpore, Atghora and others.	2,084 1 7	.....	Eight annas' share of the entire estate except mauza Kona.	Siris Chandra Biswas ...	834 5 2½	.....	245 13
986	Pargana Paikhati, kismat Paikhati.	950 4 8	Whole	.....	Kali Prosanno Ghose and others.	.....	46 0 8	.....
R. S.	Pargana Ukra, taraf Patia.	1,279 12 4	.....	Excluding 8a. 17g. 3k. 1dt., remaining 7a. 2g. 2kt. 2dt.	Gungamoni Dasi and others	868 12 6	.....	36 13 11

ore, the 26th November 1906.

BANGSIDHAR BANERJEE, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 18, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1907 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
535	Pargana Chetua, mahal Dubrajpore.	3,408 10 1	.....	S. A. No. I, 8 annas share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Sreemati Mangala Dasi and others, present purchaser Suresh Chandra Chatterjee.	1,704 4 11	.....	534 7 9 June and September 1906.
1007	Pargana Kasijora, maha. Poorba Etr..	43,145 1 7 Including police.	.....	Ditto ditto ...	R. Belchambers, Administrator (*pendenti lite*) to the estate of Gopallal Seal, deceased.	21,486 6 11 Land revenue. 86 8 Police. 21,572 15 Including police.	.....	40 7 11 Police.
1113	Pargana Kurulchore, mahal Padima.	740 8 4	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2 and 3— As. Mauza Atla ... ... 16 ,, Asartara ... ... 16 ,, Malpara ... ... 16 ,, Mohisagote ... ... 16 ,, Padima ... ... 16 ,, Khalsatya ... ... 4 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Chowdhri Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra and others.	606 12 11	.....	40 9 8
1123	Pargana Kutubpore, mahal Bankakool *alias* Bhimpore.	2,074 8 6	.....	S. A. No. (4) IV— As. Mauza Baikantapore ... ... 8 ,, Fateganja ... ... 8 ,, Godadharchak known as chak G. dadhar .. 8 ,, Jodupore .. ... 8 ,, Krishnapore Uttar known as Uttar Kishnapore ... ... 8 ,, Mrijapore ... ... 8 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Grish Chandra Jana, present purchaser Dharanidhar Das Bera.	534 2 0	.....	98 5 0 June and September 1906.
1476	Pargana Khandar, mahal Belki.	734 3 11	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2 and 3— A. G. Mauza Bonhala ... ... 12 5 ,, Matuagooria ... 12 5 মটুয়া গোড়িয়া ,, Belkichak Gopinath 12 5 ,, Kheenkanta ... 12 5 ,, Nandapura ... 6 10 ,, Rajibchak ... 12 5 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Godadhar Malkap and others.	528 8 7	.....	80 11 10 March to September 1906.
731	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Ankhapurba.	1,001 7 2	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No 1, 8 annas share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Ganga Narain Maity, present purchaser Nil Kanta Jana.	500 11 7	.....	91 11 1 June and September 1906.
731	Ditto ..	1,001 7 2	.....	S. A. No. I, 8 annas share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Sreematya Nirode Kumari Dasi, mother and guardian of Khitish Chandra Ghose, minor, and others.	500 11 7	.....	38 6 7
247	Pargana Sabong, mahal Mohar.	1,445 9 0	Entire ..	.....	Sarat Chandra Jana and others.	.....	110 12 0	.....
				Part II.				
884	Pargana Pataspore, mahal Mangalpore..	2,401 0 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No. II. 12a. 19g. share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Upendra Nandan Das Das Mahapatra and others.	2,016 2 6	.....	157 10 0 June and September 1906.
				Part III.				
904	Pargana Taraf Bisnan, mahal Gorahar, &c., Bajcapti No. 147.	814 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Government (Settlement-holder Panchanon Midhya and others).	.....	62 3 0	.....

Midnapore Collectorate, the 1st December 1906.

D. WESTON, Collector.

Notification A.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3551	Annapurna, pargana Pajnaur.	941 0 0	The whole.	.....	Annapurna Devi ...	.....	5 2 9	.....
3551	Saradaprosad, pargana Pajnaur.	706 0 0	Ditto	.....	Sarada Prasad Sur and others.	.....	3 13 4	.....
3297	Amberia, pargana Shahaujial.	1,241 1 0	.....	12 annas' share covered by separate account No. 3297/0. All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rakhibannesa Bibi and others.	930 12 10	.....	1 2 2

Nadia Collectorate, the 30th November 1906.

S. HALDAR, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Patna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1907 at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.
12	Bedhna Laskaripur Buzurg *alig* Vogairah, pargana Bulinpur.	2,129 0 0	.....	14a. and 1d. ... ... Ijmal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Bishun Prosad Vogairah.	1,901 7 2	.....	292 14 8
160	Lakhanpar Vogairah, pargana Azimabad.	1,350 13 1	.....	Daulatpur, 2a. ... ... Lakhanpur, 2a. ... ... Kuthipur, 2a. ... ... Kutbipur *alias* Hare Chak, 2a. Raipur Hassan, 4 as. ... ... Ijmal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Babu Lalit Mohan Ghosh. Babu Nardhesh Kumar. Ditto. Ditto. Mossamat Paremani Dasi, mother and guardian of Ramani Mohan Ghosh and Babu Rajani Mohan Ghosh.	612 5 1	.....	296 0 1
282	Deara Dananpur Shahzadpur, pargana Phulwari.	3,693 0 0	.....	10a. 14d. 6k. 8b. and 15ph. ... Ijmal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Shamlal Bhagat Vogairah.	2,390 4 3	.....	1,211 15 9
305	Deare Mahaji Dujra, pargana Phulwari.	668 6 5	Entire ...	.....	Basant Lal	.....	313 4 2	.....
541	Deare Chak Deynat and Chak Amanat Mahaji Bankipur Jaibar, pargana Azimabad	1,390 10 10	.....	8a. ... ... Ijmal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	General Padum Jangi Ram Bahadur.	695 5 5	.....	303 6 6
541 F	Ditto	1,390 10 10	.....	8a. ... ... Separate account. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ditto ...	695 5 5	.....	303 3 7
2011	Khaje Amir Hasan Sameya, pargana Ghiyaspur.	668 12 5	.....	Sameyadih, 16a. ... ... Lachmipur, 16a. ... ... Sherpur, 16a. ... ... All Nagar, 14a. ... ... Ijmal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Khaje Amir Hassan Vogairah. Ditto. Ditto. Ditto.	559 7 11	.....	7 0 2

The 13th December 1906.

SIVA SANKAR SINGH,
Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Patna.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Gaya will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1907 at noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1387	Saidpur Wagairah, pargana Bhelawar.	Rs. A. P. 1,466 12 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares consisting of— (1) Saidpur, 8-11-1-19-0-0. (2) Soorka, 8-14 17-4-11-5. (3) Narainpur, 8-14-17-4-11-5. (4) Kaloca chak, 8-14-17-4-11-5. (5) Keotar, 8-14-17-4-11-5. (6) Sarey Hisa khas, 12-14-0-14-1-5. (7) Imaiya, 9-8-3-17-17-18.	Babu Ishar Singh and others.	Rs. A. P. 848 13 0	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 2 4 0
3421	Cheya, pargana Narhat.	1,173 5 0	Whole ...	.....	Balkishun Dass and others.	.....	12 3 0	.....
4100	Deokli, pargana Pahra	24,761 13 0	.....	Mokarri right of village Kharanti Gopalpur, 16 annas.	Radheshri Koer and Ambika Duboy.	512 3 0	.....	3,256 3 2
4579	Jaipur Dumrawan, pargana Sherghatti.	4,898 8 0	.....	The residuary ijmali share consisting of— As. (1) Jaipur Dumrawan .. 8 (2) Akhauri khap .. ... 8 (3) Pindra ... ... 8 (4) Daudpur *alias* Pundaul ... ... 8 (5) Juri khap ... ... 8 (6) Deoghar khap ... 4 (7) Ibrahimpur ... ... 8 (8) Hardia ... ... 8 (9) Kalhoca ... ... 8 (10) Makhdumpur ... 8 (11) Basir khap ... ... 4 (12) Majhar 8	Parasnath Singh ...	1,035 8 0	.....	1,016 8 0
4758	Tarwan taluqa, pargana Sherghatti.	2,303 5 0	Whole ...	.....	Mussamat Bhawani Koer.	.....	8 0 3	.....

Gaya Collectorate, the 7th December 1906. B. FOLEY, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate on Friday, the 4th January 1907, corresponding to 1313 (B.S.).

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estates and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
			Rs. A. P.	
3271	Bartoil, pargana Bhanderdah, thana Kushtia	64·66	161 11 0	
2204	Billagram, pargana Bagowan, thana Nakasipara	·95	0 11 6	Will be sold revenue-free.

Nadia Collectorate, the 27th November 1906. SUKUMAR HALDAR, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1907 at midday for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
351	Janta Lalji Missir, pargana Barail.	893 11 6	Entire estate.	.....	Mossammat Rani Kuar and others.	.....	166 8 1	.....
2257	Bishoonpur Balbhaddar, Chakla Garjowl.	562 1 4	Do.	.....	Babu Langat Singh ...	.....	60 0 4	.....
3478	Uphrowl, pargana Rajeopur.	1,435 7 9	Do.	.....	Akal Singh and others ...	.....	351 6 2	.....
8817 Rs.	Chhapra Hassanpur, pargana Tariani.	1,105 1 5	.....	Residuary share, Chhapra, 16a. 3p. 8kr. 6m. 10d.; Hassanpur, 11a. 7p. 9kr. 6m. 10d.; Balaudpur, 11a. 7p. 9kr 6m. 10d.; Ditto, 13a. 3p. 9kr. 6m. 10d.; Supowl, 13a. 3p. 9kr. 6m. 10d. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sheikh Mahamed Akbar Ali *alias* Chhotey Nawab.	895 11 6	.....	8 14 11
11339	Dharampur Harka Mansahi Kasim Hussain, pargana Morwahkalan.	1,154 9 10	Entire estate.	.....	Mossammat Bibi Noorjahan Begam, self and guardian of Kazim Hussain Khan and others.	.....	6 8 11	.....

E. V. LEVINGE, Collector.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 11th December 1906.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		1,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 93,33,081 6 10				
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 74,17,904 8 9		1,67,50,985	15	7
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...		13,13,39,335	10	0
Bank Post Bills, &c.		17,21,072	5	0
Sundries		29,45,302	15	5
Rupees ...		18,72,56,696	14	0

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities ...	1,07,53,287	0	0
Other authorised investments	44,29,263	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	4,40,49,484	11	2
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	4,88,37,048	12	1
Bills discounted and purchased	3,45,85,845	8	7
Balances with other Banks	10,67,534	13	5
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	18,39,068	6	6
Stamps	14,470	11	10
Sundries	7,04,507	3	6
	14,62,80,455	3	1
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office Rs. 1,81,28,165 4 10*			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches ... „ 2,28,48,076 6 1†	76,241	10	11
Rupees ...	18,72,56,696	14	0

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 20,41,275 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 2,23,717 8 0
Rs. 22,64,992 8 0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 13th December 1906.

C. M. BASTIN, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans, 9 per cent.
Percentage 26·82.

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

MEMORANDUM.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	
Government Balance at Head Office	19,67,635	Increase.
Ditto at Branches ...	1,21,348	Do.
Other Deposits	23,44,612	Decrease.
Post Bills	7,92,354	Increase.

ASSETS.

	Rs.	
Bank's Investments	43,973	Decrease.
Loans ...	8,02,727	Increase
Accounts of Credit	15,89,291	Do.
Mercantile Bills	9,21,393	Decrease.
Cash at Head Office	18,5[illegible],831	Increase.
Do. at Branches	28,30,795	Decrease.

Percentage 26·82.

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 11th December 1906.

(1330—1)

WANTED for the Survey and Settlement works of Mourbhanj Proper.

(1) Eight Kanungos for six months on a consolidated salary of Rs. 75 each per mensem. Candidates must possess some knowledge in English and Uria and also a thorough and practical experience in cadastral survey and khanapuri works.

(2) Twenty-four cadastral and khanapuri Inspectors for four months on a salary of Rs 50 each per mensem. Knowledge in Uria is indispensably necessary. Preference will be given to those who have a practical experience of the works.

Applications with copies of testimonials and with a statement of age will be received by the undersigned up to 15th January 1907.

S. K. CHATTERJI,
Settlement Officer,
Mourbhanj P. O.

The 9th December 1906. (1323—4)

WANTED an experienced and qualified Accountant for Hooghly District Board's Office. Pay Rs. 80 a month *plus* Rs. 15 as allowance for Public Works accounts. Preference will be given to graduates of the Calcutta University having experience of Public Works accounts as well as District Board's accounts. Applications with testimonials will be received up to the 21st December 1906. The selected candidate will have to furnish security for Rs. 500.

K. K. BISWAS,
for Chairman, District Board.

Hooghly District Board's Office, Chinsurah, the 26th November 1906. (1286—2)

WANTED immediately for the partition work in the district of 24-Parganas 30 Surveyors on Rs. 30 and 3 Survey Inspectors on Rs. 40 each. The appointments will last for about six months. None need apply who has not experience of the work and knowledge of plane table survey.

Applications with testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to the 20th December next.

RAI CHARAN GHOSE,
Partition Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas.

Alipore, the 27th November 1906.

WANTED a Sub-Overseer for the District Board of Bankura on a salary of Rs. 25 with a consolidated travelling allowance of Rs. 15 per month. None need apply who is not qualified under the rules published under Government Notification No. 3334 L. S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901. The selected candidate will be on probation for six months. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 20th December 1906. The applicant must state in his application his age, educational qualifications and whether healthy and able to ride.

R. KRISHNA, Chairman.

Bankura District Board's Office, the 12th December 1906. (1332 1)

Khulna District Board.

WANTED immediately an Overseer. Pay Rs. 80—4—100. Travelling allowance Rs. 37-8 Applications up to 25th December to undersigned. None need apply but passed or plucked B. Es.

H. D. CHATTERJEE, District Engineer.

Camp Satkhira, the 10th December 1906. (1325—2)

SURESH CHANDRA MUKERJEE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (1290—4—1131)

BARAT KUMAR CHAKRAVARTI, M.A., B.L., intends to apply to be admitted to practise as a Vakil in the Calcutta High Court. (1248—4—1088)

Advertisement.

WANTED A Graduate Assistant Master for the Palamau Zilla School for six months on Rs. 25 a month. Preference will be given to a Behari. Apply before the 31st December.

BINDU LAL BANERJI, Head Master.
Palamau Zilla School.

The 15th December 1906.

Wanted—

(1) An experienced Accountant and Head Clerk on Rs. 60—3 - 75 for the District Engineer's office.

(2) An experienced Overseer on Rs. 70—3—85; travelling allowance under Civil Service Regulations.

The candidates must be qualified under Rules 9 and 7 (1) of the Bengal Government Notification No. 3334L.S.-G., dated 20th December 1901, and state their age.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 22nd December 1906.

The selected candidates must have to join at once and to furnish security deposit of Rs. 1,100 and Rs. 500 respectively

S. C. CHATTERJEE,
District Engineer, Nadia.

Krishnagar, the 5th December 1906. (1282—2)

Wanted

AN Accountant and Head Clerk for District Engineer's office, Purnea. Pay Rs. 60 to Rs. 80 by annual increments of Rs. 5. Must be qualified under the rules. Applications will be received up to the 20th instant by the District Engineer, Purnea.

(1285—2)

Wanted

A CLERK for this office on Rs. 55 rising to Rs. 85 by five annual increments.

Preference will be given to those who are able to draft letters well, to put up notes and *précis* on cases and are well acquainted with the Public Works Department Codes and other Rules.

The selected candidate will be on probation for six months.

Apply with copies of testimonials (which will not be returned) stating age. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 15th January 1907.

A. S. THOMSON,
Superintending Engineer, Orissa Circle.

Cuttack, the 8th December 1906.

Notice.

WANTED respectable contractors—

(1) to construct masonry iron bridges, Gohile-Durgapur Road. The sanctioned estimate is for Rs. 24,465 for 11 bridges.

(2) Durgapur-Talora feeder road, earthwork and masonry culvert works.

Sanctioned estimate—

	Rs.
For earthwork	2,936
„ culverts	1,633

The contractors will tender their own rates and the estimate can be consulted in this office.

Tenders will be received on the afternoon of the 20th instant.

(ILLEGIBLE), District Engineer, Bogra.

Bogra, the 5th December 1906. (1288—2)

Notice.

WANTED by the District Board, Jessore, a duly qualified candidate for the post of Native Doctor for the Kesabpur Dispensary in the district of Jessore, on a salary of Rs. 25 a month, for three months. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 31st December 1906. Application should be supported by copies of testimonials and diplomas.

R. C. DUTT,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Jessore.

Dated Jessore, the 11th December 1906. (1329—2)

Notice.

WANTED an experienced Surveyor on a salary of Rs 30 per mensem for two months to survey the roads, lands on road sides, sites of buildings, tanks, &c., in possession of the Kotechandpur Municipality and the public buildings and to prepare a correct map of the Municipality.

None need apply who has got no experience in survey work. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 31st instant.

A. K. CHATARJI,

Chairman of the Kotechandpur Municipality and Subdivisional Officer, Jhenidah.

Jhenidah, the 6th December 1906. (1292—3)

Notice.

WANTED an experienced Estimator for the office of the District Engineer, Saran, for two years with prospect of being made permanent, on a salary of Rs. 45 rising to Rs. 65, by biennial increment of Rs. 2.

Preference will be given to a passed Upper Subordinate with experience in estimating, taking out quantities from plans, calculating waterways of bridges and strains and stresses of beams, etc.

Applications with copies of testimonials and particulars as to age, etc., must reach the undersigned on or before the 21st December 1906.

E. J. BULL, C.E., M.E., ASSOC. M.I. M.E., ETC.,

District Engineer, Saran.

Dated Chapra, the 7th December 1906. (1297—2)

Notice.

WANTED two paid apprentices for the Bengal Forms Department on a subsistence allowance of Rs. 10. (rupees ten) per mensem. None need apply who have not passed the F.A. Examination. The applicants must bear good moral character and must be below 23 years of age. Applications to be received by the undersigned up to the 26th instant.

SRINATH CHAKRAVARTI,

Officer in charge of the Forms Department, Bengal.

Bengal Forms Department, Dallanda Buildings, 247 Lower Circular Road, Calcutta, the 13th December 1906.

Road-cess Notice.

THE District Board of Jessore at a special meeting held on 4th September 1906 resolved that road-cess be levied in the district at the maximum rate of six pies on the rupee during the year 1907-1908 as heretofore.

RADHIKA CH. DUTT,

for Chairman, District Board, Jessore.

Dated the 4th December 1906. (1279—3)

Road Cess Notice.

THE District Board of Saran, at a meeting held on the 1st December 1906, resolved that the road-cess be levied in this district at the maximum rate of one-half anna in each rupee of annual value of lands during the year 1907-08.

JAGDAM SAHAI,

for Chairman, District Board, Saran.

Chapra, the 6th December 1906. (1298—3)

Road Cess Notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the District Board of Monghyr have determined, at an adjourned special meeting held on the 8th December 1906, to levy the road cess in the district during ensuing cess year 1907-08 at the maximum rate of half-anna in the rupee on the annual value of lands, etc.

H. McPHERSON,

Chairman.

Monghyr, the 10th December 1906. (1327—2)

Road Cess Notice.

THE District Board of Khulna, at a special meeting held on the 3rd December 1906, resolved that the road cess be levied in the district at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of lands, etc., during the year 1907-08 as heretofore.

AMBIKA LAL RAHA,

Vice-Chairman,

for Chairman, District Board, Khulna.

Khulna, the 13th December 1906. (1336—1)

NADIA DISTRICT.

Road-Cess Notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the District Board of Nadia, at their special meeting held on the 8th December 1906, determined that the road-cess for the year 1907-08 shall be levied at the maximum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of lands and net profits as prescribed in the law.

MOHINI MOHAN GUPTA,

Vice-Chairman, District Board, Nadia.

District Board's Office, Krishnagar, the 11th December 1906. (1338—1)

Stolen

A RECEIPT numbered 7236, dated 12th May 1906, and granted by Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security:—

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
067211	3½ per cent. of 1842 43	100	Surendra Lal Chandra.

Name of Proprietor—Surendra Lal Chandra.
Residence—60 Aheeriotola Street, Calcutta.

(1334—1—1169)

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875 and under section 20 of Act I of 1887.

TO ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN DARPIN ESTATE HOLDINGS WITHIN THE MUNICIPAL LIMITS OF CALCUTTA.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5, Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,

Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, the 12th December 1906.

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875 and under section 20 of Act I of 1887.

TO ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LANDS LYING IN SUBABAN BAGICHA HOLDINGS WITHIN THE MUNICIPAL LIMITS OF CALCUTTA.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,

Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 12th December 1906.

Notice under section 12 of Act V of 1875. Under section 20 of Act I of 1887.

TO ALL OWNERS, MANAGERS AND AGENTS OF LAND LYING IN ADDYGUNGA THIL HOLDINGS WITHIN THE MUNICIPAL LIMITS OF CALCUTTA.

WHEREAS a survey has been made and boundaries demarcated of all municipal and revenue holdings situated in the above area, you are hereby informed that the maps are open to inspection. You are therefore requested to prefer any objection in writing, should you have any, within six weeks of date of this notification, after which the boundaries will be finally confirmed.

The maps can be inspected at any time at the Survey Office, 5 Alipore Road, between the hours of 10 A.M and 4 P.M.

R. B. SMART,

Assistant Superintendent of Survey.

5 Alipore Road, Calcutta, the 13th December 1906.

Irrigation Department.

NOTICE is hereby given for general information that the Kalighat bridge over Tolly's Nala will be closed to all traffic from 5th January to 31st March 1907, both days inclusive, for alterations and improvements

2. Ferries will be provided for the foot-passengers from 6 A.M. till 9 P.M.

W. A. INGLIS,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

Calcutta,

The 18th December 1906.

Bruce Institution.

ANNUAL ELECTION, 1907

THE Governors of the Bruce Institution will proceed on Friday, the 18th January 1907, to the election of not less than 24 Eurasian girls on the Bruce Foundation, if so many are eligible. Candidates must not, on the day of the election, be under five or over ten years of age. Perference will be given to orphans and to destitute children.

A statement of the case should be drawn up by the Minister or Clergyman signing the application form and sent by him to the Secretary of the Bruce Institution along with the application. No application will be considered which is not accompanied by such a statement.

Forms of application may be obtained from Mr F. D'Silva, Assistant in charge, Office of the Bruce Institution, Room No. 29, top floor, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta; and applications on this form *only* must reach the office of the Secretary not later than Thursday, the 10th January 1907.

A. EARLE,

Honorary Secretary to the Governors.

Calcutta, the 7th December 1906. (1291—4)

Notice to Creditors.

In the goods of John Reid Gavin, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration with copy Trust Disposition and Settlement annexed to the property and credits of the deceased abovenamed having, on the seventh day of December instant, been granted to Charles Henry Kesteven, all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of January 1907, after which date the assets of the estate of the said deceased will be distributed by the said Charles Henry Kesteven, the Administrator, amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said Charles Henry Kesteven will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution; such notice to be sent to the undersigned.

Dated this 8th day of December 1906

S. S. HODSON,

Royal Insurance Buildings, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta,

Attorney for Charles Henry Kesteven, Administrator to the estate of the deceased.

(1293—3—1127)

Notice to Creditors.

In the goods of William Forbes Gibbon, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration with Copy Will annexed to the property and credits of the deceased above named having on the 7th day of December instant been granted to Charles Henry Kesteven, all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of January 1907, after which date the assets of the estate of the said deceased will be distributed by the said Charles Henry Kesteven, the Administrator, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said Charles Henry Kesteven will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution; such notice to be sent to the undersigned.

Dated this 8th day of December 1906.

S. S. HODSON, Royal Insurance Buildings, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta,

Attorney for C. H. Kesteven, Administrator to the estate of the deceased. (1294—3—1126)

Notice to Creditors.

In the goods of Charles Sanderson, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration with copy Will annexed to the property and credits of the deceased abovenamed having, on the 10th day of December instant, been granted to Charles Henry Kesteven, all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of January 1907, after which date the assets of the estate of the said deceased will be distributed by the said Charles Henry Kesteven, the Administrator, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said Charles Henry Kesteven will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution; such notice to be sent to the undersigned.

Dated this 10th day of December 1906.

S. S. HODSON,

Royal Insurance Buildings, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta,

Attorney for Charles Henry Kesteven, Administrator to the estate of the deceased. (1312—3—1125)

Estate Mrs. Catherine Bridget Norman, of 72 Wellesley Road, Croydon, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased abovenamed are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co., 4 and 5 Koila Ghat Street, Calcutta, on or before the 25th day of January 1907, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 7th day of December 1906.

W. H. TAYLOR,

Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased.

4 and 5 Koila Ghat Street, Calcutta. (1292—3—1128)

Estate Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Crosthwaite, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased abovenamed are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co. 4 and 5 Koilaghat Street, Calcutta, on or before the 26th day of January 1907, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 7th day of December 1906.

W. H. TAYLOR,

Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased.

4 and 5 Koilaghat Street, Calcutta.

(1300—3—1129)

In the matter of the Dum Duma Jhar Tea Co., Ld. (in liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the abovenamed Company, which is being voluntarily wound up, namely, those, if any, who have not been paid off, are required on or before the 21st December 1906 to send in full particulars of their debts or claims, and, if so required, to prove the same at such time and place as the undersigned may notify, or in default they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

S. P. PAUL,
S. K BOSE,
Liquidators,
Dum Duma Jhar Tea Co., Ld.

Office, C/o Messrs. Jetmull and Bhojraj, Bankers, Judge Bazar, Darjeeling.

The 3rd December 1906. (1281—2—1122)

Statutory Notice.

In the Goods of James Wyburd Furrell, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trustees' and Mortgagees' Powers Act, 1866 (being Act XXVIII of 1866), and to section 320 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865 (being Act X of 1865), both of the Governor-General of India in Council, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of James Wyburd Furrell, deceased, formerly of Yercaud in the Presidency of Madras, and who died at Hove in the County of Sussex, in England, on or about the 5th day of October 1905, and Letters of Administration of whose property and credits were duly granted to me, William James Simmons of Calcutta, Solicitor, the Constituted Attorney of Jane Phipps Furrell (the Sole Executrix appointed by the Will of the said deceased), by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Testamentary and Intestate Jurisdiction on the 20th day of June last, and which are dated the 30th day of June last, are hereby required to submit in writing the full particulars of their claims, or demands, to me (with their names, addresses and descriptions and the nature of the securities, if any) held by them at my office, No. 6, Hastings Street in the City of Calcutta, on or before the 20th day of December 1906. And notice is hereby also given that at the expiration of the last-mentioned day, I shall be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said James Wyburd Furrell, deceased, or any part thereof, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which I shall then have had notice, and that I shall not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof so distributed, to any person of whose claim I have not had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this 15th day of November 1906.

W. J. SIMMONS, Administrator, Estate J. W. FURRELL, deceased. (1270—2—1108)

Estate Deputy Surgeon-General Theobald Ringer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased above named are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co., 4 and 5 Koilaghat Street, Calcutta, on or before the 28th day of January 1907, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 11th day of December 1906

W. H. TAYLOR,

Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased.

4 and 5 Koilaghat Street, Calcutta. (1326—3—1170)

Notice.

SEALED TENDERS for the supply of Indian steam coal by contract as specified below will be received by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine at his Office in the R. I. M. Dockyard, Bombay, up to 2 P.M. gun-fire, on the date fixed, after which hour no tender will be received:—

On 18th February 1907.	For the supply of Indian steam coal at	Akyab	From 1st April 1907 to 31st March 1908.
	Ditto	Bombay	
	Ditto	Calcutta	
	Ditto	Madras	
	Ditto	Rangoon	
	Ditto	Colombo	
	Ditto	Karachi	

2. Tenders must be accompanied by a Bank of Bengal receipt for the amount to be deposited or by Government Loan Paper, which is not to be endorsed to any Government officer but to stand in the name of the owner and be sent by registered post. Tenders forwarded in any other way will not be received. Informal tenders will be rejected, and no reason will be assigned for the rejection of any tender The Director of the Royal Indian Marine does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

3. Any tender containing a conditional clause contrary to these requirements, or making stipulations not provided for either in this notice or the printed tender and schedule forms, will be summarily rejected.

4. Printed tender forms, and any information in connection with this contract, can be obtained at this office and can also be had from the Deputy Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Calcutta, and from the Principal Port Officer, Burma, Rangoon.

5. Tender is to be superscribed, "Tender for the supply of Indian steam coal to the Royal Indian Marine."

W. CHANDLER,

Offg. Director of the Royal Indian Marine.

Royal Indian Marine Dockyard, Bombay, 2nd November 1906.

Notice.

IT is hereby notified that claims for refund under the Sea Customs Act for goods shortlanded from an importing vessel should be submitted to the Collector of Customs within three months from the date of payment of duty, in default of which a refund is not permissible in view of the provisions of section 40 of the Sea Customs Act.

L. F. MORSHEAD, Collector of Customs.

Custom House, Calcutta, the 5th December 1906.

(1289—2)

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Bank will be closed from Wednesday, the 2nd proximo, till Wednesday, the 16th proximo, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, the 13th December 1906. (1331—1)

Notice

IS hereby given for the information of the public that the Faridpur Agricultural Industrial and Horticultural Exhibition and *mela* will be held as usual at this station from the 7th January to the 7th February next, and the bazar will be removed to the *mela* grounds from the 1st January 1907. Dealers, merchants, and traders, etc., of all quarters are invited to buy and sell at the *mela* during that time.

A. MAEE, Magistrate-President.

Faridpur, the 7th December 906. (1324—3)

Notice.

THE Suri Cattle and Produce Exhibition will be held (for the 11th year) at Barabagan, Suri, East Indian Railway, in the district of Birbhum, 11 miles from East Indian Railway station Sainthia, on the 28th January and the two following days. The grounds will be open for the sale of articles from the 25th January for a week. Cattle, agricultural produce, and indigenous manufactures will be received as exhibits on the 27th and 28th January 1906. Competition for India Government prizes for bulls, cows and heifers will be allowed within the four districts of Birbhum, Bankura, Burdwan and Sonthal Pa ganas. Prizes in money, medals, certificates and selected seeds amounting to the value of Rs. 700 will be awarded for other exhibits of this district as well as for those of good quality from other districts. Intending exhibitors should prepare their exhibits and begin to make collections of indigenous articles from now, for which rewards will be amply given. Dealers and performers of music and sports may come and open their stalls in the exhibition ground two or three days beforehand. They should communicate with the Secretary about sites and other particulars at least a week before. The Railway Company has agreed to make some concessions in the rates for luggage, etc., of the exhibits coming to and going from the show.

HIRA LAL BANARJI,
for Collector.

Dated Suri, the 11th December 1906. (1333—3)

Notice.

THE annual *mela* at Daltonganj, in the district of Palamau, commences from the 18th January 1907 corresponding with 4th Magh 1313 B.S., and will last for about a month. An agriculture and cattle show will also be held in connection with it during the first week of February.

Traders and dealers in plough and milk cattle, horses and ponies, and other traders and merchants excepting those from plague-infected areas are invited to attend. No tax is levied. The comfort of strangers is looked after. The *mela* is held on the bank of the River Koel, so there is no difficulty for drinking water for men and cattle. Fodder will be available at reasonable rates. Bamboos and posts are supplied to traders free of cost for making booths. Police and conservancy arrangements are made.

S. R. HIGNELL,
Deputy Commissioner.

Daltonganj, the 13th December 1906. (1339—4)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the matter of SHAIK ROHIM BUX, an insolvent.

On the 1st day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day in January next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Paul, Attorney. (1301—2)

In the matter of CHRISTOPHER GOTTFRIED D'SOUZA, an insolvent.

On the 26th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day in January next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1302—2)

In the matter of ALBERT JOHN JUDGE, an insolvent.

On the 28th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day in January next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (1303—2)

In the matter of SAKHIR MOLLA, an insolvent.

On the 26th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day in January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Paul, Attorney. (1304—2)

In the matter of MATY RAM SETT, carrying on business as shawl merchant and jeweller at No. 53-7 Park Street in the town of Calcutta under the name, style and firm of Maty Ram Sett and Son, an insolvent.

On the 30th day of November last, it was, on the petition of Kedar Nath Sett, residing at No. 160 Harrison Road, in the town of Calcutta, a merchant and trader, a creditor of the said insolvent, adjudged that the said Maty Ram Sett hath committed an act of insolvency under the provision of the Act XI Vic,. Chapter XXI. and by another order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

R. L. Mookerjee, Attorney. (1305—2)

In the matter of RAM GOPAL DHARAK, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 5th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

S. C. Mitter, Attorney. (1340—2)

In the matter of RICHARD HENRY RUSSELL and ELIZABETH CHARLOTTE RUSSELL, insolvents.

On Thursday, the 6th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of February next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

G. K. Ghosh, Attorney. (1341—2)

In the matter of GOPAL CHANDRA SETT, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 5th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1342—2)

In the matter of KANAHIA LAL BHEWANIWALLAH, an insolvent.

On the 19th day of October last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Ghose & Bose, Attorney. (1343—2)

In the matter of C. E. Perris, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 10th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of February next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1344—2)

In the matter of Shaik Rohim Bux, an insolvent.

On Saturday, the 1st day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Paul, Attorney. (1345—2)

In the matter of Narain Dass and others, insolvents.

On the 27th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of February next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvents in person. (1346—2)

In the matter Rajendra Nath Chtterjee, an insolvent.

On the 23rd day of October last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1347—)

In the matter of Sarat Chunder Mitter, an insolvent.

On the 30th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of February next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1348—2)

In the matter of A. J. Judge, an insolvent.

On the 28th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of February next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

K. M. Rukshit, Attorney. (1349—2)

In the matter of Hari Dass Ghose and Nogendra Nath Ghose, insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of September last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day the said insolvent Nogendra Nath Ghose be discharged personally as well as to his after acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Bonnerjee and Haldar, Attorneys. (1350—2)

In the matter of Maty Ram Sett, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Wednesday, the 2nd day of January next, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

O. C. Ganguly, Attorney. (1351—1)

In the matter of Charles Edward Peters of 59 Dhurmotolla Street in the town of Calcutta, of no occupation, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 10th day of December instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person. (1352—1)

In the matter of Gunga Prosad, residing at No. 44 Ratan Sircar's Garden Street, carrying on business as a cloth merchant under the name of Harprosad Gunga Prosad at No. 176 Harrison Road, in the town of Calcutta, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Friday, the 7th day of December instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

B. I. Mookerjee, Attorney. (1353—1)

In the matter of Kally Charan Sanyal, residing at No. 8 Koylash Saha's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and practising as a Mooktear at Sealdah Court, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 24th day of November last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

S. K. Deb, Attorney. (1354—1)

In the matter of Richard Henry Russell, a guard in the employ of the Eastern Bengal State Railway, and Mrs. Elizabeth Charlotte Russell, his wife, both residing at No. 107 Bowbazar Street, in the town of Calcutta, insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 6th day of December instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

G. K. Ghosh, Attorney. (1355—1)

In the matter of Ram Gopal Dharuck, residing at Nos. 96 and 97 Harrison Road, in the town of Calcutta, formerly employed as a Gomasta under the firm of Hurbhagat Ramnarain, of no. 141 Cotton Street, in Calcutta, and at present employed as a Gomastha under Ram Coomar Todi of No. 57 Cotton Street in Calcutta aforesaid, an insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chapter XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 5th day of December instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

S. C. Mitter, Attorney. (1356—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 3 of 1904.

In the matter of Soyeb Rahaman, insolvent.

SOYEB RAHAMAN, son of Keyamuddi of Goda, thana and district Burdwan, was declared to be an insolvent on 14th March 1905 and has been discharged this day the 1st December 1906.

W. N. Delevingne,
District Judge.

Burdwan, the 1st December 1906. (1275—1—1180)

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Mails for—	Date and hour of closing at the General Post Office, Calcutta.		Route by which despatched.
	1906.	P.M.	
United Kingdom, Aden, Europe, America, Africa *vid* United Kingdom and East Africa *vid* Aden (and also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom or Aden).	Dec. 20	At 6-30	Per P. & O. Bombay.
Parcels and money-orders for the United Kingdom and other Foreign places.	,, 19	Parcels, 5 P.M.; M.-O., 4 P.M.	Ditto ditto.
* Australasian Colonies ...	,, 24	At 7-30	*Vid* Tuticorin and Colombo.
† Straits Settlements, China and Japan.	,, 20	,, 8-30	Per steamer *Japan*.
Burma	,, 20	,, 7-30	
Burma, Penang and Singapore.	,, 22	,, 7-30	
Akyab, Kyaukpyu and Sandoway,	,, 21	,, 7-30	Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer.
Burma, Tavoy and Mergui ...	,, 24	,, 7-30	
South Africa (Letters) ...	,, 22	,, 7-30	Per steamer *Teyr* from Colombo.
Ditto (Parcels) ...	,, 22	,, 5	
South Africa (Letters) Supplemental.	,, 23	,, 7-30	
South Africa (Letters) ...	,, 18	,, 7-30	
Ditto (Parcels) ...	,, 18	,, 5	Per steamer *Umballa* from Madras.
South Africa (Letters) Supplemental.	,, 19	,, 7-30	
South Africa (Parcels) Supplemental.	,, 19	,, 5	
Port Blair	22	,, 7-30	*Vid* Rangoon.

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   For Goalundo, Arakan and Chittagong, at 6 A.M.
   For Khulna and Jessore districts, at 7-15 A.M.
   For the Eastern districts, as far as Dacca and Mymensingh, at 6-15 A.M.
   For Midnapore and Orissa districts, at 4-15 P.M.
   For Bombay, Central Provinces and Midnapore *vid* Bengal-Nagpur Railway, at 1-15 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 1-35 P.M.

2. The letter-box will be cleared for the evening Mails at the following hours, viz.—
   For the East Indian Railway Loop Mail, at 2-30 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 2-55 P.M.
   For the Northern Bengal, Darjeeling and Assam Mails, at 3-55 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 4-15 P.M.
   For the Bombay Mail *vid* Jubbulpore, at 6 P.M., and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 6-30 P.M.
   For the Punjab Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
   For Midnapore, Orissa, Madras Presidency and Ceylon, at 7-30 P.M.
   For the Khulna Mail, at 7-30 P.M.
   For the Eastern Bengal Mail, and places on the Himalayan Railway, at 7-30 P.M.
   } and with a late fee of ½ anna up to 8 P.M. and with a late fee of 1 anna up to 8-45 P.M.

3. Late registered letters will be received between the following hours:—
   For the Bombay Mail *vid* Jubbulpore, from 5 P.M. to 6-15 P.M.
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NOTE.—The late fee on each registered letter will be 2 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps on the letter.

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6. On the day of despatch of the Mail for Europe (Thursday) the letter-box for Foreign articles will be cleared for the last time for articles, without the late fee, at 6-30 P.M., and late letters and papers fully prepaid will be received up to 8-45 P.M. Late registered articles will be received from 5 to 6 P.M. On the day of despatch of any Foreign Mail by sea, the letter will be cleared for the last time, without the late fee, up to 7 P.M., and late letters and papers up to 9 P.M. and late registered letters will be received from 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. The late fee for Foreign articles is 4 annas, which must be prepaid in stamps affixed to the articles.

CALCUTTA G. P. O., *The 17th December 1906.*

JOHN OWENS, *Presidency Postmaster.*

Nadia Rivers.

Report showing the least depths of water for the week ending Friday, the 14th December 1906.

Name of River.	Reach of River.	Least depth of water sounding.	Remarks.
Bhairab Jalangi.	Entrance from Ganges ...		
	Thence to Geriah ...		Mominton.
	From Geriah to Jangipur ...		Alampore.
	,, Jangipur to Berhampore		Berhampore.
	,, Berhampore to Katwa ...		Mohuia.
	,, Katwa to Nadia ...		Matiari.
	Entrance from Ganges ...		
	Thence to Akriganj ...		Moricha.
	Akriganj to junction of the Bhairab and Jalangi		Sarripore.
	Thence to Patkabari		Lalnagar.
	Patkabari to Nadia		Gokalurapore.
	Entrance from Ganges ...		
	Thence to Dewangunj ...		Dewangunj.
	From Dewangunj to Shikarpur		Jhootola.
	,, Shikarpur to Boalia ...		Kadipore.
	,, Boalia to Chuadanga ...		Moheshpore.
	,, Chuadanga to Kissengunj and Hanskhali ...		Hanskhali.

Gauge Readings.

	Locality.	Date.		Height above zero.	Height above mean sea level.	
			A.M.	Ft.	Ft.	
	Sahebganj	13-12-1906	8	2·16	70·16	Falling.
	Rampur Boalia...					
Ganges ...	Entrance of Bhagirathi Geriah...	15-12-1906	A.M. 7	0·80	51·80	Do.
	Entrance of Bhairab Jalangi, Akriganj ...	15-12-1906	A.M. 7	2·94	40·90	Do.
	Entrance of Mathabhanga ...					Do.
	Jangipur ...	15-12-1906	A.M. 8	22·20	49·09	Do.
Bhagirathi.	Berhampore ...	17-12-1906	A.M. 7	4·50	38·25	Do.
	Katwa ...	14-12-1906	P.M. 5	6·40	21·56	Do.
	Krishnagar ...					
	Sarupganj	15-12-1906	Noon 12	5·40	5·40	Rising.
Mathabhanga.	Hanskhali	14-12-1906	P.M. 4	6·05	16·90	Falling.

R. D. CHATARJI,
Offg. Exec. Engr., Nadia Rivers Division.

Berhampore, the 17th December 1906.

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Annual Summary of the Monthly Weather Review, 1904. (Illustrated by 6 plates). Quarto. Paper cover. Re. 8.

Memoirs of the Indian Meteorological Department, Vol. XX. Part I. By J. H. Field, Quarto. Paper cover. Re. 1.

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Monthly Weather Review, March and April 1906. (Illustrated by 8 plates.) Quarto. Paper cover. Re. 1 per month.

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PART IVA.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, assembled under the provisions of the Indian Councils Acts, 1861 and 1892.

The Council met in the Council Chamber on Saturday, the 15th December, 1906, at 11 A.M.

Present:

The Hon'ble SIR ANDREW FRASER, K.C.S.I., Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, *presiding*.
The Hon'ble MR. F. A. SLACKE.
The Hon'ble MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.
The Hon'ble MR. E. W. COLLIN.
The Hon'ble MR. R. W. CARLYLE, C.I.E.
The Hon'ble MR. H. J. MCINTOSH.
The Hon'ble MR. T. W. RICHARDSON.
The Hon'ble MR. G. GORDON.
The Hon'ble MR. C. G. H. ALLEN.
The Hon'ble MR. J. CHAUDHURI, M.A.
The Hon'ble ASIF KADR SAIYID WASIF ALI MIRZA, of Murshidabad.
The Hon'ble RAJA BAN BEHARI KAPUR, C.S.I.
The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA NATH MUKHERJEE, M.A., B.L.
The Hon'ble BABU BHUPENDRA NATH BASU, M.A., B.L.
The Hon'ble MR. SYED SHURFUDDIN.
The Hon'ble MR. W. T. SPINK.
The Hon'ble MR. J. R. BERTRAM.
The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL.
The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE, M.A., B.L.

NEW MEMBER.

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE took his seat in Council.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

ZOOLOGICAL GARDEN.

The Hon'ble MR. BERTRAM asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to arrange for the Zoological Garden to be open free to the public for one day in each month? If not, why not?

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE replied:—

"There is a Committee appointed to the charge of the Zoological Garden. This Government does not think that it should express any opinion on such a proposal until it has been formally submitted by its advocates to, and fully considered by, that Committee."

ARTICLES OF EUROPEAN MANUFACTURE.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA NATH MUKHERJEE asked:—

(*a*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the fact that the District Boards of Bengal are required to obtain articles of European manufacture of the value of more than fifty rupees from England direct by indent upon the Secretary of State for India, even when such articles are readily obtainable in India?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state if there is any provision in the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, or any rule made consistently with the said Act, under which the District Board can be required to purchase articles of European manufacture of the value of more than fifty rupees by indent upon the Secretary of State for India?

The Hon'ble MR. McINTOSH replied:—

"The rules regarding the purchase of European Stores are contained in Article 1103 of the Public Works Department Code and the Appendix thereto. These rules are framed by the Government of India.

"The District Fund is an Incorporated Local Fund, the revenues and expenditure of which are under the control of Government; and there is no provision in the Local Self-Government Act empowering a District Board to disregard these rules."

JAMALPUR SHOOTING CASE.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA NATH MUKHERJEE asked:—

(*a*) Has the attention of Government been drawn to an article in the *Bengalee* newspaper of the 25th November, 1906 (*dâk* edition), relating to a case described in the said newspaper as the "Jamalpur Shooting Case"?

Is the story of the investigation into, and trial of, the case given therein substantially correct?

(*b*) Has the Government received any official report regarding this case? If so, will the Government be pleased to lay it on the table? If no report on the said case has yet been received, will the Government be pleased to call for one, containing an authentic account of the steps taken by the authorities to discover the persons who had shot down some of the men employed in the East Indian Railway workshop at Jamalpur, and the circumstances under which the shooting was resorted to?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state how many workmen were killed and how many were wounded during the incident referred to in the said article?

The Hon'ble MR CARLYLE replied:—

"(*a*) The attention of Government has been drawn by the Hon'ble Member to the article in the *Bengalee*.

"The story therein given of the investigation into, and the trial of, the case is not substantially correct.

"Notably the statement that ten European Assistants stated before the Assistant Inspector-General of the Government Railway Police that they had seen Macmillan fire is absolutely incorrect. No European Assistant whatever made any such statement.

"(*b*) Government has received official reports regarding the case. These are still under consideration.

"The official reports show that a shot gun was used; that three shots in all were fired; that a youth named Finlayson admitted having fired all the shots into the air with a view to frightening away the attacking mob; and that the last of these, though fired over the heads of the mob, did take effect at a considerable distance.

"(*c*) No one was killed; but five workmen were wounded. In the opinion of the Civil Surgeon, by whom they were examined, the wounds on four of them (one man had two wounds) were probably caused by stray shot, but not the scratches found on the person of the fifth. The wounds were of a petty nature. The full charge appears to have passed over the heads of the mob; but owing to the distance at which the shot was fired, the pellets would scatter a great deal and five of them caught the wounded men."

ELECTION OF CALCUTTA MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Is the Government aware that during the last two elections of the Calcutta Municipal Commissioners, there was absolutely no interest shown in them by the rate-payers and that in wards where in previous elections fifteen hundred to two thousand votes were recorded, either the elections were uncontested or there were not more than two to three hundred votes at the highest recorded?

(*a*) Is the Government aware that the Hon'ble Mr. Allen, Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta, declared, at the meeting of the Corporation of the 8th of November last, that, so far as the Calcutta Municipality was concerned, "the whole system of election was absolutely a farce"?

(*b*) Will the Government be graciously pleased to institute an inquiry, by appointing a Committee or otherwise, into the causes of this lamentable lack of interest of the rate-payers and the failure of the system of election in the second city of the British Empire and take steps to remedy them?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"Questions I and II are answered together.

"The Hon'ble Member is referred to paragraphs 1 and 8 of the Report on the Municipal Administration of Calcutta for the year 1905-06 where the subject of his questions is dealt with. The proposals referred to therein for revising the election rules are, it is understood, now under the consideration of the Corporation."

ESTABLISHMENT CHARGES OF THE CALCUTTA MUNICIPALITY.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

'(*a*) Is the Government aware that there has been a great increase in the establishment charges of the Calcutta Municipality since the new Act came into force?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to ask for a return from the Calcutta Municipality showing the amount of the establishment charges of the Corporation before the passing of the new Act and at present, the amount paid to Commissioners as their fees for attending Committee meetings and the amount spent by the Corporation on opening out new roads and improving bustees since the new Act came into force?

(*c*) Is it a fact, as was mentioned by Mr. Braunfield, a Municipal Commissioner, at the meeting of the Corporation of the 14th November last, that 22 lakhs were annually spent by the Corporation for establishment out of an available income of 42 lakhs after paying the interest for Corporation loans?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"The information asked for by the Hon'ble Member can be gathered from the accounts of the Corporation which are published annually."

HURRISH CHUNDER MUKHERJI'S ROAD AND WOODBURN PARK.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Is the Government aware that many improvements, such as the Hurrish Chunder Mukherji's Road extension and the Woodburn Park to mention two out of many such passed by the Corporation before or shortly after the new Act came into force, have not yet been carried out?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"Government has no particular information about the progress made with the extension of the Hurrish Chunder Mukherji's Road. The Hon'ble Member's attention is invited to paragraph 12 of the Report on the Municipal Administration of Calcutta for the year 1905-06, where it is said that 'in view of the impending demands on account of the Improvement Trust, great caution is necessary in undertaking capital works other than those of an immediately reproductive character, and the bulk of the available funds must be devoted at present to financing the all-important water and drainage schemes to which the Corporation stands committed.'

"Some information regarding the progress made with the Woodburn Park is given in paragraph 25 of the same Report."

SUBURBAN DRAINAGE PROJECT.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to require the Corporation to submit a statement showing the causes of the great delay in carrying out the Suburban Drainage Project and to mention a limit of time within which the Corporation should carry it out?

Will the Government be pleased to consider whether, in the face of the inability of the Corporation to carry out the drainage and other projects passed many years ago, it is advisable to ask it to take up the gigantic improvements contemplated by the City Improvement Scheme?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"The Hon'ble Member is referred to paragraphs 11 to 13 of the Government Resolution on the Report of the Municipal Administration of Calcutta for the year 1904-05 and to paragraph 24 of the Calcutta Municipal Administration Report for the year 1905-06. Government sees no need to take action in the manner suggested by the question.

"The Calcutta Improvement Scheme is still under the consideration of the Governments of India and Bengal."

BHAIRAB RIVER.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state whether it will be pleased to spend this year Rs. 75,000, provided for in the current financial year for the improvement of the river *Bhairab*, in the district of Jessore, from Singhia up to the town of Jessore under the Canals Act?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH, in the absence of the Hon'ble MR. INGLIS, replied:—

"It is not probable that there will be any expenditure on this scheme in the current year. It has been ascertained that the cost of making a cut from Singhia to Roopchie, and of dredging the bed of the Bhairab from Roopchie to Jessore would be considerably greater than was at first thought: while the work would be of small value as a means of communication. The possible value of the scheme as a sanitary measure will be considered by the Committee which is at present holding an inquiry into the general conditions of the drainage and of the river channels of the districts in the Presidency Division."

JESSORE DRAINAGE SCHEME.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state how far the drainage scheme under the Sanitary Drainage Act, taken up by the District Board of Jessore for the improvement of the river *Bhairab* from the town of Jessore up to its source, has progressed, and whether, considering the importance of the matter, the largeness of the expenditure and the poverty of the raiyats of the district, who will have to contribute the major portion of it, the Government will be pleased to contribute towards the cost of the scheme?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"The Hon'ble Member is referred to Notification No. 62 S, dated the 6th August, 1906, published at page 1582 of the Calcutta Gazette, Part I, of the 15th August, 1906. The District Board have been asked to elect their representatives to the Board of Drainage Commissioners, and when these have been elected and the Government nominees have been appointed, the Board will proceed under section 6 (i) of the Sanitary Drainage Act to prepare a preliminary scheme and survey. When this has been drawn up and the cost of the project has been ascertained, Government will be prepared to consider the question of making a contribution from provincial revenues."

JESSORE WATER-WORKS SCHEME.

The Hon'ble BABU JOGENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state how long the Jessore Water-Works Scheme, approved by His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, has been under the consideration of the Government, and whether the Municipality of Jessore can shortly expect to receive the sanction of the Government to the scheme?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"The Municipal Commissioners of Jessore have not yet submitted to Government for final sanction their water-works scheme. The Municipal Commissioners have experienced difficulty in carrying out the experimental borings in the bed of the *Bhairab* river which are required in order to see whether a reliable source of supply is available, and they have applied to Government for help. Government is now arranging to lend the Municipal Commissioners a set of boring instruments and the services of a subordinate who has experience in working them. Government will be glad to sanction a suitable scheme as soon as it is got ready by the Municipal Commissioners."

JURY CASES.

The Hon'ble MR. SYED SHUEFUDDIN asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state, district by district, the number of cases tried by jury during the 10 years ending 31st March, 1905, the number of cases in respect of which the Sessions Judge concurred with the verdict of the jury, the number of cases in which the Sessions Judge, not agreeing with the jury, made a reference to the High Court, under section 307, Criminal Procedure Code, and the result of each such reference?

The Hon'ble MR. RICHARDSON replied:—

"The statistics required by the Hon'ble Member are not available for the period mentioned by him nor in respect of each jury district.

"The information to be found in the Annual Reports of the High Court on the Administration of Criminal Justice is contained in two statements laid on the table, in one of which the figures denote persons and in the other cases. All the figures relate to the calendar year."

Statements referred to in the above answer.

I.—PERSON.

		Number of persons tried by Jury.	Number of persons in whose cases Sessions Judge approved verdict.	Number of persons in whose cases Sessions Judge did no approve verdict.	Number of persons in whose cases a reference was made to the High Court.
Including figures for the transferred Jury districts.	1896 ...	593	529	64	43
	1897 ..	848	796	52	39
	1898	1,161	1,048	113	67
	1899	984	877	107	62
	1900	1,187	1,065	122	70
	1901	1,077	966	111	58
	1902	1,130	1,007	123	85
	1903 ...	1,060	922	138	64
	1904 ...	1,063	876	187	83
	1905 ..	622	546	76	
	Total ..	9,725	8,632	1,093	613

II.—CASES.

		Number of references before High Court.	Number decided.	Verdict accepted.	Verdict modified.	Verdict set aside.	Remanded for re-trial.
		1	2	3	4	5	6
Including figures for the transferred Jury districts.	1896 ...	33	31	9	7	13	2
	1897 ...	30	27	5	4	18	..
	1898 ..	47	43	11	2	30	...
	1899 ...	44	32	8	2	22	...
	1900 ...	51	49	13	4	32	...
	1901 ...	38	26	9	...	17	...
	1902 ...	63	57	20	2	35	...
	1903 ...	45	39	16	3	19	1
	1904 ...	55	46	8	6	31	1
	1905 ...	28	25	7	2	14	2
	Total ...	484	375	106	32	331	6

SUBORDINATE EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The Hon'ble MR. SYED SHURFUDDIN asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state if it is a fact that, since September, 1905, no promotion has been granted to the members of the Subordinate Educational Service, on the ground that the new scheme for the re-organization of the service sanctioned by the Secretary of State for India would soon be promulgated? If this be a fact, will the Government be pleased to state when is the new scheme going to be promulgated?

The Hon'ble MR. RICHARDSON replied:—

"The answer to the first part of the Hon'ble Member's question is in the affirmative. As to the second part, a Resolution giving effect to the scheme of re-organization has been drawn up and will be published immediately. It has been decided that the promotions admissible under the scheme will take effect from the 10th September, 1905. The arrangements for bringing the scheme into operation had to be made in consultation with the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam and this has caused some delay."

SENIOR DEPUTY MAGISTRATES AND THEIR POWERS.

The Hon'ble MR. SYED SHURFUDDIN asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state if the Senior Deputy Magistrates enjoying first-class powers in every district head-quarters town is vested with the power to hear appeals under section 407, Criminal Procedure Code?

If the officers mentioned above have not the power to hear appeals under section 407, Criminal Procedure Code, will the Government be pleased to invest them with such powers to be exercised at least during the absence, on tour, of the District Magistrates when a great hardship is felt in the matter of bail and admission of appeals by persons convicted by Magistrates of the second or third class?

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE replied:—

"Senior Deputy Magistrates enjoying first class powers in every district head-quarters town are not vested with the power to hear appeals under section 407, Criminal Procedure Code.

"Government does not consider it necessary to invest such officers generally with powers to hear such appeals, as it holds that the hearing of appeals is an important part of a District Magistrate's duties. In special cases, this general rule of confining appellate powers to the District Magistrate has been and will be relaxed."

SUBORDINATE EXECUTIVE SERVICE.

The Hon'ble MR. SYED SHURFUDDIN asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to give a statement showing the names and qualifications of the applicants, during the year 1906, from Bihar and Chota Nagpur, for appointments in the Provincial and Subordinate Branches of the Executive Service?

Will the Government be pleased to state also which of the applicants were successful, and which not; and the grounds on which the applications of the unsuccessful candidates were rejected?

And, in the case of Bengalee candidates, will the Government be further pleased to mention against their names whether they are domiciled in Bihar or Chota Nagpur, as the case may be, or otherwise?

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE replied:—

"Government regrets that it cannot fully comply with the request of the Hon'ble Member to lay on the table a statement showing the names and qualifications of the applicants, during the year 1906, from Bihar and Chota Nagpur for appointments in the Provincial and Subordinate branches of the

Executive Service, and to state which of them were successful and which not, and the grounds on which the applications of the unsuccessful candidates were rejected. It is most undesirable to publish the names of unsuccessful candidates; and still more (from their own point of view) to explain why they were unsuccessful.

"A statement showing the number of candidates in 1906 from Bihar and Chota Nagpur, with the number of Bengalis domiciled in Bihar or Chota Nagpur, is laid on the table.

"A statement containing the names of the successful candidates from Bihar and Chota Nagpur is also laid on the table. In the case of Bengalis domiciled in these places, the fact has been noted (as far as is known).

"Another statement showing the distribution of the new appointments amongst the different communities in the Province is also laid on the table.

"The last two statements refer to candidates appointed by Government direct and not by promotion from other services."

Statement showing the number of candidates from Bihar and Chota Nagpur during 1906.

From		No.	
Bihar	...	82	of these 10 are domiciled Bengalis.
Chota Nagpur	...	17	of these 5 are domiciled Bengalis.

Statement showing the names of successful candidates from Bihar and Chota Nagpur.

DEPUTY MAGISTRATES.

BIHARIS.

Hindus.

1. Babu Madheswar Singh.
2. „ Mukutdhari Singh, B.L.
3. „ Braja Nandan Singh, B.L.
4. „ Shyam Narayan Singh, B.A.
5. „ Ranjit Prasad, B.A.

Muhammadans.

1. Maulvi Chaudhuri Muhammad Nazir Alam, B.A.
2. „ Saiyid Hamid-ud-din Ahmad, B.A.

CHOTA NAGPURIS.

Hindus.

1. Babu Akhouri Gopi Kishore Lal, B.A.
2. „ Pulin Behari Aikath, B.A. (domiciled).

SUB-DEPUTY COLLECTORS.

BIHARIS.

Hindus.

1. Babu Satish Chandra Upadhay, M.A.
2. „ Jahnavi Prasad, B.A.
3. „ Jadubunsha Sahay, B.A.
4. „ Gaya Prasad Singh, B.A.
5. „ Surjya Narayan Singh, B.A.
6. „ Jug Dutt, B.A.
7. „ Kshitish Chandra Sen, B.A. (domiciled).

Muhammadans.

1. Maulvi Ali Ahmad, M.A.
2. „ Saiyid Muhammad Refiq-ul-Alam, B.A.
3. „ Kazi Abdul Waheb, B.A.
4. „ Saiyid Muhammad Ali Husain, M.A.
5. „ Safdar Husain, B.A.
„ Saiyid Amanat Husain, B.A.

CHOTA NAGPURIS.

Hindus.

1. Babu Lal Biswanath Sharan Singh.
2. „ Hari Das Chakrabatti, B.L.
3. „ Sarat Chandra Mazumdar, B.A. } Domiciled.
4. „ Nalinidra Lal Bose, B.A.

Uraons.

1. Babu Dhanmassi Panna, B.A.

Statement showing the distribution of new appointments amongst the different communities in the Province.

DEPUTY MAGISTRATES.

	Hindus.	Muhammadans.		
Bengalis	11 (*a*)	5	=	16
Biharis	5	2	=	7
Chota Nagpuri	1	0	=	1
Uriyas	2	2	=	4
Native Christians		...		3
Europeans and Eurasians		...		9
				40

SUB-DEPUTY COLLECTORS.

	Hindus.	Muhammadans	
Bengalis	34 (*b*)	2	36
Biharis	6	6	12
Chota Nagpuri	1	0	1
Uriyas	4	0	4
Native Christians		...	2
Eurasian		...	1
Uraon		...	1
			57

(*a*) Includes one domiciled in Chota Nagpur.
(*b*) Do. in Bihar and three in Chota Nagpur.

PAUPER WARDS.

The Hon'ble ASIF KADR SAIYID WASIF ALI MIRZA, of Murshidabad, asked

Will the Government be pleased to state whether the proposals of Gove ment made in its Resolution No. 4146Medl., dated the 9th November, 18 regarding the opening of separate pauper wards in the large dispensaries Bengal, and the Circular of the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, da the 8th March, 1898, regarding the establishment of separate wards for accommodation of both moribund and pauper patients, have been ac upon?

If not, will the Government be pleased to draw the attention of l bodies and managing committees of dispensaries to give effect to the proposals?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"The orders in question have not been lost sight of. They are gradu being acted upon as funds permit. It has been ascertained that since they v issued, pauper and moribund wards have been provided in 48 dispensa Government attaches much importance to the provision of such wards, a Circular will be issued to local bodies again drawing their attention to matter."

COTTON CULTIVATION.

The Hon'ble ASIF KADR SAIYID WASIF ALI MIRZA, of Murshidabad, asked:-

Will the Government be pleased to state what, if any, steps are being taken by it for the development of cotton growing in this Province, in accordance with any scheme that might have been suggested by any experts?

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE replied:—

"In this connection the Hon'ble Member is referred to the answers given to the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar at the Council Meeting of the 2nd December, 1905, and to the Hon'ble Babu Jogendra Nath Mukherjee at the Council Meeting of the 17th February, 1906.

"No scheme for the development of cotton cultivation in this Province has yet been drawn up by an expert.

"During the current season the Director of Agriculture has arranged for the cultivation of about 100 acres in the Sonthal Parganas and Singhbhum districts with *Buri* cotton, a variety which has given considerable promise, with a view to making it known among cultivators who understand how to grow cotton, and with a view to the production of a quantity of reliable seed for distribution next year. Plant selection is now being carried out at both centres with a view to ultimate improvement.

"Brief instructions for the cultivation of cotton have also been circulated by the Agricultural Department, and seed distributed from the Departmental seed-store."

VILLAGE ROADS.

The Hon'ble ASIF KADR SAIYID WASIF ALI MIRZA, of Murshidabad, asked:-

Has the Government received any complaints regarding the condition of village roads in Bengal? If so, will the Government be pleased to draw the attention of District and Local Boards to the need of keeping them in proper repairs?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"No complaints of a general nature have been received by Government. District Boards are only responsible for the up-keep of such 'village roads' as are vested in them or have been placed under their administration and control. Their obligations in this respect are well known to the District Boards, and the issue of special instructions to them is not considered necessary."

CHARITABLE DISPENSARIES.

The Hon'ble ASIF KADR SAIYID WASIF ALI MIRZA, of Murshidabad, asked:-

Is it a fact that in some Charitable Dispensaries under the management of Government or Local Bodies, during hospital hours and in the absence of the Medical Officer in charge, prescriptions are prepared and medicines dispensed by compounders, and the cases subsequently entered in the dispensary Attendance Register by the Medical Officer from memoranda kept by the compounder? If so, will the Government be pleased to take necessary steps to prevent such practice?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"No instance of patients being treated or prescribed for by a compounder otherwise than as laid down by the rules has been brought to the notice of Government or the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals. Compounders are forbidden to prescribe for patients on their own responsibility. The only exception to this rule is, when the Medical Officer in charge is unavoidably absent for a brief period owing to sickness or other cause, and on such occasions a compounder is only permitted to render first aid for the immediate relief of a patient, or to dispense stock medicines, or to repeat medicines previously prescribed by the Medical Officer in charge."

INCREASE OF INTOXICANTS.

The Hon'ble BABU BHUPENDRA NATH BASU asked:—

Will the Government state what steps are being taken to check the alarming increase in the consumption of intoxicants in Bengal, as shown in the Report of the Commissioner of Excise for 1905-1906?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"The Committee appointed by the Government of India to examine the systems of Excise administration in the different provinces has recently submitted its report to the Government of India. When the Local Government receives the Committee's report, it will consider what changes are required in the system in force in this province."

EXCISE INQUIRY COMMITTEE.

The Hon'ble BABU BHUPENDRA NATH BASU asked:—

Can any information be furnished regarding the recommendations of the Excise Inquiry Committee of the Government of India alluded to in the Report of the Commissioner of Excise, so far as they apply to Bengal?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"The report of the Excise Committee has not been published yet, and Government is unable to give any information about it at present."

DRAINAGE OF THE CALCUTTA FRINGE AREA.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL asked:—

(*a*) Is the Government aware of the insanitary and water-logged condition of the area, between the Circular Road and the canal on the east of Calcutta, known as the fringe area, and of the repeated complaints, since its amalgamation with Calcutta proper in 1888, of the rate-payers residing in that area, who pay the same rates with their fellow-rate-payers of the Town proper, without receiving the same advantages?

(*b*) In view of the urgency of effective drainage of the above area, has the Government come to any decision as to whether it should permit the storm-water from that area to flow into the canal, as it used to do before canalization by Government of the channel?

(*c*) If no decision has yet been arrived at, will the Government be pleased to state when it is likely to come to a decision on the subject?

(*d*) Considering that considerable difficulties have arisen in draining the area in question owing to the stoppage of the flow of storm-water into the canal and the present unsuitability of the intercepting sewer, which was built at the instance of the Government, will the Government be pleased to make a substantial contribution to the funds of the Corporation to enable that body to relieve the aggrieved rate-payers by constructing suitable drainage works?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"Government is aware of the unsatisfactory state of the drainage of the area referred to. The proposal to permit the discharge of the surface water of this area into the Circular Canal was referred to a Committee, of which the Hon'ble Mr. Collin was the President, and the Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal, and the Health Officer of the Corporation were the members. The Report of the Committee has lately been received and is adverse to the proposal on sanitary grounds. The surface storm water cannot be permitted to enter the canal, as Government is advised that this would be dangerous to health.

"It is not proposed that Government should contribute towards the cost of the drainage operations."

INFANT MORTALITY IN BENGAL.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL asked:—

(*a*) As a means to prevent the yearly increasing waste of infant life in Bengal, it is said in the Report of the Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal, for 1905, that Government caused two leaflets, containing simple instructions about the feeding and the rearing up of children and prescribing the diet of Indian mothers after child-birth, to be prepared and distributed broadcast for the education of the general public in these matters.

Have similar leaflets been circulated in the present year, and is the Government in a position to say how far these leaflets have produced the desired effect?

(*b*) May I ask what other measures the Government have taken or intend to take for the reduction of the percentage of infant mortality in Bengal?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"The leaflets were distributed towards the close of last year and in the earlier part of this year. Government is not in a position to say what effect, if any, they have had, but the subject will again doubtless be dealt with by the Sanitary Commissioner in his next Annual Report. It cannot be expected that they will have an immediate effect, though in time they may do some good by helping to remove old prejudices."

CHOLERA AND SEPTIC TANKS.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL asked:—

Considering that there has been an abnormal rise in cholera mortality, has the Government ascertained how far this is due to the rapidly increasing number of septic tanks in Bengal?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"The Hon'ble Member has not mentioned the localities in which he believes there has been an abnormal rise in cholera mortality. Government is not aware that there has been any rise in the mortality from cholera which could in any way be due to septic tank installations."

LOWIS JUBILEE SANITARIUM.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL asked:—

(*a*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the paragraphs published in the "Bengalee" of the 27th ultimo, on the proposed Phthisical Ward at the Lowis Jubilee Sanitarium?

(*b*) Is it not a fact that three eminent medical authorities and two experienced Divisional Commissioners, consulted by Government, were in favour of the construction of this ward?

(*c*) Did not the Government also approve of the construction of this ward on its present site?

(*d*) Now that the ward has neared its completion, and as the abandonment of the design at the present juncture will mean the throwing away of so much money and labour, will the Government be pleased to state what final decision it has arrived at in regard to this matter?

The Hon'ble MR. MCINTOSH replied:—

"The attention of the Government has been drawn by the Hon'ble Member to the article in the *Bengalee* to which he refers. That article contains a very misleading statement of the history of the case regarding this proposal to have a phthisical ward at the Lowis Jubilee Sanitarium at Darjeeling.

"The question is one of very great importance to the patients themselves and to the public. An endeavour is being made, in consultation with the Committee of the Sanitarium and with medical officers, to arrive at a decision which will be in the interests of the patients and of the public. But the Government has not arrived at a final decision in regard to it; and the matter is still under consideration."

PRESIDENCY COLLEGE.

The Hon'ble BABU RADHA CHARAN PAL asked:—

Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is in its contemplation to remove the Presidency College from its present site to a place outside Calcutta?

The Hon'ble MR. RICHARDSON replied:—

"The Government has no intention whatever of removing the Presidency College from Calcutta. That was decided long ago; and the Government has since been considering, in consultation with Educational Officers and others interested in the Presidency College, the question of improving that institution. It has been strongly urged by some, that the college should be removed from its present site to one of the suburbs of Calcutta. The main object of this proposal is to obtain more room for extension of the college buildings and for hostels. The Government, however, as at present advised, is in favour of retaining the present site, and gradually acquiring land, as funds permit, for the improvement of the college. At the same time the Lieutenant-Governor has thought it right to hear any arguments that might be advanced in favour of a change of site within Calcutta or its suburbs. He has invited opinions, and will decide the question when these opinions have been considered."

THE BENGAL TENANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1906.

The Hon'ble MR. CARLYLE moved that the Bill to amend and supplement the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Mr. Slacke, the Hon'ble Mr. Gordon, the Hon'ble Asif Kadr Saiyid Wasif Ali Mirza, the Hon'ble Raja Ban Behari Kapur, the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu and the Mover.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

THE BENGAL LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1906.

The Hon'ble MR. McINTOSH moved that the Bill to amend the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Mr. Slacke, the Hon'ble Mr. Inglis, the Hon'ble Babu Jogendra Nath Mukherjee, the Hon'ble Babu Jogendra Chandra Ghose and the Mover.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Council was then adjourned to Saturday the 12th January, 1907.

CALCUTTA;
The 17th December, 1906.

L. C. ADAMI,
Offg. Secretary to the Bengal Council

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PART VI.

Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 23.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 14th December, 1906 :—

No. 7 of 1906.

A Bill to repeal and amend certain Enactments relating to abolished rates and cesses.

WHEREAS certain rates and cesses leviable in the territories specified in the Schedule have been abolished and it is therefore expedient to repeal or amend the enactments specified in the said Schedule; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1. This Act may be called the Repealing and Amending (Rates and Cesses) Act, 190 .

Short title.

2. The enactments specified in the Schedule shall be repealed or modified to the extent and in the manner mentioned in the third column thereof.

Enactments in Schedule repealed or modified.

THE SCHEDULE.

Number, year and short title.	Sections.	Extent of repeal or modification.
		A.—The Presidency of Madras.
Madras Act IV of 1893 (The Madras Village Cess Act, 1893).		The whole Act to be repealed.
Madras Act III of 1895 (The Madras Hereditary Village-offices Act, 1895).		For clause (1) the following to be substituted :— "(1) hereditary village offices existing in ryotwari villages or inam villages which for the purpose of village administration are grouped with ryotwari villages and belonging to the following six classes, by whatever designation they may be locally known, namely :— (i) village-munsifs, (ii) potels, monigars and peddakapus, (iii) karnams, (iv) nirgantis, (v) vettis, totis and fandalgars, (vi) talayaris. The Local Government shall have power to decide what officers come under any of the above classes."

THE SCHEDULE—*contd.*

Number, year and short title.	Sections.	Extent of repeal or modification.
Madras Act III of 1895—*contd.*	6	In sub-section (*1*), for the words "In any local area in which the Madras Village-cess Act, 1893, is in force" the words "In any local area in which this Act is in force" to be substituted; and for the words "to which the said Act applies" the words "of the classes defined in section clause (*1*), of this Act" to be substituted. In sub-section (*2*), for the words "in any village in which the Madras Village-cess Act, 1893, is in force" the words "in any ryotwari village or in any inam village which for the purpose of village administration is grouped with a ryotwari village," to be substituted.
	20	In clause (ix) the words "the Madras Village-cess Act, 1893," to be omitted.
B.—The Presidency of Bombay.		
Bombay Act IV of 1881 (The Sindh Village-officers Act, 1881).	6	The whole section to be repealed.
Bombay Act II of 1888 (*An Act to amend the Sindh Village-officers Act, 1881*).	3	The whole section to be repealed.
Bombay Act II of 1898 (*An Act to amend the Sindh Village-officers Act, 1881, as amended by Bombay Act II of 1888*).	2 and 3	The whole of both sections to be repealed.
C.—The Lieutenant-Governorship of Bengal.		
Bengal Act VIII of 1862 (The Bengal Zamindari Dák Act, 1862).	...	The whole Act to be repealed.
Bengal Act I of 1895 (The Public Demands Recovery Act, 1895).	7	In clause (*d*) of sub-section (*1*) the words, figures and brackets "section 9 of Bengal Act 8 of 1862 (*An Act to improve the system of Zamindari Dáks in the Provinces subject to the Government of Bengal*) or" to be omitted.
Regulation III of 1872 (The Sonthal Parganas Settlement Regulation).	The Schedule.	The third entry in Part III to be omitted.
D.—The Lieutenant-Governorship of the Punjab and the Chief Commissionership of the North-West Frontier Province.		
Act XVII of 1887 (The Punjab Land-revenue Act, 1887).	29	In sub-section (*1*) for the words "one anna" the words "half an anna" shall be substituted, and for the words "village-officers" where they occur after the word "remunerating" the words "headmen and chief headmen" to be substituted.
E.—The Chief Commissionership of the Central Provinces.		
Act X of 1878 (The Central Provinces Additional Rates Act, 1878).	...	The whole Act to be repealed.
Act XVIII of 1881 (The Central Provinces Land-revenue Act, 1881).	77	In clause (*a*) the word "patwari" to be omitted.
	138	In clause (*b*) the word "patwaris" to be omitted.
	141	In clause (*a*) the words "village-patwari and" to be omitted.
	143A	In clause (*c*) the words "village-patwari and" to be omitted.
	146A	The whole section to be repealed.
F.—The Chief Commissionership of Coorg.		
Regulation I of 1899 (The Coorg Land and Revenue Regulation).	24	The whole of sub-section (*2*) to be repealed.
	25 and 26	The whole of both sections to be repealed.
	115	The words "including the village-officers' cess" to be omitted.
	119	The words "or paid out of the proceeds of the village officers' cess" to be omitted.

THE SCHEDULE—*concld.*

Number, year and short title.	Sections.	Extent of repeal or modification.
Regulation I of 1899—*contd.*	145	In clause (xvi) the words "or arising out of the liability of an assignee to pay out of assigned land-revenue or of a person who would be liable for land-revenue, if it had not been realised, compounded for or redeemed, to pay on the land-revenue for which he would but for such release, composition or redemption be liable, such a percentage for the remuneration of a village-officer as may be prescribed by rules for the time being in force under this Regulation" to be omitted.
G.—The Chief Commissionership of Ajmere-Merwara.		
Regulation III of 1895 (The Ajmere Patwari Regulation).		The whole Regulation to be repealed.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE levy of certain provincial rates and cesses, such as the patwari-cess, the village-service-cess, the famine-cess, and the like, has been already abolished by executive orders in accordance with the announcements made in the Financial Statements for 1905-1906 and for 1906-1907, but the enactments under which these rates and cesses were imposed are still on the Statute-book, and the object of this Bill is simply to repeal these enactments and carry out certain consequential amendments in other enactments referring to the same.

The 12th December, 1906. DENZIL IBBETSON.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 14th December 1906.

No. 8 OF 1906.

A Bill further to amend the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1879.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1879; It is hereby enacted as follows:— XI of 1879.

1. This Act may be called the Local Authorities Loan (Amendment) Act, 1906. Short title.

2. In section 4 of the said Act, for the words "for the carrying out of any works which it is legally authorised to carry out" the words "for any purpose to which its funds can legally be applied" shall be substituted. Amendment of section 4, Act XI, 1879.

3. In section 5, sub-section (*2*), of the same Act, for the word "works" the word "purposes" shall be substituted. Amendment of section 5.

4. In section 7 of the same Act, for the word "work", in both places where it occurs, the word "purpose" shall be substituted. Amendment of section 7.

5. In section 8, clause (*b*), of the same Act, the words "other than the carrying out of works" shall be omitted. Amendment of section 8.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE Local Authorities Loan Act, 1879 (XI of 1879), provides for local authorities borrowing money for the carrying out of works. It has been held that the provision in question limits the powers of these authorities to borrowing for objects which can be strictly described as works, and does not empower them to contract loans for the purposes of carrying out other objects of public utility. The Bill accordingly proposes to legalise the borrowing of money by local authorities for any purpose to which their funds can legally be applied; subject always, under section 5 (*2*) of the Act, to the definition by rule of the purposes for which loans may be raised.

E. N. BAKER.

The 30th November, 1906.

J. M. MACPHERSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

APPENDIX TO

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 11th December 1906.*

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Caution.—Position of a submerged Country craft.

No. 479 (first publication).—A telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Rangoon, intimating that a report has been received that a small country craft, submerged, was passed bearing east, distance 9 miles from Alguada light-house. Length of boat about 80 feet.

Mariners are hereby warned.

The 11th December 1906.

AUSTRALIA—QUEENSLAND.

Brisbane river—Minimum available depth.

No. 480 (first publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 7 of 1906) that the minimum available depth in the Brisbane River from Moreton Bay to the Custom House, Town Reach, is 22 feet at low-water springs.

Charts affected—Nos. 1674, 1670b and 1039; Australia Directory, vol. 2.

INDIA, WEST—SIND COAST.

Karachi harbour—Lights on Military works at Manora.

No. 481 (first publication).—The Bombay Government have given notice (No. 126 of 1906) that from 1st December 1906, repairs will be taken in hand on the seaward side of the Manora Point Fort and Breakwater, and powerful lights may be used at times for the purpose. Ships approaching Karachi Harbour should therefore be careful not to mistake these lights with leading and harbour lights.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Karachi Harbour, No. 40; also West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 304.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Red Sea.

The Brothers—Experimental exhibition of light

No. 482 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 54, dated the 3rd February 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice No 1304 of 1906) that, during the latter end of November and the beginning of December, a *white flashing* light will be experimentally exhibited from the tower now in course of construction on the Brothers.

Approximate position, lat. 26° 19′ N., long. 34° 51′ E.

Further Notice will be given when the above light is permanently established, which will be about 1st January 1907.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Red Sea with plan of the Brothers, No. 8b : Also List of Lights, 1906, Part V, No. 1441; Part VI, No. 161; Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1900, page 71; and Supplement, 1904, page 10.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Red Sea, western shore—Sheik el Barghut approach

Sanganeb reef—Experimental exhibition of light.

No. 483 (first publication).—With reference to notice to Mariners No. 207, dated 7th June 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1305 of 1906) that during the latter half of November and the early part of December, a *white flashing* light will be exhibited experimentally from a tower now in course of erection on Sanganeb reef in the approach to Sheik el Barghut (port Sudan).

Approximate, position, lat. 19° 43½′ N., long. 37° 26′ E.

Further Notice will be given when this light has been permanently established, which will be about 1st January 1907.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Red Sea, No. 8c Mersa Durur to Trinkitat, No. 81 : Also List of Lights, 1906, Part V, No. 1443; Part VI, No. 158; Red Sea, etc., Pilot, 1900, page 155; and Supplement, 1904, page 17.

BAY OF BENGAL—Orissa coast.

Balasore river—Elfin channel—Depth of water on the bars and at the buoys.

No. 484 (first publication).—The Port Officer, Cuttack and Balasore ports, has given notice that the following depth of water was found on the bars and at the buoys, in the Elfin channel, Balasore river, on the 10th December 1906—

Bars.

	Ft.	in.
Elfin bar	2	6
Nolcool	1	6
Jimkana	2	6

Buoys.

	Ft.
Anchoring buoy.	22
Fairway „	12
Centre Elfin	4
Inner „	5

The course in from the Fairway buoy. to the Barabulong river is N. 33° W. *magnetic.*

Vessels drawing 9 feet should not attempt to cross the Elfin bar with less than 16 feet rise at Saugor.

The 14th December 1906.

INDIA, WEST—Malabar coast.

Ponani—Particulars of present boundary pillars.

No. 485 (first publication).—The Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given notice (No. 31 of 1906) of the following particulars of boundary pillars at Ponani, in supersession of previous Notice :—

North boundary pillar, situated on the Sand ridge north of the river entrance, 120 yards from H. W. mark in Lat. 10° 48′ 11″ N.

South boundary pillar, situated on the foreshore south of the river entrance, 450 yards from H. W. mark in Lat. 10° 46′ 57″ N.

The pillars are 2,860 yards apart in a straight line bearing approximately No. 29° W.

The 17th December 1906.

BAY OF BENGAL—Chittagong coast.

Kurnafuli river—Depth of water in the channels.

No 468 (second publication).—The Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the channels by soundings taken on the 29th and 30th November 1906—

	Ft.	In.
Track No. 1—Outer bar—		
Disc on diamond	14	0
Track No. 2—Inner bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	6
Batten beacon on pillar	11	6
Track No. 3—		
Triangle on cross and ball	16	6
Track No. 4—Guptakhally crossing—		
Tripod on cross and ball and diamond	20	0

INDIA, WEST—Sind coast

Karachi harbour—Removal of Deep Water Point mooring buoy.

No. 469 (second publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 125, dated 28th November), that the Deep Water Point Mooring Buoy, Karachi Harbour, has been removed and will not be replaced until further notice.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Karachi Harbour, No. 40; also West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 304, and Supplement 1903, page 19.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Borneo, south-east coast.

Pulo Laut strait—Light-buoy established.

No. 470 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 226, dated 26th June 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1271 of 1906) that a light-buoy exhibiting a *white occulting* light, *every twenty seconds*, thus:—light, *ten seconds;* eclipse, *ten seconds*, has been established in a position situated about one mile S. 75° E. from Petang point, in the southern entrance to Pulo Laut strait.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 37′ S., long. 115° 57½′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Makassar strait, No. 2637; plan of Pulo Laut strait on chart No. 2662; Also Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 277.

CHINA, NORTH—Manchuria, south coast.

Cambrian or Lakhutan cove.—Non-existence of shoal.

No. 471 (second publication).—With reference to notice to Mariners No. 498, dated 12th December 1905, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1272 of 1906) that the rock reported by the S.S. *Ishibashi Maru* off Cambrian cove, as situated in a position 12 cables S. 73° W. from the rock off the south-eastern extremity of South Entry point, in the approach to Talien hwan bay, has been repeatedly and carefully searched for at a distance of 2 cables in all directions around the assigned position without any indication being found of its existence, the general depths in the locality being 17 fathoms over mud, sand, and shells bottom. This rock has therefore been erased from the charts.

Approximate position, lat. 38° 51′ N., long. 121° 40½′ E.

Note.—The Japanese name for the Talien islands to the westward of Cambrian cove is Dairen, and this has now been adopted on chart No. 1798.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Kwang tung peninsula, No. 1798: Also, China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 590.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—MALAY PENINSULA, WEST COAST—SIAM, PUKET OR TONGKA HARBOUR.

Goh Tapaunoi light—Temporary alterations.

No. 472 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1273 of 1906) that Goh Tapaunoi white flashing light, Tongka harbour, will be temporarily replaced by a *white fixed* light whilst undergoing repairs.

Approximate position, lat. 7° 52½′ N., long. 98° 25½′ E.

Further Notice will be given as necessary.

This notice temporarily affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Puket or Tongka harbour, No. 843: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 383; Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 434; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 117.

PACIFIC OCEAN—SULU SEA—THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Basilan strait—Shoal inserted on Charts.

No. 473 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1274 of 1906) that as a shoal with a depth of 3½ fathoms over it appears on the United States Government chart of Basilan strait, situated on chart No 961 in approximately lat. 6° 46′ 0″ N., long. 122° 4′ 20″ E., it has been inserted on the Admiralty charts in this position.

NOTE.—The authority for this danger is a Spanish chart corrected to 1895.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Sulu Archipelago, Nos. 2576, 928; Basilan strait, No. 961: Also, Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1890, page 99.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Pamanukan rock—Buoy replaced by light-buoy.

No. 474 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 226, dated 26th June 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1275 of 1906) that the black bell buoy surmounted by a ball marking Pamanukan rock, has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every twenty seconds*, thus:—light, *ten seconds;* eclipse, *ten seconds.*

Approximate position, lat. 6° 1′ S., long. 107° 52½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Java, No. 1653: Also Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 97.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA ISLAND, EAST COAST—SURABAYA STRAIT

Kleta reef.—Beacon erected.

No. 475 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1292 of 1906) that an iron screwpile beacon, painted in black and red horizontal bands, with a truncated cone as a topmark, has been erected in a depth of 2 feet on Kleta reef, in the eastern entrance to Surabaya strait, in a position situated at a distance of 6 $\frac{6}{10}$ miles S. 43° E. from Lerangan mosque.

Approximate position on chart No. 934, lat. 7° 19½′ S., long 112° 52′ E.

Variation 3° Easterly in 1906.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Java, No. 1654, Surabaya strait on chart No. 934: Also, Eastern Archipelago, Part II 1904, page 127; and Supplement, 1906, page 11.

JAPAN SEA—Peter the Great Bay—Vladivostok approach.

Cape Gamova light—Further particulars given, Askold island—Pilot station.

No. 476 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 402, dated 20th October, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1293 of 1906) that a *white group flashing* light showing groups of *two* flashes, each group being of about *two seconds'* duration, *every ten seconds*, elevated 210 feet above high water, and visible from a distance of 16 miles, has been established on cape Gamova, Vladivostok approach. The light, which is of the 2nd order, is shown from a lighthouse 48 feet high.

A siren worked by compressed air and a bell have been established on the southern end of the cape; during thick or foggy weather the siren will give one blast of four seconds' duration *every minute*, and the bell probably worked in accordance with the Russian uniform system.

Approximate position, lat. 42° 33½′ N., long. 131° 12½′ E.

Also, that it is no longer now requisite to make cape Gamova when approaching Vladivostok, but it is equally safe to make Askold island, and, obtaining a pilot from thence, to approach Vladivostok by the eastern entrance to the Eastern Bosporus strait.

Approximate position, Askold light. lat. 42° 44′ N., long. 132° 22′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kuril islands, No. 2405; Tumen Ula to Strelok bay, No. 2432; Trinity bay to the Eastern Bosporus, No. 511: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 189, No. 1156; and Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 169, 191.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Gulf of St. Vincent—Backstairs passage.

Yatala shoal—Buoy established.

No. 477 (second publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1298 of 1906) that, on or about the 24th of that month, a spherical buoy, painted in red and white horizontal bands, and surmounted by a half globe, base downwards, would be moored in a depth of 5 fathoms on the north-western side of Yatala shoal, Backstairs passage. The exact position of this buoy is not given, but it has been placed on the chart at a distance of 4$\frac{1}{10}$ miles N. 19° E. from cape St. Alban.

Approximate position, lat. 35° 44½′ S., long. 138° 9¾′ E.

(*Variation 5° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of St. Vincent, &c., No. 2389a; Backstairs passage, No. 25: Also Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897, page 308.

AUSTRALIA—New South Wales.

Port Jackson—Fog Signals altered.

No. 478 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 286, dated 29th July 1905, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1299 of 1906) that the fog bells at Bradley head, fort Denison, and Dawes point, in port Jackson, will in future be sounded continuously during thick or foggy weather, and not as described in the above-mentioned Notice.

Approximate position, fort Denison, lat. 33° 51½′ S., long. 151° 13½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Jackson, No. 1069; Woolloomooloo, &c., No 1890: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, Nos. 1364a, 1365, 1365a; Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897, pages 824, 829; vol. II, 1898, pages 59, 62, 63.

INDIA, WEST—Bombay coast.

Bankot buoys relaid.

No. 459 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 269, dated the 3rd August last, issued by this office, the Bombay Government has given further notice (No. 121 of 1906) that the Bankot buoys have been relaid on the 5th November 1906.

The 10th December 1906.

ARABIA, NORTH-EAST—Persian Gulf.

Shoal outside Koweit Harbour.

No. 460 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 361, dated 21st September 1906, issued by this office, the following further notice issued by the Bombay Government (No. 122 of 1906) is republished:—

On examination of the soundings to the southward of Ras al Arz two shoal patches are situated as follows—

'Kola' Patch with a least depth of 7 feet rocky bottom bearing from Ras al Arz Beacon S. 3° E., distant 3·6 miles, and from N. E. corner of Sirra Hill Fort N. 82 3/4° E., distant 3·5 miles.

Another Patch with a least depth of 2 fathoms hard sandy bottom bearing from Ras al Arz Beacon S. 0 3/4° W., distant 2·0 miles, and from N. E. corner of Sirra Hill Fort N. 57 3/4° E, distant 3·8 miles.

The bearings are true.

These shoals are close to the coast, and the neighbourhood should be avoided. No buoy was seen on the Kola Patch as reported.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Persian Gulf, Western Sheet, No. 2837B., Koweit Harbour, No. 22; and Persian Gulf Pilot, 4th edition, pages 155 and 160.

CEYLON—Trincomali Harbour.

Back bay—Shoal.

No. 461 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1249 of 1906) of the existence of a rock with a depth of 3½ fathoms over it in Back bay, Trincomali approach, situated in a position from which Elizabeth point bears S. 55° W., distant 1¼ miles, and Flagstaff point S. 1° E. This danger, named Flat rock, about 30 feet in diameter, has a depth of 5 fathoms close around, outside which the water deepens suddenly to 10 fathoms.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 38¾′ N., long. 81° 14½′ E.

(*Variation Nil in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Ceylon, No. 2031; Trincomali, No. 815: Also Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 117.

CHINA SEA—Natuna islands.

Midai (Low) island and Elphinstone rock—Dangers between.

No. 462 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1250 of 1906) that a line of dangers, more or less connected together, extends for a distance of about 11 miles to the northward of Low island, which is now known as Midai island. The eastern limit of these dangers is fairly well defined by a line joining the east point of Midai island to Elphinstone or Postillon rocks.

The 3-fathom shoal given in the above notice is detached from this line of dangers.

Approximate position, north point of Midai island, lat. 3° 1′ N., long. 107° 48′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—China sea, No. 2660a; Natuna islands, No. 1848: Also China Sea Directory, vol. II, 1906, page 92.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Lombok strait.

Ampenan light—Character altered.

No. 463 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 385, dated 12th October 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1255 of 1906) that the character of Ampenan light has been altered from a white fixed to a *white group occulting* light *every thirty seconds*, thus:—light, *three seconds;* eclipse, *three seconds;* light, *twelve seconds;* eclipse, *twelve seconds;* the new light being of the 4th order.

Approximate position, lat. 8° 34¼′ S., long. 116° 4′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Eastern Archipelago, No. 941b; island of Java, No. 1654; Ampenan road on chart No. 895: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 512; and Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 201.

INDIAN OCEAN.

Seychelles—Mauritius—And Chagos Archipelago—Standard time adopted.

No. 464 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1264 of 1906) that on 1st January 1907, the standard time of the 60th meridian of East longitude, or 4 hrs. fast on Greenwich Mean time, will be adopted in the Seychelles and Mauritius, and that of 75th meridian of East longitude, or 5hrs. fast on Greenwich Mean Time, in the Chagos Archipelago.

The time-ball at port Louis, Mauritius, will in consequence be dropped at $1^h\ 0^m\ 0^s$ P.M. Standard Time or $0^h\ 50^m\ 12{\cdot}4^s$ P.M. Local Mean Time, corresponding to $21^h\ 0^m\ 0^s$ Greenwich Mean Time, instead of $1^h\ 0^m\ 0^s$ Local Mean Time as at present.

Approximate position, port Louis signal station, lat 20° 10′ 5″ S., long. 57° 29′ 0″ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Port Louis, No. 713: Also List of Time Signals, 1904, No. 48; and Islands in the Southern Indian Ocean, 1904, pages 24, 309, 363, 343.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—SPENCER GULF.

Tipara light-house—A Gong to be sounded during the prevalence of Fog or Mist.

No. 465 (third publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 21 of 1906) that during the prevalence of Fog or Mist a Gong will be sounded at the above-mentioned light-house for a period of thirty seconds in duration and at intervals of five minutes.

The sound will be audible in ordinary weather for a distance of three miles.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 2389B.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—GULF OF ST. VINCENT.

Port Adelaide, outer harbour—Black buoy removed—No. 1G Beacon light temporarily exhibited.

No. 466 (third publication).—The President, Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given notice (No. 22 of 1906) informing Masters of Vessels, Pilots and others that, owing to the progress of deepening operations at the North Bank, Port Adelaide River, the Black Buoy thereon has been removed and its position is now occupied by the dredger.

No. 1G Beacon Light will be temporarily exhibited from the Reflecting Beacon until it can be shown from the position it is to occupy permanently, as to which a further notice will be issued.

This affects Admiralty Charts 2389A and B, 1750, and 1752.

The 30th November 1906.

AUSTRALIA—SANDY STRAIT.

Woody island—Alteration in marks.

No. 467 (third publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 6 of 1906) that, on and after the 7th proximo, the red buoy on the Long Middle Bank off Woody Island will be shifted two (2) cables' length to the northward, and the red sector of Woody Island lower light altered to cut outside the buoy on a bearing of S. 46° W. The course from the Nun buoy will now be E. $\frac{5}{8}$ S. instead of E. $\frac{3}{4}$ S., as shown on Admiralty Chart.

Chart affected—No. 3110; Australia Directory, vol. 2.

The 3rd December 1906.

ST. L. S. WARDEN, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

REGISTERED No. C209.] No. 51 of 1906.



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DONATIONS AND ENDOWMENTS MADE BY PRIVATE INDIVIDUALS FOR PUBLIC PURPOSES DURING THE YEAR 1905.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT—LOCAL SELF-GOVT.

Calcutta, the 15th December 1906.

RESOLUTION No. 2849M.

THE Lieutenant-Governor has much pleasure in publishing for general information the customary statement showing the donations made by private individuals for public purposes during the year 1905. The sums contributed are shown against the names of the donors, and His Honour avails himself of this opportunity to express his appreciation of the liberality and public spirit which they have displayed.

2. The following gifts received during the year deserve special mention. A munificent donation of Rs. 1,00,000 for famine-relief in Bengal was made by the late Babu Jay Gobinda Laha, C.I.E., of Calcutta. Raja Narendra Lal Khan

of Narajole contributed Rs. 35,000 towards the creation of an endowment fund for the maintenance of the "Raja Mohendra Lall Khan's Zenana Hospital" in the town of Midnapore; and Babu Harakh Chand Nahatta gave Rs. 11,500 for a High English School building at Kishenganj in the district of Purnea. Babu Nanda Lal Gossain and his brothers jointly contributed Rs. 11,000 for the construction and maintenance of an out-door dispensary attached to the Serampore Hospital in the Hooghly district, which has been named after their deceased mother, Gobinda Sundari Debi; small contributions aggregating Rs. 7,000 for the dispensary building were also collected from other subscribers in the locality.

3. The Lieutenant-Governor is also pleased to notice the following instances of liberality:—

Babu Ram Chandra Thirani made a gift of Rs. 9,000 for a hospital building at Kishenganj. Maharaja Manindra Chandra Nandi of Cossimbazar spent Rs. 8,000 on the construction of an embankment extending from Mohota Bazar to Katiakeria at Saktipur in the Kandi subdivision of the Murshidabad district. A sum of Rs. 7,000 was contributed by Rai Sitab Chand Nahar Bahadur for the Azimganj Protective Works on the river bank. Raja Jogendra Narain Ray of Lalgola gave Rs. 6,000 for an operation ward in the Berhampore Hospital to be named after his late wife, Rani Manindra Mohini Debi. The Burdwan Vidyasagar Datavya Samiti contributed Rs. 6,000 for the creation of a Trust Fund to relieve the distressed in that town. The late Babu Bolye Chand Datta made a gift of Rs. 5,000 for the creation of a monthly scholarship to be called the "Dutt Scholarship" tenable for one year by the student who may secure the highest number of marks in literature at the Calcutta University Entrance Examination. Babu Rajaram, a banker of Patna, gave Rs. 5,000 for the provision of accommodation for witnesses and others attending the Civil Courts in that station.

Other donations are mentioned in detail in the statement; and while space prevents him from reviewing them individually, the Lieutenant-Governor desires to express no less his appreciation of the liberality displayed by the donors.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution and of the statement be forwarded to the Revenue Political, Appointment, Judicial, General, Financial, Legislative, Marine and Public Works Departments of this Government, for information.

Ordered—Also that a copy of the Resolution and of the statement be forwarded to the Board of Revenue, the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, the Sanitary Commissioner and the Sanitary Board, and to all Commissioners of Divisions, for information.

Ordered—Also that the Resolution and the statement be published in the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette*, and also in the Government Vernacular Gazettes, for general information.

H. J. McINTOSH,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

Annual Statement of Works of Public Utility constructed by Private Individuals and of donations made during the year 1903.

Division.	District.	Name of donor.	Purpose.	Amount.	Total of the district.	Total of the Division.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Burdwan	Burdwan ...	Burdwan Vidyasagar Datavya Samiti.	Creation of Trust Fund for relieving the distressed in the town of Burdwan.	6,000 0 0	...	
		Works costing less than Rs. 1,000.	.....	3,992 0 0	9,992 0 0	
	Birbhum ...	Raja Ram Ranjan Chakravarti Bahadur of Hetampore.	Re-excavation of a tank at Dwarka, police-station Labpur.	1,200 0 0	...	
		Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.	.....	8,520 0 0	9,720 0 0	
	Bankura ...	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	
	Midnapore ...	Raja Narendra Lal Khan of Narajole.	Creation of an endowment fund for the maintenance of the "Raja Mohendra Lall Khan's (of Narajole) Zenana Hospital" established at Midnapore in the year 1899 within the compound of the Pearce Hospital.	35,000 0 0	...	
		Babu Babu Lal Singh	Excavation of a tank at village Pendua, outpost Ramjibanpore, police-station Chandrakona.	2,000 0 0	...	
		Local public of Midnapore.	Construction of buildings for the accommodation of witnesses and others attending the Civil Courts in Midnapore.	1,500 0 0	...	
		Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.	.....	1,650 0 0	40,150 0 0	
	Hooghly ...	Babus Nanda Lal Gosain, Kisori Lal Gosain, Rajendra Lal Gosain, and Radhika Lal Gosain, of Serampore.	Construction and maintenance of an Outdoor Dispensary attached to the Serampore Hospital.	11,000 0 0	...	
		Donations collected from the Serampore public.	Construction of the above dispensary.	7,394 0 0		
		Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.	.....	425 0 0	18,819 0 0	
	Howrah ...	Late Rai Kali Prasanna Ray Bahadur.	Construction of a road from the Andul Railway Station to the Mohiary Kundu Road.	8,000 0 0	...	
		Works costing less (than Rs. 1,000 each	.....	250 0 0	8,250 0 0	

Division	District.	Name of donor.	Purpose.	Amount.	Total of the district.	Total of the Division.
1	2	2	4	5	6	7
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	Calcutta ...	The late Babu Jay Gobinda Laha, C.I.E.	Relief of famine-stricken people in Bengal.	1,00,000 0 0	...	
		The late Babu Bolye Chand Datta.	Award of a monthly scholarship to be called the "Dutt Scholarship" for one year to the student who stands first in Literature in the Entrance Examination of the Calcutta University.	5,068 13 2	...	
		Babu Gobindram Singharia of the firm of Chandra Jahar Mill, Calcutta.	Donation to the Bengal Veterinary College Extension Fund.	1,000 0 0	...	
		Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.	.....	200 0 0	1,06,269 0 0	1,06,269 0 0

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

Annual Statement of Works of Public Utility constructed by Private Individuals during the year 1905.

District.	Name of donor.	Purpose.	Amount.	Total of the district.	Total of the Division.
	3				
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
24-Parganas ...	Surgeon-Colonel Kali Pado Gupta, I.M.S., retired.	Tank at Halisahar	2,311 0 0		
	Babu Kedar Nath Mukerjee of Rahara.	Ditto at Rahara	1,500 0 0		
	Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.		710 0	4,521 0 0	
Nadia	Babu Bijay Gopal Mukharji of Bogula.	Excavation of a tank at Bogula.	2,900 0 0		
	Babu Shyama Charan Biswas of Gopalnagar.	Ditto at Gopalnagar.	2,500 0 0		
	Srimati Kailas Kamini Devya of Dakhinpara	Ditto at Dakhinpara.	2,200 0 0		
	Babu Hem Chandra Chattarji of Gopalpur.	Ditto at Gopalpur.	1,400 0 0		
	Babu Kartik Chandra Biswas of Kaliabakri	Ditto at Kaliabakri.	1,200 0 0		
	Ilahi Bakhsh Biswas Ichapur.	Ditto at Ichapur.	1,000 0 0		
	Jadu Nath Pramanik of Simulia Charpara	Ditto at Simulia Charpara.	1,000 0 0		
	Babu Jogendra Nath Haldar of Santipur.	Re-excavation of Rajaram tank at Santipur Pakurpara in ward No. I.	1,000 0 0		
	Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.		15,960 0 0	29,160 0 0	
Murshidabad ...	Hon'ble Asif Kadr Saiyid Wasir Ali Mirza of Murshidabad.	Annual contribution towards the funds of the Murshidabad Charitable Dispensary.	1,000 0 0		
	Maharaja Manindra Chandra Nandi of Cossimbazar.	Embankment from Mohota Bazar to Katiakeria about 2½ miles in length at Saktipur in the Kandi Subdivision.	8,000 0 0		
	Raja Jogendra Narain Ray.	An operation ward in the Berhampore Charitable Dispensary to be named after his late wife "Rani Manindra Mohini Debi."	6,000 0 0		

[1] The work has not yet been finished.

Division	District.	Name of donor.	Purpose.	Amount.	Total of the district.	Total of the Division.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Presidency—*concluded.*	Murshidabad—*concld.*	Rai Sitab Chand Nahar Bahadur.	Azimganj Protective works on the river bank.	7,000 0 0		
		Rai Pudh Singh Dudhuria Bahadur.	Ditto ditto ...	1,000 0 0		
		Babu Dhanapat Singh Nowlakha.	Ditto ditto ...	1,500 0 0		
		Babu Dulchand Singh of Azimgunj	Ditto ditto ...	1,250 0 0		
		Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.	.....	2,362 0 0	28,112 0 0	
	Jessore ...	Babu Narendra Bhushan Ray, Zamindar of Narail.	Contribution towards the funds for the improvement of water-supply of the Khulna Municipality.	2,000 0 0	...	
		Babu Dwaraka Nath Sen.	Construction of a road from Kapalia to Panchallam.	2,000 0 0		
		Babu Banwari Charan Munshi.	Excavation of a tank at Chowgachi.	1,500 0 0		
		Babu Srinath Shaha	Ditto at Sailkupa.	1,015 0 0		
		Babu Rakhal Chandra Ray.	Ditto at Batkidanga.	1,000 0 0		
		Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.	.....	10,850 0 0	18,365 0 0	
	Khulna ...	Babu Basanta Kumar Chakrabatti of Basabati.	Excavation of a tank at Khoudkerber.	2,989 0 0		
		Works costing less than Rs 1,000 each.	.....	1,800 0 0	4,789 0 0	84,947 0 0

* Excavated under the Government and District Board Contribution system.

PATNA DIVISION.

Annual Statement of Works of Public Utility constructed by Private Individuals during the year 1905.

Division.	District.	Name of donor.	Purpose.	Amount.	Total of the district.	Total of the Division.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Patna.	Patna ...	Babu Rajaram Banker, Patna.	Construction of buildings for the accommodation of witnesses and others attending the Civil Courts at Patna.	5,000 0 0		
		Raghubansha Sahay *alias* Lal Babu.	Dharmasala at Hilsa	2,000 0 0		
		Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.	.....	1,825 0 0	8,825 0 0	
	Gaya ...	Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.	.....	1,410 0 0	1,410 0 0	
	Shahabad ...	Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each	.....	13,725 0 0	13,725 0 0	
	Saran ...	Srikant Prasad of Chainpore.	Tank at Moosehri ...	2,000 0 0		
		Arjun Das ...	Ditto Mathia Khanpore.	1,000 0 0		
		Hathwa Raj ...	Repairs to bund, Chandulha.	1,359 0 0		
		Ditto ...	Re-excavating khaur, Sawnrazi.	1,241 0 0		
		Ditto ...	Deepening Ahar and making bund, Angra.	1,082 0 0		
		Srikant Prasad ...	Tank at Jaian Doomri	1,500 0 0		
		Lachooman Shah ...	Ditto Bhikhpore ...	1,500 0 0		
		Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.	.....	49,754 0 0	59,436 0 0	
	Champaran ...	Rameswar Nath Mahanth.	Pond, Lahiar ...	1,000 0 0		
		Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.	.....	11,486 13 4	12,486 13 4	
	Muzaffarpur ...	Mussamat Mohadri Telin.	Pond at Kairiahi ...	1,200 0 0		
		Murad Ali ...	Ditto Mehnar ...	1,200 0 0		
		Manoger Nonia ...	Ditto Gukhula ...	1,000 0 0		
		Manoo Das ...	Ditto Bherriahia ...	1,000 0 0		
		Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.	.....	10,937 0 0	15,337 0 0	

Division.	District.	Name of donor.	Purpose.	Amount.	Total of the district.	Total of the Division.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Patna—*concluded.*	Darbhanga ...	Jugal Prasad ...	Tank at Kabirchak ...	2,000 0 0		
		Bhikan Teli ...	Ditto Karauni ...	2,000 0 0		
		Ram Lal Jha ...	Ditto Sijlia ...	1,500 0 0		
		Bhaia Lal Amat ...	Ditto Persahi ...	1,200 0 0		
		Shaikh Zabardust ...	Ditto Bagha ...	1,000 0 0		
		Bhuta Kori ...	Ditto Lakhnaur ...	1,000 0 0		
		Hia Goala ...	Ditto Dhabi ...	1,000 0 0		
		Biweswar Singh ...	Ditto. Newar ...	1,000 0 0		
		Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.	.....	11,177 0 0		
					21,877 0 0	
						1,33,097 0 0

BHAGALPUR DIVISION.

Annual Statement of Works of Public Utility constructed by Private Individuals during the year 1905.

District.	Name of donor.	Purpose.	Amount.	Total of the district.	Total of the Division.
2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Monghyr ...	Babu Harihar Singh	Excavation of a tank at Tewas, Barbigha police-station.	2,000 0 0		
	Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.	.....	27,085 0 0	29,085 0 0	
Bhagalpur ...	Ditto ditto ...	.....	3,100 0 0	3,100 0 0	
Purnea ...	Babu Ram Chandra Thirani.	Construction of a new hospital building at Kishanganj.	9,000 0 0		
	Babu Kunja Lal ...	Construction of a Girls' school building at Kishanganj.	4,500 0 0		
	Babu Harakh Chand Nahatta.	Construction of a H. E. school building at Kishanganj.	11,500 0 0		
	Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.	.....	2,150 0 0	27,150 0 0	
Santhal Parganas.	Mr. Maling Grant ...	Construction of a bridge at Asanboni road in Dumka Subdivision.	1,000 0 0		
	Sankara Estate ...	Ditto ditto ...	1,000 0 0		
	Babu Ram Prasad Bhagat.	Construction of a well at Harindanga Bazar in Pakour Subdivision.	1,500 0 0		
	Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.	.....	3,533 2 0	7,033 2 0	

Division.	District.	Name of donor.	Purpose.	Amount.	Total of the district.
1	2	3	4		
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
led.	Darjeeling ...	Messrs. Lalmohon Shaha Sankhanidhi & Co, Dacca.	Construction of a hospital building at Sadar Subdivision.	2,159 0 0	
		Dama Bhutiani	Construction of a Dharamsala at Jore Bungalow, Ghoom.	1,071 10 0	
Bn.		Jangbir Sirdar	*Pucca* masonry trough on Cart-road near Ghoom Railway Station.	2,000 0 0	
		Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.		1,791 6 0	
					7,022 0 0

ORISSA DIVISION.

Annual Statement of Works of Public Utility constructed by Private Individuals during the year 1905.

Division.	District.	Name of donor.	Purpose.	Amount.	Total of the district.	Total of the Division.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Orissa.	Cuttack ...	Works costing less than Rs. 1,000.	.....	2,464 0 0	2,464 0 0	
	Balasore ...	Ditto ditto ...	.....	4,002 0 0	4,002 0 0	
	Puri ...	Ditto ditto ...	.....	2,219 0 0	2,219 0 0	
	Sambalpur ...	Kurti Padhan, son of Sadhu Padhan Kulta.	Bund at Nilaipali hamlet of Labanda.	2,000 0 0		
		Uchhbo Goantia, son of Manbodh Kulha.	Ditto Bhoipura ...	1,500 0 0		
		Works costing less than Rs. 1,000.	.....	8,440 0 0	11,940 0 0	
						20,625 0 0

CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.

Annual Statement of Works of Public Utility constructed by Private Individuals during the year 1905.

Division.	District.	Name of donor.	Purpose.	Amount.	Total of the district.	Total of the Division.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Chota Nagpur.	Hazaribagh ...	Works costing less than Rs. 1,000 each.	.....	575 0 0	575 0 0	
	Ranchi ...	Ditto ditto ...	.....	270 0 0	270 0 0	
	Palamau ...	Ditto ditto ...	.....	300 0 0	300 0 0	
	Manbhum ...	Ditto ditto ...	.....	2,988 0 0	2,988 0 0	
	Singhbhum ...	Babu Satrughan Dhal Deo, Dhabal Deb.	Establishment of an outdoor dispensary at Ghatsila within the donor's estate as a memorial to Her Majesty the late Queen-Empress Victoria. The donor has undertaken to maintain the dispensary for 5 years, at an annual cost not exceeding Rs 600.	1,600 0 0		
		Raja Narpat Singh Deb of Porahat and zamindar of Anandpur, Bandgawan, Chainpur.	Construction of Dispensary building at Chakradharpur.	1,280 0 0		
		Thakur Lachmi Narayan Singh Deo of Kera, and Babus Gadadhar Singh, Jagannath Singh and Chandra Bhanu Singh of Kera.			2,880 0 0	7,013 0 0
			Grand Total ...	...	...	5,07,272 0 0

FINAL FORECAST OF THE BHADOI CROP OF BENGAL, 1906.

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The 17th December 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

FINAL FORECAST OF THE BHADOI CROPS OF BENGAL, 1906.

(On an average of the five years ending 1904-05, the area under autumn rice in the territory to which this forecast relates has represented some 6·4 per cent. of the total area under this crop in British India.)

Character of the season.—The month of April was dry, and so was the first portion of May. Sowings in consequence were delayed in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions, where the sowing season commences earlier than in other parts of the Province. In June, the rainfall was again generally deficient. In July and August, rain was general, but it was not equally distributed. In September, it was deficient in most districts, the only exceptions being Nadia, Jessore, Gaya, Balasore and Singhbhum where it was in slight excess. In Bihar, the crops were seriously damaged by floods. Midnapore, Hooghly, Nadia, Murshidabad and Jessore also suffered from floods. Insect pests injured the crops to some extent in Khulna and the 24-Parganas. On the whole, the season has been unfavourable for the *bhadoi* crops.

Area sown.—The total area sown this year with the various *bhadoi* crops of the Province, exclusive of cotton, jute, and *bhadoi til*, for which separate forecasts are prepared, amounts to 8,869,800 acres against 9,054,800 acres of last year, and a normal area of 9,731,200 acres. Since the publication of the preliminary report, this year's areas have been revised in the 24-Parganas, Murshidabad, Champaran, Darbhanga and the Sonthal Parganas.

Outturn.—Only three districts, namely, Gaya, Ranchi and Manbhum now return a normal crop. Five districts show crops from 90 to 99 per cent.; three from 80 to 89 per cent.; 9 from 70 to 79, and 5 from 60 to 69 per cent.; Nadia, Champaran and Purnea return 51 to 59 per cent. crops, while Murshidabad Saran, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga and Monghyr return crops under 50 per cent. After the issue of the last forecast, prospects have become better in 7 districts and worse in 14 districts.

According to the estimates received in this office, the average outturn of the different *bhadoi* crops dealt with in this report works out to 68 per cent. of a normal crop, or in round numbers 70 percent. From what I have seen of the *bhadoi* crops in the Province when on tour, I think this is most probably an under estimate. The outturn last year was estimated at 72 per cent. Accepting a 70 per cent. crop for *bhadoi* paddy also, the outturn of cleaned autumn rice may be estimated at 22,160,600 cwts., against 27,013,000 cwts. of last year.

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The 7th December 1906.

APPENDIX 1.

Final forecast of the Bhadoi Crops of Bengal, 1906.

District.	Total area of district in acres.	Total area of district estimated to be under cultivation in acres.	Names of *bhadoi* crops.	Approximate normal area under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Approximate area last year (1905) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Estimated area this year (1906) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1905)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1906)?	Figures from the Cadastral Survey.			Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under each specified *bhadoi* crop during the cadastral survey.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
									Acres.		Acres.		
Burdwan ...	1,721,984	1,284,800	*Autumn* rice	173,700	142,100	136,900	88	59	51,370	1889 to 1893 and 1903-1906.	Not ascertainable.	Want of seasonable rainfall at the beginning of the season and high winds with rain which recently prevailed in this district account for the poor outturn.	
			Indian-corn (maize)	3,000	3,000	3,000	86	100	...	...	...		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	8,100	6,700	6,700	73	85	...	...	...		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	2,800	2,300	2,200	66	60	...	...	...		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	10,100	13,500	7,400	68	57	...	...	...		
			Total ...	197,700	167,600	156,200	85	61	51,370	...	...		

District.	Total area of district in acres.	Total area of district estimated to be under cultivation in acres.	Names of *bhadoi* crops.	Approximate normal area under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Approximate area last year (1906) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Estimated area this year (1906) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1906)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1906)?	Figures from the Cadastral Survey.			Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under each specified *bhadoi* crop during the cadastral survey.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
									Acres.		Acres.		
Birbhum ...	1,121,280	736,700	*Autumn* rice	144,100	144,100	144,100	100	75	37,749	1889 to 1891.			
			Indian-corn (maize)	1,900	1,900	1,900	100	75					
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	1,400	1,400	1,400	100	75					
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	2,800	2,800	2,800	100	75					
			Total ...	150,200	150,200	150,200	100	75	37,749	...	...		
Bankura ...	1,677,440	668,800	*Autumn* rice	21,200	14,500	14,500	80	75	15,210	1889 to 1892, 1894 to 1900.	Not known.	As the rains set in late, the general condition of the crops is not good.	
			Bajra	800	600	700	75	75					
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*	1,100	800	850	75	75					
			Indian-corn (maize)	2,800	2,200	2,200	75	75					
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	8,400	7,500	7,500	75	75					
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	700	2,500	2,600	75	75					
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	1,300	1,000	1,200	75	75					
			Total ...	37,700	30,100	30,500	77	75	15,210	...	...		

Midnapore ...	3,319,010	2,150,600	*Autumn* rice	106,600	101,100	100,500	72	61	35,342	1893 to 1896.	16,293	The outturn has been low partly owing to floods and partly to want of timely rainfall.	
			Kóra	6,100	5,800	5,500	40	40					
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*	2,000	1,900	1,900	50	50					
			Indian-corn (maize)	21,200	20,600	20,600	50	50					
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	48,650	47,300	46,500	65	51					
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	3,020	2,400	20,800	70	67					
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	54,200	51,900	51,900	97	86					
			Total ...	261,800	248,700	247,400	71	63	35,342	...	16,293		
Hooghly ...	761,216	333,600	*Autumn* rice	33,000	36,000	37,500	88	91	...	...	...	The decrease is due to the crops being damaged by floods on the *char* lands.	
			Indian corn	40	...	40	...	90					
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	1,560	600	600	50	80					
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	3,000	2,500	2,500	83	80					
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	10,000	4,000	4,000	80	80					
			Total ...	46,500	43,600	44,560	87	80	...	...	...		
Howrah ...	326,400	233,900	*Autumn* rice	18,580	17,000	17,100	40	92	...	...	...	The weather was generally favourable and the condition of the crops is good.	
			Indian-corn (maize)	100	100	100	100	75					
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	1,300	1,300	1,300	33	98					
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	2,700	2,700	2,700	54	96					
			Total ...	22,500	21,100	21,500	42	93	...	...	...		

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									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under each specified *bhadoi* crop during the cadastral survey.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
24-Parganas ...	3,100,160	1,079,700	*Autumn* rice	74,600	62,500	50,100	87	77	...	...	...	The figures in column 7 have been further revised after the submission of the preliminary forecast. The slight decrease in the estimated areas under the different *bhadoi* crops is attributed to the fact of more lands having been cultivated with jute. The weather was on the whole unfavourable this year. The recent rains have, however, done some good to the crops and a better outturn is now expected than that shewn in the preliminary forecast.	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	4,100	3,100	1,700	90	87					
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	7,000	6,400	4,800	91	93					
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	1,800	100	1,800	75	98					
			Total ...	87,500	72,100	58,400	87	79	...	...	...		
Nadia ...	1,787,520	1,043,800	*Autumn* rice	328,900	403,900	444,000	80	60					
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	300	...	...	...	...					
			Indian-corn (maize)	900	100	600	62	50	Not cadastrally surveyed ...			The decrease in the outturn is due to floods.	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	11,700	4,800	4,200	68	50					
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	17,700	6,900	8,400	65	50					
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	25,000	24,000	18,500	70	60					
			Total ...	384,400	439,700	475,700	79	59	...	...	...		

Murshidabad	1,871,529	965,500	*Aus* or autumn rice	229,700	250,400	164,700	74	40	Not cadastrally surveyed			Weather and general conditions have been favourable, but high floods injuriously affected the crops this year; hence the decrease in the outturn. The decrease in the area sown is due to the fact that jute being much more profitable than paddy, a very large portion of autumn paddy lands was absorbed in the cultivation of jute. The decrease in the area in column 7 under other *bhadoi* nonfood crops is due to the revision of figures by the thana officers of the Sadar subdivision and also to floods.
			Bajra	500	...	400	...	64				
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*... ...	500	...	400	...	45				
			Indian-corn (maize)	200	400	300	75	70				
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	2,200	3,100	1,600	51	51				
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	8,600	3,700	4,100	73	50				
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	72,500	68,500	12,800	70	60				
			Total ...	314,300	326,100	184,300	73	42	...	...	...	
Cachar ...	1,872,000	1,191,000	*Aus* or autumn rice	371,900	362,500	356,800	87	70	...	...	...	The general condition of the crops was very favourable and the outturn would have been satisfactory but for the damage caused by the sudden increase of water in the rivers in Magura, Jhenidah, and Narail subdivisions, caused by heavy rains.
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	13,600	13,000	9,000	77	52	...	...	...	
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	28,300	26,000	19,000	81	70	...	...	...	
			Other *bhadoi* non-food crops ...	9,200	9,000	9,100	95	74	...	...		
			Total ...	428,000	410,500	393,900	86	70	...	...	...	

District.	Total area of district in acres.	Total area of district estimated to be under cultivation in acres.	Names of *bhadoi* crops.	Approximate normal area under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Approximate area last year (1906) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Estimated area this year (1906) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1906)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1906)?	Figures from the Calendar Survey.			Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
									Total area of the district which has been calendarally surveyed.	Years during which the calendar survey took place.	Area found under each specified *bhadoi* crop during the calendar survey.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Khulna ...	3,049,543	870,000	*Aus* rice	45,800	62,800	43,100	73	73	25,613	1893 to 1905.	50	As reported in the preliminary forecast, *aus* paddy was damaged to some extent by insects. Want of sufficient rain in time also affected the outturn. The prospects of paddy have, however, improved a little since then.	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	1,000	3,300	1,000	100	80			5		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	4,700	3,300	4,300	52	75			2		
			Total ...	51,500	69,200	48,900	73	73	25,613	...	57		

Patna ...	1,239,000	1,092,100	*Autumn* rice	14,200	11,500	11,500	79	85			7,243	As reported in the preliminary forecast, the rainfall was irregular—sometimes there was continuous and excessive rain and sometimes a cessation of rain for many days and this affected the yield. In the Dinapore subdivision and in parts of the Barh subdivision, the crops were damaged by floods.
			Jowar	15,500	13,500	12,500	48	65			163		
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	67,800	63,500	63,500	52	75			341		
			Indian-corn (maize)	114,000	113,800	113,200	40	55			5,189		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	17,400	16,100	16,600	45	60	73,164	1900-01	15,771		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	8,800	7,600	7,600	83	80			141		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	5,800	5,500	5,500	72	80			794		
			Total ...	239,500	231,300	228,400	48	64	73,164	...	29,642		
ra ...	2,015,680	2,207,500	*Autumn* rice	20,000	7,200	8,800	93	100			...	The weather was generally favourable.	
			Jowar	19,600	14,100	16,400	55	100			1,371		
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	77,200	69,900	66,200	60	100		1893 to	7,437		
			Indian-corn (maize)	63,500	57,200	59,000	50	100		1895	8,609		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	30,200	23,400	24,500	70	100	514,592	to 1900-1902.	94,140		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	3,500	2,900	3,100	70	100			419		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	1,400	900	1,000	70	100			128		
			Total ...	215,400	168,600	179,600	59	100	514,592	...	110,786		
shahad ...	2,798,720	1,841,269	*Autumn* rice	57,500	48,700	47,500	70	80	...	...	...	Floods in the Sadar and Buxar subdivisions and unfavourable rainfall elsewhere have reduced the outturn.	
			Jowar	8,200	7,500	7,500	50	80	...	...	...		
			Bajra	4,200	3,900	3,700	50	70	...	...	...		
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	48,600	35,600	31,500	60	65	...	...	...		
			Indian-corn (maize)	51,200	39,500	47,700	50	65	...	...	...		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	17,500	13,200	13,900	55	65	...	...	...		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	16,500	10,900	10,800	60	65	...	...	..		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	20,700	14,400	14,300	55	69	...	...	...		
			Total ...	224,400	173,700	176,900	59	68	...	...	...		

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									Total area of the district which has cadastrally been surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under each specified *bhadoi* crop during the cadastral survey.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Saran	1,711,360	1,337,600	*Aghani* rice	68,400	54,700	54,000	62	70	1,633,435	1898 to 1901	66,324	Too much rain in August in general, and heavy floods in riparian places considerably damaged all *bhadoi* crops except *bhadoi* paddy which was also affected by want of rain at the time of its coming into ear.	
			Jowar	5,500	5,000	5,000	60	50			...		
			Bajra	2,800	2,000	2,000	60	50			...		
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	40,000	25,000	26,000	52	60			40,306		
			Indian-corn (maize)	214,300	214,300	214,300	95	60			213,240		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	45,000	40,000	40,000	43	50			...		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	21,300	21,300	21,000	45	50			...		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	18,200	20,000	20,000	60	90			...		
			Total ...	414,100	382,300	382,300	59	45	1,633,435	...	319,870		
Champaran ...	2,259,840	1,447,600	*Aghani* rice	233,000	234,000	234,200	96	70	2,079,915	1898 to 1899	256,671	The figures in column 7 have been revised by the Subdivisional Officer of Bettiah; hence the difference in the figures now given as compared with those of the preliminary forecast.	
			Jowar	6,000	5,800	5,800	90	80			...		
			Bajra	4,000	4,000	4,000	90	38			...		
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	18,000	16,800	16,800	80	47			17,365		
			Indian-corn (maize)	120,000	120,000	121,000	60	27			117,868		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	135,000	51,500	50	90	35			...		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	1,000	1,000	1,000	90	57			...		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	1,000	1,000	1,000	100	67			...		
			Total ...	508,000	517,600	435,300	83	53	2,079,915	...	391,924		

Muzaffarpur	1,912,687	1,827,000	*Autumn* rice	109,200	109,200	109,200	60	35	1,942,400	1893-33 to 1898-99	109,200	The decrease in the outturn this year is due to excessive rain and floods in the beginning of the season and to a cessation of rain at the end.
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	82,400	82,400	82,400	50	35			82,400		
			Indian-corn (maize)	163,800	163,800	163,800	40	23			163,800		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	132,600	128,600	128,600	51	35			128,600		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	8,300	8,300	8,300	47	37			8,300		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	15,200	15,200	15,200	45	57			15,200		
			Total ...	507,500	507,500	507,500	49	28	1,942,400	...	507,500		
Darbhanga ...	2,142,690	1,678,000	*Autumn* rice	80,800	42,300	65,400	45				80,800	Heavy floods damaged the crops to a considerable extent. The calculations are being carefully revised in view of the present famine.	
			Jowar	10,700	15,800	4,700	59				10,700		
			Bajra	500	200	200	26				500		
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	221,200	171,000	190,200	42			1896	221,200		
			Indian-corn (maize)	87,100	112,000	104,400	45	13	2,142,690	to	87,100		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	9,000	25,400	21,600	51			1902	9,000		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	...	1,100	1,600	53				...		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	800	11,300	11,600	40				500		
			Total ...	409,800	378,800	399,700	46	12	2,142,690	...	409,800		
Monghyr ...	2,510,000	1,882,800	*Autumn* rice	36,900	20,000	11,900	32	40			19,846		
			Jowar	41,200	14,000	6,500	40	47			...		
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	49,400	39,100	32,000	43	35			42,071		
			Indian-corn (maize)	247,500	212,000	225,200	45	21		1903	244,458	Prospects have not altered since the submission of the preliminary forecast.	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	20,000	14,300	14,400	46	34	985,552	to	268,319		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetable).	19,100	18,700	19,000	45	39		1904	...		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	14,000	29,000	22,300	40	34			1,677		
			Total ...	551,100	404,100	349,400	44	26	985,552	...	472,971		

District.	Total area of district in acres.	Total area of district estimated to be under cultivation in acres.	Names of *bhadoi* crops.	Approximate normal area under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Approximate area last year (1906) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Estimated area this year (1906) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn had year (1906)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1906)?	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY. Total area of district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY. Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY. Area found under each specified *bhadoi* crop during the cadastral survey.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Bhagalpur ...	2,704,640	2,072,660	*Aulsawa* rice	278,300	254,900	274,300	90	85	Acres.		Acres.	The decrease in the outturn is due to losses caused by floods.	
			Jowar	25,000	23,000	23,000	90	100			157,961		
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	135,000	130,900	135,000	96	100			126		
			Indian-corn (maize) ...	175,900	163,900	175,900	64	75			1,55,119		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	31,100	14,300	31,100	72	45	883,301	1903 to 1904	16,833		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	2,100	2,100	2,100	80	96			16,354		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	25,000	25,000	26,000	98	98			1,068		
			Total ...	654,100	603,300	680,100	76	78	883,301	...	309,165		
Purnea ...	3,196,118	1,694,940	*Aulsawa* rice	516,500	507,700	433,500	85	50				Heavy floods caused immense damage, and in some parts of the district the *bhadoi* crops have been entirely washed away. Hence the poor outturn.	
			Jowar	100	100	100	100	50					
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	4,400	4,300	4,000	100	53					
			Indian-corn (maize) ...	6,000	6,000	5,000	90	50					
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	4,300	4,300	3,000	88	85	...	...	...		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	23,000	23,000	26,000	98	75					
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	200	200	200	100	75					
			Total ...	539,400	551,500	477,700	96	51	...	...	...		

Darjeeling ...	744,960	169,540	*Aŭsans* rice	7,200	7,200	6,800	103	95	...	...	...	The general condition of the crops is not satisfactory owing to there being no rain in October.
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	5,200	5,200	5,200	124	75				
			Indian-corn (maize)	40,200	21,700	40,200	100	70	261,549	1887 and 1903.	3,808	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	2,200	600	2,200	132	75			37,775	
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	5,200	4,700	5,000	116	75			...	
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	2,200	...	2,200	...	65			...	
			Total ...	62,100	40,000	62,000	106	70	261,549	...	75,783	
Santhal Parganas.	3,500,800	1,545,300	*Aŭsans* rice	328,400	324,200	324,200	91	88			...	The weather has been favourable, and the general condition of the crops is good.
			Jowar	46,700	47,700	46,200	78	100			41,851	
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	19,700	20,700	20,900	63	100			24,795	
			Indian-corn (maize)	171,200	168,600	168,200	62	105			168,708	The areas under jowar and Indian corn this year have been revised by the subdivisional officer of Rajmahal.
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	115,200	114,400	114,500	66	100	3,272,069	1899 to 1903.	...	
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	6,400	6,400	6,400	77	80			...	
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	46,400	46,400	46,300	86	99			...	
			Total ...	743,200	728,300	732,700	78	96	3,272,069	...	230,,338	
Cuttack ...	2,338,500	1,222,800	*Aŭsans* rice	163,100	160,500	159,500	75	61			135,298	The low outturn is attributed to deficiency of rainfall at the time of sowing and growing and at the time when the crops came into ear.
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	15,100	14,200	16,100	70	67			...	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	3,300	2,900	2,800	74	67	2,088,437	1887 to 1895 & 1899 to 1901.	30,674	
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	3,000	5,500	5,800	70	74			...	
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	5,500	3,500	2,300	74	74			...	
			Total ...	195,000	192,600	196,500	74	63	2,088,437	...	165,972	
Balasore ...	1,394,208	922,240	*Aŭsans* rice	11,000	11,000	11,000	95	75			9,100	The weather has been fair. The general condition of the crops is good, but they suffered a little for want of timely rain.
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	2,300	1,800	1,800	96	95			1,800	
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	800	1,100	1,100	95	95	1,109,190	1891-92 to 1894-95.		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	1,000	3,200	3,200	85	85			1,000	
			Total ...	15,100	17,100	17,100	93	88	1,109,190	...	12,700	

District.	Total area of district in acres.	Total area of district estimated to be under cultivation in acres.	Names of *bhadoi* crops.	Approximate normal area under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Approximate area last year (1906) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Estimated area this year (1906) under each specified *bhadoi* crop in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1905)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1906)?	Figures from the Cadastral Survey. Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Figures from the Cadastral Survey. Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Figures from the Cadastral Survey. Area found under each specified *bhadoi* crop during the cadastral survey.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
									Acres.		Acres.		
Angul ...	1,01,5,840	252,400	*Autumn* rice ...	18,000	18,500	16,500	75	85			29,078	The weather has been favourable and prospects are good. The increase in the outturn, as compared with that of last year, is due to favourable rainfall.	
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	3,000	3,200	3,200	75	90			13,092		
			Indian-corn (maize) ...	5,000	8,000	8,000	75	100			...		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	8,300	13,500	13,500	70	100			...		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	1,000	1,100	1,100	70	100			3,044		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	1,000	1,000	1,000	70	100					
			Total ...	39,300	45,300	45,300	73	94					
Puri ...	1,599,360	750,520	*Autumn* rice ...	63,300	24,600	21,000	69	66	1,599,360	1888 to 1889.	29,078	The weather has been favourable and prospects are good. The increase in the outturn, as compared with that of last year, is due to favourable rainfall.	
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	24,500	19,500	16,100	83	76			13,092		
			Indian-corn (maize) ...	300	300	400	43	67			...		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	1,800	2,100	1,600	85	73			...		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	3,200	5,700	4,100	74	78			3,044		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	2,100	1,500	900	69	80					
			Total ...	97,000	54,000	44,100	65	73	1,599,360	...	46,389		
Sambalpur ...	2,447,360	883,000	*Autumn* rice	405,700	425,800	425,800	90	78			383,463	Autumn rice suffered much from insufficient rainfall at the time of *bihada* and growth which caused a loss of outturn. The other *bhadoi* crops are on the whole good.	
			Jowar	700	800	800	90	90			162		
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	600	400	700	90	90			278		
			Indian-corn (maize) ...	2,100	1,600	2,100	90	105	2,433,280	1884 to 1887 and 1891 to 1897.	734		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	138,300	134,800	145,300	85	100			111,140		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	3,000	1,200	1,500	100	100			6,094		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	4,300	4,700	7,000	100	105			304		
			Total ...	545,700	569,300	582,300	89	88	2,433,280	...	502,785		

Hazaribagh ...	4,493,440	1,703,000	*Autumn* rice	73,200	73,200	73,200	92	90	...	...	...	
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	118,900	118,900	118,900	82	100				
			Indian-corn (maize)	188,200	188,200	188,200	45	100				
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	130,800	130,800	130,800	78	100				
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	1,200	1,200	1,200	78	100				
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	75,100	75,100	75,100	100	100				
			Total ...	587,400	587,400	587,400	73	99	...	...	...	
Ranchi ...	4,561,920	1,500,000	*Autumn* rice	97,300	97,000	97,300	70	100	...	...	...	The weather has been favourable to the crops.
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	31,700	30,000	31,700	100	100	The District is being cadastrally surveyed.			
			Indian-corn (maize)	4,000	4,000	4,000	50	100				
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	61,700	50,000	61,700	80	100				
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	1,000	1,000	1,000	80	75				
			Total ...	195,700	182,300	195,700	77	100	...	...	...	
Palamau ...	3,144,960	627,800	*Autumn* rice	36,000	23,000	25,000	90	94	...	...	...	The general condition of the crops is somewhat below the average. The low outturn in the case of *marua*, maize and some other crops is due to heavy rainfall
			Jowar	600	.....	.....	...	...			157	
			Bajra	2,300	1,000	1,000	75	85			...	
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	19,700	18,000	18,300	85	75			1,660	
			Indian-corn (maize)	50,600	32,000	33,000	72	60	187,520	1896 to 1897.	4,821	
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	45,000	45,000	44,000	83	85			...	
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	4,400	2,000	2,400	90	80			...	
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	5,000	200	200	75	80			...	
			Total ...	157,000	121,200	123,900	82	79	187,520	...	6,638	
Manbhum ...	2,654,080	1,419,200	*Autumn* rice	174,300	54,100	119,300	100	87	...	...	...	I can offer no explanation of the variations in area. The season was a very favourable one for *bhadoi* crops, and I can conceive of no reason why full normal areas should not have been sown.
			Jowar	1,400	1,800	5,300	70	100				
			Bajra	6,100	8,400	5,300	74	100				
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi* ...	20,000	14,700	17,200	74	100				
			Indian-corn (maize)	30,800	53,100	57,800	59	100				
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	107,300	71,100	92,000	78	100				
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	22,300	12,000	15,900	95	100				
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	15,500	7,200	7,800	100	100				
			Total ...	458,300	222,200	320,700	80	100	...	...	...	

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									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under each specified *bhadoi* crop during the cadastral survey.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
										Acres.			
hbhum ...	2,490,240	840,700	*Autumn* rice	263,000	241,900	254,000	102	100			...	The weather has been seasonable and the general condition of the crops is good.	
			Jowar	13,300	10,300	9,000	85	90			12,543		
			Bajra	7,700	7,400	6,700	85	90					
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*	15,000	14,900	14,200	85	90			6,872		
			Indian-corn (maize)	31,000	36,500	31,000	88	90	1,761,984	1895 to 1897 and 1900 to 1902.	19,272		
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	40,000	38,900	38,000	95	90			26,154		
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	1,500	1,000	1,000	65	90			...		
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	1,500	1,100	1,400	88	90			...		
			Total ...	376,000	346,000	355,300	97	97	1,761,984	...	64,841		
al ...	74,163,479	39,115,100	*Autumn* rice	4,617,900	4,377,100	4,309,000	94	70					
			Jowar	190,500	157,900	143,700	69	85					
			Bajra	35,000	32,900	29,700	93	90					
			Mandua, *marua* or *ragi*	1,066,100	944,600	914,100	88	91					
			Indian-corn (maize)	1,969,500	1,755,900	1,803,900	91	97					
			Other *bhadoi* cereals and *bhadoi* pulses.	1,310,500	1,119,300	1,072,100	73	77					
			Other *bhadoi* food-crops (*e.g.*, vegetables).	260,000	222,300	218,900	72	68					
			Other *bhadoi* non-food-crops ...	452,700	444,800	378,400	77	79					
			Total ...	9,731,200	9,054,800	8,869,800	72	68*					

* A 75 per cent. crop may be expected. C. A. O.

APPENDIX II.

Abstract statement of estimated acreage and outturn of the Autumn Rice crop of 1906.

Province.	Acreage—							Outturn in cwt.							Remarks by the Department of Agriculture, Bengal.
	Of current year's crop.	Of previous year's crop.	Average of five preceding years (viz., 1900 to 1904).	Average of ten preceding years (viz., 1895 to 1904).	Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+) or falls short of (—) area in—			Estimated yield of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Yield of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of five preceding years (viz., 1900 to 1904).	Average of ten preceding years (viz., 1895 to 1904).	Percentage by which column 9 exceeds (+) or falls short of (—) outturn in—			
					Column 3.	Column 4.	Column 5.					Column 10.	Column 11.	Column 12.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Bengal ...	4,269,000	4,377,100	4,173,760	4,327,600	—1·56	+2·26	—2·81	23,160,600	27,013,000	25,761,200	27,010,360	—17·97	—13·96	—17·96	The outturn in columns 9 and 10 have been calculated with reference to the area and percentage outturn and to the normal rate of yield, which has been assumed to be 10 maunds of cleaned rice to the acre.

FINAL FORECAST OF THE WINTER RICE CROP OF BENGAL, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

FINAL FORECAST OF THE WINTER RICE CROP OF BENGAL, 1906.

[On an average of five years ending 1904-1905, the area under winter rice the territory, to which this forecast relates, has represented some 28·1 per nt. of the total area under this crop in British India.]

Character of the season.—It was mentioned in the preminary forecast of the winter rice crop issued in October ast, that the ante-monsoon showers were generally defective roughout the Province. April and the early portion of lay were dry, and sowings were late in consequence in any districts. In June, the rainfall was below the normal lmost everywhere. In July and August, the fall was eneral, but very unequally distributed. Considerable damage as done by floods in North Bihar, and also in most districts f the Presidency Division. In September, the rainfall was eneral, but it was below the normal everywhere except in adia, Jessore, Gaya, Balasore and Singhbhum, where it was ightly in excess. It was most deficient in all the northern istricts of Bihar. In October again, all the districts of ihar, except the Sonthal Parganas, suffered severely from rought. Except for a few districts, the rest of the Proince had good rain. In November, there was no rain the Patna Division or in Purnea, while a few scattered owers fell elsewhere.

2. *Area cultivated.*—The area sown this year is reported be 20,033,600 acres, as against 20,605,500 acres of last ear, and a normal area of 21,301,700 acres. Since the issue

of the preliminary forecast, the estimates of this year's areas have been revised in the Burdwan, 24-Parganas, Khulna, Darbhanga and Puri districts. Last year's area has also been revised by the Collector of Balasore.

3. *Outturn.*—Out of the 33 districts in the Province, three districts only, viz., Sambalpur, Ranchi, and Singhbhum return a 100 per cent. or over a 100 per cent. crop. In the 24-Parganas and the Sonthal Parganas a 98 per cent. crop is expected. Bankura and Palamau return a 95 per cent. crop and Howrah a 90 per cent. crop. Seven districts show an outturn of between 80 and 89 per cent., and eight districts between 70 and 79 per cent. In Murshidabad, Cuttack and Darjeeling, the crops are estimated at 69, 65, and 63 per cent., respectively. Jessore, Purnea, and Monghyr show crops between 51 per cent. and 58 per cent., while Saran, Champaran, Muzaffarpur and Darbhanga, which have suffered both from floods in July—August, and from drought towards the end of the season, return crops ranging between 29 and 42 per cent. It is reported from Saran that in many places the crop has been an absolute failure. Since the issue of the preliminary forecast, prospects have, according to the returns received, improved in 8 and become worse in 19 districts.

In a few cases, I have revised the figures given in the district returns. In Bankura, for instance, where the general condition of the crop is said to be good, a normal crop has been taken; looking to the seasonable weather in the Hooghly district since the preliminary forecast was issued, there seems no reason to reduce that estimte. I have taken 90 per cent. in this case. In the case of Gaya, the Collector himself would raise the estimate from 87 to 95 per cent. I agree that at least a 95 per cent. crop will be harvested. In Purnea, a 9 annas outturn has been taken as suggested by the Collector. Coming to the Orissa Division, it is difficult to understand the marked differences in the estimates. Sambalpur returns a 105 per cent. crop, Cuttack, on the other hand, where, as far as rainfall statistics show, conditions have not been very dissimilar, shows, only 65 per cent., while the Collectors of Puri and Balasore districts, which lie on either side of Cuttack, reports the condition of the crop to be good. I think the Cuttack figure might be raised to 75 per cent. In Balasore, where the weather is reported to have been favourable, the rainfall sufficient and timely, and the general condition of the crop good, an average crop has been taken. In Puri also, the description of the weather and the condition of the crop seems to justify a 90 per cent. return.

In regard to Angul, no reason has been assigned for reducing the preliminary forecast figure, which has therefore been retained. In all other cases the district estimates have been accepted. The percentage of outturn for the whole Province in this way comes to 78, against 82 shown in the preliminary forecasts. The unseasonable weather that has occurred over a great part of the Province since the returns for the preliminary forecast were received fully accounts for this decrease. With a 78 per cent. estimate, the total outturn of the Province would amount to 172,207,200 cwts. of cleaned rice, as compared with 199,831,300 cwts. in 1905.

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The 7th December 1906.

Final Forecast of the Winter Rice Crop of Bengal, 1906.

1	2	3	4	5	7	8	9	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY.			13	14
DISTRICT.	Subdivision.	Total area of subdivision, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under winter rice, in acres.	Estimated area under winter rice this year (1906), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented the outturn last year (1905)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1906)?	Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
								Acres.		Acres.		
Burdwan...	Sadar	1,721,984	638,500	351,600	368,700	95	70	51,370	1889—93, & 1903—06.	15,396	The Subdivisional Officers of Kalna and Kanigani having altered the figures in column 7, there has been a decrease in the total of this column in the present forecast. The poor outturn is due to want of sufficient rain at the sowing season and to strong winds with rain which recently prevailed in this district.	
	Kalna		324,000	118,800	100,000	110	66					
	Katwa		170,000	130,200	140,000	100	90					
	Kanigani		254,700	209,000	200,000	90	70					
	District Total ...	1,721,984	1,384,200	806,000	807,500	97	73	51,370	...	15,396		

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
DISTRICT.	Subdivision.	Total area of subdivision, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under winter rice, in acres.	Approximate area under winter rice last year (1905), in acres.	Estimated area under winter rice this year (1906), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented last year's outturn (1905)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1906)?	FIGURES FROM THE CADASTRAL SURVEY. Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
									Acres.		Acres.		
Birbhum...	Sadar	708,480	486,800	393,000	393,600	393,000	80	75	...	...	...	Last year's figure was, I think, too high an estimate. The low lands this year are bearing bumper crops, but the upland rice has suffered badly. I consider 75 per cent. an approximately accurate estimate of the winter rice crop.	
	Rampur Hât ...	412,800	299,900	211,600	230,000	220,000	100	75	...	...	...		
	District Total ...	1,121,280	786,700	604,600	623,000	613,000	87	75	...	...	...		
Bankura...	Sadar	1,229,400	428,800	346,600	350,000	350,000	90	90	15,210	1889—92 & 1894—00	Not known.	The rains set in a little too late, but the general condition of the crop is good owing to subsequent seasonable rain.	
	Vishnupur ...	448,000	214,000	160,400	190,000	190,000	90	105					
	District Total ...	1,677,440	642,800	507,000	540,000	540,000	90	100[a]	15,210	...	...		
Midnapore	Sadar	3,319,040	1,249,300	717,500	708,700	708,700	95	85	35,342	1893—98	25,260	The outturn has been less than that of last year for want of seasonable rain.	
	Contai		440,100	356,700	350,000	345,000	90	90					
	Tamluk		329,600	220,200	200,000	200,000	75	75					
	Ghatal		171,600	111,600	105,000	111,600	50	100					
	District Total ...	3,319,040	2,190,600	1,406,000	1,363,700	1,365,300	89	86	35 342	...	25,260		

Hooghly ...	Sadar	761,216	353,600	115,900	110,000	110,000	88	70	...	...	...	The low outturn is due to deficiency of rain at the time of sowing and of growth.
	Serampore ...			85,000	85,000	89,000	100 *	94				
	Arambagh ...			78,900	70,000	80,000	80	80				
	District Total ...	761,216	[illegible],600	[illegible],[illegible]	265,000	279,000	90	90*	...	...	...	
Howrah ...	Sadar	110,720	86,100	48,700	45,[illegible]	48,000	80	75	80	...	...	Prospects of crops have improved after the submission of the preliminary forecast; hence the better outturn.
	Uluberia	215,680	169,800	75,600	51,000	75,000	100	100	...			
	District Total ..	326,400	255,900	124,300	96,000	123,000	91	90	...	...	...	
24-Parganas	Sadar	3,100,160	458,600	392,000	380,000	351,700	95	100	...	...	...	The weather was not very favourable in the beginning of the sowing season. A normal outturn is however expected in all subdivisions, except Basirhat where the low outturn is attributed to damage caused by insect pests and to want of timely rainfall. The increase in the outturn of the Sadar and Diamond Harbour subdivisions as compared with the outturn given in the preliminary statement is due to the fact that the rainfall in October was very favourable.
	Baraset		100,400	100,000	70,000	100,000	100	100				
	Barrackpore ...		77,100	24,000	20,500	18,000	110	100				
	Basirhat		203,400	141,000	142,400	142,400	95	90				
	Diamond Harbour		240,200	246,300	238,900	238,900	92	100				
	District Total ..	3,100,160	1,079,700	903,300	851,800	851,000	95	98	...	...	...	
Nadia ...	Sadar	1,787,520	217,200	18,000	19,500	22,900	72	87	Not cadastrally surveyed.			The floods subsided quickly: hence the increase in the outturn as compared with that shown in the first forecast. The rainfall at the end of October has also done much good.
	Kushtia		161,800	33,300	30,900	30,900	75	75				
	Meherpur		294,700	43,500	31,800	30,800	56	75				
	Chuadanga ...		170,900	12,400	19,300	32,400	63	70				
	Ranaghat		199,200	29,600	24,900	10,900	81	80				
	District Total ..	1,787,520	1,043,800	136,800	126,400	128,900	69	76	...	...	...	
Murshidabad.	Sadar	1,371,520	481,280	392,300	67,600	68,600	70	60	...	...	...	Sowings were generally late this year for want of rain during the sowing season. Much damage was done to the crop by floods, but the rainfall in September and October has improved its condition to some extent. The increase in the area sown this year as compared with that of the normal may be attributed partly to the fact that the figures have been reported by the Police on enquiry through the *dafadars* and *panchayets*, and partly to the high price of rice this year. The normal area is under revision.
	Lalbagh		236,800	142,700	43,900	43,400	85	52				
	Jangipur		325,760	224,600	27,000	27,000	105	125				
	Kandi		327,680	225,900	138,600	124,300	75	75				
	District Total ...	1,371,520	985,500	277,100	263,300	336,400	79	69	...	...	...	

* Estimated by the Department.

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District.	Subdivision.	Total area of subdivision, in acres.	Total area estimated to be under cultivation, in acres.	Approximate normal area under winter rice, in acres.	Approximate area under winter rice last year (1905) in acres.	Estimated area under winter rice this year (1906), in acres.	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much represented outturn last year (1905)?	Taking 100 to represent the normal outturn, how much will represent this year's outturn (1906)?	Figures from the Cadastral Survey. Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.	Remarks by District Officers.	Remarks by the Director of Agriculture, Bengal.
									Acres.		Acres.		
Jessore ...	Sadar	568,960	323,500	153,300	130,000	125,800	100	70	...	...	...	Sowings were late this year owing to deficiency of rainfall at the sowing season. Subsequent rainfall was not sufficient. The decrease in the outturn in Magura, Narail and Jhenida is chiefly due to the damage caused by floods. (a) During the time of scarcity, it was found, on careful enquiry, that the percentages shewn last year were quite incorrect. They should be as shewn in this report.	
	Jhenidah	304,000	197,700	55,000	55,000	55,000	75	50	...	...	...		
	Magura	272,000	171,500	82,000	48,000	70,100	(a)60	34	...	...	...		
	Narail	311,680	249,300	180,300	130,000	130,000	(a)50	53	...	...	...		
	Bongaon	415,360	249,000	113,000	100,000	87,000	100	75	...	...	...		
	District Total ..	1,872,000	1,191,000	583,600	463,000	467,900	79	58	...	...	...		
Khulna ...	Sadar	3,049,542	223,400	234,900	225,500	202,500	95	59	25,613	1893—1900 & 1903—05.	19,146	In the Sadar subdivision, the decrease in the outturn is due to floods. In the other subdivisions, the prospects of the crop have improved owing to sufficient rainfall afterwards; hence the increase in the area sown as also in the outturn now as compared with what was shown in the preliminary forecast.	
	Bagerhat		277,100	234,000	200,000	190,000	50	75					
	Satkhira		229,500	196,800	201,800	186,900	100	96					
	Area of boundary khals and rivers of the Sundarbans.												
	District Total ...	3,049,542	870,000	655,700	627,300	579,400	82	76	25,613	...	19,146		

Patna ...	Sadar	213,760	199,400	109,000	109,000	109,000	100	70	73,164	1900-01	7,343	The low outturn is due to the failure of rain in October when the crop required a good rainfall.
	Barh	336,640	282,100	97,900	75,500	75,600	75	85				
	Bihar	508,240	378,100	237,300	200,000	200,000	100	75				
	Dinapore	271,360	226,400	93,600	93,600	93,600	95	90				
	District Total ...	1,328,000	1,083,100	538,500	477,100	477,200	95	73	73,164	...	7,343	
Gaya ...	Sadar	1,219,200	917,900	466,800	396,000	391,000	100	90	514,592	Tikari estate, 1893 to 1895.	82,342	I think the estimates supplied to me are rather low. The area is less than the normal because transplantation was late owing to insufficient rain. The crop now on the ground is however excellent. I am inclined to raise the figure for the outturn to 95.
	Nawada	611,200	469,600	370,000	350,000	355,000	100	90		Govt. estate, 1893 to 1895.	8,995	
	Jehanabad ...	387,840	321,900	209,600	209,600	209,600	100	90		Maksundpur estate, 1900 to 1902.	16,839	
	Aurangabad ...	797,440	478,100	241,900	241,900	196,000	100	75		Deo Wards estate, 1901 to 1902.	12,371	
										Belkhara Mahal, 1893 to 1895.	27,454	
	District Total ...	3,015,680	2,207,500	1,318,300	1,197,500	1,151,600	100	95*	514,592	...	147,951	
Shahabad	Arrah	584,320	457,400	325,000	320,000	320,000	85	60	...	...	...	The decrease in the outturn is due to want of sufficient rain in September and October. The *kathiya* was almost a failure in the northern and western portions of the district.
	Buxar	428,160	340,000	234,500	230,000	234,500	80	75	...	...	...	
	Bhabhua	332,640	470,000	313,500	300,000	300,000	95	70	...	...	...	
	Sasseram	953,600	544,400	355,000	277,500	277,500	80	80	...	...	...	
	District Total ...	2,798,720	1,841,800	1,228,000	1,127,500	1,132,000	95	70	...	...	...	

* Estimated by the Department.

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Saran ...	Sadar	675,700	547,500	141,200	100,000	100,000	95	45	Acres.		Acres. 141,329	After submission of the preliminary forecast, the prospects of the crop have become worse for want of sufficient rain in September. Paddy on high lands is being dried up and is expected to give a very poor outturn. In manyplaces, the crop has been an absolute failure.	
	Siwan	542,146	423,300	142,000	142,000	138,700	93	97	1,633,435	1895—1901	141,936		
	Gopalganj ...	468,440	396,400	90,600	90,600	90,600	80	36			90,623		
District Total ...		1,711,286	1,367,200	373,800	332,600	329,300	89	87	1,633,435	...	373,848		

Champaran	Sadar	971,520	700,000	257,000	257,000	257,000	70	38	2,259,840	1892—96	550,000	The decrease in the outturn this year is due to excessive rain and to floods which have injuriously affected the crops and also to short rainfall in September and October.
	Bettiah	1,288,320	654,760	293,000	300,000	300,000	80	50				
	District Total ...	2,259,840	1,447,600	550,000	557,000	557,000	75	42	2,259,840	...	550,000	
Muzaffarpur.	Sadar	1,942,467	654,800	216,000	216,000	216,000	62	70	1,942,400	1892—93 & 1898—99	216,618	The decrease in the outturn this year is due to excessive rain and floods in the beginning of the season and to want of rain towards the end.
	Hajipur		309,200	105,100	105,100	105,100	62	50				
	Sitamarhi ...		573,000	337,500	337,500	337,500	106	37				
	District Total ...	1,942,467	1,627,000	658,600	658,600	658,600	85	37	1,942,400	...	216,618	
Darbhanga	Sadar	2,142,690	617,400	322,000	320,000	320,000	75	22	2,142,690	1896—1903	322,000	Heavy floods and failure of the *Hathiya* rains damaged the crop to a considerable extent. The whole calculation is being carefully revised in view of the present famine.
	Samastipur ...		352,200	123,500	135,000	150,400	52	26			123,500	
	Madhubani ...		665,400	462,400	440,000	442,000	90	35			462,400	
	District Total ...	2,142,690	1,678,000	907,900	955,000	961,400	79	29	2,142,690	...	907,900	
Monghyr...	Sadar	2,510,060	696,200	265,100	260,500	187,600	65	40	985,552	1900-04	83,347	The short outturn is due to floods in the early part of the season and to want of rain later on. Since the preliminary forecast, there has been practically no rain.
	Begusarai		369,300	14,700	27,300	28,300	30	60			38,379	
	Jamui		515,300	100,000	106,000	106,300	65	65			Not surveyed.	
	District Total ...	2,510,060	1,582,800	379,800	393,800	293,900	62	51	985,552	...	121,726	
Bhagalpur	Sadar	897,760	484,000	250,000	250,000	250,000	100	75	988,301	1902-04	316	Owing to the failure of the *Hathiya* rains, the crop has suffered.
	Madhipura ...	752,640	574,300	237,000	206,100	25,000	100	90			236,749	
	Banka	756,480	568,000	404,100	404,100	404,100	100	85			..	
	Supaul	897,760	447,000	217,000	195,000	20,000	90	50			216,864	
	District Total ...	2,704,640	2,073,300	1,108,100	1,055,200	699,100	98	81	988,301	...	453,929	

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Purnea ...	Sadar	1,646,073	790,000	314,000	320,000	310,000	90	80	...	...	...	The areas in columns 4 and 7 have been revised by the Subdivisional Officer of Kishenganj. Owing to heavy floods, the crop on low lands was seriously damaged and low lands could not be fully transplanted. Owing to want of rain in October, the crops on high lands have suffered much. A nine anna crop is the utmost that can be expected on the whole.	
	Kishenganj ...	861,440	635,000	350,000	430,000	260,000	100	60	Not available.				
	Araria	668,640	269,400	130,000	130,000	130,000	95	80					
	District Total ...	3,196,153	1,694,400	794,000	880,000	700,000	95	85*	...	...	...		
Darjeeling	Sadar	200,960	43,200	7,600	11,800	7,600	117†	75	...	...	...	Crops have suffered greatly for want of rain.	
	Kurseong	118,400	4,400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
	Siliguri	161,920	64,700	53,700	53,700	46,000	110	90	147,170	1,957	46,160		
	Kalimpong ...	283,680	48,200	4,900	...	4,900	...	75	114,316	1,903	4,904		
	District Total ...	744,960	160,500	65,200	64,200	60,500	103	68	261,386	...	51,064		
Santhal Parganas.	Dumka	914,560	260,300	92,100	92,100	92,100	95	100	...	...	...	The weather was generally favourable and the general condition of the crop is good.	
	Deoghar	610,560	234,100	49,700	49,700	49,700	110	110					
	Godda	618,880	260,500	99,000	99,000	99,000	75	75					
	Jamtara	446,440	170,100	85,800	85,800	85,800	125	75					
	Pakaur	437,120	205,400	133,000	133,000	133,000	100	115					
	Rajmahal	624,640	764,900	150,000	150,000	146,700	75	95					
	District Total ...	3,652,200	1,645,300	576,600	579,600	573,300	94	98	...	...	...		

Cuttack ...	Sadar	848,960	1,223,500	332,100	386,600	357,300	75	66	2,088,437	1888—95 & 1901.	904,039	The general condition of the crop is bad owing to insufficient rainfall.
	Kendrapara ...	643,200		190,100	327,700	300,000	63	62				
	Jajpur	704,640		262,400	262,400	262,400	75	68				
	Banki (including Dompara).	149,760		3[illegible],000	32,000	32,500	68	79				
	District Total ...	2,338,560	1,223,500	916,600	1,007,700	952,200	71	75*	2,088,437	...	904,039	
Balasore ...	Sadar	739,110	496,200	458,800	458,800	458,800	85	80	616,043	1891-92 to 1894-95.	378,791	The weather was favourable. The general condition of the crop is good. The increase in outturn is due to sufficient and timely rain. The figures in columns 6 and 7 have been revised.
	Bhadrak	595,258	436,000	404,800	300,800	300,800	66	75	479,735		329,578	
	District total ...	1,334,368	932,200	863,600	759,600	759,600	77	100*	1,095,778	...	708,369	
Angul ...	Angul	563,840	160,000	74,600	76,200	75,200	66	75	...	...	...	
	Khondmals ...	512,000	92,400	47,000	47,000	45,000	62	90	...	...		
	District Total ...	1,075,840	252,400	121,600	123,200	120,200	64	85*				
Puri ...	Sadar	951,210	435,800	279,100	350,200	367,300	66	70	951,210	188	365,571	The area has increased in the Khurda subdivision since the submission of the last forecast owing to favourable rainfall. The condition of the crops is good.
	Khurda	648,150	314,400	268,600	265,100	269,000	83	90	648,150		238,770	
	District Total ...	1,599,360	750,200	547,700	615,300	636,300	73	90*	1,599,360	...	604,341	

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									Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under this crop during the cadastral survey.		
									Acres.		Acres.		
Sambalpur	Sambalpur Bargarh.	2,447,360	337,300 546,700	90,300 128,600	91,700 137,600	72,800 145,300	95 95	105 105	2,433,280	1884—87 & 1891—97.	79,551 126,939	The prospect is better on account of seasonable rain; but owing to an exuberant growth of leaves, the ears shrivelled, and this has caused a loss in the outturn.	
	District Total ...	2,447,360	886,000	218,900	229,300	217,800	95	105	2,433,280	...	206,490		
Hazaribagh.	Sadar	3,216,000	1,132,000	616,300	615,300	615,300	97	78	...	...	...	The outturn has fallen short for want of timely rain.	
	Giridih	1,282,560	571,000	392,500	392,500	335,300	90	90	...	...	...		
	District Total ...	4,498,440	1,703,000	1,007,700	1,007,700	950,600	94	80	...	...	...		
Ranchi ...	Sadar and Khunti Gumla	2,262,500 2,218,900	861,900 61,,100	661,300 879,600	661,300 879,600	661,300 879,600	75 75	105 105	... ...	... ...	... ...	The outturn was somewhat affected owing to the cessation of rain about the middle of October last.	
	District Total ...	4,481,400	1,800,600	1,540,900	1,540,900	1,540,900	75	105	...	...	...		

Palamau ...	Whole district ...	2,144,000	627,000	577,000	140,000	176,000	99	95	157,550	1896-97	15,306	The outturn has been almost normal in some of the thanas, while in a few others (*e.g.* Hoidaphahi) it has been below the normal for wanted drenchune showers at the time of transplantation. Hence the average has been a little below normal.
Manbhum	Sadar ...	2,149,160	1,119,508	738,500	651,000	723,200	95	80	...	...	...	The rains throughout the year were local, and transplantation in many places was delayed. The September rain was also short in the Sadar subdivision and the outturn was thus slightly below the average.
	Gobindpur ...	615,920	290,700	158,000	230,100	256,800	87	93	...	...	...	
	District Total ...	2,764,080	1,410,200	946,500	851,100	979,100	93	83	...	...	...	
Singhbhum	Whole district ...	2,460,240	840,700	815,000	313,400	313,400	105	100	...	...	...	During the latter part of the season, there was sufficient rain, and the general condition of the crop was good.
	GRAND TOTAL ...	74,168,479	29,115,180	21,207,700	30,686,500	30,653,600	88	78				

APPENDIX II.

Statement showing Rainfall from May to November 1906.

DIVISION AND DISTRICT.	MAY.		JUNE.		JULY.		AUGUST.		SEPTEMBER.		OCTOBER.		NOVEMBER.	
	Normal average.	Actual rainfall.	Normal average.	Actual rainfall.	Normal average.	Actual rainfall.	Normal average.	Actual rainfall.	Normal average.	Actual rainfall.	Normal average.	Actual rainfall.	Normal average.	Actual rainfall.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
BURDWAN. Burdwan	5·08	3·47	10·15	4·77	12·25	8·69	11·76	15·97	8·40	7·83	3·35	5·15	0·63	0·08
Birbhum	4·07	3·25	10·96	6·36	12·40	11·48	10·03	13·63	10·39	4·58	3·52	6·09	0·41	0·22
Bankura	4·36	3·12	10·83	5·72	12·22	14·54	11·88	10·28	8·70	6·47	3·15	4·25	0·54	0·26
Midnapore	5·39	2·53	10·23	7·87	12·43	14·35	12·82	8·37	9·01	7·72	4·41	6·23	0·64	0·94
Hooghly	5·50	4·30	10·28	4·94	12·02	10·30	12·53	9·22	8·83	7·52	3·93	5·39	0·59	0·54
Howrah ...	5·27	4·08	10·93	6·24	11·53	13·83	11·40	9·52	9·45	6·28	3·79	6·13	0·51	1·00
PRESIDENCY. 24-Parganas	5·49	4·57	10·89	7·37	12·98	12·50	13·20	7·82	10·04	7·90	5·21	6·58	0·62	0·74
Nadia ...	6·72	4·53	10·00	6·90	10·36	7·06	10·96	14·96	8·48	10·41	4·04	6·16	0·74	0·49
Murshidabad.	5·13	2·85	10·15	7·11	10·90	9·07	10·45	15·39	9·35	7·66	3·75	6·32	0·49	0·66
Jessore ...	7·13	7·96	11·69	7·26	10·64	7·02	10·67	13·47	8·45	10·26	4·44	4·77	0·88	1·74
Khulna ...	6·45	4·58	12·77	7·47	13·10	10·58	12·32	9·24	9·55	8·31	5·21	4·56	0·93	0·98
PATNA. Patna ...	1·75	0·69	7·71	7·04	12·40	16·04	11·21	9·39	7·20	4·27	2·06	0·89	0·19	Nil.
Gaya ...	1·18	0·50	6·52	4·23	12·40	9·98	11·72	11·35	6·55	7·90	2·27	1·30	0·20	Nil.
Shahabad	0·77	0·16	6·44	0·48	12·60	11·23	11·66	9·87	6·06	5·19	2·61	1·82	0·35	Nil.
Saran ...	1·55	1·55	7·95	5·10	11·77	15·59	11·00	10·01	8·20	3·28	2·07	1·13	0·18	Nil.
Champaran	2·61	0·99	9·34	8·33	13·72	14·83	12·81	28·18	9·89	2·94	3·28	0·69	0·11	Nil.
Muzaffarpur	2·20	2·08	7·41	6·86	12·03	14·69	11·00	22·29	8·17	4·36	2·61	1·04	0·11	Nil.
Darbhanga	2·56	2·98	7·47	8·15	12·50	15·43	12·49	25·04	10·06	3·45	2·16	1·09	0·11	Nil.
BHAGALPUR. Monghyr	2·16	2·42	7·62	7·18	13·33	10·74	11·41	10·91	9·57	4·60	2·49	2·23	0·09	0·01
Bhagalpur	3·15	2·53	8·34	10·26	12·72	14·74	11·66	14·99	10·19	3·19	2·58	1·90	0·07	0·12
Purnea ...	5·41	3·45	12·61	11·88	18·16	20·79	14·08	25·09	15·44	8·60	2·80	1·72	0·07	Nil.
Darjeeling	9·29	8·38	23·36	19·80	32·08	37·22	24·86	48·73	18·22	4·03	4·23	2·15	0·31	0·13
Santhal Parganas.	2·75	2·09	9·79	6·95	12·68	11·84	11·60	11·65	11·10	5·04	3·15	7·19	0·28	0·45
ORISSA. Cuttack ...	4·23	2·22	9·71	8·92	11·89	8·34	12·77	6·61	10·19	6·85	6·19	6·32	1·67	0·42
Balasore ...	5·06	3·80	9·10	9·30	12·03	9·06	11·85	6·04	11·13	12·94	5·54	4·70	1·21	0·42
Angul ...	2·42	2·24	9·78	7·59	12·17	14·26	10·45	10·36	9·87	9·19	4·53	1·22	1·09	0·48
Puri ...	3·13	2·78	8·17	7·70	10·23	11·11	12·05	9·46	9·82	5·45	7·18	8·35	2·30	0·24
Sambalpur	1·23	0·01	10·46	6·78	18·37	17·11	15·18	10·49	8·31	5·89	1·95	1·99	0·43	0·24
CHOTA NAGPUR. Hazaribagh	1·89	0·76	8·43	6·07	14·33	9·88	12·60	7·12	8·27	6·76	3·13	2·02	0 31	0·05
Ranchi ...	1·69	1·30	9·64	6·18	14·38	17·07	13·31	12·44	8·30	7·49	2·63	3·21	0·38	0·23
Palamau ...	0·94	0·46	6·80	4·59	13·85	17·62	15·42	6·30	7·65	7·58	2·69	2·30	0·29	0·01
Manbhum	2·81	1·34	9·59	6·12	12·80	10·44	12·78	11·08	8·52	5.42	2·70	3·54	0·31	0.27
Singhbhum	3·33	2·20	10·57	6·82	15·07	18·15	14·54	8·38	8·19	10·20	2·80	2·59	0·42	0·99

APPENDIX III.

Abstract Statement of Estimated Acreage and Outturn of Winter Rice Crop,

PROVINCE.	ACREAGE							OUTTURN IN CWT.						
	Of current year's crop.	Of previous year's crop.	Average of five preceding years (viz., 1900 to 1904).	Average of ten preceding years (viz., 1895 to 1904).	Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+) or falls short (−) of area in—			Estimated yield of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Yield of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of five preceding years (viz., 1900 to 1904).	Average of ten preceding years (viz., 1895 to 1904).	Percentage by which column 9 exceeds (+) or falls short (−) of outturn in—		
					Column 3.	Column 4.	Column 5.					Column 10.	Column 11.	Column 12.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Bengal ...	20,063,600	20,606,500	19,713,400	20,596,400	−2·78	+1·62	−2·69	172,207,200	199,831,300	186,133,500	191,751,500	−13·83	−7·48	−10·19

REORGANIZATION OF THE PROVINCIAL AND SUBORDINATE EDUCATIONAL SERVICES AND CONSTITUTION OF A LOWER SUBORDINATE EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT—EDUCATION.

Calcutta, the 18th December 1906.

RESOLUTION—No. 3149.

READ—

(1) The Despatches received with the endorsement from the Home Department of the Government of India, No. 622, dated the 20th September 1905.

(2) Letter to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, No. 2712T.—G., dated the 16th October 1905, and the replies thereto.

(3) Letters from the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, No. 4448C., No. 4458C., dated the 4th May 1906, and No. 9300C., dated the 11th September 1906.

(4) Memorandum by the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, No. 212T., dated the 1st June 1906.

(5) Letters to the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, No. 247T.—G., dated the 19th May 1906, No. 1832 and No. 1833, dated the 11th July 1906, and No. 1524T.—G., dated the 25th August 1906.

THE scheme for reorganizing the Provincial and Subordinate Educational Services and constituting a Lower Subordinate Educational Service received the sanction of His Majesty's Secretary of State for India in August 1905, and the necessary arrangements have now been made to give effect to it from the 10th September 1905, the date on which the orders of the Secretary of State were received in India.

2. The constitution of the Provincial Educational Service before and after reorganization is shown below:—

Before Reorganization.

Class.	Pay.	Number of appointments.
	Rs.	
I ...	... 700	2
II ...	... 600	4
III ...	... 500	5
IV ...	... 400	9
V ...	... 300	14
VI ...	... 250	22
VII ...	... 200	26
VIII ...	... 150	25
	Total ...	107

After Reorganization.

Class.	Pay.	Number of appointments.
	Rs.	
I ...	... 700	4
II ...	... 600	6
III ...	... 500	8
IV ...	... 400	11
V ...	... 350	12
VI ...	... 300	17
VII ...	... 250	24
VIII ...	... 200	29 + 1
	Total ...	111 + 1

NOTE (1).—The minimum pay of the service has been increased from Rs. 150 a month to Rs. 200 a month. At the same time officers newly appointed will in future be required to undergo a period of probation of one year, at the end of which recruits will be liable to lose their posts or to be reverted to the Subordinate Service, as the case may be, if found unsatisfactory. This period of probation may be dispensed with in the case of officers who have passed through a course in the Training Colleges, the establishment of which is now under consideration.

NOTE (2).—Posts have been included in the service as above shown for the Bengali, Hindi and Uriya Translators and for the Bengal Librarian, officers who formerly held isolated appointments. One of the higher grade appointments will be reserved for the Head Master of the Apprentice Department of the Sibpur College.

NOTE (3).—The additional post in Class VIII has been created for the Inspector of Hostels and Students' Messes in Calcutta.

3. Particulars of the constitution of the Subordinate Educational Service before and after reorganization are given below:—

Before Reorganisation.

Class.	Pay.	Number of appointments.
	Rs.	
I ...	... 250	10
II ...	... 200	29
III ...	... 150	47
IV ...	... 125	63
V ...	... 100	61
VI ...	... 75	75
VII ...	... 60	65
VIII ...	... 50	90
	Total ...	440

After Reorganization.

Class.	Pay.	Number of appointments
	Rs.	
I ...	250	20
II ...	200	37
III ...	... 150	51 + 1 − 1
IV ...	125	72
V ...	100	86 + 1
VI ...	75	93 + 1
VII ...	60	114 + 1
VIII ...	50	130 + 9
	Total ...	603 + 12

NOTE (1).—One hundred and sixty-three posts formerly ungraded have been added to the service as above shown.

NOTE (2).—The service as above shown includes provision for the more highly-paid posts held by the staff employed under the three translators and the Bengal Librarian.

NOTE (3).- Twelve additional appointments have been created by this Government. These appointments were originally as follows:—

1 in Class III.	1 in Class VI.
1 in „ V.	9 in „ VIII.

The appointment, however, in Class III was of a temporary character and has since been absorbed and replaced by an appointment in Class VII.

4. The Lower Subordinate Educational Service as reorganized under the scheme sanctioned by the Secretary of State, included the majority of the

posts, formerly ungraded, which were not transferred to the Subordinate Educational Service. The scheme contemplated that the pay in this service should be progressive. The reorganized service consists of five grades as follows:—

Class.	Pay.	Number of appointments.
	Rs.	
I	35—2—45	77
II	30—1—35	110+4
III	25—1—30	153+2
IV	20—1—25	220+2
V	15—1—20	382
	Total ...	942+8

NOTE (1).—The service includes provision for the less highly-paid posts on the establishments of the three translators and the Bengal Librarian.

NOTE (2).—The eight additional posts in Classes II, III and IV have been created by this Government.

5. The following nominal rolls of officers in the Provincial Educational Service and Classes I and II of the Subordinate Educational Service are issued with the concurrence of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

Class I (4), Rs. 700.

1. Mr. P. Brühl.
2. Dr. Praphulla Chandra Ray.
3. Mr. Jogendra Nath Das Gupta.
4. „ R. W. F. Shaw.

Class II (6), Rs. 600.

1. Babu Bipin Bihari Gupta.
2. Mr. Debendra Nath Mallik.
3. „ F. Waltord.
4. Dr. Purnananda Chatarji.
5. Mr. Manomohan Ghose.
6. Mahamahopadhyaya Hara Prasad Shastri.

Class III (8), Rs. 500.

1. Mr. E Pegler.
2. Babu Sasi Bhusan Dutt.
3. Khan Sahib Muhammad Ibrahim.
4. Mr. H. A. Stark.
5. Mr. Bhupati Nath Das.
6. Babu Jyoti Bhushan Bhaduri.
7. Rai Kumudini Kanta Banarji Bahadur.
8. Babu Jadu Nath Sarkar.

Class IV (11), Rs. 400.

1. Shams-ul-ulama Ahmad.
2. Maulvi Abdul Karim.
3. Mr. E. A. LeFeuvre.
4. Babu Debendra Nath Basu.
5. Mr. Subodh Chandra Mahalanabis.
6. Babu Kisori Mohan Sen Gupta.
7. Babu Upendra Nath Maitra.
8. Mr. Dwija Das Datta.
9. Babu Kali Pada Basu.
10. „ Narendra Nath Basu.
11. „ Narayan Chandra Bhattacherji.

Class V (12), Rs. 350.

1. Mr. P. W. Byers.
2. Babu Braja Ballabh Datta.
3. „ Kailash Chandra Bhattacharji.
4. „ Madhu Sudan Rao.
5. „ Jogesh Chandra Ray.
6. Mr. A. Barnes.
7. Miss E. E. Greene.
8. Babu Ishan Chandra Ghosh.
9. „ Hari Das Banarji.
10. „ Baladeva Ram Jha.
11. „ Surendra Kumar Basu.
12. „ Rasamay Mitra.

Class VI (17), Rs. 300.

1. Maulvi Abdul Munim
2. Mr J. V. Francies.
3. Babu Abanindra Nath Thakur.
4. „ Kali Prasanna Bhattacharji.
5. „ Rajendra Nath Banarjea.
6. „ Raj Mohan Sen.
7. „ Hari Charan Ray.
8. „ Chandra Bhushan Bhaduri.
9. Babu Braja Lal Mukharji.
10. „ Paresh Nath Sen.
11. „ Phani Bhushan Basu.
12. „ Jay Gopal De.
13. „ Satish Chandra De.
14. „ Binayendra Nath Sen.
15. Mr. Nagendra Chandra Mitra.
16. Rai Rajendra Chandra Shastri Bahadur.
17. Babu Som Nath Jharkandi.

„ *Shashi Shekhar Banarjea.*

Class VII (24), Rs. 250.

1. Babu Mohini Mohan Chaudhuri.
2. „ Biswesswar Sen.
3. „ Muralidhar Banarji.
4. Mrs. Kumudini Das.
5. Babu Bhagabati Sahay.
6. „ Bidhu Bhushan Gosain.
7. „ Rakhal Raj Biswas.
8. „ Nalini Mohan Sanyal.
9. Mr. P. Walsh.
10. Babu Hriday Chandra Banarji.
11. „ Chuni Lal Sarkar.
12. Maulvi Amjad Ali.
13. Babu Bijay Gopal Mukharji.
14. Babu Asutosh Chatterji.
15. „ Sarada Prasanna Das.
16. „ Baladev Misra.
17. „ Krishna Chandra Bhattacharji.
18. „ Satyendra Nath Bhadra.
19. „ Purna Chandra Kundu.
20. Maulvi Muhammad Aziz-ul Hakk.
21. Babu Jyotish Chandra Banarji.
22. „ Aditya Nath Mukharji.
23. Mahamahopadhyaya Satish Chandra Acharji Bidyabhushan.
24. Babu Chaturbhuj Patnaik.

Class VIII (30), Rs. 200.

1. Babu Harish Chandra Datta.
2. „ Mohini Mohan Dutt.
3. Mrs. M. Moorat.
4. Babu Rakhal Das Chakrabarti.
5. „ Hem Chandra Sarkar.
6. „ Satish Chandra Ray.
7. Shams-ul-ulama Mirza Ashraf Ali.
8. Babu Ashwini Kumar Mukharji.
9. „ Kiran Chandra Mitra.
10. „ Bama Charan Bhattacharji.
11. „ Hem Chandra De.
12. „ Jatindra Chandra Guha.
13. „ Khagendra Nath Mitra.
14. „ Raj Kumar Das.
15. „ Syama Das Mukharji.
16. „ Ambika Charan Mitra.
17. „ Hari Das Saha.
18. Babu Bipin Bihari Sen.
19. „ Ramendra Nath Ghosh.
20. „ Debendra Kumar Ray.
21. „ Gopal Chandra Ganguli.
22. „ Rakhal Das Ghosh.
23. Maulvi Ashanulla.
24. „ Safi-ullah.
25. Miss E. N. S. Bracs.
26. Maulvi Kamaluddin Ahmed.
27. „ Abu Nasr Obeed, from 23rd September 1905.
28. Pandit Kamakhya Nath Tarkabagisha sub *protempore*.
29. Babu Purna Chandra Bhattacharji, substantive *protempore* from 1st November 1905.
30. Vacant.

SUBORDINATE EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

Class I (20), Rs. 250.

1. Mr. G. W. Lawrence.
2. „ A. F. Burnie.
3. Maulvi Abdul Hakk Abid.
4. Babu Becharam Nandi.
5. „ Adya Nath Mukerjea.
6. „ Mohini Mohan Bose.
7. „ Hira Lal Pal.
8. „ Tarak Nath Sarkar.
9. „ Tripura Charan Banarji.
10. „ Trailokya Nath Ghosh.
11. „ Bhubaneswar Gupta.
12. Mr. G. R. Ballantine.
13. Babu Loke Nath Chakrabarti.
14. „ Kali Kamal Chatarji.
15. „ Mahim Chandra Bose.
16. Mr. W. Blazey.
17. Babu Jadu Nath Pal.
    „ *Uma Charan Ray.*
18. „ Prasanna Kumar Ghosh.
19. „ Becharam Ganguli.
20. „ Madhu Sudan Singh, substantive *pro tempore.*

Class II (37), Rs. 200.

1. Babu Abhay Charan Mitra.
2. „ Umes Chandra Basu.
3. „ Adhar Chandra Mukharji.
4. „ Hari Nath Chatarji.
5. Maulvi Mahmud.
6. Mr. J. H. Little.
7. Babu Harendra Narayan Chakrabarti.
8. „ Radha Raman Guha.
9. „ Adhar Chandra Banarji.
10. „ Bidhu Bhushan Mukharji.
11. „ Hari Mohan Sen.
12. „ Gopal Chandra Sarkar.
13. „ Suresh Chandra Deb.
14. „ Rajendra Lal Gupta.
15. „ Priya Nath Ray.
    „ *Jogendra Nath Hajra.*
16. „ Sripati Mukharji.
17. „ Annada Prasad Mitra.
18. Maulvi Muhammad Sulaiman.
19. Babu Purna Chandra Chakrabarti.
20. Maulvi Abul Maqsud.
21. Babu Satkari Chandra Ghosh.
22. Mr. A. D'Silva.
23. Babu Kali Kumar Ganguli.
24. „ Basanta Kumar Das.
25. „ Tarini Kisor Bardhan.
26. „ Narayan Chandra Mukharji
27. Mr. Samuel Bibhudan Mandal.
28. „ A. Von Herrenkohl.
29. Babu Kali Prasanna Das.
30. „ Raj Krishna Basu.
31. Mr. W. D'Silva.
32. „ L. M. Martyr.
33. M. Kabiruddin Ahmad.
34. Pandit Ashutosh Shastri.
35. „ Bharat Bandhu Laha.
36. „ Makhan Lal De, substantive *pro tempore*
37. Mr. E. E. Sharp, substantive *pro tempore*, from 6th November 1905.

6. A nominal roll of officers in the lower classes (Classes III to VIII) of the Subordinate Educational Service has been prepared in communication with

the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, and will be published by the Director of Public Instruction.

7. A nominal roll of the officers in the Lower Subordinate Educational Service in Bengal will be published by the Director of Public Instruction in due course.

8. Unless otherwise specified in the nominal rolls which have now been issued, or which may subsequently be issued, the promotion of officers will take effect from the 10th September 1905, as indicated in paragraph 1 above.

9. This Government has been in correspondence with the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, regarding the distribution of the services as reconstituted under the scheme of reorganization between the Province of Bengal and the Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam. As a result of this correspondence it has been arranged between the two Governments that 26 appointments in the Provincial Educational Service, 151 appointments in the Subordinate Educational Service and 314 appointments in the Lower Subordinate Educational Service should be transferred to Eastern Bengal and Assam. In accordance with this arrangement, the Provincial Educational Service in this Province will comprise 86 officers, the Subordinate Educational Service 464 officers and the Lower Subordinate Educational Service 636 officers.

The grading of the officers of the Provincial Educational Service now serving in Bengal is shown in the following table :—

Class.	Pay. Rs.	Number of officers.
I ...	... 700	4
II ...	... 600	5
III ...	... 500	6
IV ...	... 400	8
V ...	... 350	10
VI ...	... 300	15
VII ...	... 250	20
VIII ...	... 200	18
	Total	... 86

The grading, however, above shown will be of a temporary character. It is proposed that as soon as the necessary readjustments can be effected the Provincial Educational Service in Bengal should be constituted as follows :—

Class.	Number of officers.
I	3
II	5
III	6
IV	9
V	9
VI	13
VII	18
VIII	23
Total	... 86

In the case of the Subordinate Educational Service, the appointments now held in Bengal are as follows :—

Subordinate Educational Service.

Class.	Pay. Rs.	Number of appointments.
I ...	... 250	15
II ...	... 200	29
III ...	... 150	41
IV ...	... 125	55
V ...	... 100	64
VI ...	... 75	71
VII ...	... 60	
VIII ...	... 50	
	Total	... 464

The permanent constitution of the service has not been finally decided, this Government being still in communication with the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam in regard to the distribution of the total number of appointments between the two Provinces.

The Lower Subordinate Educational Service will be constituted in Bengal until further orders, as follows:—

Class.	Pay.	Number of appointments.
	Rs.	
I ...	.. 35—2—45	52
II	30—1—35	72+4
III	.. 25—1—30	102+2
IV	.. 20—1—25	147+2
V	. 15—1—20	255
	Total ...	628+8

10. In the cases of the Provincial and Subordinate Educational Services it has not yet been decided from what date the separation of the services as regards *personnel* between this Province and the Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam should take effect. The arrangement in force is that officers serving in Eastern Bengal and Assam should be regarded as lent to that Province. In the case of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service it has been agreed that officers of this service serving in Eastern Bengal and Assam should be regarded as having been finally transferred to that Province with effect from the 1st November 1905. It follows therefore that this Government has no further concern with the personnel or constitution of the last-named service in Eastern Bengal and Assam.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be submitted to the Government of India, and that copies be also forwarded to the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, and the Appointment Department of this Government for information, and to the Financial Department for information and communication to the Accountant-General, Bengal.

Ordered also that the Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

T. W. RICHARDSON,

Offg. Secretary.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

THE following is republished for general information.

By order, etc.,

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 8758-8765—56, dated Calcutta, the 29th November 1906.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Dept. of Commerce and Industry.

IN July 1905, the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, acting at the instance of certain Flour Millers' Associations in the United Kingdom, asked the Government of India to consider whether any measures could be devised, with the co-operation of the commercial community, for the improvement of the purity of Indian wheat exported to foreign countries by sea. Though this question of the adulteration of Indian wheat had on several previous occasions received the careful consideration of the Government of India, it was decided, in view of the rapidly growing importance of the export trade, to consult the leading Indian Chambers of Commerce on the subject.

2. The Government of India were then disposed to think that the rigid adherence of English buyers to the system of purchase on a fixed basis of refraction was to a great extent responsible for the systematic adulteration—as opposed to the addition of impurities owing to the system of cultivation and the methods of preparation for the market—of wheat before it left India; and they therefore suggested that considerable improvement might be effected if Home dealers were authoritatively informed that there would be no difficulty in supplying clean wheat on a basis of two per cent. refraction, which would cover the maximum amount of impurities due to natural causes and would preclude deliberate adulteration. The replies received from the Chambers of Commerce were, however, not sufficiently explicit on this point, and it was necessary again to consult them and the local millers in regard to this matter. It appeared to the Government of India that, if the existing system under which the grain is sold was altered, no action on their part would be necessary, and they therefore again proposed, with the object of strengthening the position of a certain section of English buyers who were known to be in favour of procuring cleaner wheat, to state authoritatively that wheat could be regularly supplied from India containing not more than 2 per cent. of impurities. The point specifically referred for opinion was whether this announcement could safely be made.

3. The replies received have been considered, and the Government of India now feel justified in announcing for general information that, if buyers of Indian wheat desire to obtain regular supplies containing not more than 2 per cent. of impurities (that term covering all foreign matter other than food-grains), the mass of Indian shipments can be made on that basis.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to the Government of Bombay, Revenue Department / Madras, Revenue Department / Bengal, Revenue Department / the Punjab, Revenue Department / the United Provinces, Revenue, Department, for information, in continuation of the correspondence ending with the letter from that Government, No. 7455 / 620 / 985T.-R. / 1879, dated the 3rd August 1906 / 15th May 1906 / 15th June 1906 / 24th August 1906 / 19th June 1906.

Ordered also that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to the Department of Revenue and Agriculture / Director-General of Commercial Intelligence, for information, in continuation of the endorsement from this Department, Nos. 1967-1968, dated the 16th March 1906.

Ordered also that the Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India* for general information.

W. L. HARVEY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

LIBERALITY OF SRIMATI KADAMBINI DEVI OF PARULIA IN THE DISTRICT OF BIRBHUM IN REGARD TO THE CREATION OF AN ENDOWMENT FUND FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE POOR.

No. 3066F., dated the 7th August 1906.

From—H. J. McIntosh, Esq., I.C.S., Offg. Secretary to the Government of Bengal Financial Department,

To—The Commissioner of the Burdwan Division.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. $\frac{271 J.G.}{XVII-2}$, dated the 31st May 1906, with which you forward an Indenture duly executed by Srimati Kadambini Devi of Parulia in the district of Birbhum in connection with a donation of Rs. 10,000 in Government Securities made by her with the object of creating an Endowment Fund for the benefit of the poor. The Indenture provides that the net proceeds of the Securities will be devoted to the purchase of blankets, sheets, *dhutis* and other articles of clothing for distribution to persons who are blind, lame, deaf and dumb or otherwise unfit to earn their livelihood at the discretion of the Collector of Birbhum, subject, however, to the reservation that during the lifetime of the donor one-half of the proceeds will be paid to her for her own support.

2. The liberality and public spirit of the donor have already been acknowledged in Government order No. 897T.—F., dated the 29th June 1905.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

For the week ending the 17th December 1906.

No.	Name of district.	Rainfall at Sadar station.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather and state and prospects of the crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	BURDWAN ...	Nil	8½	8	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops still continuing. Sugarcane doing well. Winter paddy being harvested. Outturn estimated at about 12 annas. Small-pox and cholera reported from Katwa. No cattle disease. Fodder and water sufficient everywhere.
2	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	9*	9*	Harvesting of paddy continuing. Standing crops doing well. Old common rice selling at 7½ seers a rupee. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
3	BANKURA ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy still continuing. Standing crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
4	MIDNAPORE ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Sowing of summer rice begun. Winter rice being cut. Fodder and water sufficient.
5	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* crop continuing. Prospects of *rabi* crops, potato and sugarcane fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
6	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8*	8	Weather fair. Winter rice still being harvested. Standing crops doing well. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
7	24-PARGANAS	Nil	8½	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice in progress. State of standing crops good. Prospects good. Condition of cattle good. Fodder and water sufficient.
8	NADIA ...	Nil	8	8	Prospects of standing crops good. Winter rice being harvested. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
9	MURSHIDABAD	Nil	8½	7½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice over. *Rabi* sowings going on. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
10	JESSORE ...	Nil	7 9/16	7⅝	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops in progress. Harvesting of *aman* continuing. Condition of paddy fair. High prices and slight distress. Cholera at Sadar and in the interior. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.

* New rice.

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		Inches.			
11	KHULNA ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Condition of *til* fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
12	PATNA	Nil	8½ 13½	7½ 12⅔*	Weather cold and bright, but at times cloudy Harvesting of paddy and pressing of sugarcane continuing. Oilseed crops in flower. *Rabi* crops flourishing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
13	GAYA	Nil	9 3/16 13 1 3/16*	9 3/16 13 1 3/16*	Weather cool and clear. Harvesting of paddy and pressing of sugarcane continuing. *Rabi* crops doing well, but some rain wanted in Aurangabad and Jehanabad. Prices stationary. No cattle-disease reported. Fodder and water for cattle sufficient.
14	SHAHABAD	Nil	10½ 13*	10 13*	Harvesting of paddy nearly finished. *Rabi* crops doing well. Sugarcane-pressing continuing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
15	SARAN	Nil	9 12½*	9¼ 12⅔*	Weather seasonable. Threshing of paddy, pressing of sugarcane and irrigation of *rabi* crops going on. Rain wanted for *rabi* crops. Fodder and water sufficient.
16	CHAMPARAN ...	Nil	9¼ 12½*	9¼ 12*	Weather cloudy and cold. Harvesting and threshing of paddy in progress. *Rabi* sowings nearly finished. Germination good, but rain wanted. Imports of food-grains since 1st December much in excess at this season. Cattle-disease in five villages of Dhanaha in the Bettiah subdivision. Fodder and water sufficient.
17	MUZAFFARPUR	Nil	9 12⅔*	8 12½*	Weather seasonable at Sadar and Hajipur, but hot at Sitamarhi for the time of the year. *Rabi* sowings completed. Harvesting of paddy in progress. Common rice and maize selling at 7½ and 12½ seers a rupee, respectively, at Sitamarhi, and 8 and 12⅔ seers a rupee, respectively, at Hajipur. Average daily attendance at kitchens 2,105. Number at kitchens steadily going down. Attendance at test-works on the 14th December—Belasand 40, Rani Syedpur 41. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
18	DARBHANGA ..	Nil	6 3/16 12*	6 12*	Weather cold. Sowing of *rabi* crops almost over. Their prospects not very favourable. In Benera thana some damage done to wheat and oat crops by insects. Fodder and water sufficient. Number on two test-works in the Madhubani subdivision for the last day available 16; this low number being due to the employment of people on paddy-cutting in Nepal and elsewhere. Number of persons on relief works 15,070. Total number of persons gratuitously relieved, including village doles, 18,287

* The figures indicate price of maize in seers per rupee.

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		Inches.			
19	Monghyr	Nil	8½ 11½*	8½ 11½*	Weather seasonable.* Harvesting of paddy continuing. *Rabi* crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from thana Sûrajgarha Fodder and water sufficient.
20	Bhagalpur ...	Nil	9½ 12*	9½ 12*	Weather cloudy and seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy and sugarcane pressing still going on. Prospects of standing crops good, but rain wanted. Cattle-disease reported from Katoria in the south and Madhipura in the north. Fodder and water sufficient.
21	Purnea ...	Nil		6½	Weather seasonable. *Aghani* paddy being harvested and threshed. Rain wanted for *rabi* crops. Sugarcane being pressed. New common rice selling at 7 and 7½ seers a rupee at Araria and Kishanganj respectively. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
22	Darjeeling ...	Nil*	7 12*	7 12*	Weather cold. Hill—Wheat, barley and mustard in fair condition. Winter rice, *bhadoi* paddy and *marua* being harvested. Terai—Harvesting of winter rice in progress. Sugarcane, tobacco, mustard and potato doing well.
23	Sonthal Parganas.	Nil	10 5/16 14½*	11 16*	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice continuing. Standing crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from Deoghar and Dumka.
24	Cuttack	Nil	11½	10½	*Laghu sarad* and sugarcane being harvested. *Guru sarad* ripening. Tobacco growing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
25	Balasore	Nil	10		Weather cold. Harvesting of *sarad* going on. Sugarcane and other crops progressing well. Prospects fair. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
26	Angul	Nil	11½	11½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice in progress. *Rabi* crops, sugarcane and miscellaneous crops doing well. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water sufficient.
27	Puri	Nil	10½	10½	Weather seasonable. *Laghu* paddy being harvested and *sarad* paddy reaped. Pressing of sugarcane continuing. *Mung* being sown and other *rabi* crops getting on well. *Arhar* and mustard flowering. Summer rice being sown. Fodder and water-supply sufficient.
28	Sambalpur ...	Nil	11½	12	Weather cool with occasional clouds. Reaping of winter rice completed. Threshing of winter and autumn rice in progress. Harvesting and threshing of *mung*, *kurthi* and *maghi til* in progress. Pressing of sugarcane in progress in Sambalpur tahsil. Cattle-disease in two villages in Sadar tahsil. Fodder sufficient.

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		Inches.			
29	HAZARIBAGH	—	9½	9½	Prospects of standing crops good. Harvesting of paddy going on. Pressing of sugarcane going on. Fodder and water sufficient.
30	RANCHI ...	Nil	11	11	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy nearly finished. Threshing of *sirguja* continuing. Cattle-disease reported from two thanas. Fodder and water sufficient.
31	PALAMAU ...	Nil	9 9/16	9 9/16	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of paddy continuing. Sugarcane being pressed. *Rabi* crops doing well. Cattle-disease reported from some places. Fodder and water sufficient.
32	MANBHUM ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Prospects of crops good. Cattle-disease reported from thanas Tundi and Gobindpur. Fodder and water sufficient.
33	SINGHBHUM ...	Nil	9	10	Harvesting of winter paddy nearly finished. Common rice selling at 12 seers a rupee in Seraikella and Kharsawan. Fodder and water sufficient.
34	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy going on. Fodder and water sufficient.

GENERAL SUMMARY.—There was no rain during the week. Harvesting operations of the winter rice crop are still in progress. *Rabi* sowings are almost over in Bihar. They still continue in some places in Lower Bengal. Rain is needed for these crops in Gaya, Saran, Champaran, Bhagalpur and Purnea. The prospects of the *rabi* are reported to be unfavourable in Darbhanga, where some damage has also been done by insects. Elsewhere the condition of the standing crops is generally favourable. The number of persons receiving gratuitous relief is—Muzaffarpur 2,105, Darbhanga 18,387. The number on test-works is—Muzaffarpur 81, Darbhanga 16. The number of persons on relief works in Darbhanga is 15,070. Cattle-disease prevails in eight districts. Fodder and water-supply are sufficient everywhere. Cholera continues in parts of Burdwan and Jessore. Small-pox is also reported from the former district. The price of common rice has risen in six and fallen in ten districts.

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METEOROLOGICAL REPORT OF THE PROVINCES OF BENGAL AND OF EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1888.

Division.	District.	Representative Stations.	Air Pressure. Highest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Lowest, 8 A.M., barometer reading.	Mean, 8 A.M., reduced to 32°.	Mean reduced to sea-level and constant gravity, Lat. 45°.	Departure from normal.	Wind. Mean direction at 8 A.M.	Mean velocity in miles daily.	Temperature. Highest of month.	Lowest of month.	Mean daily maximum temperature.	Mean daily minimum temperature.	Mean daily temperature.	Departure from normal.	Humidity. Mean, 4 A.M.	Departure from normal mean.	Cloud. Mean cloud amount, 8 A.M.	Departure from normal, mean 8 A.M.
Burdwan	Burdwan	Burdwan ...	30·053	29·902	29·951	30·003	+·019	N2°W	25	97·4	59·8	83·7	65·9	74·8	+1·1	80	+6	0·6	−1·7
		Raniganj ...	29·935	29·576	29·723	30·025	+·037	N27°W	11	85·5	55·2	83·9	63·2	73·6	+0·2	85	—	0·7	—
	Bankura	Bankura ...	29·898	29·597	29·798	30·003	+·024	N69°E	36	87·1	57·1	83·4	63·7	73·6	+0·6	73	—	0·5	—
	Midnapore	Midnapore ...	30·002	29·740	29·896	29·977	+·014	N10°W	40	87·3	58·6	83·5	64·9	74·2	+1·3	77	—	0·8	—
Presidency.	Sandheads	S. P. V. *Fraser*																	
	24-Parganas	Saugor Island	30·124	29·893	30·024	29·994	+·009	N3°E	163	86·4	69·0	83·4	67·9	75·7	+1·3	88	+5	2·4	−0·8
	Calcutta	Calcutta ...	30·125	29·890	30·029	29·998	+·016	N35°W	45	88·4	59·4	83·8	65·3	74·1	+1·1	87	+3	1·3	−1·4
	Nadia (a)	Krishnagar ...	30·090	29·845	29·996	29·968	+·013	N36°W	8	87·6	56·0	83·9	64·3	74·1	+1·3	88	—	0·9	—
	Murshidabad	Berhampore	30·063	29·815	29·960	29·936	+·017	N25W	27	86·3	59·2	83·6	65·7	74·1	+1·3	85	+7	0·7	−1·5
	Jessore (a)	Jessore ...	30·100	29·868	30·012	29·982	+·007	N6°E	3	87·0	58·7	83·4	65·1	74·3	+0·7	81	+3	0·9	−1·8
Rajshahi.	Rajshahi	Rampur Boalia ...	30·068	29·826	29·978	29·994	+·026	N11°W	23	86·1	58·1	83·1	65·3	73·7	+1·7	83	—	0·4	—
	Dinajpur	Dinajpur ...	30·030	29·776	29·924	30·007	+·033	N41°E	25	86·8	55·4	82·8	60·6	71·7	0	83a	—	0·6	—
	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri ...	29·870	29·626	29·765	30·019	+·015	N8°E	315	84·4	56·6	81·2	61·5	71·4	+0·4	84	—	0·4	—
	Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar	30·008	29·757	29·903	30·021	—	N84°E	26	85·8	56·2	82·3	62·1	72·2	—	83	—	1·3	—
	Rangpur	Rangpur ...	30·029	29·787	29·933	30·015	+·026	N63°E	21	86·2	57·6	83·7	62·3	72·5	+1·3	83	—	1·0	—
	Bogra	Bogra ...	30·057	29·851	29·962	29·977	+·016	N27°W	21	87·2	58·7	83·6	61·2	73·5	+1·3	83	—	0·8	—
	Pabna	Sirajganj ...	30·093	29·843	30·000	30·009	+·048	N45°W	14	87·3	60·3	83·8	65·4	74·1	+2·0	90	—	1·4	—
Dacca	Dacca	Narayanganj	30·105	29·851	30·021	29·996	+·009	N30°E	32	86·5	60·8	84·0	67·0	75·5	+0·8	85	+5	2·4	+0·3
	Mymensingh	Mymensingh	30·051	29·837	29·988	30·003	+·037	N66°E	16	86·7	60·0	83·6	65·6	74·7	+2·0	85	—	1·7	—
	Faridpur	Faridpur ...	30·087	29·837	29·997	29·994	+·033	N6°W	25	86·4	59·0	82·9	64·8	73·8	+1·0	87	—	0·9	—
	Backergunge	Barisal ...	30·122	29·902	30·028	29·996	+·038	N89°E	23	87·8	60·2	84·1	65·9	75·0	+1·1	86	—	0·7	—
Chittagong.	Tippera	Comilla ...	30·083	29·863	30·000	29·965	+·036	S18°E	15c	88·4	59·3	84·9	64·6	74·8	+0·8	86	—	0·6	—
	Noakhali	Noakhali ...	30·069	29·860	29·988	29·979	+·028	N46°E	24	84·8	59·9	82·4	64·8	73·6	+0·1	86	—	1·4	—
	Chittagong	Chittagong ...	30·030	29·835	29·941	29·980	+·025	N42°E	63	87·1	59·4	82·7	64·7	73·7	−0·7	91	+3	1·4	−0·5
Patna.	Patna	Bankipore ...	29·993	29·740	29·879	30·023	+·014	W	40	88·5	55·4	83·8	62·3	73·1	+2·0	69	0	0·6	−0·9
	Gaya	Gaya ...	29·789	29·542	29·677	30·023	+·012	S46°W	75	88·4	53·7	84·3	59·9	72·1	+0·7	72	+9	1·1	−0·7
	Shahabad	Dehri ...	29·810	29·558	29·697	30·018	+·013	S31°W	63	89·8	55·1	85·4	61·6	73·5	+2·0	70	—	1·1	—
		Buxar ...	29·820	29·666	29·804	30·010	+·006	S49°W	81	90·0	53·4	85·6	60·1	72·9	+2·3	68	—	0·9	—
		Arrah ...	29·903	29·735	29·863	30·015	+·027	S27°W	14	89·4	52·6	85·1	58·6	71·9	+1·5	75	—	0·3	—
	Saran	Chapra ...	29·964	29·716	29·853	29·997	+·004	None	27	88·3	54·6	83·7	60·1	71·9	+1·5	82	—	0	—
	Champaran	Motihari ...	29·930	29·689	29·825	30·019	+·020	N45°E	30	87·9	53·2	83·9	57·9	70·9	+2·1	90	—	2·7	—
	Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	29·902	29·738	29·880	30·021	+·021	None	10	87·7	55·0	83·3	59·9	71·7	—	79	—	0	—
	Darbhanga	Darbhanga ...	30·001	29·739	29·890	30·016	+·018	N45°E	6	88·1	53·8	83·9	60·4	72·3	+0·5	84	+7	0	−0·8
Bhagalpur.	Monghyr	Monghyr ...																	
	Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur ...	30·024	29·767	29·907	30·024	+·046	S63°W	19	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	—	0·4	—
	Darjeeling	Darjeeling ...	23·198	23·052	23·121	23·076	+·021	N76°E	55	64·7	40·0	57·1	44·2	50·7	+2·4	79	+10	3·2	+0·1
	Purnea	Purnea ...	30·042	29·795	29·935	30·020	+·026	E	32	87·2	51·7	82·6	58·5	70·6	0	89	+9	0	−0·9
	Malda	Malda ...	30·063	29·813	29·960	29·984	+·019	N34°W	44	86·3	54·8	81·5	61·6	71·6	−0·4	86	—	0·3	—
	Santhal Parganas.	Naya Dumka	29·676	29·419	29·559	30·030	+·040	None	20	85·9	51·0	81·3	60·4	70·9	+0·4	83	—	0·7	—
Orissa.	Sambalpur	Sambalpur ...	29·689	29·406	29·584	30·038	+·036	N81°E	68	87·1	54·7	83·7	61·5	72·6	+0·5	79	—	1·4	—
	Angul	Angul ...	29·697	29·447	29·595	30·027	—	N59°W	83	90·6	53·6	84·7	61·3	73·0	—	79	—	1·1	—
	Cuttack	Cuttack ...	30·084	29·834	29·979	30·006	+·037	S87°W	28	90·4	59·1	85·1	66·4	75·7	+0·2	83	+10	2·3	−0·7
		False Point ...	30·136	29·905	30·039	30·002	+·039	N38°W	76	89·1	55·6	83·8	65·7	74·8	+0·8	82	+1	2·5	0
	Balasore	Balasore ...	30·111	29·852	30·010	30·004	+·026	N34°W	38	88·9	58·1	84·5	63·6	74·1	+0·8	77	—	1·7	—
	Puri	Puri ...	30·147	29·909	30·046	30·009	+·047	N5°W	194	89·1	61·6	85·0	69·1	77·1	—	80	—	0·5	—
	Ganjam	Gopalpur ...	30·093	29·853	29·997	30·010	+·046	N31°W	242	87·7	60·0	83·8	68·7	75·3	+0·3	79	—	1·1	—
		Calingapatam	30·114	29·908	30·039	29·988	—	N47°W	186	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chota Nagpur.	Hazaribagh	Hazaribagh ...	28·104	27·880	28·012	30·024	+·032	S63°W	98	83·7	53·3	78·0	58·6	68·3	+0·7	64	+5	0·7	−1·7
	Ranchi	Ranchi ...	27·989	27·760	27·898	30·037	+·032	N86°W	130	82·6	54·0	77·3	59·3	68·3	+0·6	61	—	1·6	—
	Palamau	Daltonganj ...	29·425	29·168	29·311	30·040	—	S79°E	37	85·6	47·0	83·8	51·5	69·2	—	88	—	0·7	—
	Manbhum	Purulia ...	29·328	29·076	29·219	30·016	—	N80°W	82	87·0	55·1	83·1	61·4	72·3	—	78	—	1·5	—
	Singhbhum	Chaibassa ...	29·373	29·119	29·270	30·015	+·038	W	?	88·9	53·2	83·6	60·7	72·1	+0·1	83	—	1·5	—
Assam.	Dibrugarh	Dibrugarh ...	29·826	29·561	29·704	30·033	—	None	0	88·4	52·9	79·0	60·9	70·0	—	91	—	2·6	—
	Sibsagar	Sibsagar ...	29·873	29·601	29·755	30·060	+·025	N66°W	38	82·6	52·2	77·5	60·3	68·9	−0·1	95	0	7·4	+2·9
	Tezpur	Tezpur ...	29·930	29·656	29·811	30·032	—	N45°E	46	86·6	56·0	80·9	62·7	71·8	—	90	—	3·1	—
	Kamrup	Gauhati ...	29·988	29·727	29·876	30·036	—	N79°E	61	87·0	53·6	81·9	61·5	71·7	—	93	—	6·9	—
	Goalpara	Dhubri ...	30·037	29·773	29·930	30·006	+·011	N82°E	139	85·1	59·8	80·4	64·1	72·2	+0·8	88	+2	0·5	−0·6
	Cachar	Silchar ...	30·036	29·830	29·943	30·003	+·024	None	13	87·5	56·9	84·5	63·8	74·2	−0·1	87	+3	3·4	−0·4
	Khasia and Jaintia Hills (c).	Shillong ...	25·334	25·146	25·242	25·194	—	None	5	69·9	49·7	65·9	47·6	56·8	—	75	—	3·1	—
		Cherrapunji	25·888	25·652	25·793	25·744	—	N58°E	32	71·7	51·3	67·6	54·6	61·1	—	73	—	2·8	—

(a) Mean of 29 days. (b) Mean of 21 days. c) Mean of 28 days.

SUMMARY ON THE METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS TAKEN IN BENGAL AND IN EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1906.

At the end of October a depression, which formed over the Andamans, advanced towards the Circars and was in the neighbourhood of Cocanada on the morning of the 20th. It passed inland on the morning of the 30th, giving abundant rain over the Circars coast. The rainfall initiated by this depression continued for the first three days of the month, but gradually diminished, and was confined chiefly to the south-eastern districts of Eastern Bengal and Assam, Bengal, Orissa and Chota Nagpur. On the 4th Dibrugarh reported rain, but over the rest of the area no precipitation occurred during the remainder of the first week. During the second week, with the exception of a few showers in Assam, no rain fell over the reporting area. In the Bay a low pressure area appeared on the 9th of the month over the south-east of the Bay. This subsequently extended, and, becoming better defined, reached its greatest development on the 14th, and was then situated over the sea area in close proximity to the land. The weather was consequently somewhat disturbed during this period in the south-west of the Bay, but over the remaining area was very little affected. During the third week of the month Shillong was the only station that reported rain, and skies were generally clear, except for a little cloud in Bihar, Chota Nagpur and the Coast districts. In the south-west of the Bay conditions remained somewhat unsettled. Towards the end of the week, however, the pressure distribution became practically normal. During the last week of the month practically no rain fell. Light cloud occurred on most days in Orissa, and towards the close of the month it extended into Bengal and Assam. In the Bay weather was again somewhat disturbed owing to the formation of a low pressure area over the south, giving heavy rain on the Coromandel coast and in the Bay Islands.

Summary of temperature.—Weather was unusually warm over the whole of the reporting area. The highest temperature recorded during the month was 90°·6 at Angul and the lowest 47° at Palamau.

The following table gives the summary of the temperature of each of the seven Meteorological Divisions of the Provinces of Bengal and of Eastern Bengal and Assam for the month of November 1906:—

TEMPERATURE.

Meteorological Division.	Highest observed during month.	Lowest observed during month.	*Average for month.*			Average mean of month above or below normal mean of month.
			Of highest of each day.	Of lowest of each day.	Of mean for each day.	
Bengal	87·6	55·2	83·3	65·0	74·2	+ 1·0
Eastern Bengal, North	87·3	55·4	82·4	63·0	72·7	+ 1·1
Eastern Bengal, South	88·4	59·0	83·5	65·8	74·4	+ 0·7
Bihar	90·0	51·0	83·7	60·1	71·9	+ 1·1
Orissa	90·6	53·6	84·4	64·9	74·7	+ 0·3
Chota Nagpur*	88·9	47·0	80·6	58·3	69·5	+ 0·5
Assam	87·5	52·2	80·7	62·2	71·5	+ 0·1

* Purulia not included.

Summary of rainfall.—The rainfall work of the Province has been placed in the hands of the Director of Agriculture, Bengal, and the usual data regarding the actual and normal rainfall during the month are published by that Department. A short table, however, is attached to this report giving the rainfall recorded during the month at the head-quarters of the various districts of the Province.

Rainfall fell short of the small amount usually expected during this month everywhere, except in the southern districts of Eastern Bengal, where a slight excess was recorded.

Actual and average rainfall and departure from normal for November 1906.

Meteorological Division.	District.	Station.	Actual.	Normal.	Departure from normal.
Bengal.	Burdwan	Burdwan	Nil	0·64	— 0·64
		Raniganj	0·18	0·54	— 0·36
	Bankura	Bankura	0·17	0·51	— 0·34
	Midnapore	Midnapore	0·25	0·56	— 0·31
	24-Parganas	Sangor Island	0·21	1·31	— 1·10
	Calcutta	Calcutta	0·35	0·62	— 0·27
	Nadia	Krishnagar	0·17	0·74	— 0·57
	Murshidabad	Berhampore	0·40	0·40	0
	Jessore	Jessore	3·02	1·18	+ 1·84
Eastern Bengal, North	Rajshahi	Rampur Boalia	3·35	0·31	+ 3·04
	Dinajpur	Dinajpur	0·40	0·16	+ 0·24
	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri	Nil	0·14	— 0·14
	Darjeeling	Darjeeling	0·18	0·24	— 0·06
	Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar	Nil	0·14	— 0·14
	Rangpur	Rangpur	0·05	0·24	— 0·19
	Bogra	Bogra	0·55	0·82	— 0·27
	Pabna	Sirajganj	0·44	0·55	— 0·11
Eastern Bengal, South	Dacca	Narayanganj	1·85	1·27	+ 0·58
	Mymensingh	Mymensingh	0·32	0·76	— 0·44
	Faridpur	Faridpur	2·79	1·03	+ 1·76
	Backergunge	Barisal	1·03	1·02	+ 0·01
	Tippera	Cohilla	2·59	1·19	+ 1·40
	Noakhali	Noakhali	2·19	1·61	+ 0·58
	Chittagong	Chittagong	2·78	1·49	+ 1·29
Bihar	Patna	Bankipore	Nil	0·20	— 0·20
	Gaya	Gaya	Nil	0·27	— 0·27
	Shahabad	Debri	Nil	0·28	— 0·28
		Buxar	Nil	0·38	— 0·38
		Arrah	Nil	0·21	— 0·21
	Saran	Chapra	Nil	0·25	— 0·25
	Champaran	Motihari	Nil	0·12	— 0·12
	Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	Nil	0·12	— 0·12
	Darbhanga	Darbhanga	Nil	0·07	— 0·07
	Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur	Nil	0·17	— 0·17
	Purnea	Purnea	Nil	0·07	— 0·07
	Malda	Malda	0·68	0·22	+ 0·46
	Sonthal Parg	Naya Dumka	0·40	0·31	+ 0·09
Orissa	Sambalpur	Sambalpur	0·16	0·42	— 0·26
	Angul	Angul	0·67	1·22	— 0·55
	Cuttack	Cuttack	0·90	1·36	— 0·46
		False Point	0·16	2·74	— 2·58
	Balasore	Balasore	0·51	1·18	— 0·67
	Puri	Puri	0·31	2·68	— 2·37
Chota Nagpur	Hazaribagh	Hazaribagh	0·13	0·30	— 0·17
	Ranchi	Ranchi	0·02	0·31	— 0·29
	Palamau	Daltonganj	0·04	0·35	— 0·31
	Manbhum	Purulia	0·26	0·24	+ 0·02
	Singhbhum	Chaibassa	1·77	0·40	+ 1·37

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
The 18th December 1906.

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Districts.	Population under registration.	Births.		Deaths.																Average of corresponding month of previous five years.		Remarks.
				Cholera.		Small-pox.		Plague.		Fever.		Dysentery and Diarrhœa.		Respiratory diseases.		Injury.		Other causes.		Total of all causes.				
		Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	
rdwan	1,532,475	4,156	32·52	13	·09	116	·84	...	...	3,597	28·08	99	·72	13	·09	40	·24	753	5·76	4,628	36·12	4,151	32·40	
bhum	902,280	2,429	32·28	83	1·08	3	·03	...	...	2,940	39·00	9	·70	5	·06	20	·24	297	3·84	3,357	44·64	2,201	29·16	
ikura	1,116,411	2,972	31·92	14	·12	2	·01	...	...	1,664	19·92	31	·24	17	·12	22	·12	516	5·52	2,466	26·40	2,847	30·60	
napore	3,789,114	7,209	30·96	638	2·64	40	·12	...	...	5,802	24·96	211	·84	66	·24	103	·36	1,315	5·64	8,165	35·04	7,238	31·08	
ghly, including Serampore.	1,049,282	2,984	34·08	136	1·44	15	·12	...	...	2,111	24·12	157	1·68	43	·48	48	·48	541	6·12	3,051	34·80	3,520	40·20	
wrah	850,514	2,522	35·52	96	1·32	29	·36	2	·02	905	12·72	258	3·60	45	·60	40	·48	551	7·44	1,906	26·88	2,351	33·12	
Parganas	2,078,359	5,658	32·64	197	1·08	56	·24	...	...	3,409	19·68	175	·96	42	·24	126	·72	805	4·56	4,810	27·72	4,572	26·28	
cutta	847,796	1,509	21·24	137	1·92	9	·12	43	·48	362	5·04	212	3·00	355	4·92	50	·60	954	13·44	2,121	30·00	1,911	27·00	
dia	1,667,491	3,558	32·96	2	·01	2	·01	...	...	4,871	35·04	12	·08	2	·01	129	·84	754	5·40	5,772	41·52	7,195	51·72	
rshidabad	1,333,134	5,146	46·20	36	·24	16	·12	...	...	3,631	32·64	12	·10	3	·02	61	·48	639	5·64	4,398	39·48	5,246	47·16	
ore	1,813,185	5,387	35·64	31	·12	1	·006	...	...	5,217	34·44	25	·12	9	·04	89	·48	610	3·96	5,983	39·48	6,172	40·80	
ulna	1,253,043	5,016	48·00	381	3·60	1	·008	...	...	3,075	29·40	106	·96	2	·01	54	·48	1,168	11·16	4,787	45·84	3,996	38·16	
ia	1,624,925	8,233	60·72	161	1·08	20	·12	205	1·44	2,799	20·64	490	3·60	161	1·08	127	·84	2,174	15·96	6,137	45·24	6,037	44·52	
ya	2,059,988	12,040	70·08	161	·84	3	·01	12	·06	5,994	34·80	83	·48	3	·01	138	·72	1,606	9·24	7,990	46·44	8,185	37·64	
habad	1,968,686	10,676	65·16	585	3·48	1	·006	42	·24	6,948	42·48	24	·12	3	·01	77	·36	1,883	11·40	9,563	58·44	8,529	52·08	
ia	2,409,589	5,926	32·96	636	3·00	2	·009	191	·84	8,901	19·32	229	1·08	75	·36	197	·96	3,292	16·32	8,513	42·36	6,972	36·68	
mparana	1,790,468	7,421	49·62	1,757	11·64	4	·02	1	·006	4,714	31·56	12	·07	...	...	98	·60	1,657	10·32	8,123	54·36	5,008	33·48	
dalterpur	2,754,799	10,389	47·40	5,455	23·64	6	·02	5	·01	6,774	29·40	94	·36	...	...	151	·60	1,562	6·72	14,047	61·08	8,721	37·92	
bhanga	2,912,611	9,689	32·64	1,978	8·04	...	...	...	...	6,849	28·20	149	·60	...	...	151	·60	1,094	4·44	10,231	42·00	7,817	33·36	
ghyr	2,068,994	3,648	50·16	737	4·20	16	·08	15	·08	6,418	37·20	67	·36	4	·01	137	·72	1,403	8·04	8,797	51·00	7,152	41·40	
galpur	2,088,983	3,318	47·16	4,236	24·60	39	·12	3	·01	6,532	37·44	32	·12	...	...	91	·48	801	4·56	11,796	67·68	6,245	35·76	
rbhum	1,574,794	7,686	49·08	799	5·04	45	·24	...	...	6,013	38·40	7	·03	...	...	47	·24	164	·96	7,075	45·24	5,658	36·12	
rjeeling	249,117	714	34·32	99	4·68	9	·36	...	...	815	39·24	110	5·28	2	·09	10	·48	215	10·32	1,260	60·60	816	39·24	
thal Parganas ...	1,809,737	6,354	42·12	175	1·08	19	·12	...	...	4,901	32·40	81	·48	2	·01	52	·24	355	2·28	5,535	36·96	4,083	27·00	
tnak	2,062,752	8,456	49·08	121	·60	5	·02	...	...	2,340	13·56	544	3·12	55	·24	125	·72	1,591	9·24	4,781	27·72	5,258	30·36	
nsore	1,071,197	3,047	34·08	90	·96	31	·24	...	...	2,412	15·72	197	2·16	2	·01	76	·84	1,359	15·12	3,167	35·40	2,870	32·04	
ri	1,017,284	3,659	43·08	38	·36	160	1·80	...	...	675	7·92	324	3·72	129	1·44	57	·60	958	11·28	2,341	27·60	2,039	24·00	
alpur	636,880	2,006	37·68	5	·08	...	...	...	...	514	9·60	105	1·92	43	·72	24	·36	401	7·44	1,092	20·52	Data not available.		
ul and Khondmals ...																								
ngbagh	1,177,961	5,690	57·96	84	·84	3	·02	...	...	2,928	29·76	18	·12	4	·03	69	·60	789	7·92	3,895	39·60	2,939	29·76	Not under registration.
ahi	1,187,826	4,960	50·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,216	22·32	191	1·92	2	·01	50	·48	918	9·12	3,372	33·96	2,531	25·56	
aman	619,000	3,404	65·88	2	·03	2	·03	...	...	2,103	40·68	5	·09	1	·01	25	·48	509	9·84	3,647	51·24	1,864	36·00	
nbhum	1,201,364	4,126	37·92	88	·72	3	·02	...	...	1,797	16·56	17	·12	1	·008	29	·24	498	4·44	2,429	29·52	2,115	19·44	
ubbhum	613,579	2,253	43·44	1	·01	...	...	...	...	989	19·32	9	·12	...	...	27	·48	136	2·64	1,163	22·68	1,041	20·28	
Total ...	50,538,944	186,721	44·28	13,994	4·44	688	·12	518	·12	115,416	27·36	4,095	·96	1,099	·24	2,59[illegible]	[illegible]	32,130	7·56	175,490	41·64	147,983	35·40	
l, excluding Sambalpur district	49,291,164	184,715	44·40	13,969	4·56	688	·12	518	·12	114,902	27·60	3,990	·84	1,046	·24	2,506	·60	31,[illegible]	7·56	174,338	41·88	...	...	
rage of the corresponding month of previous five years	.....	180,660	43·44	9,122	2·16	518	·12	Data not available.		101,498	24·36	3,959	·84	Data not available.		2,238	·48	28,872	6·96	147,983	35·40	...	...	
ference + or — ...	.....	+6,055	+·96	+9,867	+2·40	+140	Equal			+13,404	+3·24	+31	Equal			+268	+·12	+2,867	+·60	+27,075	+6·48	...	...	

SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL,

The 15th December 1906.

F. C. CLARKSON, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,

Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Vital Statistics of Towns in Bengal with a population of 20,000 and over during the month of October 1906

Towns.	Population under registration.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.																AVERAGE OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS FIVE YEARS.		Remarks.
				Cholera.		Small-pox.		Plague.		Fever.		Dysentery and Diarrhœa.		Respiratory diseases.		Injury.		Other causes.		Total of all causes.				
		Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.		
1 Burdwan	35,266	61	20·64	1	·24	...	...	...	...	49	16·56	19	6·36	...	...	3	·96	16	5·40	88	29·82	113	38·40	
2. Bankura	20,757	44	25·44	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	10·92	3	1·68	...	...	...	...	11	6·36	33	19·08	36	20·76	
3. Midnapore	38,140	61	29·05	22	7·92	...	...	...	...	67	24·24	10	3·60	1	·36	...	...	11	6·36	33	19·08	111	40·08	
4. Hooghly and Chinsura	19,383	58	23·64	13	5·28	...	...	...	...	31	12·60	9	3·60	5	2·04	2	·72	8	2·88	110	39·72	146	60·36	
5. Serampore	44,451	97	26·16	33	8·88	...	...	...	...	51	13·68	17	4·56	5	1·32	1	·24	32	5·88	129	34·80	159	40·44	
6. Howrah	157,594	321	24·36	22	1·56	2	·12	2	·12	164	12·48	52	3·84	11	·72	5	·36	96	7·20	354	26·88	519	39·48	
7. Cossipore-Chitpur ...	40,750	31	2·12	2	·48	...	...	...	...	18	5·28	2	·48	...	...	...	...	1	·24	23	6·72	32	9·36	
8. Maniktala	32,357	43	15·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	6·24	3	1·08	...	...	...	...	7	2·52	27	9·96	27	9·96	
9. South Suburban ...	36,374	69	31·32	6	2·64	...	...	...	...	51	23·16	3	1·32	1	·36	3	1·32	11	4·92	75	34·08	71	32·28	
10. Garden Reach ...	28,211	40	16·92	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	6·72	3	1·20	...	...	1	·36	3	1·20	23	9·72	58	24·44	
11. Barnagore	25,432	41	19·32	4	1·80	...	...	...	...	23	10·32	9	4·20	3	1·32	3	1·32	14	6·60	55	25·92	58	25·92	
12. Bhatpara	21,540	53	29·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	18·84	...	...	...	...	4	2·16	16	8·88	54	30·00	53	29·52	
13. Calcutta	847,796	1,509	21·24	137	1·92	9	·12	42	·48	362	5·04	212	3·00	235	4·92	60	·60	954	13·44	2,121	30·00	1,911	27·00	
14. Krishnagar	24,547	20	9·72	1	·48	...	...	...	...	20	9·72	2	·96	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	11·16	58	28·32	
15. Santipur	26,696	70	31·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	51	22·68	4	1·68	...	...	2	·84	7	3·12	64	28·44	78	34·68	
16. Berhampore	24,397	56	27·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	72	35·40	3	1·44	...	...	1	·48	3	·96	78	38·28	103	50·64	
17. Patna City	134,785	400	35·52	66	5·76	1	·08	2	·12	108	9·60	44	3·84	10	·84	7	·60	159	14·04	387	35·28	511	45·48	
18. Bihar	45,063	123	32·64	1	·24	...	...	...	...	14	3·72	6	1·32	5	1·32	5	1·32	27	7·08	57	15·12	122	32·40	
19. Dinapore	33,699	50	17·76	2	·60	...	...	...	...	16	5·64	2	·60	2	·60	1	·24	19	6·72	42	14·88	81	28·80	
20. Gaya	71,288	239	40·20	5	·84	1	·12	3	·48	175	29·40	40	6·72	3	·48	7	1·08	43	7·20	277	46·56	354	59·52	
21. Arrah	46,170	100	25·92	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	3·84	2	·48	3	·72	1	·24	7	1·80	28	7·20	84	21·72	
22. Sasaram	23,644	99	50·16	1	·48	...	...	...	...	44	22·32	1	·48	...	...	2	·96	12	6·00	60	30·36	69	34·92	
23. Chapra	45,901	135	35·28	10	2·52	...	...	...	...	37	9·60	8	2·04	3	·72	4	·96	87	14·88	119	31·08	145	37·80	
24. Bettiah	24,606	78	37·80	12	5·76	...	...	...	...	58	28·08	3	1·44	...	...	1	·48	12	5·76	86	41·76	64	31·08	
25. Muzaffarpur	45,617	102	26·76	1	·24	...	...	...	...	28	7·32	...	...	...	...	4	·96	54	14·16	87	22·80	133	34·92	
26. Hajipur	21,398	76	42·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	7·20	1	·48	...	...	1	·48	22	12·24	37	20·64	77	43·08	
27. Darbhanga	66,244	185	33·48	1	·12	...	...	...	...	43	7·68	12	2·16	...	...	3	·48	83	15·00	142	25·68	198	35·76	
28. Monghyr	35,889	156	52·08	2	·60	...	...	...	...	34	11·28	19	6·24	4	1·32	1	·24	47	15·60	107	35·76	183	61·20	
29. Bhagalpur	75,769	140	22·08	1	·12	3	·36	3	·36	88	13·92	18	2·76	...	...	7	1·08	27	4·20	147	23·28	153	24·12	
30. Cuttack	51,364	114	26·52	...	...	1	·12	...	...	33	7·68	14	3·24	1	·12	...	...	22	5·04	71	16·56	113	26·28	
31. Balasore	20,880	28	16·08	8	4·56	...	...	...	...	15	8·52	9	5·16	...	...	...	...	10	5·64	43	24·12	33	18·36	
32. Puri	49,334	65	15·72	7	1·68	...	...	...	...	34	8·16	16	3·84	1	·24	4	·96	65	15·72	127	30·24	118	28·68	
33. Ranchi	23,810	65	32·64	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	7·44	...	...	...	...	1	·48	21	10·56	37	18·60	21	10·56	
Total of all towns with a population of 20,000 and over	2,284,496	4,729	25·32	358	1·80	17	·08	52	·24	1,814	9·72	545	2·88	413	2·16	127	·60	1,865	9·96	5,191	27·84	5,976	32·04	
Average of corresponding month of previous five years	.....	4,896	26·28	469	2·16	6	·02	Data not available.		2,374	12·72	653	3·48	Data not available.		113	·60	2,098	10·92	5,976	32·04	...	...	
Difference + or —	.....	.....	.....	−63	−·36	+11	+·06			−560	−3·00	+108	−·60			+14	Equal.	−173	−·96	−785	−4·20	...	...	

ANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR BENGAL.

F. C. CLARKSON, LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1906-07.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of October 1906.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilized	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	Details of areas leased.							Rainfall, 1906-07.		Rainfall, 1905-06.		Remarks.
								Long-term leases.	Season leases.				Grand Total.		During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.	
									Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.						
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
Orissa	Cuttack	Taldanda system	1,342	1,176	952	69,857	60,786	51,643	18,161	1	49	3	18,214	69,857	8·01	51·30	4·48	48·56	Average rainfall of Kulsai, Balia and Jagatsingpur.
		Kendrapara do.	1,995	1,660	1,315	95,782	83,872	81,326	14,456	...	...	...	14,456	95,782	7·66	43·94	5·14	41·65	Average rainfall of Kendupatna, Marsaghai, Kendrapara, Nurtang and Ichapur.
		High Level, Range I	608	520	388	27,281	23,460	25,093	2,153	...	35	...	2,188	27,281	4·89	39 30	3·14	36·29	Average rainfall of Cuttack and Jenapur.
		Ditto, Range II	738	110	50	5,775	5,772	5,770	5	...	...	...	5	5,775	6·00	37·05	3·58	40·64	Average rainfall of Jenapur and Akhoyapada.
		Jajpur Canal	700	321	278	17,841	15,491	14,989	2,855	...	35	13	2,903	17,892	4·44	38·43	3·79	43·67	Jajpur.
	Balasore	Dudhai Canal	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	
		High Level, Range III	728	557	388	44,990	42,137	39,262	5,204	...	190	400	5,794	44,046	5·05	46·47	2·53	40·74	Akhoyapada.
		Total Orissa Canals ...	...	...	...	260,627	231,718	217,083	(a)42,834	1	309	416	43,551	260,634	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	183,290	47,814	...	221	426	48,463	231,753	...	...	...	...	
South-Western	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	437	353	55,756	65,082	50,875	4,692	...	...	...	4,692	55,567	4·19	46·87	2·15	54·24	
	Howrah	Panchkura	522	95	64	3,894	3,042	4,721	...	...	...	...	...	4,721	7·83	44·80	2·78	49·03	
		Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II	...	...	...	106	107	134	...	...	...	...	...	134	3·85	37·85	4·87	57·77	
		Total Midnapore Canal ...	...	...	...	59,755	68,231	55,730	(b)4,692	...	...	...	692	60,422	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	69,042	5,023	...	...	...	5,023	74,065	...	...	...	...	
	Burdwan and Hooghly.	Eden Canal	1,000	120	85	21,542	24,243	20,905	(c)356	5	..	...	361	21,266	6·73	54·27	4·96	71·39	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	23,553	380	4	...	...	384	23,937	...	...	...	...	

(a) Includes 42,777 acres under "Provisional lease."
(b) Covering lease.
(c) Includes 241 acres "under one flushing."

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilised.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to same date last year.	Details of areas leased: Long-term leases.	Season leases: Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.	Grand Total.	Rainfall, 1906-07: During month.	Rainfall, 1906-07: Up to end of month.	Rainfall, 1905-06: During month.	Rainfall, 1905-06: Up to end of month.	Remarks.
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
	Shahabad	Western Main	4,342	3,786	252	25,734	25,223	18,538	5,774	2,443	...	617	8,834	27,372	2·13	31·50	0·60	37·50	
	Shahabad	Buxar	1,286	1,256	1,141	111,506	107,867	86,788	16,906	3,255	...	6,489	26,650	113,438					
	Shahabad	Arrah	2,000	2,270	2,212	159,794	183,697	139,569	28,973	7,645	...	14,562	51,080	190,649	0·93	35·24	0·12	36·19	
	Patna and Gaya	Eastern Main	1,466	1,781	1,632	3,846	3,787	3,223	614	19	...	36	668	3,891	2·14	30·26	0·10	45·12	
	Patna and Gaya	Patna				103,838	96,466	72,093	25,057	2,475	...	6,334	33,866	105,959					
		Total Some Canals	...	...	...	404,708	417,045	330,311	77,224	15,836	...	28,038	121,098	441,309	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	345,917	37,819	3,127	...	25,704	66,707	412,624	...	...	...	...	
	Champaran	Tenr Canal	174	37	30	1,725*	...	...	1,552	...	..	102	1,654	1,654	0·25	66·27	0·26	80·54	
	Champaran	Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Champaran	Dhaka Canal	300	98	41	4,631	...	...	5,906	...	...	223	6,129	6,129	3·78	67·38	0·09	63·62	
	Champaran	Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Saran	Saran Canals	Canals closed.																
		Grand Total	...	...	...	753,968	741,337	613,939	132,564	15,842	300	28,779	177,485	791,424	...	...	...	...	
		Grand Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	621,802	91,036	3,191	221	26,129	120,577	742,379	...	...	...	...	

* Includes 275 acres for Madhuban Babu's *zeerat* land.

CALCUTTA,
The 16th December 1906.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract Statement showing Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works for the month of October 1906, as compared with that of the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	Tollage, 1906-07.		Tollage, 1905-06.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
Orissa Canals.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Taldanda Canal System	943 4 3	8,614 2 3	1,105 7 0	10,433 0 3
Kendrapara ditto	2,739 2 6	16,225 1 8	2,704 13 9	16,292 7 0
High Level, Range, I	634 4 3	4,872 10 0	842 0 9	6,830 3 7
Ditto, II	205 14 3	1,115 10 9	110 3 0	951 11 0
Ditto, III	60 15 3	315 1 8	24 5 3	304 15 6
Jajpur Canal ...	92 5 0	299 1 3	23 8 3	348 5 3
Total Orissa Canals ...	4,675 13 6	31,441 11 7	4,810 6 0	35,160 10 7
Midnapore Canal ...	4,266 6 6	33,407 12 9	6,000 5 6	44,240 14 6
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	7,093 10 9	51,212 3 3	5,779 14 0	44,570 11 3
Sone Canals.				
Patna Canal System ...	1,237 9 6	13,144 3 1	1,528 10 7	11,139 1 10
Arrah ditto ...	307 6 6	5,268 8 10	454 11 10	3,990 0 11
Buxar ditto ...	922 14 0	9,011 7 9	655 10 6	3,926 2 3
Total Sone Canals ...	2,467 14 0	27,424 3 8	2,639 0 11	19,055 5 0
Grand Total ...	18,503 12 9	1,43,485 15 3	19,229 10 5	1,43,027 9 4

Calcutta,
The 17th December 1906.

W. A. Inglis,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL

Abstract Statement showing Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Minor Works and Navigation for the month of October 1906, as compared with that of the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	Tollage, 1906-07.		Tollage, 1905-06.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta and Eastern Canals	40,287 11 6	1,56,097 9 3	31,119 10 3	1,53,161 4 0
Tolly's Nala ...	6,559 5 9	41,818 4 3	8,885 10 0	56,569 2 8
Madaripur Bhil Route ...	9,656 13 6	56,149 12 3	9,335 9 0	41,884 9 6
Total ..	56,503 14 9	2,54,065 9 9	49,340 13 3	2,51,615 0 2
Orissa Coast Canal ...	3,973 2 9	21,885 9 6	2,774 7 3	16,365 13 0
Nadia Rivers ...	2,531 3 9	16,661 5 7	10,225 15 2	55,243 5 9
Grand Total ...	63,008 5 3	2,92,612 8 10	62,341 3 3	3,23,224 2 11

Calcutta,

W. A. Inglis,

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 15th December 1906, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 15th December 1906.			Week ending Saturday, the 16th December 1905.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy ...	493	31,095	430	570	57,870	785
Jute ...	720	2,31,750*	3,908	436	1,67,175†	2,780
Firewood	51	13,790	680	55	35,925	557
Other articles	593	1,88,727	2,349	815	2,20,874	3,118
Total	1,857	4,95,352	7,367	1,866	4,81,844	7,240

* Weight by canal measurement, 2,47,725 maunds.
† Ditto ditto 1,78,356 d .

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 9th to 15th December 1906.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Number of hours of bright sunshine.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fahr.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.			Wind.		Rains.	Weather.
					Mean.	Mean.	Range.		Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Velocity.		
1906.				Inches.					Inches.					Inches.	
Dec.	9th	131·8	7·2	30·058	66·2	78·0	21·7	56·3	60·4	0·431	55·0	67	NW by W, N and calm.	38	Nil	Partially cloudy,
"	10th	125·5	7·9	·031	66·1	77·6	21·1	56·5	61·5	·476	57·6	73	N by W and calm	49		Chiefly clear,
	11th	128·8	7·7	·008	67·1	78·2	20·3	57·9	61·9	·470	57·2	69	N by W, ESE and calm.			Clear, ⌓..
"	12th	130·9	7·9	·027	67·0	79·4	22·9	56·5	62·2	·485	58·0	72	SSW and calm	18		Clear,
	13th	140·5	7·4	·049	70·1	82·3	22·5	59·8	63·4	·489	58·3	68	SE by E, NNW and calm.	25		Partially cloudy, ⌓.
	14th	126·7	3·7	29·997	70·0	79·3	16·6	62·7	65·7	·574	62·8	78	S by E, SW by W and calm.	14		Chiefly cloudy,
	15th	125·1	7·1	·948	67·9	78·0	18·2	59·8	63·2	·506	59·3	72	NNE, N and calm	32		Partially cloudy,

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	30·017
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	30·026
	Hours.
The total number of hours of bright sunshine	48·9
The maximum possible number of hours of sunshine	75 1
The mean temperature of the seven days	67·8
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	68·0
The extreme variation of temperature	26 0
The maximum temperature	82 3
	Miles.
The highest velocity of the wind in one hour	7
	%
The mean relative humidity	71
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	71
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 9th to 15th December 1906	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	0·03
The total fall from 1st January to 15th December 1906	57·19
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, Surveyor-General's Office	65·34

The mean pressure, temperature, etc., are deduced from eye observations.

The maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected to those of the standard, Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The directions and the movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground. The rainfall reported on any day is for 24 hours preceding 8 A.M. of that day.

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C. W. PEAKE,
for *Director-General of Observatories*.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, GOVT. OF INDIA,
Alipore (Calcutta), the 17th December 1906.

BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

Statement of goods traffic for the month of September 1906, compared with the corresponding period in 1905.

Description of Goods.	1906.		1905.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	119	1,810	98	2,008	.....	198	21	.....	
II.—Coal and coke carried for the Public and Foreign Railways.	2,809	3,643	3,061	3,700	253	... ..	.....	963	
III.—Cotton—									
1. Raw	125	1,096	103	901	.....	.....	22	195	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) } Twist and (b) } yarn. { European	57	757	39	495	.....	.....	18	262	
{ Indian ...	878	6,392	618	6,905	46	413	.....	.....	
(c) } Piece-goods { European	1,351	13,709	1,228	12,016	.....	.....	123	1,694	
(d) } { Indian ...	497	5,057	621	5,871	124	814	.....	.....	
(e) Others	17	155	10	135	.....	.....	7	20	
IV.—Chemicals, excepting saltpetre	121	144	236	71	115	.....	.....	73	
V.—Drugs—									
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.	7	94	2	35	.....	.....	5	59	
2. Non-intoxicating—									
(a) Medicinal preparations.	6	34	12	170	6	136	.....	.....	
(b) Others	774	2,738	1,058	4,874	284	1,076	.....	.....	
VI.—Dyes and Tans—									
1. Al (Morinda citrifolia)	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	
2. Alizarine and aniline dyes.	2	17	2	29	.....	12	.....	.....	
3. Cutch	23	126	8	70	.....	.....	15	56	
4. Indigo	1	8	1	11	.....	3	.....	.....	
5. Myrabolams	14	117	11	110	.....	.....	3	7	
6. Tanning barks	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
7. Turmeric	264	2,026	192	1,447	.....	.....	72	1,179	
8. Others	42	335	37	360	.....	25	5	.....	
VII.—Fodder—									
1. Oilcake	419	1,696	312	823	.....	.....	107	873	
2. Hay, straw and grass ...	133	13,473	198	419	16	13,593	.....	.....	Adjustment of Tibet Mission traffic.
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh	230	1,074	951	5,331	721	4,247	.....	.....	
IX.—Grain and Pulse—									
1. Gram and pulse ...	8,564	29,390	13,460	46,434	4,896	17,034	.....	.....	
2. Jawar and bajra ...	63	103	230	1,690	168	1,587	.....	.....	
3. } Rice { in the husk ...	2,642	7,387	3,183	8,923	540	1,536	.....	.....	Increase due to demand in Tirhoot and famine in Eastern Bengal.
4. } { not in the husk	15,849	68,910	17,083	59,074	1,434	.....	.....	9,836	
5. Wheat	10,764	41,938	10,861	58,358	97	16,420	.....	.....	
6. Wheat-flour	388	1,864	384	3,103	26	1,239	.....	.....	
7. Makai	6,140	23,246	4,210	15,354	.....	.....	1,939	7,892	Less export due to heavy rain.
8. Others	6,563	24,342	14,295	71,909	7,432	47,567	.....	.....	
X.—Hides and Skins—									
1. Hides of cattle—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
(b) Raw	366	2,510	715	4,421	349	1,911	.....	.....	
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—									
(a) Dressed or tanned	4	29	2	44	.....	15	2	.....	
(b) Raw	337	2,149	372	1,916	45	.....	.....	233	
XI.—Horns	21	140	6	35	.....	.....	15	105	
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	11	35	65	435	54	399	.....	.....	
XIII.—Jute—									
1. Raw	163	1,060	282	1,585	120	525	.....	.....	
2. Gunny-bags and cloth	1,378	6,998	974	4,762	.....	.....	404	2,236	
XIV.—Lac	207	1,222	178	1,205	.....	.....	29	87	
XV.—Leather—									
1. Unwrought	21	81	14	43	.....	.....	7	38	
2. Wrought, excepting boots and shoes.	2	24	9	34	7	10	.....	.....	
XVI.—Liquors—									
1. Ale and Beer	2	15	2	10	.....	.....	.....	26	
2. Spirits of all kinds, including country spirits.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
3. Wine	19	132	23	211	4	89	.....	.....	
4. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
XVII.—Metals—									
1. Brass, unwrought ...	21	151	17	175	.....	24	4	.....	
2. ,, wrought ...	111	861	141	1,080	30	219	.....	.....	
3. Copper, unwrought ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
4. ,, wrought ...	8	90	14	153	6	63	.....	.....	
5. Iron and steel—									
(a) Cast	111	499	27	173	.....	.....	84	327	
(b) Unwrought ...	24	57	34	209	10	152	.....	.....	
(c) Wrought	758	4,194	918	5,496	159	1,302	.....	.....	
(d) Manufactures ...	246	1,048	373	1,859	127	811	.....	.....	
6. Others	286	2,073	262	1,908	.....	.....	24	165	
XVIII.—Oils—									
1. Kerosine	2,471	9,787	1,616	6,568	.....	.....	855	3,219	
2. Castor	33	184	63	297	30	143	.....	.....	
3. Cocoanut	19	139	15	116	.....	.....	4	23	
4. Mustard and rape ...	54	569	148	1,233	94	664	.....	.....	
5. Others	26	201	20	165	.....	.....	10	136	

Description of Goods.	1905.		1906.		Increase.		Decrease.		Explanation of fluctuations by the Traffic Manager.
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.	
XIX.—Oilseeds—									
1. Castor	786	2,092	651	1,234			135	858	
2. Earthnuts	20	69	5	19			15	50	
3. Linseed	5,082	22,688	5,363	25,859	281	3,171			
4. Poppy	575	3,089	621	2,924	46				
5. Rape and mustard ...	2,182	8,873	1,914	7,741			268	1,132	
6. Til or jinjili	15	50	9	3			6	47	
7. Others	180	807	465	2,032	276	1,225			
XX.—Opium		107	20	6,372	13	6,265			
XXI.—Paper and Pasteboard ...		624	377	769	148	145			
XXII.—Provisions—									
1. Dried fruits and nuts ...	68	850	138	1,736		886			
2. Ghee	295	2,344	209	2,096				248	
3. Others	787	4,103	661	3,625				478	
XXIII.—Railway Plant and Rolling Stock carried for the Public and Foreign Railways—									
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.									
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.									
3. Materials—									
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.									
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.									
(c) Others ...	54	54	...				54	54	
XXIV.—Salt	8,178	33,138	7,276	27,831				5,307	
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—									
1. Saltpetre	905	3,214	1,233	4,752	268	1,538			
2. Other saline substances	485	1,912	474	2,062		150	11		
XXVI.—Silk—									
1. Raw—									
(a) Foreign									
(b) Indian									
2. Piece-goods—									
(a) Foreign									
(b) Indian									
XXVII.—Spices—									
1. Betelnuts	251	2,052		975			104	1,077	
2. Cardamoms	2	27						2	
3. Chillies ...	63	450	381	2,19	318	1,688			
4. Ginger ...	88	707	95	77	7	...		19	
5. Pepper ...	34	308	36	3	2	20			
6. Others ...	94	741	172	1,4	78	712			
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	2,533	4,50	1,463	4,65		152	1,070		
XXIX.—Sugar—									
1. Refined or crystallised, including sugarcandy.	229	1,224	667	3,12	438	1,9 3			
2. Unrefined—									
(a) Sugar	1,021	9,006	3,445	21,017	1,924	12,011			Demand in the Punjab.
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses and other saccharine produce.	2,716	14,725	2,204	9,058			512	5,667	
XXX.—Tea—									
1. Foreign									
2. Indian		75		58				17	
XXXI.—Tobacco—									
1. Unmanufactured	2,114	17,443	1,210	7,32			904	10,114	
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Cigars		152					8	152	
(b) Other sorts		181	34	32		143			
XXXII.—Wood—									
1. Timber, unwrought ...	810	2,739	575	1,55			235	1,185	
2. Logs	1,175	3,391	523	1,022			652	2,369	
3. Poles	20	77	42	92	22	15			
4. Manufactures	340	2,403	509	3,57	163	1,174			
XXXIII.—Wool—									
1. Raw		193							
2. Manufactured—									
(a) Carpets and rugs ...		108						99	
(b) Piece-goods { European		46						46	
(c) Piece-goods { Indian		259	12	15				105	
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.									
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—									
1. Indigo-seed	32	196	26	5				146	
2. Firewood ...	1,677	4,219	1,232	2,23				1,980	
3. Others, not specified above.	3,773	16,400	3,001	26,57		10,175			Adjustment of refund of charges.
Total	102,724	4,26,990	113,983	5,19,51	21,351	1,53,477	10,09	60,927	

T. SIDAL,
for Chief Auditor.

GORAKHPUR, *the 8th December 1906.*

BENGAL-NAGPUR RAILWAY.

Abstract of principal commodities carried during the month of August 1906, as compared with the corresponding period of previous year.

ARTICLES.	1906. Up.	1906. Down.	1905. Up.	1905. Down.	Total, 1906.	Total, 1905.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
I.—Apparel, including drapery, haberdashery, millinery, uniforms, accoutrements, boots and shoes.	12	7	15	5	19	20	.....	1
II.—Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways.	21,986	88,191	20,412	66,647	110,177	87,059	23,118	.....
III.—Cotton—								
1. Raw	70	385	37	535	455	572	.....	117
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Twist and yarn, European	1	301	1	210	302	211	91	.....
(b) Ditto, Indian ...	325	608	205	734	933	1,029	.....	96
(c) Piece-goods, European ...	318	367	227	184	685	411	274	.....
(d) Ditto, Indian ...	47	848	55	350	895	414	481	.....
(e) Otherse				1	.....	1	.....	1
IV.—Chemicals excepting saltpetre ...	16	5	17	2	21	19	2	.....
V.—Drugs—								
1. Intoxicating, other than opium.		5		2	5	2	3	.....
2. Non-intoxicating—								
(a) Medicinal preparations	4	1		.....	5	.....	5	.....
(b) Others	26			30	41	71	.....	30
VI.—Dyes and Tans—								
1. Al (morinda citrifolia) ...				.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Alizarine and aniline dyes				.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Cutch ...				5	4	7	.....	3
4. Indigo ...	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	1
5. Myrabolams	706	474	192	524	1,180	716	464	.....
6. Tanning barks	47	30	42	85	77	127	.....	50
7. Turmeric	102	98	100	163	200	263	.....	63
8. Others ...	76	20	54	15	96	69	27	.....
VII.—Fodder—								
1. Oilcake	438	31	235	103	469	338	131	.....
2. Hay, straw and grass ...	425	254	314	8	680	322	358	.....
VIII.—Fruits and vegetables, fresh ...	359	48	189	106	407	295	112	.....
IX.—Grain and Pulse—								
1. Gram and pulse ...	2,186	3,482	3,632	3,731	5,668	7,363	.....	1,695
2. Jowar and bajra ...	20	63	16	59	86	75	11	.....
3. Rice in the husk	810	9,801	2,693	3,664	10,701	6,357	4,344	.....
4. ,, not in the husk	3,352	15,882	8,068	6,285	19,234	15,193	4,041	.....
5. Wheat	2,080	2,231	2,450	1,396	4,311	3,776	535	.....
6. ,, flour	254	40	221	52	300	273	27	.....
7. Others	305	157	124	5	463	129	334	.....
X.—Hides and skins—								
1. Hides of cattle—								
(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Raw ...	224	530	219	350	754	569	185	.....
2. Skins of sheep and other animals—								
(a) Dressed or tanned	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Raw	13	5	9	22	18	31	.....	13
XI.—Horns	27	4	43	12	31	55	.....	24
XII.—Hemp (Indian) and other fibres, excluding jute.	90	47	15	5	137	20	117	.....
XIII.—Jute—								
1. Raw	58	15	103	1	73	104	.....	31
2. Gunny-bags and cloth ...	1,115	293	546	163	1,408	729	679	.....
XIV.—Lac	118	250	238	731	368	969	.....	601
XV.—Leather—								
1. Unwrought	51	49	46	31	110	77	33	.....
2. Wrought excepting boots and shoes.	1	1	1	.....	2	1	1	.....
XVI.—Liquors—								
1. Ale and beer	5	63	8	46	68	54	14	.....
2. Spirits of all kinds, including country spirit and wine.	57	83	48	48	140	96	44	.....
3. All other sorts, including toddy and fermented liquor, other than ale and beer.		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XVII.—Metals—								
1. Brass, unwrought	2	.....	2	.....	2	2	.....	.....
2. ,, wrought	68	80	373	67	154	440	.....	286
3. Copper, unwrought	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4. ,, wrought	16	4	8	6	20	14	6	.....
5. Iron and steel—								
(a) Cast	30	16	15	46	46	61	.....	15
(b) Unwrought	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	3	.....
(c) Wrought	998	923	390	600	1,921	990	931	.....
(d) Manufactures	90	60	76	73	150	149	1	.....
6. Others	21,811	585	11,802	1,077	22,396	12,879	9,517	.....
XVIII.—Oils—								
1. Kerosine	1,488	216	1,386	220	1,704	1,646	58	.....
2. Castor	8	53	6	77	61	83	8	.....
3. Cocoanut	43	13	43	26	56	79	.....	23
4. Mustard and rape	65	8	47	25	73	70	3	.....
5. Others	69	23	78	33	92	111	.....	19

ARTICLES.	1906. Up.	1906. Down.	1905. Up.	1905. Down.	Total, 1906.	Total, 1905.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
XIX.—Oilseeds—								
1. Castor	33	23	50	18	58	68	.....	10
2. Earthnuts	.....	.....	3	1	.....	4	.....	4
3. Linseed	1,014	436	609	286	1,450	895	555	.....
4. Poppy	7	.....	21	26	7	47	.....	40
5. Rape and mustard	277	108	147	91	385	238	147	.....
6. Til or jinjili	129	393	401	432	522	893	.....	371
7. Others	410	365	800	385	775	1,185	.....	410
XX.—Opium	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....
XXI.—Paper and pasteboard	73	3	51	14	76	68	8	.....
XXII.—Provisions—								
1. Dried fruits and nuts	631	298	498	387	919	885	34	.....
2. Ghee	39	133	36	234	172	270	.....	98
3. Others	158	140	140	163	298	303	.....	5
XXIII.—Railway plant and rolling-stock carried for the public and foreign railways—								
1. Locomotive engines and tenders and parts thereof.	.....	58	.....	.....	58	.....	58	.....
2. Carriages and trucks and parts thereof.	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....
3. Materials—								
(a) Steel rails and fish-plates.	140	386	1	230	526	231	295	.....
(b) Sleepers and keys of steel and cast-iron.	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	1
(c) Others	2,910	2,266	366	2,079	5,176	2,445	2,731	.....
XXIV.—Salt	1,603	2,635	2,072	2,585	4,238	4,657	.....	419
XXV.—Saltpetre and other saline substances—								
1. Saltpetre	1	.....	.....	1	1	1	.....	.....
2. Other saline substances	45	.....	.....	1	45	1	44	.....
XXVI.—Silk—								
1. Raw—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	3	7	11	7	10	18	.....	8
2. Piece-goods—								
(a) Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
XXVII.—Spices—								
1. Betelnuts	374	21	427	29	395	456	.....	61
2. Cardamoms	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3. Chillies	30	284	19	768	314	727	.....	413
4. Ginger	15	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	15	.....
5. Pepper	3	.....	.....	145	3	145	.....	142
6. Others	129	44	479	54	173	533	.....	360
XXVIII.—Stone and lime	1,235	6,205	346	5,380	7,440	5,726	1,714	.....
XXIX.—Sugar—								
1. Refined or crystallized, including sugarcandy.	485	111	315	179	596	494	102	.....
2. Unrefined—								
(a) Sugar	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	1
(b) Gur, rab, jaggery, molasses, and other saccharine produce.	165	133	326	211	298	537	.....	239
XXX.—Tea—								
1. Foreign	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Indian	29	8	17	16	37	33	4	.....
XXXI.—Tobacco—								
1. Unmanufactured	303	184	441	361	487	805	.....	318
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Cigars	1	7	1	1	8	1	7	.....
(b) Other sorts	42	33	33	27	80	60	20	.....
XXXII.—Wood—								
1. Timber, unwrought	740	2,519	702	2,161	3,259	2,923	336	.....
2. Manufactured	49	90	42	33	139	75	64	.....
XXXIII.—Wool—								
1. Raw	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2. Manufactured—								
(a) Carpets and rugs	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(b) Piece-goods, European	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(c) Ditto, Indian	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(d) Other sorts of manufactures.	1	1	1	.....	2	1	1	.....
XXXIV.—All other articles of merchandise—								
1. Firewood	1,925	1,200	1,492	1,514	3,125	3,006	119	.....
2. Bamboos	150	124	180	80	274	276	.....	2
3. Mohs	337	399	760	295	736	955	.....	219
4. Bones	61	78	35	164	139	199	.....	60
5. Others	1,471	936	1,861	1,025	2,407	2,886	.....	479
Total	75,431	146,445	68,557	107,834	221,876	176,391	52,214	6,729
					Net increase		45,485	.....

Calcutta, the 14th December 1906.

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Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st December 1906 on 2,094·73 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Other earnings (estimated).			Total earnings.			Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.								Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	A. P.	Mds.	S.	Rs. (a)	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.				
Total traffic for the week ...	422,215	4,17,501	0 0	61,36,222	0	11,70,903	0 0	33,533	0 0	16,21,997	0 0		130,616	274,470	335,086
Or per mile of railway	...	199	5 0	...		559	0 1	16	0 1	774	5 2		...	...	...
For previous 21 weeks of half-year	9,394,449*	89,56,860	0 0*	12,79,47,868	0†	2,13,47,260	0 0†	6,30,090	0 0‡	3,09,48,216	0 0		2,750,257§	3,065,024§	6,415,881
Total for 22 weeks ...	9,816,664	93,74,367	0 0	13,40,84,090	0	2,25,18,223	0 0	6,72,623	0 0	3,25,65,213	0 0		2,880,873	3,870,094	6,750,967
COMPARISON.															
Total for corresponding week of previous year	402,863	4,10,018	5 6	60,90,709	0	10,46,492	3 3	33,126	2 8	14,80,636	11 5		131,609	175,500	307,109
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...		199	14 5			510	3 6	16	2 5	726	4 4				
Total for corresponding 22½ weeks of previous year	9,301,294	94,58,698	7 6	13,12,73,846	0	2,07,23,131	8 3	6,74,143	15 1	3,08,55,973	14 10		2,806,394	3,679,340	6,485,734

(a) The increase is in general merchandise.

* Deducted No. of passengers 3,200 and added Rs. 16,082
† Added Mds. 5,79,733 and ,, 1,97,602
‡ Ditto ,, 10,345
} On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 13th and 20th October 1906.

§ Audited figures up to 20th October 1906.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.

1906. Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic. No. of passengers.	Rs.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Mds.	Rs.	Other earnings. Rs.	Total. Rs.	Per mile of railway. Rs.	Train mileage. No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*2,078·13	Week ended 7th July	507,167	4,48,431	69,19,052	9,69,219	25,036	14,42,796	694	304,958	4 11 8
*2,078·13	,, ,, 14th ,,	460,864	4,04,849	64,54,825	9,32,554	29,603	13,67,006	658	301,065	4 8 8
*2,078·13	,, ,, 21st ,,	457,480	4,35,412	57,14,538	9,40,878	27,975	14,13,265	680	298,384	4 11 9
*2,078·13	,, ,, 28th ,,	429,063	4,04,055	45,30,566	8,02,569	28,078	12,34,702	596	274,042	4 8 4
*2,078·13	,, ,, 4th Aug.	487,011	4,43,613	59,95,837	9,00,114	28,810	13,81,542	665	303,109	4 8 11
*2,078·13	,, ,, 11th ,,	442,083	3,93,203	55,22,754	8,88,133	27,976	13,09,402	630	287,511	4 8 10
*2,078·13	,, ,, 18th ,,	410,076	3,75,273	54,18,275	9,14,251	28,704	13,18,229	631	285,186	4 9 11
*2,087·62	,, ,, 25th ,,	411,543	3,54,077	57,05,617	9,14,847	27,820	12,95,744	619	286,208	4 8 5
*2,094·73	,, ,, 1st Sept.	487,315	4,45,077	62,05,880	10,22,339	30,916	15,68,332	749	312,885	5 0 3
*2,094·73	,, ,, 8th ,,	454,812	4,40,532	58,55,630	10,40,608	30,718	15,11,938	722	333,416	4 8 7
*2,094·73	,, ,, 15th ,,	424,405	4,05,248	60,40,122	10,50,879	35,248	14,91,375	712	304,359	4 14 5
*2,094·73	,, ,, 22nd ,,	472,490	4,60,642	71,17,840	10,49,203	28,662	15,47,507	739	289,821	5 2 7
*2,094·73	,, ,, 29th ,,	462,699	4,18,987	57,77,855	9,05,671	37,636	13,62,294	650	302,063	4 8 2
*2,094·73	,, ,, 6th Oct.	421,784	4,23,384	55,10,065	9,31,614	30,857	13,85,855	662	298,571	4 10 3
*2,094·73	,, ,, 13th ,,	426,375	4,30,727	72,08,536	11,09,923	31,113	16,81,768	803	315,040	5 5 5
*2,094·73	,, ,, 20th ,,	389,009	3,99,450	60,87,190	10,04,969	35,487	14,99,906	716	309,003	4 13 8
*2,094·73	,, ,, 27th ,,	429,237	4,15,935	59,13,064	10,38,345	28,598	15,12,878	723	311,99	4 13 7
2,094·73	,, ,, 3rd Nov.	485,751	4,87,147	64,02,500	11,04,378	29,308	16,19,834	·73	313,454	5 2 8
2,094·73	,, ,, 10th ,,	445,208	4,66,757	63,15,380	11,79,502	30,723	16,76,982	801	333,827	5 2 10
2,094·73	,, ,, 17th ,,	421,291	4,23,977	62,67,916	12,14,608	32,562	16,71,207	798	322,027	5 2 10
2,094·73	,, ,, 24th ,,	418,645	4,25,396	65,88,276	11,87,531	32,593	16,45,525	786	327,094	5 0 3
2,094·73	,, ,, 1st Dec	422,215	4,17,501	61,36,222	11,70,903	33,533	16,21,997	774	335,086	4 13 5
	Totals up to date	9,816,664	93,74,367	13,40,84,090	2,25,18,223	6,72,623	3,25,65,213	708	6,750,967	4 13 2

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded.

2,041·33	First 8 days of July ...	509,904	5,07,593	73,45,162	10,75,471	31,059	16,14,733	791	342,064	4 11 7
2,041·33	Week ended 15th July ...	530,099	4,59,596	55,14,313	8,18,437	29,993	13,08,026	641	291,785	4 7 9
2,041·33	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	453,067	4,41,862	54,65,115	8,81,067	28,775	13,52,204	662	286,188	4 11 7
2,041·33	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	423,430	4,40,780	60,89,936	8,88,063	27,926	13,56,768	665	280,035	4 13 6
2,041·33	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	425,553	4,14,472	64,12,732	8,20,683	28,394	12,63,549	619	276,531	4 9 1
2,041·33	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	412,045	3,94,688	54,23,240	8,43,045	25,963	12,53,696	614	274,661	4 9 0
2,041·33	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	422,019	3,76,084	44,30,998	7,43,810	26,601	11,46,495	561	269,757	4 4 0
2,045·03	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	373,357	3,73,641	64,79,724	8,63,016	26,808	12,63,465	616	271,293	4 10 5
2,049·96	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	382,791	3,59,779	68,75,259	9,90,026	32,849	13,91,654	679	289,906	4 12 10
2,050·28	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	335,255	3,91,755	62,65,180	9,14,014	30,213	13,35,982	651	295,120	4 8 5
2,051·07	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	443,159	4,35,534	57,91,210	8,02,604	30,737	13,68,835	668	301,798	4 8 1
2,051·07	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	463,136	4,09,658	51,58,416	8,77,950	31,121	13,17,227	643	293,798	4 8 0
2,051·07	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	403,400	4,49,809	54,33,307	9,27,718	29,038	13,98,165	682	283,380	4 14 11
2,051·07	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	439,529	4,51,763	52,28,286	8,50,959	32,651	13,49,073	658	287,199	4 10 10
2,051·07	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	403,914	4,31,585	50,44,153	8,29,891	29,348	12,52,774	630	275,483	4 11 1
2,051·07	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	385,224	4,37,172	64,05,673	10,08,077	32,428	15,37,677	750	301,895	5 1 6
2,051·07	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	363,710	4,18,983	62,65,838	10,90,690	30,781	15,39,954	741	312,173	4 14 11
2,051·07	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	414,971	4,77,913	64,48,697	10,21,536	33,694	15,93,043	747	314,427	4 14 0
2,051·07	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	464,756	491,090	59,88,752	10,91,573	31,688	16,14,351	787	317,439	5 1 4
2,051·07	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	453,062	4,47,807	60,05,228	10,94,590	35,301	15,77,698	769	313,406	5 0 7
2,051·07	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	418,720	4,55,099	61,85,378	10,76,076	35,239	15,66,413	764	301,237	5 3 2
2,051·07	,, ,, 2nd Dec. ...	402,863	4,10,018	60,90,709	10,46,492	33,127	14,80,637	726	307,109	4 13 7
	Totals up to date ...	9,301,294	94,58,698	13,12,73,846	2,07,23,132	6,74,144	3,08,55,974	690	6,485,734	4 13 1

* Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st December 1906 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	24,191	5,556 0 0	25,563 0	1,147 0 0	7 0 0	6,710 0 0			1,186
Or per mile of railway	...	249 14 11	...	51 9 7	0 5 0	301 13 6	...	...	
Per previous 21 weeks of half-year	477,706‡	1,10,334 0 0*	3,06,013 0†	14,025 0 0†	169 0 0‡	1,24,528 0 0	20,823§	4,779§	25,102
Total for 23 weeks ...	501,897	1,15,890 0 0	3,33,576 0	15,172 0 0	176 0 0	1,31,238 0 0	21,286	5,004	26,290
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	20,610	4,845 7 10	21,111 10	1,105 10 0	9 13 6	5,960 15 4	961	225	1,186
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year		217 16 7		49 11 9	0 7 1	268 3 5			...
Total for corresponding 22½ weeks of previous year	477,343	1,09,463 3 10	3,75,565 30	14,137 0 0	176 5 9	1,23,776 9 7	21,295	4,941	26,236

* Added No. of passengers 849 and deducted Rs. 256 and „ 124 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 13th and 20th October 1906.
† Deducted Mds. 18,916 „ 4
‡ Do.
§ Audited figures up to 20th October 1906.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	Week ended 7th July	41,964	10,696	14,889	553	15	11,264	507	1,252	9 15 11
*22·23	„ „ 14th „	24,540	5,737	10,516	416	13	6,166	277	1,190	5 2 11
*22·23	„ „ 21st „	21,707	5,008	11,170	374	6	5,388	243	1,256	4 4 8
*22·23	„ „ 28th „	17,649	4,140	8,965	243	9	4,391	198	1,196	3 14 5
*22·23	„ „ 4th Aug.	21,759	5,656	10,176	330	13	5,999	270	1,208	4 15 5
*22·23	„ „ 11th „	20,054	4,601	7,934	330	12	4,943	222	1,100	4 7 11
*22·23	„ „ 18th „	17,511	3,636	5,030	224	7	3,867	174	1,228	3 3 5
*22·23	„ „ 25th „	16,747	3,596	9,455	404	9	4,009	180	1,188	3 6 0
*22·23	1st Sept.	16,049	3,471	9,250	270	7	3,748	169	1,190	3 2 5
*22·23	8th „	18,391	4,402	10,948	405	2	4,809	216	1,194	4 4 6
*22·23	15th „	19,735	4,074	11,768	511	7	4,592	207	1,208	3 12 2
*22·23	22nd „	20,847	4,837	23,599	903	8	5,807	249	1,256	4 6 2
*22·23	29th „	23,887	5,014	15,026	720	8	5,742	258	1,332	4 10 7
*22·23	6th Oct.	21,548	6,126	17,375	814	8	6,948	313	1,186	5 19 9
*22·23	13th „	19,641	4,246	17,175	970	4	5,225	235	1,234	4 3 9
*22·23	20th „	26,256	5,705	21,805	1,400	9	7,114	320	1,190	5 15 8
22·23	27th „	26,894	5,543	28,010	1,230	8	6,780	305	1,188	5 11 4
22·23	3rd Nov.	24,420	5,981	13,273	551	6	6,538	294	1,188	5 8 1
22·23	10th „	25,026	6,078	22,013	1,089	5	7,172	323	1,188	6 0 7
22·23	17th „	26,861	6,037	23,139	1,151	6	7,194	324	1,188	6 0 11
22·23	24th „	26,640	5,992	23,228	1,133	7	7,133	321	1,188	6 0 1
22·23	1st Dec.	24,191	5,556	25,563	1,147	7	6,710	302	1,186	5 10 4
	Totals up to date	501,897	1,15,890	3,33,576	15,172	176	1,31,238	268	26,290	4 15 10

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		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
22·23	First 8 days of July	25,307	5,782	11,209	394	19	6,195	279	1,208	4 12 4
22·23	Week ended 15th July	33,950	7,842	9,226	283	9	8,134	366	1,253	6 7 11
22·23	„ 22nd „	26,398	6,519	8,291	212	4	6,735	303	1,060	6 10 8
22·23	„ 29th „	15,036	3,679	4,322	171	14	3,864	174	1,384	2 13 8
22·23	„ 5th Aug.	15,506	3,494	13,446	276	9	3,779	170	1,196	3 3 7
22·23	„ 12th „	21,980	5,489	9,243	227	6	5,732	258	1,032	5 5 10
22·23	„ 19th „	19,379	4,239	42,165	627	6	4,872	219	834	5 13 6
22·23	„ 26th „	16,249	3,484	7,738	411	8	3,903	176	1,780	2 3 1
22·23	„ 2nd Sept.	16,899	3,745	7,701	311	4	4,060	183	1,186	3 6 9
22·23	„ 9th „	19,339	4,394	10,749	462	8	4,864	219	1,186	4 1 7
22·23	„ 16th „	20,267	4,248	10,087	437	9	4,694	211	1,186	3 15 4
22·23	„ 23rd „	18,033	3,906	17,287	694	6	4,606	207	1,186	3 15 8
22·23	„ 30th „	18,097	3,962	13,811	633	6	4,581	206	1,141	4 0 2
22·23	„ 7th Oct.	24,027	5,877	14,796	655	8	6,540	294	1,056	6 3 1
22·23	„ 14th „	23,070	5,256	19,491	857	6	6,119	275	1,296	4 11 7
22·23	„ 21st „	20,600	4,631	24,575	1,069	4	5,704	257	1,210	4 11 1
22·23	„ 28th „	20,446	4,540	22,961	873	10	5,423	244	1,186	4 9 3
22·23	„ 4th Nov.	26,244	6,272	24,382	1,108	9	7,389	332	1,312	5 1 6
22·23	„ 11th „	27,665	6,433	28,536	1,301	4	7,758	349	1,056	7 5 7
22·23	„ 18th „	25,529	5,754	39,167	995	7	6,756	304	1,186	5 11 2
22·23	„ 25th „	23,612	5,063	21,853	1,035	11	6,108	275	1,186	5 3 5
22·23	„ 2nd Dec.	20,610	4,845	21,111	1,106	10	5,961	268	1,186	5 0 5
	Totals up to date	477,343	1,09,463	3,75,565	14,137	177	1,23,777	251	26,236	4 11 6

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st December 1906 on 183·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	27,112	21,035 0 0	1,69,920 0	15,448 0 0	63 0 0	36,555 0 0	9,414	4,516	13,93
Or per mile of railway	...	129 7 11	...	95 4 4	0 6 1	225 2 4	...	...	...
For previous 21 weeks of half-year.	544,268*	4,36,441 0 0*	34,89,877 0†	3,27,295 0 0†	1,418 0 0‡	7,65,154 0 0	194,693§	84,081§	278,93
Total for 22 weeks	571,380	4,57,476 0 0	36,59,797 0	3,42,763 0 0	1,480 0 0	8,01,709 0 0	204,016	88,547	292,56
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	23,034	18,224 5 9	3,48,563 10	16,998 4 0	54 13 6	35,277 7 3	9,753	3,917	13,67
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	...	113 3 11	...	104 11 2	0 5 5	217 4 6	...	...	...
Total for corresponding 22 weeks of previous year... ...	586,206	4,85,083 1 0	41,58,395 30	3,81,677 2 0	1,336 10 9	8,68,096 13 9	184,782	89,119	273,90

* Deducted No. of passengers 1,159 and Rs. 3,691 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the weeks ended 13th
† Added Mds. 501 " " 7,304 } and 20th October 1906.
‡ &c. " " 46
§ Audited figures up to 20th October 1906.

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Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*183·36	Week ended 7th July ...	31,187	21,973	1,34,000	13,005	58	35,036	211	13,124	2 9 10
*183·36	" " 14th " ...	29,355	20,985	1,26,220	15,213	54	36,252	223	14,036	2 9 3
*183·36	" " 21st " ...	27,950	20,413	1,49,343	16,783	71	37,266	240	13,717	2 11 6
*183·36	" " 28th " ...	26,476	18,131	1,71,547	16,351	57	34,539	213	12,086	2 10 7
*183·36	" " 4th Aug. ...	28,312	19,151	1,03,463	13,802	39	31,992*	197	12,637	2 8 5
*183·36	" " 11th " ...	27,974	17,535	81,530	9,347	53	27,240	168	11,953	2 4 6
*183·36	" " 18th " ...	23,597	17,244	1,34,767	15,071	59	32,374	199	13,372	2 6 9
*183·36	" " 25th " ...	28,542	19,339	1,75,784	18,791	64	38,194	217	13,024	2 11 3
*183·36	" " 1st Sept. ...	29,027	20,453	2,26,587	13,858	63	34,374	206	11,783	2 13 4
*183·36	" " 8th " ...	25,797	18,595	1,69,587	16,297	78	34,970	215	12,108	2 14 0
*183·36	" " 15th " ...	19,476	17,690	2,11,371	16,798	105	34,993	209	12,910	2 10 2
*183·36	" " 22nd " ...	25,425	20,204	1,90,109	16,586	93	36,840	127	12,968	2 13 6
*183·36	" " 29th " ...	26,466	21,067	1,28,017	16,204	59	37,350	230	13,032	2 13 10
*183·36	" " 6th Oct. ...	25,512	21,455	2,79,721	19,705	80	41,300	254	15,183	2 11 6
*183·36	" " 13th " ...	26,169	22,677	1,18,128	17,178	59	39,914	246	12,196	3 0 5
*183·36	" " 20th " ...	21,383	22,758	1,44,336	19,818	91	42,667	263	15,567	2 12 0
183·36	" " 27th " ...	23,886	24,078	1,40,065	16,915	59	41,052	253	13,402	3 1 1
183·36	" " 3rd Nov. ...	22,780	22,255	1,35,433	13,333	64	35,652	238	13,693	2 13 2
183·36	" " 10th " ...	25,146	25,087	1,77,493	15,234	69	40,390	249	13,235	3 0 7
183·36	" " 17th " ...	24,304	22,956	1,04,692	16,049	74	39,081	241	13,438	2 14 6
183·36	" " 24th " ...	23,272	20,433	1,94,715	15,868	67	36,368	234	13,182	2 12 3
183·36	" " 1st Dec. ...	27,112	21,035	1,69,920	15,448	63	36,555	225	13,930	2 10 0
	Totals up to date ...	571,380	4,57,476	36,59,797	3,42,763	1,480	8,01,709	224	2,92,533	2 11 10

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		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
183·36	First 8 days of July ...	33,353	24,092	2,64,465	20 023	63	44,178	273	14,044	3 1 7
183·36	Week ended 15th " ...	29,337	22,387	1,47,254	13,305	53	35,745	220	12,280	2 3 3
183·36	" " 22nd " ...	27,036	19,733	1,50,354	17,037	62	36,832	227	10,970	3 5 9
183·36	" " 29th " ...	27,252	19,943	2,63,735	24,898	48	44,889	276	11,076	4 0 9
183·36	" " 5th Aug. ...	25,176	18,903	1,68,867	16,189	38	35,130	216	10,936	3 3 5
183·36	" " 12th " ...	26,426	19,466	1,16,599	10,573	46	30,085	185	11,028	2 11 7
183·36	" " 19th " ...	25,705	18,499	83,527	9,808	39	28,146	173	11,238	2 8 9
183·36	" " 26th " ...	24,052	16,858	2,41,494	16,427	46	34,885	214	10,637	3 4 5
183·36	" " 2nd Sept. ...	58,358	33,111	1,65,001	16,460	76	57,647	343	14,280	3 14 4
183·36	" " 9th " ...	25,907	19,386	1,68,211	19,002	68	38,456	237	11,685	3 4 8
183·36	" " 16th " ...	21,640	18,950	2,11,973	16,996	112	36,058	223	11,100	3 4 10
183·36	" " 23rd " ...	19,753	17,343	2,28,260	15,011	44	32,398	203	11,486	2 14 1
183·36	" " 30th " ...	22,930	20,235	1,19,550	14,940	47	35,230	217	11,953	3 0 4
183·36	" " 7th Oct. ...	23,626	21,618	1,23,536	15,744	60	37,422	230	11,658	3 3 5
183·36	" " 14th " ...	25,236	21,588	1,49,652	20,291	55	41,914	258	10,918	3 13 5
183·36	" " 21st " ...	24,485	23,525	1,71,414	16,522	82	40,129	247	14,361	2 12 9
183·36	" " 28th " ...	21,568	23,051	1,64,338	18,636	88	42,424	261	16,021	2 10 4
183·36	" " 4th Nov. ...	24,104	26,960	2,52,307	22,721	77	49,758	306	13,723	3 9 7
183·36	" " 11th " ...	28,499	29,677	1,82,801	19,951	74	49,702	306	14,783	3 5 10
183·36	" " 18th " ...	25,983	22,216	1,96,013	18,935	51	41,102	253	13,092	3 2 3
183·36	" " 25th " ...	23,726	21,337	2,12,873	20,901	54	42,312	261	13,234	3 3 2
183·36	" " 2nd Dec....	23,034	18,224	3,48,563	16,998	55	35,277	217	13,670	2 9 3
	Totals up to date ...	586,206	4,85,083	41,58,396	3,81,677	1,336	8,68,096	241	273,901	3 2 9

* Audited figures.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th December 1906 on 2,094·73 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	430,367	4,50,312 0 0	62,64,144 0	11,31,514 0 0		16,14,669 0 0	132,301	205,692	337,993
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	214 15 7	.....	540 2 9		770 13 2	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year	9,946,187*	93,91,826 0 0*	13,48,66,110 0†	2,25,92,845 0 0†	0‡	3,26,63,642 0 0	2,882,408§	3,872,215§	6,754,626
Total for 24 weeks ...	10,376,554	98,42,138 0 0	14,11,30,254 0	2,37,24,359 0 0	7,11,714 0 0	3,42,78,311 0 0	3,014,709	4,077,904	7,092,613
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	446,517	4,57,070 5 6	62,98,374 0	10,70,667 12 11	32,452 2 5	15,60,190 4 10	129,116	173,238	302,354
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.		223 13 6		522 0 1	15 13 2	760 10 9	.....		
Total for corresponding 23½ weeks of previous year.	9,839,811	99,15,768 13 0	13,75,72,220 0	2,17,93,799 5 2	7,06,596 1 6	3,24,16,164 3 8	2,935,510	3,853,578	6,788,088

(a) The increase is in general merchandise.

*Added No. of passengers 29,533 and Rs. 17,459
† Ditto Mds. 7,61,030 and ,, 74,632 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 27th October
‡ Ditto ,, 6,243 } 1906.
§ Audited figures up to 27th October 1906.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*2,078·13	Week ended 7th July ...	567,167	4,43,431	69,19,073	9,69,219	25,036	14,42,796	694	204,958	4 11 8
*2,078·13	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	469,864	4,04,840	63,54,825	9,32,554	29,803	13,67,006	658	201,065	4 8 8
*2,078·13	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	457,480	4,35,443	57,13,738	9,41,878	27,975	14,15,295	680	208,394	4 11 9
*2,078·13	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	420,063	4,03,955	45,30,696	8,03,569	28,678	12,32,202	593	274,043	4 8 4
*2,078·13	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	487,011	4,43,518	59,05,837	9,03,114	28,810	13,81,542	665	303,109	4 8 11
*2,078·13	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	412,083	3,93,203	53,22,554	8,85,133	27,976	13,09,402	631	287,511	4 8 10
*2,087·63	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	410,076	3,75,277	54,49,278	9,14,251	28,706	13,18,229	631	285,186	4 9 11
*2,094·73	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	411,543	3,89,077	57,05,617	9,18,847	27,830	13,05,744	619	286,248	4 8 5
*2,094·73	,, ,, 1st Sept.	487,515	4,45,677	62,03,490	10,02,339	30,916	15,68,932	749	313,985	5 0 3
*2,094·73	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	456,812	4,40,552	58,95,630	10,40,963	30,718	15,11,933	722	333,416	4 8 7
*2,094·73	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	424,405	4,03,248	66,49,122	10,50,870	35,248	14,91,375	714	304,389	4 14 5
*2,094·73	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	472,490	4,69,692	71,17,380	10,43,201	24,062	15,47,507	739	299,891	5 2 7
*2,094·73	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	462,698	4,18,987	57,77,855	9,05,671	27,536	13,52,294	650	303,063	4 8 2
*2,094·73	,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	421,784	4,23,384	55,40,045	9,51,614	30,817	13,85,855	662	298,571	4 10 3
*2,094·73	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	426,375	4,50,787	73,09,530	11,99,938	31,713	16,81,769	803	315,040	5 5 5
*2,094·73	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	391,099	3,96,450	60,57,190	10,94,939	35,487	14,99,905	716	309,003	4 13 8
*2,094·73	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	458,760	4,63,394	60,95,094	11,12,867	34,846	16,11,307	769	315,631	5 1 8
2,094·73	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	495,751	4,87,147	64,02,800	11,04,378	21,308	16,12,833	773	313,454	5 2 8
2,094·73	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	443,268	4,60,757	63,15,640	11,70,592	30,723	16,76,982	801	323,827	5 2 10
2,094·73	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	421,291	4,23,977	62,67,916	12,14,658	33,562	16,71,207	798	328,027	5 2 10
2,094·73	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	419,645	4,25,336	65,85,276	11,87,531	32,598	16,45,525	786	337,994	5 0 3
2,094·73	,, ,, 1st Dec. ...	422,915	4,17,501	61,36,222	11,70,983	34,513	16,21,997	774	335,086	4 13 5
2,094·73	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	430,367	4,50,312	62,64,144	11,31,514	33,843	16,14,669	771	337,993	4 12
	Totals up to date ...	10,376,554	98,42,138	14,11,03,254	2,37,24,359	7,11,714	3,42,78,211	713	7,092,513	4 13 4

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		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,061·23	First 3 days of July ...	562,904	5,07,593	73,45,162	10,75,471	31,669	16,14,733	791	343,064	4 11 7
2,061·23	Week ended 15th ,, ...	540,092	4,89,596	55,14,313	8,18,437	29,893	13,08,026	641	291,785	4 7 9
2,061·23	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	483,067	4,41,842	54,65,115	8,81,667	28,775	13,52,304	662	296,188	4 11 7
2,061·31	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	493,430	4,40,789	60,89,066	8,88,062	27,936	13,56,788	665	280,065	4 13 6
2,061·33	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	427,683	4,14,472	60,12,782	8,20,683	28,304	12,63,549	619	276,851	4 9 1
2,061·33	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	412,045	3,84,088	54,23,220	8,43,045	25,803	12,53,596	614	274,661	4 9 0
2,065·03	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	422,019	3,76,089	49,30,968	7,43,810	26,601	11,46,495	551	269,757	4 4 0
2,069·96	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	373,357	3,72,641	64,79,724	8,63,016	26,838	12,62,495	616	271,293	4 10 5
2,080·88	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	382,791	3,59,779	68,75,259	9,99,026	32,849	13,91,654	679	289,906	4 12 10
2,051·07	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	395,255	3,91,755	62,91,480	9,14,014	30,213	13,35,982	651	293,120	4 8 5
2,051·07	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	443,159	4,37,554	57,01,210	8,92,004	30,737	13,58,895	663	301,798	4 8 1
2,051·07	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	403,136	4,01,656	51,58,016	8,77,050	31,121	13,17,827	643	294,798	4 8 0
2,051·07	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	409,400	4,40,809	54,22,807	9,37,713	29,636	13,98,160	682	283,380	4 14 11
2,051·07	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	439,829	4,51,764	52,28,286	8,59,659	32,551	13,43,973	655	287,199	4 10 10
2,051·07	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	403,014	4,33,585	50,43,453	8,29,841	29,348	12,92,774	630	275,483	4 11 1
2,051·07	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	395,224	4,37,174	64,05,673	10,08,077	31,428	15,37,677	750	301,895	5 1 6
2,051·07	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	365,710	4,18,983	64,05,839	10,00,090	30,281	15,39,054	751	312,173	4 14 11
2,051·07	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	414,971	4,77,013	64,48,697	10,21,536	35,594	16,33,043	797	314,447	4 14 0
2,051·07	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	403,756	4,91,030	59,98,782	10,01,573	31,088	16,14,351	787	317,439	5 1 4
2,051·07	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	453,083	4,47,807	69,05,238	10,94,590	35,301	15,77,698	769	318,406	5 0 7
2,051·07	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	418,780	4,55,098	61,85,376	10,76,076	33,239	15,60,413	764	321,337	5 2 2
2,051·07	,, ,, 2nd Dec. ...	402,863	4,10,018	60,90,799	10,46,402	33,127	14,89,657	726	307,109	4 13 7
2,051·07	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	448,517	4,57,070	62,98,374	10,70,668	32,452	15,60,190	761	302,354	5 3 7
	Totals up to date ...	9,839,811	99,15,768	13,75,72,220	2,17,93,800	7,06,596	3,24,16,164	684	6,788,088	4 12 5

*Audited figures.

TARKESSUR BRANCH RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th December 1906 on 22·23 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	22,089	5,661 0 0	21,710 0	1,192 0 0	8 0 0	6,861 0 0	963	225	1,188
Or per mile of railway ..	.....	254 10 6	...	53 9 11	0 5 9	308 10 2	.....	.....	.....
For previous 22 weeks of half-year	504,314*	1,16,390 0 0*	3,31,094 0†	15,228 0 0†	178 0 0‡	1,31,796 0 0	21,227§	5,005§	26,232
Total for 23 weeks ..	526,354	1,22,051 0 0	3,52,804 0	16,420 0 0	186 0 0	1,38,657 0 0	22,190	5,230	27,420
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	20,873	5,359 1 5	33,745 20	921 9 0	13 7 0	6,294 1 5	946	220	1,166
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	241 1 3	.....	41 7 4	0 9 8	283 2 2	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 23½ weeks of previous year.	493,216	1,14,822 5 3	4,09,311 10	15,058 9 0	189 13 9	1,30,070 11 0	22,231	5,161	27,392

* Added No. of passengers 2,416 and Rs. 500
† Deducted Mds. 2,462 and added " 56
‡ Added " 3
§ Audited figures up to 27th October 1906.

On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 27th October 1906.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic. No. of passengers.	Coaching Traffic. Rs.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Mds.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic. Rs.	Other earnings. Rs.	Total. Rs.	Per mile of railway. Rs.	Train mileage. No.	Train mileage. Rate. Rs. A. P.
*22·23	Week ended 7th July	41,964	10,696	14,899	553	15	11,264	507	1,352	8 15 11
*22·23	" " 14th "	24,540	5,737	10,816	416	13	6,166	277	1,190	5 2 11
*22·23	" " 21st "	21,707	5,008	11,170	374	6	5,388	243	1,356	4 0 8
*22·23	" " 28th "	17,649	4,140	5,948	242	9	4,391	198	1,126	3 14 5
*22·23	4th Aug.	21,759	5,656	10,176	330	13	5,999	270	1,308	4 15 5
*22·23	11th "	30,034	4,601	7,934	286	12	4,943	222	1,100	4 7 11
*22·23	18th "	17,511	3,636	5,030	224	7	3,867	174	1,328	2 13 5
*22·23	25th "	16,747	3,596	9,455	404	9	4,009	180	1,188	3 3 5
*22·23	1st Sept.	16,049	3,471	6,250	270	7	3,748	169	1,190	3 3 0
*22·23	8th "	18,391	4,402	10,948	405	2	4,809	216	1,194	4 4 6
*22·23	15th "	19,735	4,074	11,768	511	7	4,593	207	1,202	3 13 2
*22·23	22nd "	20,847	4,579	22,599	902	8	5,507	248	1,356	4 6 2
*22·23	29th "	22,887	5,014	16,026	720	8	5,743	258	1,352	4 10 7
*22·23	" " 6th Oct.	23,543	6,126	17,375	814	8	6,948	313	1,186	5 13 9
*22·23	" " 13th "	19,641	4,254	17,178	976	4	5,235	235	1,334	4 3 9
*22·23	" " 20th "	26,256	5,705	21,405	1,400	9	7,114	320	1,190	5 15 5
*22·23	" " 27th "	27,312	6,062	25,528	1,286	10	7,358	330	1,190	5 15 5
22·23	3rd Nov.	24,430	5,981	13,274	551	6	6,538	294	1,188e	5 8 1
22·23	10th "	24,626	6,076	22,013	1,089	5	7,172	323	1,188	6 0 7
22·23	17th "	26,861	6,057	23,129	1,151	6	7,194	324	1,188	6 0 11
22·23	24th "	26,640	5,998	22,223	1,133	7	7,138	321	1,188	6 0 1
22·23	1st Dec.	24,191	5,556	25,563	1,147	7	6,710	302	1,188	5 10 6
22·23	8th	23,039	5,661	21,710	1,192	8	6,861	309	1,188	5 13 5
	Totals up to date	526,354	1,22,051	3,52,804	16,420	186	1,38,657	271	27,420	5 0 9

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. 1905.

		No. of passengers.		Mds		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	
22·23	First 8 days of July	25,207	5,782	11,209	394	19	6,195	279	1,296	
22·23	Week ended 15th "	29,950	7,842	9,836	283		8,134	366	1,182	
22·23	" " 22nd "	26,398	6,519	5,231	213		6,735	303	1,010	
22·23	" " 29th "	15,036	3,679	4,232	171	14	3,864	174	1,384	
22·23	" " 5th Aug.	15,506	3,494	13,146	276		3,779	170	1,196	
22·23	" " 12th "	21,980	5,499	4,983	237		5,732	258	1,032	
22·23	" " 19th "	19,379	4,239	42,145	637		4,872	219	834	
22·23	" " 26th "	16,249	3,444	7,738	411		3,913	176	1,782	
22·23	2nd Sept.	16,699	3,745	7,701	311		4,060	183	1,186	
22·23	9th "	19,349	4,194	10,749	462		4,864	219	1,186	
22·23	16th "	20,267	4,248	10,037	437		4,694e	211	1,186	
22·23	23rd "	14,033	3,906	17,287	694		4,606	207	1,186	
22·23	30th "	18,097	3,943	13,811	633		4,581	206	1,186	
22·23	7th Oct.	24,027	5,877	14,796	655		6,540	294	1,086	
22·23	14th "	23,070	5,256	19,491	857		6,119	276	1,296	
22·23	21st "	20,690	4,681	24,573	1,069		5,704	257	1,216	
22·23	28th "	20,446	4,540	22,981	873		5,483	246	1,186	
22·23	4th Nov.	26,344	6,273	24,282	1,108		7,389,	333	1,213	
22·23	11th "	27,665	6,453	28,830	1,301		7,758	349	1,056	
22·23	18th "	25,829	5,754	39,167	996	7	6,756	304	1,186	
22·23	25th "	23,6·2	5,0[illegible]	21,853	1,035	11	6,108	275	1,186	
22·23	2nd Dec.	20,610	4,[illegible]	21,111	1,105	10	5,961	268	1,186	
22·23	" 9th "	20,873	5,129	33,745	921	13	6,294	283	1,166	
	Totals up to date	493,216	1,14,822	4,09,311	15,058	190	1,30,071	286	27,392	5 0 9

* Audited figures.

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th December 1906 on 162·36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	26,353	22,327 0 0	1,67,323 0	15,500 0 0	62 0 0	37,979 0 0	9,495	4,492	13,987
Or per mile of railway	.....	137 8 3	.....	96 0 4	0 6 1	233 14 8	.....	.....	.....
Per previous 23 weeks of half-year	572,109*	4,56,353 0 0*	36,61,623 0†	3,47,749 0 0‡	1,482 0 0§	8,05,584 0 0	204,746§	99,449	304,191
Total for 23 weeks ...	598,963	4,78,680 0 0	38,48,875 0	3,63,339 0 0	1,544 0 0	8,43,563 0 0	214,237	93,957	308,194
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	27,063	20,133 12 4	1,55,069 10	17,362 15 7	54 11 0	37,450 6 11	9,487	3,987	13,474
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	124 0 0	.....	106 5 2	0 5 5	230 10 7	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding 33½ weeks of previous year.	613,268	5,05,216 13 4	43,43,465 0	3,98,940 1 7	1,393 5 9	9,05,549 4 8	194,969	93,190	287,875

* Added No. of passengers 739 and deducted Rs. 1,113 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the week ended 27th
† Do. Mds. 31,856 ,, ,, 4,986 } October 1906.
‡ Do. ,, ,, 2
§ Audited figures up to 27th October 1906.

1906. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905.*

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*162·36	Week ended 7th July ...	31,157	21,273	1,34,000	13,005	56	34,336	211	13,124	2 9 10
*162·36	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	28,355	20,955	98,220	15,313	54	36,322	223	14,036	2 9 3
*162·36	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	27,960	20,413	1,49,343	16,782	71	37,266	230	13,717	2 11 6
*162·36	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	26,476	18,131	1,71,547	16,351	57	34,539	213	12,986	2 10 7
*162·36	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	28,312	19,151	1,08,463	13,802	59	31,992	197	12,667	2 8 5
*162·36	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	27,374	17,855	81,530	9,347	58	27,240	168	11,983	2 4 6
*162·36	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	26,507	17,944	1,84,767	15,071	59	33,574	180	13,372	2 6 9
*162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	28,543	19,339	1,76,784	15,791	64	35,194	217	13,494	2 12 3
*162·36	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	29,027	20,453	2,28,537	12,858	63	33,374	206	11,786	2 12 4
*162·36	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	25,797	18,595	1,69,597	16,297	78	34,970	215	13,168	2 13 0
*162·36	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	19,476	17,090	3,11,371	16,798	105	33,993	209	13,910	2 10 2
*162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	25,435	20,204	1,96,108	16,586	90	36,880	227	13,966	2 13 6
*162·36	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	28,466	21,087	1,98,017	16,304	59	37,450	230	13,012	2 13 10
*162·36	,, ,, 6th Oct. ...	25,512	21,455	2,79,721	19,765	80	41,300	254	15,183	2 11 6
*162·36	,, ,, 13th ,, ...	26,168	23,677	1,18,128	17,178	59	39,914	246	13,196	3 0 5
*162·36	,, ,, 20th ,, ...	21,383	22,758	1,44,336	19,816	91	42,667	263	15,503	2 12 0
*162·36	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	24,615	22,965	1,61,861	21,931	61	44,957	277	15,030	2 15 10
162·36	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	25,730	24,255	1,33,433	13,333	64	38,653	238	13,992	2 13 1
162·36	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	26,146	25,057	1,77,493	15,334	69	40,360	249	13,295	3 0 7
162·36	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	24,304	23,958	1,54,682	16,049	74	39,081	241	13,498	2 14 6
162·36	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	23,272	20,433	1,94,775	15,868	67	36,368	224	13,183	2 10 2
162·36	,, ,, 1st Dec. ...	27,112	21,025	1,69,920	15,408	62	36,535	225	13,960	2 10 0
162·36	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	26,853	22,387	1,67,222	15,590	62	37,979	234	13,988	2 11 7
	Totals up to date ...	498,962	4,78,680	38,48,875	3,63,339	1,544	8,43,563	236	2,05,134	2 11 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for 1906 in comparison with 1905—concluded. 1905.

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
162·36	First 3 days of July	29,258	24,092	2,64,455	20,023	63	44,178	272	14,034	3 2 7
162·36	Week ended 15th ,, ...	29,337	22,387	1,67,354	15,305	53	35,745	220	13,280	2 3 3
162·36	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	27,096	19,733	1,90,554	17,037	62	36,832	227	10,979	3 5 9
162·36	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	27,353	19,942	2,63,735	24,358	48	44,348	276	11,078	4 0 9
162·36	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	25,176	18,903	1,66,567	16,189	39	35,130	216	10,998	3 3 5
162·36	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	26,426	19,446	1,16,599	10,573	46	30,065	185	11,088	2 11 7
162·36	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	25,705	18,499	83,827	9,608	39	28,146	178	11,988	2 3 8
162·36	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	24,052	18,353	2,40,494	16,427	46	34,825	214	10,627	3 4 5
162·36	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	58,359	39,111	1,65,001	16,460	76	55,647	343	9,380	5 14 4
162·36	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	25,987	19,386	1,66,211	19,002	48	38,436	237	11,686	3 4 8
162·36	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	21,640	18,950	2,11,978	16,996	112	36,058	223	11,100	3 4 9
162·36	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	19,758	17,343	3,28,960	15,611	44	33,398	208	11,486	2 14 1
162·36	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	28,930	20,233	1,49,580	14,940	47	35,220	217	11,651	3 0 4
162·36	,, ,, 7th Oct. ...	25,626	21,819	1,23,656	15,744	60	37,623	230	11,659	3 3 5
162·36	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	25,386	21,568	1,49,066	20,291	55	41,914	258	10,918	3 13 5
162·36	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	24,485	23,536	1,71,414	16,532	81	40,139	247	14,361	2 13 9
162·36	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	21,566	23,051	1,62,338	18,065	88	42,494	261	16,021	2 10 4
162·36	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	24,104	26,960	2,53,367	22,721	77	49,758	306	13,833	3 9 7
162·36	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	28,499	29,077	1,82,860	19,951	74	49,702	306	14,748	3 6 10
162·36	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	25,983	23,216	1,96,013	18,335	51	41,102	253	13,092	3 3 3
162·36	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	23,126	21,367	2,12,873	20,901	54	43,322	261	13,233	3 3 2
162·36	,, ,, 2nd Dec. ...	18,084	18,224	3,46,853	16,998	55	35,277	217	13,270	2 9 2
162·36	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	27,063	20,133	1,55,069	17,362	55	37,551	231	13,474	2 12 6
	Totals up to date ...	613,268	5,05,216	43,43,465	3,98,940	1,393	9,05,549	241	287,875	3 2 5

* Audited figures.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of traffic for the week ended 1st December 1906 on 769 miles open for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	58,228	36,549 0 0	3,04,781 0	44,159 0 0	4,465 0 0	85,173 0 0	14,097	14,966	30,393
Or per mile of railway	75·83	47·59	396 31	57 27	5 79	110·85	18·36	21·36	40·
Per previous 21 weeks of half-year	1,005,236	6,16,064 0 0	83,15,731 0	11,70,478 0 0	1,35,874 0 0	19,22,453 0 0	249,253	400,669	649,912
Total for 23 weeks* ...	1,061,474	6,52,633 0 0	86,20,502 0	12,14,634 0 0	1,40,339 0 0	20,07,606 0 0	263,350	417,635	680,805
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	43,084	29,118 0 0	1,74,024 0	28,922 0 0	6,161 0 0	64,201 0 0	10,742	15,756	26,497
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	56·46	39·51	235·17	39·09	8·33	86·93	14·58	21·29	35·
Total to corresponding date of previous year	882,046	5,64,026 0 0	59,03,977 0	9,22,003 0 0	1,19,989 0 0	16,06,020 0 0	220,913	403,064	623,976

* Includes Noakhali Railway earnings Rs. 34,190 and train-mileage 18,788.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway.

Receipts for week ending 1st December 1906.			Receipts for week ending 2nd December 1905.			Total receipts from 1st April 1906 to 1st December 1906.			Total receipts from 1st April 1905 to 2nd December 1905.		Total increase in 1906.	Total decrease in 1906.
Mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.			
771	85,173	110·65	740	64,201	86·93	771	29,30,439	...	740	23,06,999		6,23,440	

EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th December 1906 on 1,271 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including steam-boat).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	483,000	2,03,860 0 0	14,73,500 0	3,05,010 0 0	16,760 0 0	5,25,630 0 0	60,822	56,760	117,582
Or per mile of railway ...	380	160 0 0	1,159 0	240 0 0	1 0 0*	413 0 0*	.....	.....	.....
Per previous 23 weeks of half-year†	8,161,733	35,58,344 0 0	4,28,04,948 0	73,12,490 0 0	6,61,671 0 0	1,15,32,505 0 0	1,353,544	1,240,390	2,593,934
Total for 25 weeks ..	8,644,733	37,62,204 0 0	4,42,78,448 0	76,17,500 0 0	6,78,431 0 0	1,20,58,135 0 0	1,414,436	1,297,150	2,711,586
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	457,630	1,93,563 0 0	14,69,609 0	2,98,037 0 0	17,750 0 0	5,09,350 0 0	58,313	53,541	111,854
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year (1,235 miles)	371	157 0 0	1,190 0	241 0 0	1 0 0	399 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	7,906,656	35,11,682 0 0	3,90,71,130 0	68,82,284 0 0	6,38,374 0 0	1,10,32,340 0 0	1,316,266	1,136,110	2,461,496

* Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 15,500.
† Audited up to week ending 20th October 1906.

DACCA STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th December 1906 on 88 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	46,220	14,550 0 0	66,000 0	6,500 0 0	190 0 0	21,240 0 0	3,736	3,274	6,999
Or per mile of railway	537	169 0 0	791 0	76 0 0	2 0 0	247 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year*	2,03,563	2,47,552 0 0	14,47,240 0	1,32,344 0 0	4,776 0 0	3,84,673 0 0	97,708	43,629	1,41,337
Total for 32 weeks ..	2,49,783	2,62,102 0 0	15,13,240 0	1,38,844 0 0	4,966 0 0	4,05,913 0 0	1,01,433	47,103	1,48,536
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	40,060	12,043 0 0	50,121 0	4,799 0 0	140 0 0	16,982 0 0	3,173	1,783	4,956
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	466	140 0 0	583 0	56 0 0	1 0 0	197 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	7,38,036	2,20,337 0 0	15,31,325 0	1,19,607 0 0	5,135 0 0	3,45,079 0 0	73,087	44,383	1,17,470

* Audited up to week ending 20th October 1906.

COOCH BEHAR RAILWAY—NATIVE SECTION.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th December 1906 on 35·6 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	4,000	1,690 0 0	15,150 0	1,300 0 0	10 0 0	3,000 0 0	472	(a)1,102	1,574
Or per mile of railway	119	50 0 0	451 0	39 0 0	.....	89 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year*	75,177	28,461 0 0	5,83,927 0	37,490 0 0	356 0 0	66,307 0 0	9,331	30,721	40,052
Total for 23 weeks ...	79,177	30,151 0 0	5,99,077 0	38,790 0 0	366 0 0	69,307 0 0	9,803	31,823	41,626
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	3,356	1,279 0 0	21,442 0	1,877 0 0	6 0 0	3,162 0 0	469	643	1,112
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	101	38 0 0	638 0	56 0 0	.....	94 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	81,705	28,911 0 0	3,15,570 0	26,460 0 0	365 0 0	55,676 0 0	11,385	10,963	21,548

* Audited up to week ending 20th October 1906
(a) Includes ballast train miles 650.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th December 1906 on 50·69 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	14,530	3,990 0 0	59,850 0	3,430 0 0	40 0 0	7,460 0 0	1,746	904	2,650
Or per mile of railway ...	286	79 0 0	1,181 0	67 0 0	1 0 0	147 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 22 weeks of half-year*	239,504	67,071 0 0	9,38,568 0	50,301 0 0	955 0 0	1,18,327 0 0	32,028	18,762	50,790
Total for 23 weeks ...	254,034	71,061 0 0	9,98,418 0	53,731 0 0	995 0 0	1,25,787 0 0	33,774	19,666	53,440
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	11,502	3,371 0 0	56,525 0	2,948 0 0	46 0 0	6,325 0 0	1,189	893	2,082
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	225	65 0 0	1,100 0	57 0 0	1 0 0	123 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	213,538	59,806 0 0	10,39,365 0	51,223 0 0	737 0 0	1,12,415 0 0	26,504	13,936	40,440

* Audited up to week ending 20th October 1906.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Approximate earnings for the week ending 8th December 1906	Coaching ...	5,462	0	0			
	Goods	10,556	0	0	16,067	0	0
	Other earnings	45	0	0			
Audited earnings for the corresponding period of 1905 ...	Coaching	5,398	0	0			
	Goods	13,059	0	0	18,504	0	0
	Other earnings	47	0	0			
Decrease ...					2,441	0	0
Receipts per mile for the week ending 8th December 1906 ...					314	15	4
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905 ...					362	13	2
Decrease ...					47	13	10
Receipts from 1st July to 8th December 1906 ...					4,05,263	0	0
Ditto for the corresponding period of 1905 ...					4,26,338	0	0
Decrease ...					21,075	0	0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 5013A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 4903A.—The 20th December 1906.*—Babu Anadi Nath Sen, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Purnea, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Jessore district.

Purnea.
Jessore.

No. 4933A.—The 21st December 1906.—Babu Charu Chandra Kumar, Officiating Personal Assistant to the Director of Land Records, Bengal, is confirmed in that appointment.

Calcutta.

No. 4981A.—The 22nd December 1906.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed as an Assessor in the Income-Tax Department, Calcutta, is confirmed in the eighth grade and promoted substantively *pro tempore* to the seventh grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors. He is also posted to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district.

Calcutta.
24-Parganas.

No. 4984A.—The 22nd December 1906.—The Hon'ble Mr. F. A. Slacke, Officiating Member of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 16th August 1906, *vice* the Hon'ble Mr. L. Hare, C.S.I., C.I.E.

Calcutta.

No. 4990A.—The 22nd December 1906.—Mr. S. W. Goode, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Contai, Midnapore, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Darjeeling district.

Midnapore.
Darjeeling.

No. 4992A.—The 22nd December 1906.—Babu Ajay Chandra Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Contai, Midnapore, is appointed temporarily to have charge of that subdivision.

Midnapore.

No. 5002A.—The 22nd December 1906.—Mr. J. A. L. Swan, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, with effect from the 13th December 1906.

No. 5008A.—The 22nd December 1906.—The Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal has been pleased to appoint Commander St. L. S. Warden, R.I.M., Port Officer, Calcutta, to be an Honorary Aide-de-camp on his personal staff.

Calcutta.

POLICE.—*No. 4999A.—The 22nd December 1906.*—Mr. R. T. Dundas, Superintendent of Police, is appointed to be Principal of the Police Training School, Bhagalpur, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Burdwan Range.

Ranchi.
Bhagalpur.

No. 5001A.—The 22nd December 1906.—Mr. R. F. G. Godfrey-Fausett, Superintendent of Police, is posted to Purnea on being relieved of his present appointment as Principal of the Police Training School, Bhagalpur.

Bhagalpur.
Purnea.

RESIGNATION.

No. 5010A.—The 22nd December 1906.—The Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal has been pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Commander E. G. Beaumont, R.I.M., of his appointment as an Honorary Aide-de-camp on His Honour's staff.

Calcutta.

POWERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 4942A.—The 21st December 1906.*—Mr. E. H. Berthoud, Covenanted Deputy Collector, Ranchi, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that district.

Ranchi.

No. 4949A.—The 21st December 1906.—Babu Satyendra Nath Das, Subdivisional Officer, Kandi, Murshidabad, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Murshidabad.

The following order is republished from the *Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette*, dated 15th December 1906 :—

No. 1864C.—The 8th December 1906.—Mr. Gopal Chandra Banarji, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, Mymensingh, is appointed to officiate as Additional Sessions Judge, Faridpur.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3533L.R.—The 17th December 1906.—The following rules for the grant of leases for quarrying lime-stone in Government lands in the Province of Bengal have been approved by the Lieutenant-Governor and are hereby published for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RULES FOR THE GRANT OF LEASES FOR QUARRYING LIMESTONE.

Application for lease.

1. Every application for the grant of a lease for quarrying limestone shall be presented to the Collector or Deputy Commissioner in whose district the land or any part of the land with respect to which the lease is applied is situate. If the land is situated in two or more districts, the Commissioner shall decide as to which Collector or Deputy Commissioner will deal with the case.

Particulars thereof.

2. Every such application shall contain the following particulars, namely :—

(*a*) the name, residence and profession of the applicant;

(*b*) a description, as accurate as possible and illustrated by a rough sketch, of the land, whether in Government Estate or Protected or Reserved forest or in other waste lands not included in the above, with respect to which the lease is required;

(*c*) a statement showing particulars as to the licenses or leases already held by the applicant from Government under these or other rules.

3. The area of limestone quarries shall ordinarily be limited to half a square mile. When any applicant, Company or Association applies for more than this area, special grounds shall be given in the application. The sanction of the Board of Revenue, as a special case, shall be necessary to the lease of more than one block to one applicant or the lease of a second block to an applicant who already holds one.

Area of block to be leased.

Note 1.—The right of an applicant in respect of a lease for quarrying limestones is limited to one block of half a square mile. The number of blocks which may properly be granted under any one lease is a matter of importance. The object of Government is not only to secure a rent for its quarries, but also to develop the resources of the country, and it is much more likely that a monopoly will hinder development than promote it. The position in practice is that if a lessee could succeed in taking up all the available quarries, he might block out all legitimate competition and extension of the business. This should be carefully guarded against, as it is certain that efforts will be made to take up all workable quarries in one interest and actually to work only one or two quarries. A lease should be restricted to such area as is reasonably required for *bonâ fide* quarrying of limestone. It should be such as would be sufficient to prevent disturbance of any sort by another lessee quarrying in the immediate neighbourhood of the quarry and sufficient to give full scope to all the work contemplated by the lessee. It is not enough to consider the resources at the command of the applicant, but also and not less the possibility of other capitalists being likely to engage in the same industry.

Note 2.—The right should be reserved to Government to make surface roads over any block.

4. The term for which a lease for quarrying limestone may be granted may be 20 years or such shorter term as the applicant may desire, and every lease granted under these rules shall be duly registered.

Term of lease.

5. (1) All operations conducted within a Reserved forest shall be subject to such conditions as the Government may by general or special order from time to time prescribe.

(2) It shall be a condition of every lease granted under these rules that before the commencement of operations within a Reserved forest, notice shall be given to the District Forest Officer of the intention to commence work and that the operations shall be conducted subject to any rules regarding the use of fire he may prescribe.

(3) Every quarrying lease which includes any portion of a Reserved forest shall, if it authorises the lessee to fell timber for quarrying purposes, specify the area within which, or the quantity up to which, and the terms and conditions upon which, he may exercise that authority.

6. Every such lease shall contain such conditions and stipulations as the Collector or Deputy Commissioner may in each case consider necessary; but shall in every case contain the following conditions:—

Its condition.

(*i*) Limestone shall be charged at the following rates, or at rates sanctioned by the Board on a report of the Commissioner.

Payment of royalty.

	Rs.	A.	P.	
(*a*) For a quarry within 5 miles of a public railway station—				
Stone	0	6	6	per ton.
Lime	0	9	0	„
(*b*) For a quarry more than 5 miles, but not more than 15 miles, from a public railway station—				
Stone	0	4	4	„
Lime	0	6	0	„
(*c*) For a quarry more than 15 miles from a public railway station—				
Stone	0	3	3	per ton.
Lime	0	4	6	„
(*d*) For limestone quarried for ballast purposes ...	0	1	1	„

Provided that if the Commissioner proposes to fix lower rates in the case of a new applicant than those fixed for adjacent quarries, he shall give notice to the lessees of the adjacent quarries, calling upon them to show cause why such lower rates should not be fixed in the lease to be granted to the new applicant. In submitting his recommendation to the board, the Commissioner shall forward the objections (if any) of the adjacent lessees together with his own opinion.

N. B.—I.—The above rates are liable to alteration from time to time.

II.—No royalty shall be charged for limestone used for buildings at the site.

(*ii*) The lessee shall also pay for all land he may take up, use or occupy for the purpose of the quarry, an annual rent not exceeding Rs. 100, to be fixed by the Commissioner on the report of the Collector or Deputy Commissioner.

Rent for occupancy of land.

(*iii*) The lessee shall commence operations within a year from the date of execution of the lease and shall thereafter carry them on effectually in a proper and skilful manner unless prevented by unavoidable cause. The Commissioner, with the consent of the Public Works Department, shall depute an officer of that Department, on the requisition of the Collector or Deputy Commissioner, to report if the work is properly and skilfully done. If that officer reports that the work is not being done properly and skilfully or that the operations were not commenced within a year from the date of execution of the lease, the lease shall be subject to forfeiture.

Commencement of operations.

(*iv*) Neither the lessee nor any person claiming through or under him shall assign the lease or transfer any right or interest thereunder, or underlet the whole or any portion of the premises comprised in such lease, without the assent of the Board of Revenue first obtained. The penalty for the infraction of this condition shall be the forfeiture of the lease.

Assignment of lease or transfer of right or interest thereunder.

(*v*) (*a*) The lease may, at the request of the lessee, be terminated at any time on six months' notice being given by the lessee to the Collector or Deputy Commissioner, provided that the date of the termination of the lease shall run from the date on which all outstanding dues on account of the property leased have been paid, and that the lessee has removed all plant and stock of limestone, including limestone used for buildings at the site.

Determination of lease.

(*b*) All plant, limestone, and lime not removed by a date to be fixed by the Collector or Deputy Commissioner before the termination of the lease shall become the absolute property of Government.

Removal of plant, &c.

(*vi*) The lessee shall keep correct accounts showing the quantity and particulars of limestone and lime, and submit them to the Collector or Deputy Commissioner of the district quarterly, and all stone and lime shall be exported from certain public railway stations to be specified on the lease on pain of foreiture of the lease, except with the permission of the Collector or Deputy Commissioner of the district.

Keeping of accounts and export of limestone or lime.

(*vii*) The lessee shall allow any officer appointed by Government or deputed by the Collector to enter upon the premises in the lease for the purpose of inspecting the same. On proof of any obstruction to such entry the lease shall be liable to be forfeited.

Inspection of premises.

(*viii*) The rent and royalty shall be paid according to fixed instalments, to be entered in the lease, to the Collector or Deputy Commissioner of the district, and on failure of payment of any instalment, the arrears shall be recoverable by the Certificate Procedure under the Public Demands Recovery Act, I (B. C.) of 1895. If any instalment of rent remain unpaid for the period of three months after due date, the lease may be cancelled by the Collector or Deputy Commissioner with the consent of the Commissioner.

Instalment.

(*ix*) The lessee shall pay any cesses, such as Road and Public Works cess of *any other which may hereafter be imposed by law*, in addition to the rent and royalty to be paid.

Liability to cess.

(*x*) The land shall be subject to all existing rights of-way and water and other easements to be specified in the lease, so far as possible, and to any exceptions and reservations which may be specified in the lease.

Land to be subject to rights-of-way, &c.

(*xi*) If any boundary dispute or disputes regarding right-of-way or any other dispute whatsoever regarding the construction of any term or condition in the lease arises between the lessee and the lessee of any adjoining block already leased under these rules or which may subsequently be leased, the lessee shall be bound to submit such dispute to the decision of the Collector or Deputy Commissioner. The decision of such officer shall be appealable to the superior revenue authorities in due course, and the decision of the Board of Revenue shall be final and binding on the lessees.

Boundary disputes.

(*xii*) The lessee shall have no claim against Government for compensation or damages in respect of land having been included in his lease which has already been included in some previous lease, but the lessee shall be entitled to proportionate reduction of the assessment in respect of any land covered by the lease which may subsequently be discovered not to have been available for lease.

(*viii*) The lessee in the event of any accident occurring in the area under lease shall forthwith report the same to the Collector or Deputy Commissioner of the district in the form prescribed by Government for the purpose. The Collector or Deputy Commissioner as the case may be shall supply copies of the forms at the time of execution of the lease.

Report of accident.

(*ix*) The lease shall be subject to all rules and regulations which may from time to time be issued by the Local Government regulating the working of the quarries and other matters affecting the safety, health and convenience of the lessees, employés or of the public whether under the Indian Mines Act or otherwise.

Lease subject to rules.

(*x*) The lessee shall furnish such reports and returns relating to output, labourers employed and other matters as the Local Government may prescribe.

Submission of reports.

(*xi*) The lessee may, on the expiration of the term, have a renewal of the lease on terms to be agreed upon by the Collector or Deputy Commissioner and lessee, subject to the approval of the Commissioner.

Renewal of lease.

(*xii*) The lessee shall, before beginning operations, demarcate the area leased to him with boundary marks of stone or pucka masonry and keep these boundary marks always in proper repair. If within six months of the date of the execution of the lease, the lands have not, in the opinion of the Collector or Deputy Commissioner, been properly demarcated, the lease shall be liable to be forfeited.

Demarcation of area and boundary marks.

(*xiii*) In the event of breach of any of the conditions specified in these rules, the lessee shall be liable to a fine representing liquidated damages to be imposed by the Collector or Deputy Commissioner, which shall not exceed half the yearly rental and shall be recoverable under section 7 (1) (*i*) of the Public Demands Recovery Act, I (B. C.) of 1895, and shall also be liable to ejectment for any breach of the conditions specified in (*iii*), (*iv*) (*vi*), (*vii*) (*viii*) and (*xii*) above.

Penalty for breach of conditions.

No. 3534L.R.—The 17th December 1906.—The following form of lease for lime-stone quarries in Government lands in the Province of Bengal has been approved by the Lieutenant-Governor and is hereby published for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Lease of Limestone Quarries in Government lands.

THIS indenture made the day of between the Secretary of State for India in Council hereinafter called the lessor of the one part and hereinafter called the lessee of the other part witnesseth that in consideration of the rent royalty or other payment and lessee's covenant hereinafter reserved and contained the lessor doth hereby demise unto the lessee the land measuring situated in kasra No. of mauza bearing settlement No. tahsil circle district and delineated on the plan hereto annexed and therein marked to hold the same for a period of commencing from and ending on for the purpose and subject to the conditions set forth below :—

Namely—

1. The lessee shall have the right to quarry limestone and convert it into lime and to do all acts necessary for the extraction of the stone or the manufacture of the lime including the erection on the land leased of buildings and plant required for these purposes

provided,

(*a*) that the lessee shall agree that all operations conducted within the land hereby leased to him shall be subject to such conditions as the Government may by general or special order from time to time prescribe;

(*b*) that the lessee shall agree that before the commencement of operations within a reserved or protected forest he shall give notice to the Collector / Deputy Commissioner of his intention to commence work and that the operations shall be conducted subject to any rules regarding the use of fire which may be prescribed;

(c) the lessee shall in no circumstances fell timber unless he takes previous permission of the Collector / Deputy Commissioner to do so and the lessee shall observe all conditions as to the area within which the quantity up to which and the terms on which he may exercise that authority.

2. That the lessee during the said term shall pay royalty for limestone and lime at the following rates:—

* * * *

* *Note.*—Here will be inserted the rates specified below, or those sanctioned by the Board on a report of the Commissioner.

	Rs.	A.	P.	
(a) For a quarry within 5 miles of a public railway station—				
Stone	0	6	6	per ton.
Lime	0	9	0	" "
(b) For a quarry more than 5 miles but not more than 15 miles from a public railway station—				
Stone	0	4	4	per ton.
Lime	0	6	0	" "
(c) For a quarry more than 15 miles from a public railway station—				
Stone	0	3	3	per ton.
Lime	0	4	6	" "
(d) For limestone quarried for ballast purposes ...	0	1	1	" "

3. That the lessee shall also pay for all land he may take up use or occupy for the purpose of the quarry an annual rent not exceeding Rs. 100 to be fixed by the Commissioner on the report of the Collector or Deputy Commissioner.

Rent for occupancy of land.

4. That the lessee shall commence operations within a year from the date of execution of the lease and shall thereafter carry them on effectually in a proper and skilful manner unless prevented by unavoidable cause.

Commencement of operations.

5. That for the purpose of ascertaining whether the work is properly and skilfully done it shall be open to the Commissioner with the consent of the Public Works Department to depute an officer of that Department on the requisition of the Collector or Deputy Commissioner to report if the work is properly and skilfully done and that if that officer reports that the work is not being done properly and skilfully or that the operations were not commenced within a year from the date of execution of the lease the lease shall be subject to forfeiture.

6. That neither the lessee nor any person claiming through or under him shall assign the lease or transfer any right or interest thereunder or underlet the whole or any portion of the premises comprised in such lease without the assent of the Board of Revenue first obtained. The penalty for the infraction of this condition shall be the forfeiture of the lease.

Assignment of lease or transfer of right or interest thereunder.

7. That the lease may, at the request of the lessee, be terminated at any time on six months' notice being given by the lessee to the Collector or Deputy Commissioner, provided that the date of the termination of the lease shall run from the date on which all outstanding dues on account of the property leased have been paid, and that the lessee shall have removed all plant and stock of limestone, including limestone used for buildings at the site.

Determination of lease.

8. That all plant, limestone and lime not removed by a date to be fixed by the Collector or Deputy Commissioner before the termination of the lease shall become the absolute property of Government.

Removal of plant, &c.

9. That the lessee shall keep correct accounts showing the quantity and particulars of limestone and lime, and submit them to the Collector or Deputy Commissioner of the district quarterly, and that all stone and lime shall be exported from the public railway stations specified below on pain of forfeiture of the lease, except with the permission of the Collector or Deputy Commissioner of the district.

Keeping of accounts and export of limestone or lime.

10. That the lessee shall allow any officer appointed by Government or deputed by the Collector to enter upon the premises in the lease for the purpose of inspecting the same and that on proof of any obstruction to such entry the lease shall be liable to be forfeited.

Inspection of premises.

11. That the lessee shall pay the aforesaid rent and royalty according to the following instalments, to the Collector or Deputy Commissioner of the district, and that on his failure to pay any instalment, the arrears shall be recoverable by the Certificate Procedure under the Public Demands Recovery Act, I (B. C.) of 1895. Further, that if any instalment of rent remain unpaid for the period

Instalment.

of three months after due date, the lease may be cancelled by the Collector or Deputy Commissioner with the consent of the Commissioner.

Rent	...	(Here enter the instalments and dates of payment)
Royalty	...	(ditto ditto ditto)

12. That the lessee shall pay any cesses, such as Road and Public Works Cess or *any other which may hereafter be imposed by law*, in addition to the rent and royalty to be paid.

Liability to cess.

13. That the land shall be subject to all existing rights-of-way and water and other easements and to the exceptions and reservations described in Schedule A hereto annexed.

and to be subject to rights-of-, &c.

14. That Government has the right to make surface roads over any block in the leased area.

15. That if any boundary dispute or disputes regarding right-of-way or any other dispute whatsoever regarding the construction of any term or condition in the lease arises between the lessee and the lessee of any adjoining block already leased under these rules or which may subsequently be leased, the lessee shall be bound to submit such dispute to the decision of the Collector or Deputy Commissioner. The decision of such officer shall be appealable to the superior revenue authorities in due course, and the decision of the Board of Revenue shall be final and binding on the lessees.

Boundary dispute.

16. That the lessee shall have no claim against Government for compensation or damages in respect of land having been included in his lease which has already been included in some previous lease, but that the lessee shall be entitled to proportionate reduction of the assessment in respect of any land covered by the lease which may subsequently be discovered not to have been available for lease.

17. That in the event of any accident occurring in the area under lease the lessee shall forthwith report the same to the Collector or Deputy Commissioner of the district in the form prescribed by Government for the purpose, copies of which shall be obtained by the lessee on application to the Collector or Deputy Commissioner.

Report of accident.

18. That the lease shall be subject to all rules and regulations which may from time to time be issued by the Local Government regulating the working of the quarries and other matters affecting the safety, health and convenience of the lessees, employés or of the public whether under the Indian Mines Act or otherwise.

Lease subject to rules.

19. That the lessee shall furnish such reports and returns relating to output, labourers employed and other matters as the Local Government may prescribe.

Submission of reports.

20. That on the expiration of the period of this lease the lessee may, if he has duly observed all the foregoing conditions, have a renewal of the lease on terms to be agreed upon by the Collector or Deputy Commissioner and the lessee, subject to the approval of the Commissioner.

21. That the lessee shall, before beginning operations demarcate the area leased to him with boundary marks of stone or pucka masonry and keep these boundary marks always in proper repair. And that if within six months of the date of the execution of the lease, the lands have not, in the opinion of the Collector or Deputy Commissioner, been properly demarcated, the lease shall be liable to be forfeited.

Demarcation of area and boundary marks.

22. That in the event of breach of any of the conditions specified in these rules, the lessee shall be liable to a fine representing liquidated damages to be imposed by the Collector or Deputy Commissioner, which shall not exceed half the yearly rental and shall be recoverable under section 7 (1) (*c*) of the Public Demands Recovery Act, I (B. C.) of 1895, and shall also be liable to ejectment for any breach of the conditions specified in clauses 4, 6, 9, 10, 11, and 21 above.

Penalty for breach of conditions.

SCHEDULE A.

Table of exceptions and reservations to be included here—*vide* clause 13 of the lease.

24-Parganas.

No. 3589L.R.—The 20th December 1906.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 101 (2) (*c*) and section 101 (2) (*d*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, as amended by Act III (B.C.) of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record of rights be prepared in respect of all lands included in the Government estates noted below in the district of the 24-Parganas.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record of rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the money-rent payable at the time the record of rights is being prepared, or if the rent payable is a produce-rent, the fact that a produce-rent is paid, and the customary terms according to which it is paid;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed—whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which and the steps by which it increases;

(*h*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*i*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free,—whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*j*) the custom of the village regulating the methods of irrigation, and the duties and rights of both landlords and tenants with respect to the use and maintenance of the means of irrigation.

Tauzi number and name of estate.	Pargana.
2701, Budge Budge, surplus land ...	... Dukhin Balia.
1326, Bhogowanpur ...	... ... Sundarbans.
1312, Badartola ...	... ... Magura.
1637, Boyarghata ...	... ... Bil-Billi.

Hazaribagh.

No. 3590L.A.—The 20th December 1906.—Notification No. 3007L.A., dated the 20th November 1906, published at page 2023, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem, regarding the cancellation of declaration No. 196R., dated the 30th September 1902, in respect of the acquisition of land required for the Gaya-Asansol Railway, in the district of Hazaribagh, is hereby cancelled.

No. 3574 Jur.—The 19th December 1906.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to sanction the transfer of the following villages, now in the jurisdiction of police-station Palkot, to the jurisdiction of police-station Basia in the Ranchi dist :—

1. Okba.	6. Mamerla.	11. Jolo.
2. Kedli.	7. Chintamankura	12. Bantavi
3. Dakia.	8. Bangal	13. Kiringl
4. Batela	9. Lalpur	14. T...
5. Tengra.	10. Narekela.	15. Kulusera.

In consequence of the above alteration the following are declared to be the boundarie police-stations Palkot and Basia:—

Revised boundaries of police-station Palkot.

North—Gumla police-station.
East—Basia ditto.
West—Raidih outpost.
South—Kolebera police-station and Kochedega police-station.

Revised boundaries of police-station Basia.

North—Karra police-station and Sesai police-station.
East—Torpa out post.
West—Palkot police-station and Gumla police-station.
South—Bano outpost and Kolebera police-station.

24-Parganas.

No. 3575Jur.—The 20th December 1906.—In modification of the Notification No. 1078F., dated the 30th April 1906, published at page 981, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 2nd May 1906, sanctioning the establishment, with effect from the 1st May 1906, of a new police-station at Behala, in the district of the 24-Parganas, the Lieutenant-Governor declares the following to be the boundaries o thana Behala and the revised boundaries of thana Tollygunge, in modification of the boun daries defined by the notification, dated the 13th July 1868, published at page 1800 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 22nd idem:—

Boundaries of Behala thana.

North—By Calcutta and the river Hooghly.
East—By Tollygunge and Sonarpur thanas.
South—By Bistupur thana.
West—By the river Hooghly and Budge-Budge thana.

Revised boundaries of Tollygunge thana.

North—By Calcutta.
East—By Bhangor and Sonarpur thanas.
South—By Sonarpur thana.
West—By Behala thana.

The boundary line between the two thanas touches the following mauzas pertaining to the Tollygunge thana:—

Name of mauza.	Thakbust No.	Name of pargana.
Shahpur	25	Magoorah.
Punanj	457	Ditto.
Sibati	204	Ditto.
Chandpur	373	Ditto.
Sodepur	32	Khaspore.
Kaleepur	8	Ditto.
Haridebpur	33	Ditto.
Puturi	205	Magoorah.
Chakdaha	367	Ditto.
Bansdrone	414	Ditto.
Raniah	304	Ditto.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Midnapore.

No. 3548L.A.—The 19th December 1906.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for an office building of the Khirpai Municipality in the village of Khirpai, pargana Chandrakona, Ghatal subdivision, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas and 10½ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By Pashpukur and lakheraj land of Ballav Ch. Pahari;
South—By District Board road;
East—By Municipal road;
West—By Municipal road;

is required within the aforesaid village of Khirpai.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Ghatal.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

a public purpose, viz., for the ... of Haludpukur, Naga, Moghoasai, Daroosai, Hesrah, Rasunchopa and Palidih, pargana Dhalbhum, zilla Singhbhum, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 135 bighas 18 cottahs 12 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By Koali-Kalimati Road and the *basti* of village Haludpukur;
South—By the Moharbhanj State road and the boundary line of Moharbhanj;
East—
West—} By the cultivated lands and waste land of the villages Haludpukur, Naga, Moghoasai, Daroosai, Hesrah, Rasunchopa and Palidih—

is required within the aforesaid villages.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer of Singhbhum.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2188.—The 21st December 1906.—The following resolution, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, is republished for general information.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 9697—9709—112, dated Calcutta, the 13th December 1906.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

HIS MAJESTY'S Secretary of State for India has communicated to the Government of India a request from the Governor-General of Canada that emigration from India to Canada should be discouraged, and that intending emigrants should be warned that there is no probability of their obtaining employment in that country and that in the event of their destitution, they are liable to deportation under the law of Canada.

2. The Governor-General in Council accordingly requests all Local Governments and Administrations to make the above intimation generally known, particularly in places from which emigation to Canada is believed to be most common, and also to warn intending emigrants at the ports of embarkation of the risks they run in proceeding to that Colony.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Etawah. Sitapur. *No. 9940.—The 20th December 1906.*—Mr. J. P. Augier, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Etawah, is transferred to Sitapur, *vice* Mr. H. Hastings, on leave.

Mainpuri. Etawah. Mr. G. C. R. Nicholson, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Mainpuri is transferred to Etawah, *vice* Mr. J. P. Augier, transferred to Sitapur.

Rae Bareli. Mainpuri. Mr. J. O. D. Murray, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Rae Bareli is transferred to Mainpuri, *vice* Mr. G. C. R. Nicholson, transferred to Etawah.

Cawnpur (Fategarh). Rae Bareli. Mr. A. Datta, Assistant Opium Agent, Cawnpur (Fatehgarh), is appointed to perform the duties of Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Rae Bareli, *vice* Mr. J. O. D. Murray, transferred to Mainpuri.

H. J McINTOSH,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5014A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

Hooghly. *No. 4453A.—The 4th December 1906.*—Babu Haripada Mazumdar, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Hooghly, to be ordinarily stationed at Arambagh, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Arambagh Munsifi.

Saran. *No. 4922A.—The 21st December 1906.*—The services of Babu Kishori Lal Sen, Munsif, Chapra, in the district of Saran, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

Saran. *No. 4925A.—The 21st December 1906.*—Babu Bhupendra Nath Mukharji, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Saran, to be ordinarily stationed at Chapra, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Kishori Lal Sen, or until further orders.

Darbhanga. *No. 5025A.—The 22nd December 1906.*—The services of Babu Nilalohit Mukharji, Munsif, now employed as Officiating Additional Subordinate Judge, Darbhanga, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

Sambalpur.

No. 5018A.—The 22nd December 1906.—Babu Purna Chandra Mitra, now employed as Judge of the District Court of Sambalpur, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge of Sambalpur, in the District of Cuttack, and is vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1), of Act VII of 1889, and also with the powers conferred on District Judges under sections 344 to 359 (both inclusive) of the Code of Civil Procedure in cases arising within the local limits of his jurisdiction.

POWERS.

Bankura.

No. 4901A.—The 20th December 1906.—Babu Rakhal Mohan Banarji, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the order of the 18th December 1906, been appointed to have charge of the Vishnupur subdivision of the Bankura district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class and with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Saran.

No. 4927A.—The 21st December 1906.—Babu Bipin Bihari De, Munsif, Chapra, Saran, is vested with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Chapra Munsifi.

Khulna.

No. 4940A.—The 21st December 1906.—Babu Dayanidhi Das, Deputy Magistrate, Khulna, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

24-Parganas.

No. 4945A.—The 21st December 1906.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to empower Mr. W. S. Adie, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Mr. Adie is also vested with powers under sections 110, 133, 190 (1) (*c*) and 524 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

24-Parganas.

No. 4947A.—The 21st December 1906.—Mr. W. S. Adie, Joint-Magistrate, 24-Parganas, is appointed, under the provisions of section 22 of Act V of 1858, to act as a Justice of the Peace, within the territories under the Lieutenant-Governor's control.

24-Parganas.

No. 4981A.—The 22nd December 1906.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the order of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Bhagalpur.

No. 4996A.—The 22nd December 1906.—Under the authority vested in him by section 357, sub-section (2), of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act V of 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Babu Phanindra Nath Mukharji (No. II), substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate, Bhagalpur, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

24-Parganas.

No. 3823J.—The 21st December 1906.—Mr. George Williamson is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Titagarh Municipal Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

Purnea.

No. 3862J.—The 21st December 1906.—Babu Jadunandan Singh is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Katihar, in the district of Purnea.

RESIGNATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 3821J.—The 21st December 1906.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. Edward Kinnison of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Titagarh Municipal Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

POWERS.

No. 3824J.—The 21st December 1906.—Mr. George Williamson, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Titagarh Municipal Bench, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

24-Parganas.

No. 3863J.—The 21st December 1906.—Babu Jadunandan Singh, who has been appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Independent Bench at Katihar, in the district of Purnea, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Purnea.

JAILS.

No. 3858J.—The 21st December 1906.—The gentlemen named below are re-appointed to be non-official visitors of the Chaibassa Jail:—

Singhbhum.

Rev. W. L. D. Singh. | Babu Maheswar Singh Deo.

No. 3859J.—The 21st December 1906.—Babu M. L. Seal is appointed to be a non-official visitor of the Chaibassa Jail.

Singhbhum.

T. W. RICHARDSON,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

No. 2770P.—The 22nd December 1906.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 14, sub-section (1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confer upon each of the under mentioned Presidents of panchayats in the district of the 24-Parganas the powers of a Magistrate under sections 64, 127 and 128 of the same Code, and to declare that the said powers may be exercised by the said officers within the limits of the Unions noted against their respective names.

24-Parganas.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor is further pleased to declare, in pursuance of sub-section (2) of the said section 14, that the said powers are conferred and may be exercised by each of the said officers for a period of three years only, from the date of this notification.

Thana Naihati.

Name of President.	Name and number of Union.
Babu Chandra Kumar Chakrabatti ...	... Debhog, I.
„ Hari Charan Chatarji	Jetia, II.
„ Shyam Lal Mukharji	Rahuta, III.
Kazi Muhammad Yusuf	Shibdaspur, IV.
Babu Abinash Chandra Pan	Majpara, V.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 19th December 1906.

No. 243.—Mr. C. W. Sibold, Executive Engineer, attached to the office of the Chief Engineer, Bengal, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, to the Gandak Circle, and will remain attached to the office of the Executive Engineer, Gandak Division, until further orders.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 22nd December 1906.

No. 10.—Notification.—In supersession of Bengal Government Notifications Nos. 7 and 27 dated respectively the 9th February 1904, and 22nd December 1905, it is hereby declared that, under section 6 of Act V (B. C.) of 1864, the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to fix the following rates for the levy of tolls at the undermentioned places in the

Bijili Tidal Canal, Ranges I and II, in the Orissa Coast Canal, Ranges III, IVA, IVB, and V, in the Balliaghye drain and in the Terapakia and Palaboni Pass khals, with effect from the 1st January 1907 :—

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ENTERING FROM THE NORTH.

DESCRIPTION.	Range I.	Range II.	Range III.				Range IVA.		Range IVB.	Range V.	
	11 miles.	18 miles.	9 miles.	7 miles.	7 miles.	20 miles.	9 miles.	8 miles.	6 miles.	22 miles.	16 miles.
	As. P.	Rs. A. P.	As. P.	As. P.	As. P.	As. P.	As. P.	As. P.	As. P.	As. P.	As. P.
Vessels loaded, per 100 maunds	11 0	1 2 0	4 6	3 6	3 6	10 0	4 6	4 0	3 0	3 0	3 0
,, empty ,, 100 ,,	5 6	0 9 0	2 3	1 9	1 9	5 0	2 3	2 0	1 6	4 0	3 0
Timber in rafts, per timber ...	2 0	0 3 3	2 0	2 0	0 6	1 6	2 annas		2	2 0	2 0
Bamboos in floats, per 100 bamboos.	4 0	0 4 0	4 0	4 0	1 0	3 0	4 ,,		4	4 0	4 0

Tolls will be charged at Gewankhali, Etamagra, Terapakia, Kalinagar, Bhatghur, Mosagown, Peechaboni, Bhograi, Jamcoonda, Panchpara, Nulcool, Chargachia and Charbattia.

ENTERING FROM THE SOUTH.

DESCRIPTION.	Range V.		Range IVB.	Range IVA.		Range III.				Range II.	Range I.
	16 miles.	22 miles.	6 miles.	8 miles.	9 miles.	9 miles.	7 miles.	7 miles.	9 miles.	18 miles.	11 miles.
	As.	As.	As. P.	As.	As. P.	As. P.	As. P.	As. P.	As. P.	Rs. A. P.	As. P.
Vessels loaded, per 100 maunds	6		3 0	4	4 6	10 0	3 6	3 6	4 6	1 2 0	11 0
,, empty ,, 100 ,,	3		1 6	2	2 3	5 0	1 9	1 9	2 3	0 9 0	5 6
Timber in rafts, per timber ...	2		2 0	2 annas		1 6	0 6	2 0	2 0	0 3 3	2 0
Bamboos in floats, per 100 bamboos.	4		4 0	4 ,,		3 0	1 0	4 0	4 0	0 4 0	4 0

Tolls will be charged at Charbattia, Chargachia, Nulcool, Panchpara, Jamcoonda, Bhograi, Peechaboni, Mosagown Bhatghur, Kalinagar, Terapakia, Etamagra, and Gewankhali.

Schedule of local rates of tolls to be charged on the Pass khals and Balliaghye drain.

DESCRIPTION.	Terapakia Pass khal from Terapakia lock to Bansballya and *vice versâ*.	Palaboni Pass khal from its junction Terapakia khal at Anundapore to its junction with Sadar khal and *vice versâ*.	Balliaghye drain from Surpai to Kharikapatna and Balliaghye and *vice versâ*.	Balliaghye drain from Surpai to Kharikapatna or Balliaghye for boats above 200 maunds measurements and *vice versâ*.
1	2	3	4	5
	10 miles.	10 miles.	11 miles.	11 miles.
	As.	As.	As.	As.
Vessels loaded, per 100 maunds...	10	10	6	8
,, empty, ,, 100 ,, ...	5	5	3	4
Timber in rafts, ,, timber ...	2	2	2	2
Bamboos in floats, per 100 bamboos	4	4	4	4

Tolls will be charged at Terapakia and Surpai.

Through tolls to be charged on the Hijili Tidal and Orissa Coast Canals.

Name of Toll Station.		Rate per 100 maunds, cargo boats.		Total.	Rate per 100 maunds, empty boats.		Total.
From—	To—	Hijili Tidal Canal.	Orissa Coast Canal.		Hijili Tidal Canal.	Orissa Coast Canal.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	As.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Gewankhali ...	Kalinagar and *vice versâ*.	1 8	...	1 8 0	12	...	0 12 0
	Mosagown and *vice versâ*	1 8	0 4 6	1 12 6	12	0 2 3	0 14 3
	Peechaboni and *vice versâ*.	1 8	0 6 0	1 14 0	12	0 3 0	0 15 0
	Bhograi and *vice versâ*.	1 8	1 2 0	2 10 0	12	0 9 0	1 5 0
	Jamcoonda and *vice versâ*.	1 8	1 2 0	2 10 0	12	0 9 0	1 5 0
	Panchpara and *vice versâ*.	1 8	1 10 6	3 2 6	12	0 13 3	1 9 3
	Nulcool and *vice versâ*.	1 8	1 13 6	3 5 6	12	0 14 9	1 10 9
	Charbattia and *vice versâ*.	1 8	2 11 6	4 3 6	12	1 5 9	2 1 9
	Balliaghye or Kharikapatna and *vice versâ*.	1 10	0 10 0	2 4 0	13	0 5 0	1 2 0

Tolls will be charged at Gewankhali, Kalinagar, Bhaitghur, Mosagown, Surpai, Peechaboni, Bhogra Jamcoonda, Panchpara, Nulcool and Charbattia.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 21st December 1906.

No. 139Marine.—Intimation having been received of the outbreak of plague in Moulmein, it is hereby notified, for general information, that Moulmein is declared an infected port, and that the regulations for the prevention of the introduction of plague by sea, issued by this Government, will be enforced in the ports of Orissa against vessels arriving from Moulmein.

W. A. Inglis,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Establishment.

The 19th December 1906.

No. 244.—Babu Phanindra Nath Mukharji, Overseer, Nadia Rivers Division, is transferred in the interests of the public service to the Eastern Sone Division, as a temporary measure.

W. A. Inglis,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

Establishment.

The 21st December 1906.

No. 245.—Mr. D. R. G. Turnbull, Sub-Engineer, second grade, is, on return from leave posted to the 2nd Calcutta Division.

M. J. Scobie,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 5015A.

No. 4886A.—*The Burdwan Divn. Birbhum.* *19th December 1906.*—Babu Amulya Chandra Dutt, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Burdwan Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Birbhum district.

No. 4899A.—*The Burdwan Divn. Bankura.* *20th December 1906.*—Mr. Jamini Mohan Chatarji, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Burdwan Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Bankura district.

No. 4955A.—*The Bhagalpur Divn. Monghyr.* *21st December 1906.*—Babu Jahnavi Prasad, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Bhagalpur, Division, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Monghyr district.

No. 4986A.—*The 22nd December 1906.*—The services of the substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collectors, named below, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department:—

Babu Ras Bihari Mukharji. | Maulvi Kamar-ud-din Ahmad.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 12306, dated the 20th December 1906.—Honorary Captain J. G. Fleming made over charge of the Purulia Jail to Captain F. P. Conor, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 22nd November 1906.

No. 12394, dated the 20th December 1906.—Lieutenant F. J. Daley, I.S.M.D., made over charge of the Chaibassa Jail to Lieutenant M. E. Mungavin, I.S.M.S., on the forenoon of the 11th December 1906.

No. 12506, dated Calcutta, the 21st December 1906.—Captain R. M. Dalziel, I.M.S., took over charge of the Buxar Central Jail from Captain N. S. Wells, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 14th November 1906, and made over charge to Captain N. S. Wells, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 15th November 1906.

W. J. BUCHANAN,
Inspr.-Genl. of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 8284.—*Calcutta, the 19th December 1906.*—Senior Assistant Surgeon Babu Prabodh Chandra Basu is appointed, with effect from the afternoon of the 7th December 1906, to act at the Bhagalpur Dispensary, during the absence, on leave, of Senior Assistant Surgeon Babu Jogendra Nath Ghosh, or until further orders.

No. 8339.—*Calcutta, the 19th December 1906.*—Third-grade Assistant Surgeon Babu Biseswar Chakrabatti held temporary charge of the Charitable Dispensary at Krishnagar, with effect from the 12th August to the 3rd December 1906, both days inclusive.

No. 8388, dated Calcutta, the 21st December 1906.—Babu Surendra Nath Ghosh (II), third-grade Assistant Surgeon, did supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the 10th to the 14th December 1906, both days inclusive.

No. 8391, dated Calcutta, the 21st December 1906.—Babu Debendra Nath Ghosh, third-grade Assistant Surgeon, did supernumerary duty in the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the 10th to the 14th December 1906, both days inclusive.

R. MACRAE, M.B., COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

HIGH COURT—ORIGINAL SIDE.

The 20th December 1906.

THE Honourable the Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal has appointed Francis George Clark, Esq., of Exchange Corner, 63, Pitt Street, Sydney, Solicitor, a Commissioner within all parts of the State of New South Wales to take affidavits or affirmations or declarations in all suits, matters and proceedings in the Calcutta High Court and also the acknowledgments of married women in respect of property in India.

By order,
W. R. FINK,
Registrar.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, UNITED PROVINCES.

NOTICE.

Dated Allahabad, the 2nd October 1906.

THE Local Government having approved of an application made by Raja Tasadduq Rasul Khan, C.S.I., of Jahangirabad in the Bara Banki district, that a sum of Rs. 20,200 be vested under the designation of the "Tasadduq Rasul Arabic Scholarship Endowment Trust Aligarh," in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the said Local Government, to be applied in Trust upon the terms that the interest accruing thereon be expended in the payment of scholarships for the higher study of Arabic at the Muhammadan Anglo-Oriental College, Aligarh, on certain conditions, the following is published for general information :—

(1) that the scholarships shall be awarded in each year to Muhammadan students of Arabic who, after having passed the examination for the time being prescribed for the B. A. degree of any University to which the Indian Universities Act 1904 (VIII of 1904), applies purpose to study in the Muhammadan Anglo-Oriental College, Aligarh, for two years for the examination for the time being prescribed for the M. A. degree in Arabic of the Allahabad University;

(2) that there shall be one or more scholarships of the value of Rs. 20 per mensem, tenable for two years; and the Secretary and the Principal of the Muhammadan Anglo-Oriental College, Aligarh, shall decide, with reference to the funds available for the purpose, the number of the scholarships to be granted in any year;

(3) that the nomination for the said scholarship or scholarships shall rest with the Principal of the said College who shall in making the nomination give preference to candidates who are inhabitants of the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh;

(4) that the holder of a scholarship shall in all matters carry out the instructions of the Principal, who shall have power to suspend and withdraw the scholarship in the event of the misconduct of the holder;

(5) that the income accruing on the Trust shall be expended in the payment of these Arabic scholarships and no other object;

(6) that all savings, from whatever cause arising, shall, if the said Local Government deems the amount to be sufficient for the purpose, be added to and form part of the funds hereby vested in the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments; and the income accruing on the amounts so added shall also be expended in the manner prescribed for the income accruing on the said funds;

(7) that in the event of the Arabic classes of the said College being abolished and in the event of its ceasing to teach Arabic the income accruing from the Trust shall be expended in scholarships for some other branch of higher education at the same College in the name of the donor, and in the event of the Muhammadan Anglo-Oriental College, Aligarh, ceasing to exist the amount of the Trust shall be returned to the said Raja Tasadduq Rasul Khan, C.S.I., of Jahangirabad, or his heir or representative.

2. Applications for these scholarships should be made in writing to the Principal, Muhammadan Anglo-Oriental College, Aligarh.

T. C. LEWIS, M.A.,

Director of Public Instruction, United Provinces.

THE FINAL EXAMINATION FOR B AND C CLASSES, 1907.

I

ROUTINE FOR FINAL EXAMINATION OF THE B CLASSES, 1907.

THE examination will be held at the following centres and on the following dates :—

BENGAL ... ... Bankipore, Midnapore and Ranchi.
EASTERN BENGAL AND ASSAM ... Rampur Boalia, Rangpur, Pabna, Bari Dacca and Mymensingh.

DATES.	8 to 11 A.M.	1 to 4 P.M.
Friday, the 1st February 1907	Manual Training ...	Manual Training.
Saturday, the 2nd February 1907	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Monday, the 4th February 1907	Arithmetic and Algebra.	Geometry and Mensuration.
Tuesday, the 5th February 1907	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	Engineering.
Wednesday, the 6th February 1907	Surveying ...	Modern English, I.
Thursday, the 7th February 1907	Modern English, II	Elementary Science.

2. The exact periods allotted to the Manual Training test will be indicated on the examination paper. The examination will begin on Friday, the 1st February 1907, at 8 A.M., and continue, morning and afternoon, until the time allotted has expired The Manual Training test is on no account to be conducted during any hours other than those prescribed on the examination paper.

3. After each period the candidate's test work together with his question-paper will be taken from him and locked up by the Superintendent and securely sealed. It will remain in his custody until the hour set apart for resuming the examination. Before re-distributing the work to the candidates the Superintendent should assure himself that the seal has not been tampered with.

4. The examination at each centre will be in charge of the Superintendent of the local Technical School. Each Superintendent will be informed by the Examiner, not later than the first week in January, as to the scantlings and length of wood necessary for the practical test. It will be the duty of the Superintendent to see that a sufficient quantity of wood of the required size is available.

5. No extra wood may be given to any candidate.

6. No mistry will be allowed in the shops during the examination.

7. When the time allotted to the practical test has expired, the Superintendent is immediately to pack carefully the materials which have been worked on by the candidates and despatch the packages under seal to the Head Master, Ahsanullah School of Engineering, Dacca, together with a certificate that in each case these examination rules have been rigidly complied with. He will inform the Head Master by telegraph of the despatch of the test.

II.

ROUTINE FOR THE FINAL EXAMINATION OF THE C CLASSES, 1907, BENGAL CENTRES.

1. The examination will be conducted at the following centres and on the following dates :—

The Hare School, Calcutta (for all Calcutta candidates) Ranchi, Uttarpara, Hooghly and Barasat.

DATES.	8 to 11 A.M.	1 to 4 P.M.
Monday, the 4th February 1907	Arithmetic and Algebra	Geometry and Mensuration.
Tuesday, the 5th February 1907	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	History.
Wednesday, the 6th February 1907	Geography	Modern English, I.
Thursday, the 7th February 1907	Modern English, II.	

2. Arrangements for conducting the final examination of the C classes in Eastern Bengal and Assam will be published by the Director of Public Instruction, Eastern Bengal and Assam.

III.

General Instructions.

1. The following regulations are to be observed for the final examination both B and C classes:—

Each Head Master of a school sending up candidates for these examinations must to the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, a list of candidates appearing from his s before the 20th December 1906. This list is to be accompanied by—

(*a*) a certificate of the age of each candidate on January 1st, 1907;
(*b*) a declaration of the candidate's vernacular;
(*c*) a fee of Rs. 10 from each candidate. This fee will in no case be refunded

Duplicate copies of (*a*) and (*b*) are to be sent at the same time to the Principal o Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

2. The following Examiners have been appointed:—

Classes	Subjects.	Examiner.	Address.
B and *C* ...	Arithmetic and Algebra.	Babu Kalipada Basu, M.A.	Professor, Dacca College
B and *C*	Geometry and Mensuration.	Babu Radha Raman Guha.	Assistant Head Master, Dacca School of Engineering.
B and *C*	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	Babu Surendra Kumar Bose.	Assistant Professor, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
B and *C*	Modern English, I— (*a*) Grammar and Parsing (1½ hours).	Mr. J. A. Chapman	Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta.
	(*b*) Translation from Vernacular (1½ hours)—		
	Bengali ...	Babu Debendra Kumar Roy.	Head Master, Dacca Training School.
	Hindi ..	Babu Bhagabati Sahai.	Assistant Inspector of Schools, Patna Division.
	Urdu ...	Maulvi Ashanulla, M.A.	Head Master, Rajshahi Collegiate School.
B and *C*	Modern English, II— (*a*) Essay (1½ hours)	Mr. J. A. Chapman...	Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta.
	(*b*) Translation from English (1½ hours)—Paper t be set by— ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
	Examiner (Bengali)	Mr. D. N. Mallik ...	Professor, Patna College.
	Do. (Hindi) ...	Babu Bhagabati Sahai.	Assistant Inspector of Schools, Patna Division.
	Do. (Urdu) ...	Maulvi Amjadali	Head Master, Calcutta Madrassa.
	Engineering ...	Mr. F. W. Arnold ...	Head Master, Dacca School of Engineering.
	Surveying ...	„ P. W. Byers ...	Teacher, C. E. College, Sibpur.
	Elementary Science...	„ P. Brühl ...	Professor, C. E. College, Sibpur.
	Manual Training ...	„ B. Kenneth Evans.	Foreman-Instructor, Dacca Ahsanulla School of Engineering.
	History ...	Mr. J. N. Das Gupta	Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta.
	Geography ..	„ J. V. Francis ..	Superintendent, Apprentice Department, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.
...	Modern English, III	J. A. Chapman	Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta.
...	Elementary Practical Mechanics.	F. W. Arnold ..	Head Master, Dacca School of Engineering.

3. All question-papers, except those for the practical tests, are to be such as can be answered in three-hour periods. Modern English (I) and Modern English (II) are divided into two sections; the questions on each section should be such as can be answered in 1½ hours. The answer-papers on each section of Modern English are to be collected at the end of the 1½-hour period assigned to it.

CALCUTTA,
The 11th December 1906.

A. EARLE,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

THE CIVIL ENGINEERING COLLEGE, SIBPUR.

THE following courses of instruction are provided at this College.—

I.—Engineer Department.

A four-year course leading to the Engineering Degrees of the Calcutta University. Admissions made yearly in June. Admission qualification, the First Arts examination of the Calcutta University or its equivalent.

II.—Apprentice Department.

The full course of study covers five years. There are special classes in Mining and in Electrical Engineering.

After 1½ years the Sub-Overseer examination is held.

After 3½ years the Final or Overseer examination is held with special modification for Mining students.

After a further 1½ years' practical training the certificate of Foreman Mechanic or Upper Subordinate is given.

Admissions are made yearly in June to 1st year and in March to 2nd and 3rd years. Admission qualifications—

To 1st-year class, Entrance examination of Calcutta University or equivalent, to the Middle School.

To 2nd-year class, the Final examination of B Course of zilla schools.

To 3rd-year class, the Sub-Overseer examination of affiliated Technical schools.

III.—Workshops.

Artisan classes in the following shops :—

Carpenters'; Blacksmiths';	Fitters'; Turners;	Machine, and Foundry.

IV.—Agricultural Department.

Admission made by nomination of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor. Application to be sent to the Principal. A two-year course leading to the Agricultural Diploma of the College. Admission made yearly in November.

Admission qualifications—

As general student, B. A., B Course, of Calcutta University or equivalent.

As special student, satisfactory evidence that the candidate can benefit by the instruction.

For further information apply to the Office Superintendent and Bursar, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur.

SIBPUR,
The 7th June 1906.

B. HEATON,
Principal.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 7131B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Sale of Opium, the provision of 1904-05, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2 Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 3rd January 1907, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,400 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory consisting of ...	2,200
Ditto at the Ghazipur Factory consisting of ...	2,200
Total ...	4,400

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the notification issued on the 27th November 1906, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 21st January 1907, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 8th January 1907, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 21st January 1907.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities more or less, of the Opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATE.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory; about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory; about chests.	Total; about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 5th February 1907 ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 5th March ,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd April ,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday, 1st May ,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 4th June ,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd July ,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 6th August ,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday 4th September ,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Thursday, 3rd October ,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Friday, 1st November ,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 3rd December ,, ...	2,200	2,200	4,400
Total ...	24,200	24,200	48,400

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA, *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., CALCUTTA, *the 1st December 1906.*

No. 7054B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provisional Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1907, will consist of about 26,400 chests prepared at the Patna Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chitaks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chitaks used for pasting the leaves of the shell, and about 26,400 chests prepared at the Ghazipur Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chitaks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chitaks used for pasting the leaves of the shell, being of the seasons 1904-1905 and 1905-1906 in the proportion marginally noted.

OPIUM.

THE HONOURABLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory.

		Chests.
Supply from 1904-1905	...	20,868
Ditto 1905-1906	...	5,532
Total	...	26,400

Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

		Chests.
Supply from 1904-1905	...	15,595
Ditto 1905-1906	...	10,805
Total	...	26,400

2. The dates on or about which the sales will be held, and the total quantity of opium, as well as the respective quantities manufactured at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories which will be brought forward for sale every month, are specified below. The Board of Revenue reserve to themselves the right of altering the dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so. In accordance with the Notification of the Government of India, No. 3494A., dated 22nd June 1906, 2,200 chests of Patna and 2,200 chests of Benares opium will be sold monthly from January to December 1907:—

DATES.		Chests manufactured at the Patna Factory.	Chests manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.	Total chests.
On or about Thursday, 3rd January	1907	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 5th February	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 5th March	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd April	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday, 1st May	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 4th June	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 2nd July	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 6th August	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Wednesday, 4th September	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Thursday, 3rd October	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Friday, 1st November	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
On or about Tuesday, 3rd December	,,	2,200	2,200	4,400
	Total	26,400	26,400	52,800

The following are the conditions of sale:—

1. The opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

2. The opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 800 per chest, and sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for

which, provision is made by clause 13 of these conditions of sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

3. The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M., but if at that hour any of the lots advertised for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of the Board of Revenue, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday), at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or if the whole quantity advertised shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Board of Revenue may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

4. Each lot shall contain five chests.

5. A Promissory Note for a sum, calculated according to the scale, noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room and before the lot is registered in the sale-book, and all such Promissory Notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this office by Bank of Bengal receipts or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India, on or before 3-30 P.M., in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the said notes must be redeemed by 1-30 P.M., or, on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as the Board of Revenue shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

DEPOSIT.

When the amount bid is less than Rs. 1,300 per chest, Rs. 200 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,300 and upwards, but less than Rs. 1,600 per chest, Rs. 300 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 2,000 per chest, Rs. 400 per chest.
And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400.

6. The said Promissory Notes shall be absolutely payable in any event, and the amount thereof shall be absolutely forfeited upon such default as before mentioned, and the amount thereof shall not go or be credited in reduction of any loss on re-sale or expenses thereby incurred, but shall be recoverable whether such re-sale shall be had or not, or whether there shall be a loss on such re-sale or not.

7. The Promissory Notes taken on the day of sale under the fifth condition, if remaining unredeemed at 3-30 P.M. of the fifth day following the day of sale or 1-30 P.M., if the last day falls on a Saturday, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

8. No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities, on account of opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before the prescribed time in clause 5 on the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted. Provided always that money so subsequently tendered may be taken in payment of the said Promissory Note, but such acceptance of money shall in no way entitle the payer thereof to any right to delivery of the lot or lots in respect whereof the said note was given or to any of the rights of a purchaser thereof, or release the payer from liability for any unpaid balance of such notes or from the additional liability for the loss and expenses of such re-sale as provided for in clauses No. 5 and No. 6.

9. The opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than by 3-30 P.M. of the fifteenth day from the day of sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the opium must be paid for by 1-30 P.M.; and, in case any lots of such opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth condition, or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as the Board of Revenue shall think fit; and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good all expenses and any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale, and the liability for the loss or difference of price and expenses shall be in addition to, and wholly independent of, the amount of the deposit so forfeited.

10. Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of opium, after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorizing the delivery of single lots or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests ordinarily required to be included in each certificate or order.

11. No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present conditions will be received in this office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale-book, or his authorized agent. The receipt for deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

12. The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall on demand render at the time a deposit either in Government of India Notes, Bank of Bengal receipts, or Government securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a Promissory Note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these conditions.

13. With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually by Rs 5 at a time until a bid is obtained; and the first *bonâ fide* bidder for a lot, after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described, shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 800 specified in the second of these conditions.

14. The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of the same Agency opium not exceeding altogether twenty-five lots, provided always that there remains a sufficient number of lots of the opium to complete the said twenty-five.

15. In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

16. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue:—

No. 1, Certificate of the opium advertised for sale;

No. 2, Report of the examination of such opium.

17. The public are hereby informed that in providing the investment of the opium manufactured at the Patna Factory and the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory for the year 1905-1906, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug, when packed at the Patna and Ghazipur Factories, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken, for the purpose of comparison, from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

18. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the opium advertised for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Board of Revenue entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the opium for shipment.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA,
Offg. Secretary.

CALCUTTA,
the 17th November 1906.

NOTICE.

THE HON'BLE MR. F. A. SLACKE, I.C.S.,
Member, in charge.

WHEREAS the Court of Wards has assumed charge of the estate belonging to the infant son of the late Raja Ashutosh Nath Roy of Kasimbazar, in the district of Murshidabad, in pursuance of its orders dated the 19th December 1906, declaring him to be a minor under section 6 (*b*) of Act IX (B.C.) of 1879, notice is hereby given, under sub-section (1), section 10A of the same Act as amended by Act I (B. C.) of 1906, that all creditors having claims against the said disqualified proprietor or his immoveable property shall submit the same in writing to the Collector of Murshidabad at Berhampore within six months from the date of publication of this notice.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

S. L. MADDOX,
Secretary.

No. 7458 T.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1906.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 86 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878) the Board of Revenue, L. P., prescribe the following form of Bill-of-Entry for consumption, in supersession of the form shown as No. 9 at page 144 of the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 (corrected up to the 30th September 1905:—

Bill-of-Entry for Consumption.

PORT _____

VESSEL.	MASTER OR AGENTS.	COLOURS.	PORT FROM WHICH GOODS SHIPPED.

PACKAGES.		DETAILS OF GOODS TO BE GIVEN SEPARATELY FOR EACH CLASS OR DESCRIPTION.								
Number and description.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.		Description.	Value according to Tariff valuation.		Real value as defined in the Sea Customs Act.		Duty		Country whence consigned.
					Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	

TOTAL VALUE UPON WHICH DUTY ASSESSED (in words and figures).

Rs

TOTAL DUTY (in words and figures).

RUPEES

hereby declare the particulars given above to be true.
hereby declare that I am unable from want of full information to state the real value and contents of packages above marked, and pray that they may be

IMPORTER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND SIGNATURE,

ted_____

SIGNATURE OF AGENT IF ACTING FOR IMPORTER.

his declaration to be struck out if not required.

2. The form should be printed in duplicate on stout white or blue paper with the words "Original" in one copy and "Duplicate" in the other inserted on the top right hand corner.

3. The form will come into use from the 15th January 1907.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA,

Offg. Secretary.

No. 7459B.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1906.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 91 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878) the Board of Revenue, L. P., prescribe the following form of application for goods to be warehoused under bond, in supersession of the form shown as No. 10 at page 145 of the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 (corrected up to the 30th September 1905):—

Application for Goods to be Warehoused under Bond at .

PORT _____

VESSEL.	MASTER OR AGENTS.	COLOURS.	PORT FROM WHICH GOODS SHIPPED.

PACKAGES.		DETAILS OF GOODS TO BE GIVEN SEPARATELY FOR EACH CLASS OR DESCRIPTION.										
Number and description.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.		Description.	Value according to Tariff valuation.		Real value as defined in the Sea Customs Act.		Duty.		Country whence consigned.
					Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	

TOTAL VALUE UPON WHICH DUTY ASSESSED (in words and figures).

RUPEES

TOTAL DUTY (in words and figures).

RUPEES

I hereby declare the particulars given above to be true.
* I hereby declare that I am unable from want of full information to state the real value and contents of packages above marked, and pray that they may be

IMPORTER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND SIGNATURE.

SIGNATURE OF AGENT IF ACTING FOR IMPORTER.

Dated _____

* This declaration to be struck out if not required.

2. The form should be printed in duplicate on stout buff paper with the words "Original" in one copy and "Duplicate" in the other inserted on the top right hand corner.

3. The form will come into use from the 15th January 1907.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA,

Offg. Secretary.

No. 7460B.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.,

Dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1906.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under sections 104, 105 and 113 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878) the Board of Revenue, L. P., prescribe the following form of application for clearance of goods warehoused under bond, in supersession of the forms shown as Nos. 11, 12 and 13 at pages 146, 147 and 148, respectively, of the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 (corrected up to the 30th September 1905):—

Application for clearance of Goods Warehoused under Bond at ——— *under No.* ——— *dated* ——— *for* ———

PORT.

VESSEL. MASTER OR AGENTS. COLOURS. PORT FROM WHICH GOODS SHIPPED.

PACKAGES. DETAILS OF GOODS TO BE GIVEN SEPARATELY FOR EACH CLASS OR DESCRIPTION.

Number and description.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Value according to Tariff valuation.		Real value as defined in the Sea Customs Act.		Duty.		Country whence consigned.
				Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	

TOTAL VALUE UPON WHICH DUTY ASSESSED (in words and figures).

RUPEES

TOTAL DUTY (in words and figures).

I hereby declare the particulars given above to be true.

* I hereby declare that I am unable from want of full information to state the real value and contents of packages above marked, and pray that they may be

IMPORTER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND SIGNATURE.

SIGNATURE OF AGENT IF ACTING FOR IMPORTER.

Dated ———

* This declaration to be struck out if not required.

2. The form should be printed in duplicate on stout green paper with the words "Original" in one copy and "Duplicate" in the other inserted on the top right hand corner.

3. The form shall be used for any of the following purposes:—

(*i*) For the removal of warehoused goods from one warehouse to another in the same port.

(*ii*) For the removal of warehoused goods in order to be re-warehoused in another port.

(*iii*) For clearance of goods out of bond for consumption on payment of duty, or exportation to a foreign port.

4. The form will come into use from the 15th January 1907.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

R. B. MISRA,

Offg. Secretary.

No. 7461B.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1906.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 137(*a*) of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878) the Board of Revenue, L.P., prescribe the following forms of Shipping Bills for free and dutiable goods, in supersession of the form shown as No. 14, at page 149 of the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 (corrected up to the 30th September 1905) :—

PORT_____.

Shipping Bill for Free Goods.

NAME OF VESSEL.	MASTER OR AGENTS.	COLOURS.	PORT AT WHICH GOODS TO BE DISCHARGED.

PACKAGES.		DETAILS OF GOODS TO BE GIVEN SEPARATELY FOR EACH CLASS OR DESCRIPTION.					REMARKS.
Number and description.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Real value as defined in the Sea Customs Act. Rate.	Real value as defined in the Sea Customs Act. Amount.	Country of final destination.	(State whether Indian Merchandise or Foreign Merchandise to be re-exported.)
	Total ...			Total ...			

I hereby declare the particulars given above to be true.
I claim drawback in the amount of Rs.*

EXPORTER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND SIGNATURE.

SIGNATURE OF AGENT IF ACTING FOR EXPORTER.

*Dated*_____

* In words and figures.

PORT _____

Shipping Bill for Dutiable Goods.

NAME OF VESSEL.	MASTER OR AGENTS.	COLOURS.	PORT AT WHICH GOODS TO BE DISCHARGED.

PACKAGES.		DETAILS OF GOODS TO BE GIVEN SEPARATELY FOR EACH CLASS OR DESCRIPTION.						
Number and description.	Marks and numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Real value as defined in the Sea Customs Act.		Duty.		* Country of final destination.
				Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	

TOTAL QUANTITY (in words and figures)

MAUNDS lbs.

TOTAL DUTY (in words and figures).

RUPEES

I hereby declare the particulars given above to be true.

EXPORTER'S NAME, ADDRESS, AND SIGNATURE.

SIGNATURE OF AGENT IF ACTING FOR EXPORTER

Dated _____

2. The forms should be printed in duplicate on stout white or blue paper with the words "Original" in one copy and "Duplicate" in the other inserted on the top right-hand corner.

3. The form of Shipping Bill for free goods shall also be used for the shipment of goods under claim for drawback and that for dutiable goods for the shipment of dutiable goods only.

4. The forms will come into use from the 15th January 1907.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P

R. B. MISRA,

Offg. Secretary.

No. 7462B.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1906.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 86 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878) the Board of Revenue, L. P., prescribe the following form of Bill-of-entry for coasting trade:—

Bill-of-Entry for consumption.

COASTING.

PORT——————.

VESSEL.	MASTER OR AGENTS.	COLOURS.	PORT FROM WHICH GOODS SHIPPED.

PACKAGES.		DETAILS OF GOODS TO BE GIVEN SEPARATELY FOR EACH CLASS OR DESCRIPTION.					
		QUANTITY.			Real value as defined in the Sea Customs Act.		REMARKS. (State whether Indian Merchandise or Foreign Merchandise).
Number and description.	Marks and numbers.			Description.	Rate.	Amount.	
	Total ...			Total ...			

I hereby declare the particulars given above to be true.

IMPORTER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND SIGNATURE.

SIGNATURE OF AGENT IF ACTING FOR IMPORTER.

Dated ——————.

2. The form should be printed in duplicate on stout white or blue paper with the words "Original" in one copy and "Duplicate" in the other inserted on the top right-hand corner.

3. The form shall be used for the clearance of goods in the coasting trade under the last sentence of rule 2 of the coasting trade rules published in Part I, pages 299 to 301 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 17th April 1889.

4. The form will come into use from the 15th January 1907.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

R. B. MISRA,

Offg. Secretary.

No. 7433B.

NOTIFICATION.

THE HON'BLE MR. W. C. MACPHERSON, C.S.I.

Dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1906.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 158 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Board of Revenue, L. P., prescribe the following form of shipping bill for coasting vessels (including those for which a general pass has been granted under section 164 of the Act), in supersession of the form shown as No. 18 at page 153 of the Rules under the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878 (corrected up to the 30th September 1905):—

Shipping Bill. COASTING.

PORT.

NAME OF VESSEL.	MASTER OR AGENTS.	COLOURS.	PORT AT WHICH GOODS TO BE DISCHARGED.

PACKAGES.		DETAILS OF GOODS TO BE GIVEN SEPARATELY FOR EACH CLASS OR DESCRIPTION.				REMARKS.
Number and description.	Marks and Numbers.	Quantity.	Description.	Real value as defined in the Sea Customs Act.		(State whether Indian chandise or Foreign chandise to be ported).
				Rate.	Amount.	
	Total ...			Total ...		

I hereby declare the particulars given above to be true.

EXPORTER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND SIGNATURE.

SIGNATURE OF AGENT IF ACTING FOR EXPORT

Dated

2. The form should be printed in triplicate in stout white or blue paper with words "Original" in one copy, "Duplicate" in the second, and "Triplicate" in the t inserted on the top right hand corner.

3. For the shipment of free goods the form shall be used in duplicate, but dutiable goods in triplicate with the word "Dutiable" printed across in large typ red ink.

4. The form will come into use from the 15th January 1907.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

R. B. MISRA,

Offg. Secretary.

ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONERS.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the 28th January 1907 has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner for Ward No. B of the Balasore Municipality in the place of Babu Harihar Prasad De, resigned.

B. CHAKRAVARTI, for *Commissioner*.

ORISSA COMMR.'S OFFICE, CUTTACK, *the 18th December 1906*.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 6th April 1907, is fixed as the date for holding the third general election of Commissioners for the Tollyganj Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, in the place of those who having been elected at the second general election held on the 26th March 1904, or subsequently thereto, in the place of Commissioners so elected complete the term of their office under sections 21 and 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act as amended.

E. W. COLLIN, *Commissioner*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 20th December 1906*.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 9th February 1907, is fixed as the date for holding a bye-election in Ward No. V of the Krishnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia, to elect a Commissioner for that ward in the place of Babu Prasanna Kumar Bose, M.A., resigned.

M. N. GHOSH, *Pers. Asst.*, for *Commissioner*.

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 21st December 1906*.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 21 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Burdwan Charitable Dispensary Committee in the district of Burdwan :—

1. The Civil Surgeon of Burdwan ... } *Ex officio*.
2. The Chairman of the Burdwan Municipality ... } *Ex officio*.
3. The Vice-Chairman of ditto ... } *Ex officio*.
4. Dr. Jagad Bundhu Mitra.
5. „ Amulya Chandra Mitra.
6. Babu Debendra Nath Sarkar.
7. „ Rakhal Chandra Das.
8. W. T. Nash, Esq.
9. C. E. Ezechiel, Esq.
10. Babu Nani Lal Ghose.

N. L. BAGCHI, *Pers. Asst.*, for *Offg. Commr., on tour*.

BURDWAN COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHINSURA, *the 17th December 1906*.



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PART IA.

[Reprinted from the "Gazette of India" of the 22nd December 1906.]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

JUDICIAL.

Calcutta, the 21st December 1906.

No. 1630.—The Governor-General in Council has accepted the resignation tendered by the Hon'ble Sir Chunder Madhub Ghose of his office of Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, with effect from the 2nd January 1907.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 18th December 1906.

No. 553.—The Most Reverend the Lord Bishop of Calcutta has appointed Mr. H. G. Carson, Barrister-at-Law, to be Registrar of the Diocese and Archdeaconry of Calcutta, with effect from the 1st November 1906, *vice* Mr. A. M. Dunne, who has resigned the appointment.

H. H. RISLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for general information.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Fort William, the 21st December 1906.

APPOINTMENT.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No 680.—The following promotions are made with effect from the 29th October 1906, consequent on the retirement of Lieutenant-Colonel E. M. Nedham:—

* * * * * *

Lieutenant J. K. Knowles, Assistant Cantonment Magistrate, to be Cantonment Magistrate provisionally.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Lieut.-Col.*,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N. B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estate in the district of Saran will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7t January 1907, corresponding to 8th Magh 1314 Fasli, on Monday, at 12 o'clock in the day, for arrears of revenue and othe demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understoo that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P
41	Banthu, pargana Ander.	1,064 8 6	.....	Ijmal— Banthu, 8as. 3p, 18k. 15m. Santhu, 6as. Karmoul, 14as. 2p. 4k. 8m. 10d. Haibatpur, 16as. Harnathpus, 16as. All other shares besides those specified will be excluded from the sale.	Chandreshwar Pershad Narain Singh and Narain Pershad Singh.	673 8 6	.....	3 1
365	Tisen, pargana Ander.	1,031 11 9	Entire ...	.....	Inderdeo Narain Mokhtar, sale-purchaser, and others.	.....	4 13 4	.....
365/1	Bagoura, pargana Bal.	4,108 10 11	.....	Separate account No. 1— Bagoura, 2 as. Mathia Bechangir, 2 as. Bhadeya or Bhadpa, 4 as. Tola Bhusi, 2as. 6p. Tola Manchia, 2as. Madarichak, 2as. Dahakui, 2 as. All other shares besides those specified will be excluded from the sale.	Mosst Chanderjot Kuer, wife of Harnarain Sahu, deceased.	512 13 5	.....	13 5 7

(ILLEGIBLE), for Collector.

The 3rd December 1906.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7 January 1907 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.		Rs. A.
				PART II.				
				Temporarily-settled Estate.				
1488	Akberpur Barari, pargana Malki.	2,206 14 0	.....	12a. 8g. ijmali share ...	Nilkanth Singh and others	1,787 13 0	.....	2 14

Monghyr Collectorate, the 16th November 1906. H. McPHERSON, Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 8th November 1906, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates, in the district of Puri, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 4th February 1907, at 12 o'clock noon for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share, and that the other share or shares in the estate not specifically mentioned in column 5 are excluded from sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of the proprietors of the property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
166 1	Ta. Ganeswarpur, Ph. Banchas.	Rs. A. P. 1,619 0 0	.....	As. Kismat ... 9	Baladeb Prakash Brahmachari.	Rs. A. P. 910 11 0	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 455 0 0	Due for kist November 1906.
166 2	Ditto ...	1,619 0 0	.....	Do. ... 7	Chadmoni Dibya, mother and guardian of Hanuman Khuntia, minor, and others.	708 5 0	.....	354 0 0	Ditto.
66	Ma. Drugadaspur, Ph. Kotrahang.	879 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Bhikari Misra and others.	.....	439 0 0	.....	Ditto.
171	Ma. Gope, Ph. Banchas.	555 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Satyabadi Patra and others.	.....	278 4 10	.....	Ditto.
7	Killah Balarampur, Ph. Paschimduai.	2,657 0 0	.....	Kismat ... 4	Mussummat Sadatan Nissa Begam *alias* Chunee Begam and others.	664 4 0	.....	332 2 0	Ditto.

Puri Collectorate, the 15th October 1906. P. C MITTER, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estat in the district of Burdwan will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th Janua 1907 at 12 A.M. for arrears for September 1906 kist of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understo that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	Bara Kalikapur, pargana Saalimpur.	1,074 11 10	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Tinkori Hati and others.	.....	44 1 6	.....

Burdwan Collectorate, the 1st December 1906. H. F. SAMMAN, Collector.

Notice of Sale.

hereby given, under sections 6 and 13 of Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th day of January 1907 at 12 rs of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understoo nt is kept for that share and that the share or shares are excluded from sale.

Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If sha be a arre fr
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
	Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	R
Pargana Magura, mauza Laskarpore and others.	8,289 12 6½	.....	Excluding 10 annas' share, the remaining 6 annas' share.	Chandan Bala Debi, mother and guardian for minor Haridhan Roy Chowdhry.	3,106 6 11½	.....	4
Pargana Muragachha, Moodia and others.	646 2 0	.....	Excluding 2a. 8g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 13a. 17g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Kristo Prosanno Mondal and others.	559 15 7	.....	1
Pargana Magura, kismat Rameswarpore and others.	3,194 10 11	.....	Excluding 5a. 6g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 10 a. 13g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Radha Mohon Mondal and others.	1,751 9 9½	.....	2
Pargana Magura, mauza Sreerampore.	3,126 5 7½	.....	Excluding 1a. 15g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 14a. 4g. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share.	Srimat Coomari Dassi and others.	2,778 15 8½	.....	3
Pargana Magura, kismat Banadrowni and others.	9,130 2 0	.....	Excluding 6a. 6g. 2k. 3kag 10t., remaining 9a. 13g. 1k. 10t. share.	Raj Kumar Sarkar and others.	5,513 9 10½	.....	6
Ditto ...	9,130 2 0	.....	Excluding 10a. 8g. 2k., remaining 5a. 11g. 2k. share.	Ditto ...	3,616 8 1½	.....	4
Pargana Magura, kismat Sonaranga and others.	884 11 10	.....	Excluding 2a. 13g. 1k. 2kt., remaining 13a. 6g. 2k. 2kt share.	Rai Atul Chunder Chatterjee Bahadur, common manager, Bawali estate.	737 4 6	.....	1
Pargana Magura, mauza Mahanpore and others.	1,786 11 4	.....	Excluding 10a. 9g. 2k. 1½dt., remaining 5a. 10g. 1k. 7½dt. share.	Charn Chunder Datta Mosumdar and others.	620 1 10	.....	6
Pargana Baridhati, kismat Koodalia and others.	5,093 5 2½	Whole ...	.....	Shib Kristo and Mohit Lal Chatterjee.	.....	844 14 2½	
Pargana Baridhati, kismat Chouk Hatcooria and others.	39,809 7 4	.....	Excluding 15a. 15g. 1k. 1kag, remaining 4g. 11kag share.	Apurba Kumari Dassi ...	555 3 0½	.....	6
Pargana Khaspore, Sreerampore and others.	703 8 8	.....	Excluding 1a. 15g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 14a. 4g. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share.	Rai Atul Chunder Chatterjee Bahadur, common manager, Bawali estate.	695 5 11	.....	15
Pargana Muragachha, mauza Raghunathpore and others.	10,229 15 6	.....	Excluding 15a. 1g. 1k. share, remaining 15g. 3k. share.	Nobo Kishore Mondal and others.	569 6 7½	.....	8
Ditto ..	10,229 15 6	.....	Excluding 14a. 18g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 1a. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share.	Ditto ...	653 9 3	.....	8
Ditto ..	10,229 15 6	.....	Excluding 13a. 19g. 2k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 2a. 1a. 1dt. share.	Gopi Kissore Mondal and others.	1,227 9 11½	.....	11
Ditto ...	10,229 15 6	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 3g. 2k. share.	Apurba Kumari Dasi ...	719 4 9	.....	6
Pargana Balia, mauza Rajarampore.	1,194 3 5	Whole ...	.....	Upendra Kristo Mondal and others.	.....	157 5 0½	
Pargana Azimshahi and Hidarashahi and others.	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 3g. 2k. share, in all the mauzas except mauza Khakramuri.	Radha Binode Mondal and others.	1,365 12 7	.....	12
Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 19g. 2 k. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share in all the mauzas except mauza Khagramuri.	Gopi Kissore Mondal and others.	1,238 0 10	.....	12
Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 15a. 4g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 15g. 1k. 1kt. share ditto.	Brojendra Nath Mondal ...	928 8 7½	.....	10
Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 18g. 1k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1g. 2k 1dt. share.	Kristo Prosanno Mondal and others.	1,393 10 7½	.....	14
Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 15a. 4g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 15g. 1k. 1kt. share ditto.	Ditto ...	928 8 7½	.....	10
Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 3g. 2k. share in each of the 33 mauzas out of the 35 mauzas in the estate except mauza Khakramuri.	Apurba Kumari Dasi ...	1,362 8 7½	.....	15
Ditto ...	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 15a. 10g. share, remaining 10g. in each of the 33 mauzas out of 35 mauzas in the estate.	Nobo Kisore and Gopi Kissore Mondal.	605 9 5	.....	6

	Tauzi No.	Name of pargana and mahal.	Sadar jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the specification of such share.	Names of proprietors of the properties to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
			Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
27	365-14	Pargana Azimabad. Hudaraahkhali and others.	19,424 8 1½	.....	Excluding 16a. 5c., remaining 25g. share in each of the 32 mauzas out of the 33 mauzas in the estate.	Chandi Charan Mondal and others.	906 6 1	.....	100 13 9
28	366-1	Pargana Balia, mauza Mokrapore and others.	8,336 9 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	N bo Kisore Mondal and others.	585 8 2½	.....	77 2 10½
29	366-2	Ditto ...	8,3 6 9 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 19g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1k. 2kt. 1dt. share.	Ditto ...	532 1 0	.....	70 2 8
30	366-3	Ditto ...	8,336 9 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 1k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. 1dt. share.	Ditto ...	560 3 4½	.....	73 13 7½
31	366-13	Ditto ...	8,336 9 0	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k., remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Apurba Kumari Dasi ...	585 8 2½	.....	77 2 10
32	369-1	Pargana Balia, mauza Santoshpore and others.	9,401 5 10	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Radha Binode Mondal and others.	663 5 10½	2.....	88 6 5
33	369-2	Ditto ...	9,401 5 10	.....	Excluding 14a. 19g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1k. 2kt. 1dt.	Nobo Kisore Mondal and others.	605 0 10½	.....	80 5 4½
34	369-4	Ditto ...	9,401 5 10	.....	Excluding 14a. 18g. 1k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 1a. 1g. 2k. 1dt. share.	Ditto ...	634 11 3½	.....	84 10 5½
35	369-13	Ditto ...	9,401 5 10	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Sita Nath Ghosh ...	663 5 11	.....	88 6 10
36	391-5	Parvana Murgacha, mauza Gomukhi and others.	5,538 8 6	.....	Excluding 13a. 19g. 2k. 2kt. 2dt., remaining 2a. 1k. 1dt. share.	Brojendra Nath Mondal and others.	697 2 0	.....	71 13 0
37	391-6	Ditto ...	5,538 8 6	.....	Excluding 14a. 6g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 1a. 13g. 1k. 1kt. share.	S. M. Khiroda Moye Dasi, widow of Soshi Bhusan Biswas.	576 14 11	.....	59 7 6
38	394-6	Pargana Azimabad, taraf Kissorepore.	7,108 12 11	.....	Ditto ...	Khiroda Mohini Dasi ...	740 8 1	.....	134 14 [illegible]
39	398 R. S.	Pargana Magura, taraf Makhalia and others.	741 11 5	.....	Excluding 4a. 15g. 2k. 2dt., remaining 11a. 4g. 1k. 7dt. share.	Gopi Kissore Mondal and others.	820 3 6½	.....	97 3 [illegible]
40	401 R. S.	Pargana Azimabad, Huda Ramkristopore and others.	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a. 9g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 1a. 10g. 1k. 1kt. share.	Sarat Coomari Dasi and others.	847 9 10	.....	185 13
41	401-1	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k. share, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Rai Atul Chunder Chatterjee Bahadur and others, common manager, Bawali estate.	628 11 3½	.....	75
42	401-3	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a. 9g. 1k. 1kt., remaining 1a. 10g. 2k. 2kt. share.	Ditto ...	856 14 5½	.....	187 14 3
43	401-4	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a 14g. 2kt., remaining 1a. 5g. 3k. 1kt., share.	Ditto ...	721 13 6½	.....	156 4 5
44	401-7	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Excluding 14a. 17g. 2k, remaining 1a. 2g. 2k. share.	Radha Binode Mondal and others.	628 11 3½	.....	137 13 9
45	401-11	Ditto ...	8,941 9 7	.....	Ditto ...	Apurba Kumari Dasi ...	628 11 3½	.....	137 13 9½
46	403 R. S.	Pargana Asimabad, taraf Patharberia and others.	5,143 3 2	.....	Excluding 9a. 14g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 6a. 5g. 1k. 1kt.	Kristo Prosonno Mondal and others.	2,014 6 6½	.....	371 13 8
47	403-2	Ditto ...	5,143 3 3	.....	Excluding 9a. 0g. 2k. 2kt., remaining 6a. 13g. 1k. 1kt.	Khiroda Mohini Dasi ...	2,142 15 11	.....	395 7 6
48	494	Pargana Hatiaghar, Lakhipasha and others.	1,967 12 3	.....	Excluding 8a. 12g. 1k. 2kt. 2dt. 10keg. remaining 10a. 6g. 2k. 6keg.	Anis Molla and others ...	1,269 14 2	.....	44 6 3
9	567 R. S.	Pargana Anarpore, Atghora and others.	2,084 1 7	.....	Eight annas' share of the entire estate except mauza Kona.	Sirik Chandra Biswas ...	834 5 2½	0.....	246 13 9
50	966	Pargana Paikhati, kismat Paikhati.	950 4 8	Whole	.....	Kali Prosanno Ghose and others.	.....	46 9 8	.....
51	2166 R. S.	Pargana Ukra, taraf Patia.	1,979 19 4	.....	Excluding 8a. 17g. 3k. 1dt., remaining 7a. 2g. 2kt. 2dt.	Gungamoni Dasi and others	563 12 6	.....	96 13 11

Alipore, the 26th November 1906.

BANGSIDHAR BANERJEE, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1907 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
835	Pargana Chetua, mahal Dubrajpore.	3,408 10 1	.....	S. A. No. I, 8 annas share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Sreemati Mangala Dasi and others, present purchaser Suresh Chandra Chatterjee.	1,704 6 11	.....	534 7 9 June and September 1906.
1007	Pargana Kasijora, mahal Poorba Str..	43,145 1 7 Including police.	.....	Ditto ditto ...	R. Belchambers, Administrator (*pendenti lite*) to the estate of Gopallal Seal, deceased.	21,486 6 11 Land revenue. 86 8 3 Police. 21,572 15 2 Including police.	.....	40 7 11 Police.
1118	Pargana Kurulchore, mahal Padima.	740 8 4	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2 and 3— As. Mauza Atla ... ... 16 ,, Asartara ... ... 16 ,, Malpara ... ... 16 ,, Mohisagote ... ... 16 ,, Padima ... ... 16 ,, Khalsatya ... ... 4 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Chowdhri Gopendra Nandan Das Mahapatra and others.	12 12	.....	46 2 3
1123	Pargana Kutubpore, mahal Bankakool *alias* ...impore.	2,074 8 6	... ..	S. A. No. (4) IV— As. Mauza Beikuntapore ... ... 8 ,, Fateganja ... ... 8 ,, Godadharchak known as Chak Gadadhar ... 8 ,, Jodupore ... ... 8 ,, Krishnapore Uttar known as Uttar Kishnapore ... ... 8 ,, Mrijapore ... ... 8 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Grish Chandra Jana, present purchaser Dharanidhar Das Bera.	534 2 0	.....	96 5 0 June and September 1906.
1476	Parrana Khandar, mahal Belki.	734 3 11	... ...	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2 and 3— A. G. Mauza Bonhala ... ... 12 5 ,, Matungooria ... 12 5 মইষা গোড়া ,, Belkichak Gopinath 12 5 ,, Kheenkania ... 12 5 ,, Nandapura ... 5 10 ,, Rajibchak ... 12 5 All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Godadhar Malkap and others.	338 8 7	.....	30 11 10 March to September 1906.
1031	Pargana Moynachore, mahal Ankhapurba.	1,001 7 2	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No 1, 8 annas share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Ganga Narain Maity, present purchaser Nil Kanta Jana.	500 11 7	.....	91 11 1 June and September 1906.
751	Ditto ...	1,001 7 2	.....	S. A. No. I, 8 annas share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Sreematya Nirode Kumari Dasi, mother and guardian of Kbitish Chandra Ghose, minor, and others.	500 11 7	.....	36 9 7
367	Pargana Sabong, mahal Motar.	1,445 9 0	Entire ...	.....	Sarat Chandra Jana and others.	.....	119 12 0	.....
				Part II.				
304	Pargana Patashpore, mahal Mangalpore.	2,491 0 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No. II. 12a. 19g. share of the mahal. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from sale.	Upendra Nandan Das Das Mahapatra and others.	2,016 3 6	.....	187 10 0 June and September 1906.
				Part III.				
105	Pargana Taraf Bisnan, mahal Gorshar, &c., Bajeapti No. 147.	614 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Government (Settlement-holder Panchanon Midhya and others).	.....	62 8 0	.....

Midnapore Collectorate, the 1st December 1906.

D. WESTON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Nadia will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 4th January 1907 at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the annexed statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
3861	Annapurna, pargana Pajnaur.	941 0 0	The whole.	.....	Annapurna Devi ...	.....	5 2 9	.....
3851	Sarodaprosad pargana Pajnaur.	706 0 0	Ditto.	.....	Sarada Prasad Sur and others.	2	3 13 4	.....
1887	Amharia, pargana Shahaujal.	1,241 1 0	.....	12 annas' share covered by separate account No. 3907.	Rakhibannessa Bibi and others.	230 12 10	.....	1 2 2
				All other shares besides that specified will be excluded from the sale.				

Nadia Collectorate, the 30th November 1906.

S. HALDAR, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Patna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1907 at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
13	Rodhna Lashkarpur Bazarsiy Vogairah, pargana Bulmpur.	2,129 0 0	.....	14a. and 14. ... ... Ijmal.	Bishun Prosad Vogairah.	1,901 7 2	.....	223 14 8
				All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.				
160	Lakhanpar Vogairah, pargana Azimabad.	1,350 13 1	.....	Daulatpur, 2a.	Babu Lalit Mohan Ghosh.	612 6 1	.....	206 6 1
				Lakhanpar, 2a.	B. Nardhesh Kumar.			
				Kuthipur, 2a.	Ditto.			
				Kuthipur *alias* Haro Chak, 2a.	Ditto.			
				Raipur Hassan, 4 as. ... ... Ijmal.	Mosamat Paramani Dasi, mother and guardian of Ramani Mohan Ghosh and Babu Rajani Mohan Ghosh.			
				All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.				
303	Dasra Danapur Shahzadpur, pargana Phulwari.	3,593 0 0	.....	10a. 14d. 6k. 8b. and 1sph. ... Ijmal.	Shamlal Bhagat Vogairah.	2,3[illegible] 4 8	.....	1,211 13 9
				All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.				
306	Dasra Mahaji Dujra, pargana Phulwari.	603 6 5	Entire ...	.....	Basant Lal	.....	313 4 2	.....
541	Dasra Chak Deynat and Chak Amanat Mahali Bankipur Jaibar, pargana Azimabad.	1,390 10 10	.....	8a. ... ... Ijmal.	General Padum Jangi Ram Bahadur.	695 5 8	.....	303 6 6
				All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.				
541/1	Ditto	1,390 10 10	.....	8a. ... ... Separate account.	Ditto ...	695 5 5	.....	303 3 7
				All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.				
2011	Khaje Amir Hassan Sameya, pargana Goyaspur.	608 12 5	.....	Sameyadih, 16a.	Khaje Amir Hassan Vogairah.	559 7 11	.....	7 0 2
				Lachmipur, 16a.	Ditto.			
				Sheonun, 16a.	Ditto.			
				Ali Nagar, 14a. ... ... Ijmal.	Ditto.			
				All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.				

The 13th December 1906.

SIVA SANKAR SINGH,
Deputy Collector, *for* Collector of Patna.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Gaya will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1907 at noon for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadr jama of the whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1337	Saidpur Wagairah, pargana Bhelaour.	1,460 12 0		The residuary ijmali share exclusive of the separated shares consisting of— (1) Saidpur, 8-11-1-10-0-0. (2) Sonku, 8-14-17-4-11-5. (3) Nasampur, 8-14-17-1-11-5. (4) Kalooa chak, 8-14-17-4-11-5. (5) Keotar, 8-14-17-4-11-5. (6) Sarey Hisa khas, 12-14-0-14-1-5. (7) Imaiya, 9-8-3-17-17-18.	Babu Ishar Singh and others.	848 13 0		2 4 0
3481	Oheya, pargana Narhat.	1,173 5 0	Whole		Balkishun Dass and others.		12 3 0	
4100	Deokli, pargana Pahra	24,701 13 0		Mokarri right of village Kharan ri Gopalpur, 16 annas.	Radheshri Koer and Ambika Dubey.	513 13 0		3,356 3 3
4679	Jaipur Dumrawan, pargana Sherghatti.	4,898 8 0		The residuary ijmali share consisting of— As. (1) Jaipur Dumrawan (2) Akhauri khap .. ... 8 (3) Pindra ... ... 6 (4) Dandpur *alias* Pandaul ... ... 8 (5) Jari khap ... ... 8 (6) Deoghar khap ... 4 (7) Ibrahimpur ... ... 8 (8) Hardia ... ... 8 (9) Sajhoea ... ... 8 (10) Makhdumpur ... 8 (11) Basir khap ... ... 4 (12) Majhar 8	Purusnath Singh ...	1,035 8 0		1,016 8 0
	Tarwan taluqa, pargana Sherghatti.	2,203 5 0	Whole		Mussamat Bhawani Koer.		8 0 3	

Gaya Collectorate, the 7th December 1906.

B. FOLEY, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates, situate in the district of Nadia, will be put up to sale at the Nadia Collectorate on Friday, the 4th January 1907, corresponding to 1313 (B.S.).

Conditions of Sale.

1st.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price, which will be fixed by the Collector at the time of sale. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estates and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings, and by the laws in force; and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale is to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pargana.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Remarks.
			Rs. A. P.	
2271	Bartoil, pargana Bhanderdah, thana Kushtia	64·66	161 11 0	
2304	Billagram, pargana Bagowan, thana Nakasipara	·15	0 11 6	Will be sold revenue-free.

Nadia Collectorate, the 27th November 1906.

SUKUMAR HALDAR, *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Muzaffarpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1907 at midday for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the appended statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
351	Janta Lalji Misir, pargana Barail.	823 11 6	Entire estate.	.....	Mossammat Rani Kuar and others.	.....	166 8 1	.....
2357	Bishoonpur Balbhaddar, Chakia Garjowl.	563 1 4	Do.	.....	Babu Langat Singh ...	.....	60 0 4	.....
3678	Uphrowl, pargana Hajeepur.	1,635 7 9	Do.	.....	Akal Singh and others ...	.....	351 6 9	.....
3617 Ka.	Chhapra Hassanpur, pargana Tariani.	1,105 1 5	.....	Residuary share, Chhapra, 13a. 3p. 8kr. 6m. 10d.; Hassanpur, 11a. 7p. 9kr. 6m. 10d.; Balandpur, 11a. 7p. 9kr 6m. 10d.; Kitla, 13a. 3p. 9kr. 6m. 10d.; Supowl, 13a. 3p. 9kr. 6m. 10d. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sheikh Mahamad Akbar Ali *alias* Chhotey Nawab.	996 11 6	.....	8 10 11
21239	Dharampur Harka Mansaid Kasim Hussain, pargana Morwahkalan.	1,154 9 10	Entire estate.	.....	Mossammat Bibi Noorjahan Begum, self and guardian of Kasim Hussain Khan and others.	.....	6 8 11	.....

E. V. LEVINGE, Collector.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 18th December 1906.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	1,45,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs. 80,54,978 13 11			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 52,71,031 0 0	1,33,26,009	13	11
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	13,70,28,287	13	2
Bank Post Bills, &c.	20,64,762	8	10
Sundries	30,28,588	8	2
Rupees ...	18,99,42,648	12	1

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government securities	1,05,01,584	0	6
Other authorised investments	43,29,380	8	0
Loans on Government and other authorised securities	4,50,27,245	4	2
Accounts of credit on ditto ditto	5,02,81,691	3	6
Bills discounted and purchased	3,31,57,669	15	4
Balances with other Banks	11,14,748	3	0
Dead Stock	.....		
Stamps	18,36,851	0	8
Sundries	14,896	6	10
	7,05,648	12	0
	14,69,80,665	5	
Cash & Currency Notes at Head Office ... Rs. 2,37,80,624 2 2*			
Cash & Currency Notes at Branches „ 1,92,22,359 4 5†	4,29,62,983	6	7
Rupees ...	18,99,42,648	12	1

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs., value Rs. 27,91,335 0 0
† Do. do. do. „ 2,57,295 0 0
Rs. 30,48,630 0 0

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, 20th December 1906.

C. M. BASTIN, Offg. Chief Accountant.
Rate for Demand Loans, 9 per cent.
Percentage 27.63.

By order of the Directors,
W. D. CRUICKSHANK,
Secretary and Treasu

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ment of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in Londo , under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th December 1906.

	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS—						4 PER CENT. LOANS—							4½ PER CENT. LOANS—				GRAND TOTAL.
		Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Of 1879.	Of 1879.	Of 1900-01.	Total.	Of 1832-33.	Of 1835-36.	Of 1842-43.	Of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. loan of 1879.	Total.	Of 1879.		Transfer loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. portion.	Total.	
Balance of 1906	84,22,400	1,57,91,600	10,51,72,200	2,18,71,600	1,17,84,600	14,46,200	.....	15,59,81,200	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	16,44,98,333
ADD—																			
Amount of ... to in London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 3rd December 1906	.....	.....	42,500	1,000	.....	.....	43,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	43,500
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 8th December 1906	.....	.....	10,35,000	.....	.....	11,85,000	22,20,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	22,20,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th December 1906 ...	.....	22,000	3,97,000	11,600	.....	19,97000	24,24,600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	24,24,600
	84,22,400	1,57,69,600	10,66,51,700	2,18,84,200	1,17,84,600	46,28,200	16,66,79,300	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	16,91,98,333
DEDUCT—																			
Amount ... off in the London	.....	80,100	8,79,500	8,000	.....	25,000	10,01,600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	10,01,600
Balance on 15th ... ber 1906	84,22,400	1,56,41,500	10,57,72,200	2,18,76,200	1,17,84,600	46,03,200	15,96,77,700	6,933	5,000	.....	3,500	40,800	2,500	58,733	5,000	...	29,500	34,500	16,81,96,833

NOTE.—From 9th June 1837 to 15th October 1906—Enfaced from India 11,554 lakhs; retransferred from London, 11,246 lakhs.
" 16th October 1906 " 31st October " " " " 1 lakh " " " 2 "
" 1st November " " 15th November " " " " ..... " " " 7 "
" 16th " " " 30th " " " " 67 lakhs " " " 5 "
1st December " " 15th December " " " " " " " 10 "
11,608 lakhs. 11,270 lakhs.
11,270 "
Balance against India ... 338 "

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 18th* 1906.

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J. GRAVES, *Offg. Superintendent.*

W. D. CRUICKSHANK, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

Notice of Deaths sent to the Administrator-General of Bengal under section 64 of Act II of 1874.

Name of deceased.	Place of death.	Date of death.	By whom death reported and when.	REMARKS.
Mrs. Mary Ann Dansey ...	Sintola near Almora	25th October 1906	Commissioner and District Judge, Kumaun, on 30th November 1906.	Left a Will.
Mrs. Mary Preston (resident of Alma House, Chunar).	Chunar	9th November 1906.	District Judge, Mirzapur, on 30th November 1906.	Left No Will.
Mrs. Evelina Ellis	Agra	11th September 1906.	District Judge, Agra, on 27th November 1906.	Letters of Administration granted to children of the deceased.
Mr. St. George Rigby, late Subdivisional Officer of Telegraphs, Meerut Subdivision.		22nd November 1906.	District Judge, Meerut, on 24th November 1906.	No information regarding Will.
Mr. W. J. Ball of Messrs Frizoni and Co.	Cawnpore	21st October 1906	District Judge, Cawnpore, on 24th November 1906.	Left no Will. A creditor applied for Letters of Administration.
Mrs. Lydia Agatha Toy Kander.	Ajmer	17th ,, ,,	Commissioner, Ajmer, on 22nd November 1906.	No Will. No application.
Mr. William James Remedios, Pump Inspector on G. W. Railway.	Lahore	20th September 1906.	District Judge, Lahore, on 4th December 1906.	Left a Will. Probate has been applied for.
...	Nagpur	1st October 1906	District Judge, Nagpur, on [illegible]	Left a Will. Nephew of the deceased has applied for Letters of Administration.
Mr. Robert Paterson, late of Telepara Tea Estate.	Jalpaiguri	21st November 1906.	District Judge, Dinajpur, on 6th December 1906.	Left no Will.
Mr. C. A. Gomes, late a Signaller, Government Telegraph Department.	Jubbulpore ...	2nd October 1906	District Judge, Nagpur, on on 6th December 1906.	No Will. No application.
Madame Mondoyen ...	Simla	8th December 1906.	District Judge, Simla, on 7th December 1906.	Left no Will.
Mr. Francis Stracey, late a Guard on the N. W. Railway.	Victoria Hospital, Lahore.	27th July 1906 ...	District Judge, Lahore, on 11th December 1906.	No information regarding Will.

3 COUNCIL HOUSE STREET,
Calcutta, the 15th December 1906.

HENRY T. HYDE,
Administrator-General of Bengal.

WANTED for the Survey and Settlement works of Mourbhanj Proper.

(1) Eight Kanungos for six months on a consolidated salary of Rs. 75 each per mensem. Candidates must possess some knowledge in English and Uria and also a thorough and practical experience in cadastral survey and khanapuri works.

(2) Twenty-four cadastral and khanapuri Inspectors for four months on a salary of Rs 30 each per mensem. Knowledge in Uria is indispensably necessary. Preference will be given to those who have a practical experience of the works.

Applications with copies of testimonials and with a statement of age will be received by the undersigned up to 15th January 1907

S. K. CHATTERJI,
Settlement Officer,
Mourbhanj P. O.

The 9th December 1906.

(1323—4)

WANTED at once an Estimator for office of the Executive Engineer, Chota Nagpur Division. Salary Rs. 80. Apply with copies of testimonials to

E. ARUNDEL-SMITH, ESQ.,
Executive Engineer, Chota Nagpur Division, Ranchi.

The 18th December 1906.

WANTED about 30 Circle Officers for famine work in Madhubani subdivision. Pay Rs. 50 *plus* Rs. 25, fixed travelling allowance. All applicants must know English, be able to ride and hold certificates of good character. They must give a security bond of some respectable surety for Rs. 1,000 as a safeguard against embezzlement. A good strong pony must be kept. All appointments will be made on probation, and subject to dismissal without notice for misconduct. Applicants should appear with their certificates for selection before me at my office on Wednesday, 25th instant, at 9 A.M. Preference will be given to Darbhanga district men if otherwise suitable.

W. EGERTON, I.C.S.,
Collector, Darbhanga.

Darbhanga, Famine Relief Office, dated Lahiria Sarai, the 15th December 1906.

WANTED a passed Accountant for the post of the Assistant Accountant of the District Board's office, Khulna, on a monthly salary of Rs. 40 rising to Rs. 50 by an annual increment of Rs. 2. The candidate must stick to the post for at least two years. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received up to 20th January 1907. The selected candidate will have to join at once.

A. AHMAD,
Chairman, District Board, Khulna.

Khulna, the 19th December 1906. (1369—3)

WANTED a Graduate in Engineering of the Calcutta University for the post of an Overseer, under the Cuttack District Board, on a salary of Rs. 80, rising to Rs. 100, by a biennial increment of Rs. 10, with a horse allowance of Rs. 30 per mensem. No one but an active, smart L.E. or a B.E. with some experience need apply.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 15th January 1907. The selected candidate will have to join at once.

NAGENDRA NATH MITRA,
District Engineer, Cuttack.

Cuttack, the 20th December 1906. (1368—3)

Wanted

A CLERK for this office on Rs. 55 rising to Rs. 85 by five annual increments

Preference will be given to those who are able to draft letters well, to put up notes and *précis* on cases and are well acquainted with the Public Works Department Codes and other Rules.

The selected candidate will be on probation for six months.

Apply with copies of testimonials (which will not be returned) stating age. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 15th January 1907.

A. S. THOMSON,
Superintending Engineer, Orissa Circle.

Cuttack, the 8th December 1906.

Wanted Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS in Form No 2 for local works are invited for the work of improvement of the 3rd section of the Ranchi-Gumla Road, 21½ miles, in the district of Ranchi, estimated at Rs. 22,700, exclusive of materials to be supplied by the District Engineer. A remittance of Rs. 50 to the Ranchi Treasury, as earnest-money, will entitle the tender to be considered by the Board, which will be refunded in case the tender is not accepted.

Plans and estimates can be inspected at the District Engineer's office, Ranchi, which will supply any requisite information on application.

Tenders will be received up to 25th January 1907.

E. H. BERTHOUD, I.C.S.,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Ranchi.

The 15th December 1906. (1361—3)

Notice.

WANTED by the District Board, Jessore, a duly qualified candidate for the post of Native Doctor for the Kesabpur Dispensary in the district of Jessore, on a salary of Rs. 25 a month, for three months. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 31st December 1906. Application should be supported by copies of testimonials and diplomas.

R. C. DUTT,
Vice-Chairman, District Board, Jessore.

Dated Jessore, the 11th December 1906. (1329—2)

Notice.

WANTED an experienced Surveyor on a salary of Rs. 30 per mensem for two months to survey the roads, lands on road sides, sites of buildings, tanks, &c., in possession of the Kotechandpur Municipality and the public buildings and to prepare a correct map of the Municipality.

None need apply who has got no experience in survey work. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 31st instant.

A. K. CHATARJI,
Chairman of the Kotechandpur Municipality and Subdivisional Officer, Jhenidah.

Jhenidah, the 6th December 1906. (1292—3)

SURESH CHANDRA MUKERJEE, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta. (1290—4—1131)

Board of Jessore at a special meeting on 4th September 1906 resolved that ried in the district at the maximum rate the rupee during the year 1907-1908 as

RADHIKA CH. DUTT,
for Chairman, District Board, Jessore.

h December 1906. (1279—3)

Road Cess Notice.

t Board of Saran, at a meeting held on the 1st December 1906, resolved that the road cess be levied in this district at the maximum rate of one-half anna in each rupee of annual value of lands during the year 1907-08.

JAGDAM SAHAI,
for Chairman, District Board, Saran.

Chapra, the 6th December 1906. (1298—3)

Road Cess Notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the District Board of Monghyr have determined, at an adjourned special meeting held on the 8th December 1906, to levy the road cess in the district during ensuing cess year 1907-08 at the maximum rate of half-anna in the rupee on the annual value of lands, etc.

H. McPHERSON,
Chairman.

Monghyr, the 10th December 1906. (1327—2)

Road Cess Notice.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the District Board of Bankura have, at the special meeting held on the 1st December 1906, resolved that half an anna per rupee on the annual value of lands and mines be fixed as the rate of road cess in the district during the ensuing financial year 1907-08.

(ILLEGIBLE), Vice-Chairman.

Bankura, the 15th December 1906. (1363—1)

Indian Subordinate Medical Department.

A PUBLIC competitive examination will be held on the first Monday in February 1907 (February 4th 1907) at the stations marginally noted for the admission of candidates to the Military Assistant Surgeon Branch of the Indian Subordinate Medical Department.

Calcutta.	Landour.
Ootacamund.	Murree.
Simla.	Rangoon.
Madras.	Bangalore.
Bombay.	Trichinopoly.
Mount Abu.	Karachi.
Dinapore.	Mhow.
Allahabad.	Poona.
Agra.	Kamptee.
Lucknow.	Secundarabad.
Meerut.	Wellington.
Bareilly.	Jhansi.
Jubbulpore.	Sialkot.
Umballa.	Fyzabad.
Mian Mir.	Quetta.
Rawalpindi.	Shillong.
Peshawar.	Aden.
Kasauli.	Mandalay.
	Maymyo.

Copies of the prospectus and any further information may be obtained from the Senior Medical officers at these stations and from—

(1) The Secretary to the Director-General, Indian Medical Service, Simla.

(2) The Personal Assistants to the Surgeon Generals with the Governments of Madras and Bombay.

(3) All Administrative Medical officers and Principals of the Medical Colleges and Schools at Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.

[Second publication.]

Irrigation Department.

NOTICE is hereby given for general information that the Kalighat bridge over Tolly's Nala will be closed to all traffic from 5th January to 31st March both days inclusive, for alterations and improvements.

2. Ferries will be provided for the foot-passengers from 6 A.M. till 9 P.M.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

Calcutta,
The 18th December 1906.

I... invited to the notifications issued by the Chief Customs Authority under sections 86, 91, 104, 105, 113, 137(a), and 158 of the Sea Customs Act and published in Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th December 1906, prescribing new forms of bills-of-entry and shipping bills for use in the foreign and coasting trade respectively, with effect from the 15th January 1907 inclusive.

The new forms must be used with effect from the date mentioned. They should be printed on stout paper of the prescribed tint. Copies of instructions to be observed in entering the new forms may be obtained on application at the office of the Custom House Inspector. Specimens of the forms will be obtainable at the same office within a few days.

Special attention is drawn to the new columns for "Country whence consigned" and "Country of final destination" in the documents for use in the foreign trade, which must be correctly filled in in accordance with the instructions before presentation.

L. F. MORSHEAD,
Collector of Customs.

Calcutta Custom House, the 19th December 1906.
(1262—3.)

Bruce Institution.

ANNUAL ELECTION, 1907.

THE Governors of the Bruce Institution will proceed on Friday, the 18th January 1907, to the election of not less than 24 Eurasian girls on the Bruce Foundation, if so many are eligible. Candidates must not, on the day of the election, be under five or over ten years of age. Perference will be given to orphans and to destitute children.

A statement of the case should be drawn up by the Minister countersigning the application form and sent by him to the Secretary of the Bruce Institution along with the application. No application will be considered which is unaccompanied by such a statement.

Forms of application may be obtained from Mr F D'Silva, Assistant in charge, Office of the Bruce Institution, Room No. 29, top floor, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta; and applications on this form *only* must reach the office of the Secretary not later than Thursday, the 10th January 1907.

A. EARLE,
Honorary Secretary to the Governors.

Calcutta, the 7th December 1906. (1291—4)

Notice to Creditors.

In the goods of John Reid Gavin, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration with copy Trust Disposition and Settlement annexed to the property and credits of the deceased abovenamed having, on the seventh day of December instant, been granted to Charles Henry Kesteven, all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of January 1907, after which date the assets of the estate of the said deceased will be distributed by the said Charles Henry Kesteven, the Administrator, amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said Charles Henry Kesteven will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution; such notice to be sent to the undersigned.

Dated this 8th day of December 1906.

S. S. HODSON,
Royal Insurance Buildings, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta,
Attorney for Charles Henry Kesteven, Administrator to the estate of the deceased.

(1293—3—1127)

In the goods of William Forbes Gibbon, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration with Copy Will annexed to the property and credits of the deceased above named having on the 7th day of December instant been granted to Charles Henry Kesteven, all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of January 1907, after which date the assets of the estate of the said deceased will be distributed by the said Charles Henry Kesteven, the Administrator, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said Charles Henry Kesteven will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution; such notice to be sent to the undersigned.

Dated this 8th day of December 1906.

S. S. HODSON, Royal Insurance Buildings, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta,
Attorney for C. H. Kesteven, Administrator to the estate of the deceased. (1294—3—1126)

Notice to Creditors.

In the goods of Charles Sanderson, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration with copy Will annexed to the property and credits of the deceased abovenamed having, on the 10th day of December instant, been granted to Charles Henry Kesteven, all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of January 1907, after which date the assets of the estate of the said deceased will be distributed by the said Charles Henry Kesteven, the Administrator, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said Charles Henry Kesteven will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution; such notice to be sent to the undersigned.

Dated this 10th day of December 1906.

S. S. HODSON,
Royal Insurance Buildings, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta,
Attorney for Charles Henry Kesteven, Administrator to the estate of the deceased. (1292—3—1125)

Estate Mrs. Catherine Bridget Norman, of 72 Wellesley Road, Croydon, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased abovenamed are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co., 4 and 5 Koila Ghat Street, Calcutta, on or before the 25th day of January 1907, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 7th day of December 1906.

W. H. TAYLOR,
Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased.

4 and 5 Koila Ghat Street, Calcutta. (1299—3—1128)

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased abovenamed are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co., 4 and 5 Koilaghat Street, Calcutta, on or before the 28th day of January 1907, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 7th day of December 1906.

W. H. TAYLOR,
Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased.

4 and 5 Koilaghat Street, Calcutta.

(1300—7—1170)

Estate Deputy Surgeon-General Theo. Ringer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased above named are hereby required to send in writing the particulars thereof to Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co., 4 and 5 Koilaghat Street, Calcutta, on or before the 28th day of January 1907, after which date the undersigned will distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 11th day of December 1906.

W. H. TAYLOR,
Administrator with Will annexed of the Property and Credits of the deceased.

4 and 5 Koilaghat Street, Calcutta. (1326—3—1170)

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

4 RUSSEL STREET, CALCUTTA.

EXECUTIVE ENGINEER'S OFFICE,

THIRD CALCUTTA DIVISION.

Notice.

THE public are hereby informed that 500 feet roadway of the 3rd mile, 3rd furlong, Grand Trunk Road, Howrah (i.e., 250 feet on the North and 250 feet on the South of the Punjab Line Level Crossing) will be closed to all traffic from the 24th December 1906 to 8th January 1907 (both days inclusive) for making improvements to the approaches.

L. D. CROSS,
Executive Engineer, Third Calcutta Division.

Calcutta, the 19th December 1906.

Notice.

THE annual *mela* at Daltonganj, in the district of Palamau, commences from the 18th January 1907 corresponding with 4th Magh 1313 B.S., and will last for about a month. An agriculture and cattle show will also be held in connection with it during the first week of February.

Traders and dealers in plough and milk cattle, horses and ponies, and other traders and merchants excepting those from plague-infected areas are invited to attend. No tax is levied. The comfort of strangers is looked after. The *mela* is held on the bank of the River Coel, so there is no difficulty for drinking water for men and cattle. Fodder will be available at reasonable rates. Bamboos and posts are supplied to traders free of cost for making booths. Police and conservancy arrangements are made.

S. R. HIGNELL,
Deputy Commissioner.

Daltonganj, the 13th December 1906. (1339—4)

SEALED tenders for the supply of picking cases of different sizes as noted below during the official year 1907-1908 will be received by the undersigned up to 2 P. M. on the 15th January 1907:—

Description.

No. 1. No. 1 Case, 1′ 10″ × 1′ 4″ × 1′ 4″.
„ 2. „ 2 Case, 2′ 4″ × 1′ 4″ × 1′ 4″.
„ 3. „ 3 Case, 2′ 7″ × 1′ 7″ × 1′ 6″.
„ 4 Case, 2′ 10½ × 1′ 10″ × 1′ 7″.
„ 5 Case, 3′ 1″ × 1′ 11″ × 1′ 8″.
Cases of special sizes per cubic foot.
Dammered cases.
Refitting cases
Converting wooden cases and supplying 12 iron clamps and 2 iron bands.
„ 10. Opening cases.

The cases should be of good mangoe or kowrah planks, six-eighths of an inch in thickness, and should be secured by twelve iron clamps six inches long and ¾ inch broad of steel hoop iron of a quality to bend to the round weight; such clamps should be affixed with three-quarter inch nails before the cases are delivered to store, and two iron bands ¾ inch wide of the aforesaid quality. About 11,000 cases will be required annually.

3. Packing cases should be delivered to the office of the undersigned, as required, free of cartage and cooly-hire.

4. Samples of packing cases should be furnished with tenders and distinctly marked with the name of tenderer.

5. Sealed tenders should be submitted in the forms to be obtained from this office, and superscribed "Tenders for packing cases," accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 1,500. The deposit if made in cash should be paid into the Bank of Bengal and the Bank's receipt sent with the tender.

6. Tenderers are required to declare any relationship or business connection that may exist between them and any assistant of this office. The suppression of any such information will render the contract liable to be cancelled without notice or compensation.

7. Every successful tenderer will have to deposit as security Rs. 1,500 and to execute a contract bond (the form of which can be seen at the office) within 15 days from the date of his being informed of the acceptance of his tender. In case of failure to execute the bond within the specified time, the amount deposited with the tender will be forfeited and credited to Government and the tender considered as cancelled.

8. Fifty cases of the sizes as per margin should
No. 1—10. always be kept ready on the office
„ 2—10. premises over and above the
„ 3—10. daily requirements of the office
„ 4—10.
„ 5—10.

9. The necessary stamp duty on the Contract bond must be paid by the contractor.

10. The undersigned does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender, and he reserves to himself the right of rejecting any tender without assigning his reasons for so doing.

[illegible],
Officer in charge of the Forms Department, Bengal Forms Department, Dallanda Buildings,

No. 247; Lower Circular Road, Calcutta, the 19th December 1906.

NOTICE

IS hereby given for the information of the public that the Faridpur Agricultural Industrial and Horticultural Exhibition and *mela* will be held as usual at this station from the 7th January to the 7th February next and the bazar will be removed to the *mela* grounds from the 1st January 1907. Dealers, merchants, and traders, etc., of all quarters are invited to buy and sell at the *mela* during that time.

A. MARR, Magistrate-President.

Faridpur, the 7th December 1906. (1324—3)

Notice

THE Suri Cattle and Produce Exhibition will be held (for the 11th year) at Barabagan, Suri, East Indian Railway, in the district of Birbhum, 11 miles from East Indian Railway station Sainthia, on the 26th January and the two following days. The grounds will be open for the sale of articles from the 25th January for a week. Cattle, agricultural produce, and indigenous manufactures will be received as exhibits on the 27th and 28th January 1906. Competition for India Government prizes for bulls, cows and heifers will be allowed within the four districts of Birbhum, Bankura, Burdwan and Sonthal Parganas. Prizes in money, medals, certificates and selected seeds amounting to the value of Rs. 700 will be awarded for other exhibits of this district as well as for those of good quality from other districts. Intending exhibitors should prepare their exhibits and begin to make collections of indigenous articles from now, for which rewards will be amply given. Dealers and performers of music and sports may come and open their stalls in the exhibition ground two or three days beforehand. They should communicate with the Secretary about sites and other particulars at least a week before. The Railway Company has agreed to make some concessions in the rates for luggage, etc., of the exhibits coming to and going from the show.

HIRA LAL BANARJI,
for Collector.

Dated Suri, the 11th December 1906. (1333—3)

NOTICE.

In the Court of 3rd Sub-Judge, Mymensingh.

DECLARATORY SUIT No. 47 OF 1906 FOR THE REGISTRATION OF INSTALMENT BOND.

Joy Krishna Saha and others of Kowaimari *alias* Gopalpur, station Sorishabari, Mymensingh, plaintiffs, *versus* G. A. Stylianides of Sorishabari, Jute office, Mymensingh, defendant.

BY order of this Court dated the 28th November 1906, the notice is given to the defendant to appear personally or by his authorised agent, before the above Court, on the 6th January 1907, fixed for the disposal of that suit, otherwise the case will be decided in his absence.

HEM CHANDRA MUKHERJEE,
Offg. Sub-Judge.

Mymensingh, the 14th December 1906. (1368—1)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of Burdwan.

SCHEDULE of mortgaged properties to be sold at public auction on 5th January 1907, in the above Court in execution of mortgage decree, dated 18th February 1906, in suit 4/534 of $\frac{1905}{1905}$, in which Tara Prasanna Mukherjee is the decree-holder and Toofa Khatun and others are judgment-debtors:—

Lot No. 1.—One moiety share of tauzi No. 5296 of the Burdwan Collectorate; lot Kasa, annual revenue or entire estate Rs. 3,677-4-4, annual revenue for the 8 annas zamindari for sale Rs. 1,838-10-2, including all rights therein, together with half of resumed chaukidari chakran lands and half of behara chakran lands also resumed. Estimated value Rs. 25,000. Copies of cess returns submitted by defendants are with the records.

Lot No. 2.—One moiety share of tauzi No. 159 of the Burdwan Collectorate, lot Asuri, annual revenue or entire estate Rs. 2,260-9-11, annual revenue for the 8 annas zamindari for sale Rs. 1,130-4-11½, including all rights therein, together with half of all resumed chaukidari chakran lands. Estimated value Rs. 14,000. Copies of cess returns submitted by defendants are with the records.

Lot No. 3.—Entire 8 annas patni rights in the above two lots, Kasa and Asuri, with one-half of all resumed chaukidari chakran lands in lot Asuri, and half of all resumed chaukidari chakran and chakur and behara chakran lands. The yearly patni rent payable to the zamindars for the entire patni lots, consisting of the shares of lot Kasa and lot Asuri, is Rs. 4,389-8-8½. Estimated value Rs. 18,000. Copies of cess returns submitted by defendants are with the records.

Lot No. 4.—Lakheraj homestead (bastu land) in the town of Burdwan, district, chowki and division Burdwan, bounded on the north by Muradpur-Meahlar Road, on the west by the lakheraj house of Jogesh Chandra Sarkar, pleader, on the south by the aforesaid pleader's tank (Jalhari), and on the east by Tarini Prasad Banerjee mukhtear's and Masjidgaria tank, measuring about 4 cottahs. Estimated value Rs. 100.

GOPI KRISHNA BANERJEE,
Sub-Judge, Burdwan.

Burdwan, the 18th December 1906. (1359—1)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction in his chamber room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 19th day of January 1907, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to a decree and order of the said Court made in suit No. 643 of 1901 (wherein Monmotho Nath Kundu and others are plaintiffs and Sreemuty Jogendranandini Dasi and others are defendants), dated, respectively, the 18th day of April 1901 and 4th day of August 1903, the undermentioned properties:—

1. Nos. 15 and 15-1 Bolaram Ghose's Street, a two-storied brick-built house with land measuring two biggahs eight cottahs, more or less, situate in Sootanutty in Calcutta, and bounded on the north partly by the dwelling-house of Upendra Nath Bose and partly by the land belonging to Raj Kristo Mitter, on the south by Bolaram Ghose's Street, on the east by Cornwallis Street and on the west by Kristomain Bose's Street.

2. No. 133 Cornwallis Street, being a piece of tenanted land in Sootanutty, measuring one biggah two cottahs, more or less, and bounded on the north by Bolaram Ghose's Street, on the south partly by the house belonging to the late Deno Nath Ghose and others, and partly by the land belonging to Sreemutty Mrinmoyee Dassi, on the east by Cornwallis Street and on the west by Puddomath Lane.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the Registrar's office in the High Court and also at the office of Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu, Solicitor, at No. 10 Hastings Street, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

W. R. FINK,
Registrar.

Bhupendra Nath Basu, Plaintiffs' Attorney.

Calcutta, High Court, Original Side, the 10th day of December 1906. (1336—1—1172)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to a decree and an order of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, made in suit No. 128 of 1896 (wherein Nawabip Chunder Chowdhury is plaintiff and Nistai Churn Sen and others are defendants), and dated, respectively, the 4th day of September 1896 and the 1st day of September 1905, by the Registrar of the said Court in his chamber room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 5th day of January 1907, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the undermentioned properties belonging to the defendants:—

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On Wednesday, the 9th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

G. C. Mitter, Attorney. (1340—2)

In the matter of Richard Henry Russell and Elizabeth Charlotte Russell, insolvents.

On Thursday, the 6th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of February next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

G. K. Ghosh, Attorney. (1341—2)

In the matter of Gopal Chandra Sett, an insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 5th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1342—2)

In the matter of Kanahia Lal Beriwaniwallah, an insolvent.

On the 19th day of October last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Ghose & Bose, Attorney. (1343—2)

In the matter of C. E. Peters, an insolvent.

On Monday, the 10th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of February next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1344—2)

In the matter of Shaik Rohim Bux, an insolvent.

On Saturday, the 1st day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Paul, Attorney. (1345—2)

In the matter of Narain Dass and others, insolvents.

On the 27th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of February next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvents in person. (1346—2)

In the matter Rajendra Nath Chatterjee, an insolvent.

On the 23rd day of October last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1347—2)

In the matter of Sarat Chunder Mitter, an insolvent.

On the 30th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of February next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

G. K. Ghosh, Attorney. (1348—2)

In the matter of A. J. Judge, an insolvent.

On the 26th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of February next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

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Insolvent in person. (1350—2)

In the matter of Claude Henry Williamson, an insolvent.

On the 30th day of October last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1370—2)

In the matter of Benoban Mohan Mookombar, an insolvent.

On the 15th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. G. Roy, Attorney. (1371—2)

In the matter of Sakib Mollah, an insolvent.

On the 26th day of November, last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

P. N. Paul, Attorney. (1372—2)

In the matter of Saligram Khettry and Ram Narain Khettry, insolvents.

On the 9th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

C. G. Lewis, Attorney. (1373—2)

In the matter of Kally Churn Sanyal, an insolvent.

On the 24th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1374—2)

In the matter of Chrisnochunder Goswamee Dalloon an insolvent.

On the 26th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1375—2)

In the matter of Stanley Smith and others, insolvents.

On the 17th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

G. K. Ghosh, Attorney. (1376—2)

In the matter of E. J. Blanchette, an insolvent.

On the 14th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

C. G. Lewis, Attorney. (1377—2)

In the matter of CHOTTOO LALL DOSSAR, an insolvent.

On the 28th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

R. K. Bysack, Attorney. (1378—2)

In the matter of CHUNDY CHARAN NUNDY and others, insolvents.

On the 2nd day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvents be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvents do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1379—2)

In the matter of E. FALLOFIELD, an insolvent.

On the 9th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day in January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1380—2)

In the matter of RAM CHAND BURMON, an insolvent.

On the 8th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Manuel and Augurwallah, Attorneys. (1381—2)

In the matter of SEW PROSED RAJARIA, an insolvent.

On the 8th day of November last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person. (1382—2)

In the matter of RAKHAL DASS AUGURWALLAH, an insolvent.

On the 29th day of October last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

N. G Roy, Attorney. (1383—2)

In the matter of H. R. COBBOLD, an insolvent.

On the 4th day of September last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st Court day of January next, and that the said insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Orr, Dignam & Co., Attorneys. (1384—2)

In the matter of MAKHAN LALL DASS, an insolvent.

On the 4th day of September last, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st Court day in January next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day the said insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Roy and Chowdhury, Attorneys. 1385—2)

In the matter of UPENDRA NATH MULLICK, an insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Wednesday, the 2nd day of January next, at the hour of half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

P. L. Mullick, Attorney. (1386—1)

Insolvency Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned dividends are lying unclaimed:—

Estate Soshee Bhusan Kundoo and others, insolvents.

	Names of creditors.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
	Creditors of the Ghee and Sugar business carried on at No. 7 Ramkumar Kuckhit's Lane.						
	Mooltan Chand Dass ...	1,906	5	3	95	12	7
	Thakur Dass Mutty Lall ...	2,156	0	0	142	0	4
9	Gokul Chand Hurruck Chand	2,155	0	0	141	35	7
10	Hursook Dass Chokmull ...	2,294	5	3	152	3	11
13	Seetul Prosad Khargo Prosad	10,145	9	0	667	6	10
16	Ganderam Nathmull ...	1,348	5	3	89	7	2
22	Bissen Doyal Ganga Sugore	7,565	12	0	340	7	4
23	Bungshee Lall Abeer Chand	5,360	0	0	236	11	3
32	Jogendra Nath Dutt ...	2,659	14	0	116	12	9
33	Sreemutty Kessore Dassee	1,246	13	9	56	1	8
34	Sookdeb Dass Rekhub Dass	4,354	10	6	195	15	4
39	Radha Bulluv Dass Domani	2,685	13	3	120	13	10
40	Roop Chand Kissen Chand	1,627	0	0	73	3	5
46	Mudon Gopal Dass	1,254	10	3	55	3	11
49	Jaytroop Balkissen	2,094	0	0	91	1	3
50	Mohesh Chunder Pretihary	2,010	6	4	90	7	6
53	Sreemutty Koomutty Dabee	4,200	0	0	190	0	0
	Creditors of the Ghee and Sugar business carried on at No. 8 Ram Kristo Kuckhit's Lane.						
	Juggarnath Gyadeen	2,000	10	3	92	11	3
	Heera Lall Chail Kanye Lall Chail.	2,231	6	6	99	15	5
	Chittanemull Anundeemul... ...	1,706	2	0	76	13	10
	Budree Prosaud Hurro Narain ...	1,944	13	6	87	8	3
	Sreemutty Matungince Dassee, Sutto Gopal Coondoo and others, beneficially interested members of Kalla Chand Kundoo's estate.	41,501	9	6	1,881	1	2
	Creditors of the ghee and sugar business carried on at Hautkhollah.						
	Satish Chunder Pal Chowdhury and Menindra Nath Singha.	1,193	0	3	53	14	7
	Creditors of the ghee and sugar business carried on at Gobordanga.						
22	Haran Chunder Kurmokar ...	3,363	10	0	151	9	5

Estate Sreedam Chunder Seal, an insolvent.

	Rs.	A.	P.	2nd dividend, at Re. 1-5 per cent. Rs.	A.	P.
Mitchell Bardsley & Co. and Munnalall Luchmeechand.	6,800	0	0	89	4	0
Gopeenath Sil's mother, Sreemutty Sorbanee Dassee.	5,484	10	6	71	15	9

Estate Mritunjoy Mullick, an insolvent.

	Rs.	A.	P.	1st dividend at Re. 4-12 per cent. Rs.	A.	P.
Hajee Alabux Abdool Rohomon	2,193	0	0	105	10	4
Mamoobux Mahomed Ismail	1,493	10	0	69	0	0
Kusum Kumari Dassee ...	4,796	0	0	227	10	8

Estate Chedilall Agarwallu, an insolvent.

		Rs	A.	P.	1st dividend, at Re. 2-8 per cent. Rs.	A.	P.
15	Jasoda	2,595	0	0	64	14	0

Estate Sarat Chunder Sen, an insolvent.

		Rs.	A.	P.	2nd dividend, at Re. 2-8 per cent. Rs.	A.	P.
1	Representatives of Luchmon Dass, viz. Dwarka Das and Damudar Das.	5,595	0	0	139	10	0
2	Kumar Monindra Mullick ...	3,900	0	0	97	8	0

Estate Mounatha Nath Banerjee, an insolvent.

Names of creditors.	Amount of claim.	1st dividend, at Re. 7 per cent.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Kali Proshono Mookerjee	716 10 9	50 3 8
Tejpal Jumna Das ...	7 5 11 3	51 6 0
Ram Niranjan Budree dass	807 7 9	56 11 7
Noopchand Mugniram ...	1,004 13 6	71 11 10

Estate Ramrick Dass and Nundram, insolvents.

		2nd dividend at Rs. 2-7 per cent.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Chaitram Beharilall ...	1,500 0 0	51 9 0
Mahadi Trusool ray ...	4,500 0 0	154 11 0
Naitram Chowdhury	1,500 0 0	51 9 0
Nathrooram Ramkissen	2,800 0 0	96 4 0
J. de Raj Doomka	1,500 0 0	51 9 0
Choorelall Saw Chand Roy ...	2,000 0 0	68 12 0
Dhomraj Chandgotia	2,000 0 0	68 12 0
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Molyram Gorodia	1,500 0 0	51 9 0
Sewdut Roy Shoorka	2,000 0 0	68 12 0

Estate Tincowry Dass, an insolvent

		2nd dividend, at Rs. 3-3 per cent.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Hurkissen Dass Duby Persaud	4,087 8 0	131 4 8

A. B. MILLER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 12th December 1906. (1323—1)

In the Court of the 1st Munsif at Baraset.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 5 OF 1906.

Bhagabati Charan Nath, Petitioner.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Bhagabati Charan Nath of Kayemba, thana Baraset, was declared an insolvent on the 14th December 1906.

B. B. MITRA, Munsif.

Baraset the 15th December 1906. (1367—1—1199)

In the Court of the 1st Munsif at Baraset.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 8 OF 1906.

Esmail Mandal, Petitioner.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Esmail Mandal of Bampole, thana Deganga, district 24-Parganas, was declared an insolvent on the 8th December 1906

B. B. MITRA, Munsif.

Baraset, the 17th December 1906. (1366—1—1206)

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

W. A. INGLIS,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 20th December 1906.*

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Caution—Series of Volcanic eruptions.

No. 486 (first publication).—The following telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Burma :—

Inspector of light-houses wires on 19th December 1906 from Kyouk Phyou that series of volcanic eruptions, resulting in large island being upheaved, 12 miles from Beacon, bearing approximately 36° west by north—Still active. Mariners are hereby warned.

The 20th December 1906.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA COAST.

Caution—Position of a submerged Country craft.

No. 479 (second publication).—A telegraphic communication has been received from the Principal Port Officer, Rangoon, intimating that a report has been received that a small country craft, submerged, was passed bearing east, distance 9 miles from Alguada light-house. Length of boat about 80 feet.

Mariners are hereby warned.

The 11th December 1906.

AUSTRALIA—QUEENSLAND.

Brisbane river—Minimum available depth.

No. 480 (second publication).—The Port Master, Brisbane, has given notice (No. 7 of 1906) that the minimum available depth in the Brisbane River from Moreton Bay to the Custom House, Town Reach, is 22 feet at low-water springs.

Charts affected—Nos. 1674, 1670b and 1039; Australia Directory, vol. 2.

INDIA, WEST—SIND COAST.

Karachi harbour—Lights on Military works at Manora.

No. 481 (second publication).—The Bombay Government have given notice (No. 126 of 1906) that from 1st December 1906, repairs will be taken in hand on the seaward side of the Manora Point Fort and Breakwater, and powerful lights may be used at times for the purpose. Ships approaching Karachi Harbour should therefore be careful not to mistake these lights with leading and harbour lights.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Karachi Harbour, No. 40; also West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 304.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Red sea.

The Brothers—Experimental exhibition of light.

No. 482 (second publi ation).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 51, dated the 3rd February 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1304 of 1906) that, during the latter end of November and the beginning of December, a *white flashing* light will be experimentally exhibited from the tower now in course of construction on the Brothers.

Approximate position, lat. 26° 19′ N., long. 34° 51′ E.

Further Notice will be given when the above light is permanently established, which will be about 1st January 1907.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Red Sea with plan of the Brothers, No. 8b : Also List of Lights, 1906, Part V, No. 1441; Part VI, No. 161; Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1900, page 71; and Supplement, 1904, page 10.

AFRICA, NORTH-EAST—Red Sea, western shore—Sheik el Barghut approach.

Sanganeb reef—Experimental exhibition of light.

No. 483 (second publication).—With reference to notice to Mariners No. 207, dated 7th June 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1305 of 1906) that during the latter half of November and the early part of December, a *white flashing* light will be exhibited experimentally from a tower now in course of erection on Sanganeb reef in the approach to Sheik el Barghut (port Sudan).

Approximate, position, lat. 19° 43½′ N., long. 37° 26′ E.

Further Notice will be given when this light has been permanently established, which will be about 1st January 1907.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Red Sea, No. 8c : Mersa Durur to Trinkitat, No. 81 : Also List of Lights, 1906, Part V, No. 1443; Part VI, No. 158 ; Red Sea, etc., Pilot, 1900, page 155 ; and Supplement, 1904, page 17.

BAY OF BENGAL—Orissa coast.

Balasore river—Elfin channel—Depth of water on the bars and at the buoys.

No. 484 (second publication).—The Port Officer, Cuttack and Balasore ports, has given notice that the following depth of water was found on the bars and at the buoys, in the Elfin channel, Balasore river, on the 10th December 1906—

Bars.

	Ft.	in.
Elfin bar	2	6
Nolcool	1	6
Jimkana	2	6

Buoys.

	Ft.
Anchoring buoy	22
Fairway „	12
Centre Elfin	4
Inner „	5

The course in from the Fairway buoy to the Barabulong river is N. 33° W. *magnetic.*

Vessels drawing 9 feet should not attempt to cross the Elfin bar with less than 16 feet rise at Saugor.

The 14th December 1906.

INDIA, WEST—Malabar coast.

Ponani—Particulars of present boundary pillars.

No. 485 (second publication).—The Presidency Port Officer, Madras, has given notice (No. 31 of 1906) of the following particulars of boundary pillars at Ponani, in supersession of previous Notice :—

North boundary pillar, situated on the Sand ridge north of the river entrance, 120 yards from H. W. mark in Lat. 10° 48′ 11″ N.

South boundary pillar, situated on the foreshore south of the river entrance, 450 yards from H. W. mark in Lat 10° 46′ 57″ N.

The pillars are 2,860 yards apart in a straight line bearing approximately No. 29° W.

The 17th December 1906.

BAY OF BENGAL—Chittagong coast.

Kurnafuli river—Depth of water in the channels.

No. 468 (third publication).—The Port Officer, Chittagong, has given notice that the following depth of water was found in the channels by soundings taken on the 29th and 30th November 1906—

	Ft.	In.
Track No. 1—Outer bar—		
Disc on diamond	14	0
Track No. 2—Inner bar—		
Disc on diamond	11	6
Batten beacon on pillar	11	6
Track No. 3—		
Triangle on cross and ball	16	6
Track No. 4—Guptakhally crossing—		
Tripod on cross and ball and diamond ...	20	0

INDIA, WEST—Sind coast.

Karachi harbour—Removal of Deep Water Point mooring buoy.

No. 469 (third publication).—The Bombay Government has given notice (No. 125, dated 28th November), that the Deep Water Point Mooring Buoy, Karachi Harbour, has been removed and will not be replaced until further notice.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Karachi Harbour, No. 40; also West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1898, page 304, and Supplement 1903, page 19.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Borneo, south-east coast.

Pulo Laut strait—Light-buoy established.

No. 470 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 226, dated 26th June 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1271 of 1906) that a light-buoy exhibiting a *white occulting* light, *every twenty seconds*, thus:—light, *ten seconds;* eclipse, *ten seconds*, has been established in a position situated about one mile S. 75° E. from Petang point, in the southern entrance to Pulo Laut strait.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 37′ S., long. 115° 57½′ E.

(*Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Makassar strait, No. 2637; plan of Pulo Laut strait on chart No. 2662; Also Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 277.

CHINA, NORTH—Manchuria, south coast.

Cambrian or Lakhutan cove.—Non-existence of shoal.

No. 471 (third publication).—With reference to notice to Mariners No. 498, dated 12th December 1905, issued by this Office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1272 of 1906) that the rock reported by the S.S. *Ishibashi Maru* off Cambrian cove, as situated in a position 12 cables S. 73° W. from the rock off the south-eastern extremity of South Entry point, in the approach to Talien hwan bay, has been repeatedly and carefully searched for at a distance of 2 cables in all directions around the assigned position without any indication being found of its existence, the general depths in the locality being 17 fathoms over mud, sand, and shells bottom. This rock has therefore been erased from the charts.

Approximate position, lat. 38° 51′ N., long. 121° 40½′ E.

Note.—The Japanese name for the Talien islands to the westward of Cambrian cove is Dairen, and this has now been adopted on chart No. 1798.

(*Variation 4° Westerly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart :—Kwang tung peninsula, No. 1797 : Also, China Sea Directory, vol. III, 1904, page 590.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—MALAY PENINSULA, WEST COAST—SIAM, PUKET OR TONGKA HARBOUR.

Goh Tapaunoi light—Temporary alterations.

No. 472 (third publication).—The British Admiraty has given notice (No. 1273 of 1906) that Goh Tapaunoi white flashing light, Tongka harbour, will be temporarily replaced by a *white fixed* light whilst undergoing repairs.

Approximate position, lat. 7° 50¾′ N., long. 98° 25½′ E.

Further Notice will be given as necessary.

This notice temporarily affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Puket or Tongka harbour, No. 843: Also, List of Lights, part VI, 1906, No. 383; Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 434; and China Sea Directory, vol. I, 1896, page 117.

PACIFIC OCEAN—SULU SEA—THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Basilan strait—Shoal inserted on Charts.

No. 473 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1274 of 1906) that as a shoal with a depth of 3⅓ fathoms over it appears on the United States Government chart of Basilan strait, situated on chart No. 961 in approximately lat. 6° 46′ 0″ N., long. 122° 4′ 20″ E., it has been inserted on the Admiralty charts in this position.

NOTE.—The authority for this danger is a Spanish chart corrected to 1895.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Sulu Archipelago, Nos. 2576, 928; Basilan strait, No. 961: Also, Eastern Archipelago, part I, 1890, page 99.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA, NORTH COAST.

Pamanukan rock—Buoy replaced by light-buoy.

No. 474 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 226, dated 26th June 1906, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1275 of 1906) that the black bell buoy surmounted by a ball marking Pamanukan rock, has been replaced by a light-buoy, painted black, exhibiting a *white occulting* light *every twenty seconds*, thus:—light, *ten seconds;* eclipse, *ten seconds.*

Approximate position, lat. 6° 1′ S., long. 107° 52½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Java, No. 1653: Also Eastern Archipelago, part II, 1904, page 97.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA ISLAND, EAST COAST—SURABAYA STRAIT

Kleta reef.—Beacon erected.

No. 475 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1292 of 1906) that an iron screwpile beacon, painted in black and red horizontal bands, with a truncated cone as a topmark, has been erected in a depth of 2 feet on Kleta reef, in the eastern entrance to Surabaya strait, in a position situated at a distance of 6 $\frac{6}{10}$ miles S. 42° E. from Larangan mosque.

Approximate position on chart No. 934 lat. 7° 19½′ S., long 112° 52′ E.

Variation 2° Easterly in 1906.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Java, No. 1654, Surabaya strait; & chart No. 934: Also, Eastern Archipelago, Part II 1904, page 127; and Supplement, 1906, page 11.

JAPAN SEA—Peter the Great bay—Vladivostok approach.

Cape Gamova light—Further particulars given, Askold island—Pilot station.

No. 476 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 402, dated 20th October, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1293 of 1906) that a *white group flashing* light showing groups of *two* flashes, each group being of about *two seconds'* duration, *every ten seconds*, elevated 210 feet above high water, and visible from a distance of 16 miles, has been established on cape Gamova, Vladivostok approach. The light, which is of the 2nd order, is shown from a lighthouse 48 feet high.

A siren worked by compressed air and a bell have been established on the southern end of the cape; during thick or foggy weather the siren will give one blast of four seconds' duration *every minute*, and the bell probably worked in accordance with the Russian uniform system.

Approximate position, lat. 42° 33½′ N., long. 131° 12½′ E.

Also, that it is no longer now requisite to make cape Gamova when approaching Vladivostok, but it is equally safe to make Askold island, and, obtaining a pilot from thence, to approach Vladivostok by the eastern entrance to the Eastern Bosporus strait.

Approximate position, Askold light. lat. 42° 44′ N., long. 132° 22′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kuril islands, No. 2405; Tumen Ula to Strelok bay, No. 2432; Trinity bay to the Eastern Bosporus, No. 511: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, page 189, No. 1156; and Sailing Directions for Japan, &c., 1904, page 169, 191.

AUSTRALIA, SOUTH—Gulf of St. Vincent—Backstairs passage.

Yatala shoal—Buoy established.

No. 477 (third publication).—The British Admiralty has given notice (No. 1298 of 1906) that, on or about the 24th of that month, a spherical buoy, painted in red and white horizontal bands, and surmounted by a half globe, base downwards, would be moored in a depth of 5 fathoms on the north-western side of Yatala shoal, Backstairs passage. The exact position of this buoy is not given, but it has been placed on the chart at a distance of $4\frac{1}{10}$ miles N. 19° E. from cape St. Alban.

Approximate position, lat. 35° 44½′ S., long. 138° 9¾′ E.

(*Variation 5° Easterly in 1906.*)

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of St. Vincent, &c., No. 2389a; Backstairs passage, No. 25: Also Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897, page 308.

AUSTRALIA—New South Wales.

Port Jackson—Fog Signals altered.

No. 478 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 286, dated 29th July 1905, issued by this office, the British Admiralty has given further notice (No. 1299 of 1906) that the fog bells at Bradley head, fort Denison, and Dawes point, in port Jackson, will in future be sounded continuously during thick or foggy weather, and not as described in the above-mentioned Notice.

Approximate position, fort Denison, lat. 33° 51½′ S., long. 151° 13½′ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Port Jackson, No. 1069; Woolloomooloo, &c., No. 1890: Also List of Lights, part VI, 1906, Nos. 1364a, 1365, 1365a; Australia Directory, vol. I, 1897, pages 824, 829; vol. II, 1898, pages 59, 62, 63.

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The Report on Public Instruction in Bengal for the year 1905-06.

1. Sir Alexander Pedler, KT., F.R.S., C.I.E., was in charge of the Department as Director of Public Instruction throughout the year. Mr. A. Earle, I.C.S., was placed on special duty in the office of the Director and was associated with Sir Alexander Pedler in the control of the Department with effect from the 15th January, 1906. Mr. Earle, by whom the Report has been submitted, assumed sole charge of the Department on the 31st March, 1906, the date on which Sir Alexander Pedler retired.

2. The introductory chapter contains a brief general review of the year's work throughout the whole field of educational endeavour, while in the chapters which follow details are separately supplied in reference to each of the customary divisions of the subject. The Report exceeds the prescribed length by

eleven pages This is attributed partly to the fact that an attempt has been made to write for the first time a complete introductory summary in accordance with standing orders, and to give, in the chapters which follow, a collected and readable narrative of the operations of the year. This renders any further review of the events of the year unnecessary. The length of the Report is also due to the fact that numerous schemes of educational reform are at the present time in process of development, and that more space than usual has therefore been required for their discussion. These schemes and the important questions raised in the Report are under the consideration of Government.

3. In publishing the Report the Lieutenant-Governor desires to thank Mr. Earle for the care and thoroughness with which it has been prepared and for the interesting account which it gives of the working of the Educational Department in Bengal during the year 1905-06. His Honour has had opportunities in reviewing the Reports of the two previous years, of acknowledging the services rendered by Sir Alexander Pedler to the cause of education during his tenure of office.

ORDER—Ordered that the Report be published in the Gazette.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

REPORT

ON

PUBLIC INSTRUCTION IN BENGAL

FOR 1905-06.

CHAPTER I.

GENERAL REVIEW OF THE YEAR'S WORKING.

Introductory Remarks.

1. This chapter attempts to give a bird's-eye but a complete view of the salient features of educational progress in the Province during the year 1905-1906. If any reader is sufficiently interested in any branch of education to wish to learn about it more in detail, I would ask him to refer to the particular chapter which deals with that phase of education which he seeks to investigate. This chapter is intended for the ordinary busy man, who is interested in a general way in the progress of education, but has neither the time nor the inclination to make a special study of the various problems involved.

Controlling Agencies.

2. Educational work has increased so rapidly of recent years without a D corresponding increase to the staff that at the present time we are found to be attempting the impossible task of making bricks without straw. To begin with, the directing staff is inadequate. The work required to be done by the Director and the Assistant Director is considerably more than two men, even working under excessive strain, can accomplish. Proposals are under consideration for the appointment of a Deputy Director to take charge of technical and industrial education, and I am of opinion that the time is not far distant when it will be generally recognised that the Director also requires further assistants, possibly a Deputy Director for secondary, and another for primary, education.

3. A scheme was sanctioned by His Majesty's Secretary of State during In the year for considerably strengthening the inspecting agency. When funds an permit of the scheme being brought into operation, a much needed relief will sta be afforded. There remains however the equally important need of a large increase to the professorial staff of the colleges. This is a subject on which the Commission recently appointed by the Calcutta University to inspect colleges has laid special stress. At present we are so short-handed that it is scarcely possible to carry on the administration, and the break-down of a single officer causes great dislocation of work. This matter will shortly be made the subject of a representation to Government. More female inspecting agents also are required. The staff has lately been increased by the appointment of three additional Assistant Inspectresses, but more are urgently required. The appointment of an additional Inspectress is also under consideration. I foresee the need, before many years are passed, of an Inspectress for every Division in which there is at present an Inspector of Schools.

Provincial, Subordinate and Lower Subordinate Educational Services.

4. The sanction of His Majesty's Secretary of State was received during the year to a scheme for the reorganisation of the Provincial and Subordinate Educational Services and the creation of a Lower Subordinate Educational Service. The pay and prospects of all officers of these services have been considerably improved by this measure, which will undoubtedly make for greater efficiency.

The Calcutta University and Collegiate Education.

The new University regulations.

5. The preparation of the new regulations under the Indian Universities' Act, 1904, and the inspection of arts colleges by the Commission referred to above were the two most important events of the year. Inasmuch as the University was unable to submit the new regulations to the Government of India in a complete form before the close of the year, the final stages of the work were entrusted to a special committee appointed by that Government. The regulations were approved by the Government of India on the 11th August 1906. They will doubtless make greater demands upon students than those previously in force. Hence it is, in my opinion, essential that the interests of poor scholars should be safe-guarded by the provision of an adequate number of scholarships of a sufficient value. This subject will be carefully borne in mind.

Report of the Commission.

6. I have referred above to the Commission appointed by the University to inspect colleges throughout this Province. The report submitted by it has brought to light numerous defects in the administration of colleges, and in particular has laid stress on the inadequacy of the professorial staff and the insufficiency in many cases of the accommodation and equipment. The Commission's report will be of great value when steps are taken to enforce the new regulations. As regards Government colleges, Government will no doubt do all that is required in order to carry out the necessary improvements; but the private colleges, if left to themselves, would indeed be in bad case. Fortunately the Government of India have foreseen the difficulty and are giving annual grants of money for the express purpose of enabling these colleges to comply with the regulations. That they will be able to do so in a short time is out of the question: progress will necessarily be gradual. One of the most pressing of all needs is the provision of hostels or messes under proper supervision for students who do not reside with their parents or other legal guardians. The Local Government has done its best to assist the University in this respect by inaugurating a system of college messes under supervision; but the work is only in the initial stage and the co-operation of the University is required in order to bring the scheme to a satisfactory issue.

The Presidency College.

7. The Presidency College, which is considerably the largest, and, according to the Commission referred to in the last paragraph, in certain respects by far the best equipped college in Calcutta, is seriously overcrowded; and in the opinion of the Commission either the numbers must be reduced or the college must be enlarged or rebuilt on a more open site. The scientific departments of this college suffer in particular owing to the want of space, while the department of chemistry is also reported to suffer from the dust and dirt of the neighbourhood. It is further reported that important groups of magnetic and electrical measurements cannot be made within an area surrounded by electric trams, and that therefore the use of such instruments cannot be taught to students. Proposals are now under consideration either for largely extending the college on its present site or removing it to another site in the neighbourhood of Calcutta. This is a question in which the public is interested and in regard to which it will, no doubt, be fully consulted.

General statistics of colleges.

8. The results of the last Entrance Examination were very disappointing, the percentage of success being only 26·4. The subject is now under the consideration of a special committee appointed by the Senate. Probably no great improvement in respect of the teaching given in High schools can be effected until the training colleges referred to in the chapter on Training Colleges and Schools are established. There has been but little variation as regards expenditure. Of the total expenditure amounting to

Rs. 7,65,695, Rs. 2,77,480 were derived from public, and Rs. 4,88,215 from private, funds. The cost *per annum* of educating a student is rising considerably. It was Rs. 110. only two years ago; while in the year under review it was Rs. 136.

Secondary Education for Indian Boys.

9. The number of secondary schools declined by 8, while that of pupils attending them increased by 2,422. The decline in the number of schools chiefly concerns Middle Vernacular Schools, and is mainly to be ascribed to the smaller value which attaches year by year to a purely vernacular education. In years gone by a Middle Vernacular pass qualified a student for admission to Medical and Survey Schools and to the Mukhtiyarship examination. This is no longer the case. The steady decline in the popularity of these schools must, in my opinion, culminate in their abolition as a separate class of schools. They more naturally fall under the head of primary schools, and they are so classified in the Bombay Presidency. Stat

10. As indicated later in this chapter, the revision of the vernacular scheme of education is in progress. The courses are at present too advanced and too diversified and the text-books are not written in language commonly used by the people, but in an unfamiliar literary style. The teaching of English in secondary schools also requires amendment. The result at present is that a great number of boys leave High Schools with an inadequate knowledge of that language, and that when they go to college they cannot understand their lecturers. The question will shortly come under review. Lastly, the training colleges for teachers in High and other secondary schools, which will shortly be opened, should work a revolution in the methods of teaching in secondary schools. Sub meth teac

11. Special instruction is given at selected secondary schools in subjects, leading up to an industrial, commercial or agricultural career. These classes are still in the experimental stage and have not hitherto proved successful. They require careful fostering. Special arrangements are being made for their supervision by persons who have some special knowledge of these subjects, and it is hoped that in this way these classes will receive a fresh impetus. Spe tion

Primary Education for Indian Boys.

12. The increase in the number of schools and scholars by 1·1 *per cent.* and 2·1 *per cent.* respectively is undoubtedly a matter for congratulation. Such a result could scarcely be looked for in view of the fact that the policy, very properly followed in recent years, has been to demand an increased standard of efficiency before putting a school on the aided or stipendiary list. Further advance may now be reasonably anticipated, and, if we are able to remove certain hindrances which are at present operating to retard progress, the future may be considered to be hopeful. The first of the drawbacks referred to is the present system of vernacular instruction with courses which are too advanced and too diversified, and with text-books not written in language commonly used by the people but in an unfamiliar literary style. Much progress has been made in the work of revision, and it is hoped that by the close of the current year it will be completed. Another cause which has had a distinctly depressing effect on primary education has been the abolition of the public examinations which were previously held at the close of the lower primary and upper primary stages. I have no wish to suggest a revival of the examinations as previously held with all their attendant evils; but I recognise that a stimulus which existed has been withdrawn and that nothing has been put in its place. Boys when they leave school want some form of certificate that they have passed through a given course. I think that it would be desirable to organise a system of leaving certificates based on the reports of the school authorities and a private examination conducted in the school itself by the inspecting officer. Such a system could very well be arranged as soon as the inspecting staff is strengthened. Pro hin pro

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13. The most correct view of public primary instruction is obtained by a consideration of the number of boys reading in the primary stage, whether in primary or secondary schools. Inclusive of pupils reading in the primary stage in secondary schools the total number of pupils under primary instruction was 1,011,290, as against 1,001,324 in the previous year. One boy in every 4 boys of a school-going age was under primary instruction.

hool buildings.

14. Bengal has hitherto had the unenviable reputation of being the most backward of all the Provinces in the matter of buildings for primary schools. Substantial progress was however made in the year under review, the Local Government assigning a sum of Rs. 5,03,598 towards the construction of suitable buildings on condition that a reasonable proportion should be contributed from local sources. During the current year and in future years very little expenditure in this direction will, I anticipate, be possible owing to the urgent calls for money in numerous other directions; nor am I personally of opinion that further money should be expended in this way. Government has set an example in the matter, and I consider that the most advantageous procedure to follow in future will be to promise specially favourable grants-in-aid where the residents of any locality are prepared to supply the funds necessary for building a school-house and to undertake to keep it in repair. I propose to work out a scheme on these lines as soon as practicable and to submit it for the consideration of Government.

Training Colleges and Schools for Indian Teachers.

Training colleges for teachers in secondary schools.

15. During the year under review His Majesty's Secretary of State accorded his approval to a scheme for the training of teachers who impart instruction through the medium of English. The establishment of training colleges for such teachers is one of the prime needs of the Province. Many—I might say a large majority—of the present staff of teachers are well educated men interested in their work, while many are devoted labourers. What is wanted however is that teachers should not only be well educated, but also be properly trained before they are allowed to take up the important work of secondary education.

Training schools for teachers in primary schools.

16. Most interesting is the experiment now being made as regards the training of the lowest grades of teachers of the country, that is to say, the teachers of the ordinary village schools. The work is a gigantic one, not only on account of the large number of teachers who require training—some thirty to forty thousand—but also on account of the very poor attainments of the men to be trained. Real progress has however been made, and a satisfactory scheme for gradually bringing all these teachers under training has been evolved. There will be two schools of this kind in each subdivision and such schools will be provided with suitable accommodation for the students and also for at any rate one member of the staff.

Proposed training colleges for female teachers.

17. As pointed out later when the subject of the education of women is dealt with, everything points to the fact that we have reached a stage where a very considerable expansion of this branch of education is likely to take place. In order to meet this we must however have respectable and properly qualified female teachers and inspecting agents. The prime need therefore, as regards this branch of education at the present time, is the establishment of training colleges for women teachers. It is a subject which is engaging the earnest attention of the Education Department and Government. In the meantime a decided step in advance has recently been taken in the sending to England of two Indian ladies to be trained at an English training college. If the proposed colleges for women teachers are established these ladies will be invaluable as members of the staff.

Statistics in respect of training schools for teachers, male and female, taken together.

18. The total expenditure under this head increased in the year under report by Rs. 31,903. The number of schools for male pupils and of male pupils has increased by 8 and 206 respectively; while, though schools for females have declined by 1, the number of female pupils has increased by 74. The year has been one of progress, but the progress can only be considered as an instalment towards what is to come.

Professional and Technical Education.

The Sibpur Engineering College.

Mining instruction.

19. The most important development made at the College during the year under review was the inauguration of classes for students who intend to take up mining as a profession. These classes have already been opened under a Professor of Mining recruited from the University of Birmingham, which is considered to be one of the best, if not the best, centre of mining instruction in England. Further, another Professor has been appointed to instruct persons actually engaged in the mining industry; and four centres of instruction have been selected—two in the Raniganj, and two in the Jheria, coalfield. It may also be mentioned that in addition to the schemes referred to above, a certain number of students from Bengal are each year being sent by the Government of India to go through a course of mining instruction at the Birmingham University. Four such students were sent home in the year 1904 and two in the year 1905.

Mechanical testing.

20. A question of considerable importance was under discussion during the year under review in connection with the establishment at the College of a laboratory for mechanical testing. Work of this nature has been carried on at the College on a small scale for some time past; but the amount of work to be disposed of has increased so largely that a proposal to appoint a whole-time officer to deal with it is now under consideration. It is expected that the chief volume of work will come from Departments of Government; but it is proposed to make the laboratory available to the public, subject to the payment of fees according to a scale to be approved by Government.

Results of examinations.

21. The results of the B. E. and F. E. examinations were satisfactory. In the former the percentage of success was 34·6, as compared with 25·9 and 46·1 in the two preceding years (1904-1905 and 1903-1904); while in the latter it was 53·3, as against 25 and 60·8 in the same years. The attendance at the College (82·2 *per cent.*) was not as good as in the previous year, when it was 92 *per cent.* This was owing to the fact that the year under review was a very unhealthy one at Sibpur; the daily average number of students under treatment, chiefly on account of malaria, being 22. The total expenditure of the College was Rs. 1,57,916, of which Rs. 1,29,249 were contributed from Provincial revenues, Rs. 22,405 from fees and Rs. 6,262 from other sources.

Draftsman Classes.

22. A strong need having been felt for the establishment of classes for draftsmen, steps were taken during the year under review, with the help of representatives of leading Railway Companies and Engineering firms, to establish such a class; and it is hoped that the scheme will be brought into operation during the current year.

Motor Car Driver Class.

23. At the instance of the Automobile Association of Bengal a scheme is under the consideration of Government for the establishment of a class at the Sibpur Engineering College with the object of giving to men intending to become drivers of motor cars a mechanical training such as will enable them to execute all ordinary repairs.

Industrial Chemistry.

24. In order to meet the growing industrial needs of the Province a scheme is under consideration for the establishment of Industrial Chemistry classes at the Sibpur College. The details of the scheme have still to be worked out.

Commercial Classes.

The new scheme of commercial education.

25. A new scheme of Commercial Education, which was elaborated in consultation with the Bengal Chamber of Commerce and the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce, was inaugurated at the Presidency College on the 1st July 1905. The scheme consists of two parts, the one comprising a day course, every part of which is obligatory, extending over a period

of two years and the other a series of evening lectures on certain subjects, any one or more of which may be selected at option. It is too early yet to judge how far this scheme will prove effective and adequate. The day course is the principal one; and, as stated above, it extends over two years. The first examination of students under the new scheme for the day course will therefore not take place till April 1907. The evening classes have hitherto not proved a success, and in fact it is doubtful whether in this climate such classes can be expected to achieve results such as are obtained in Europe. The immediate need in respect of these classes is to remove them from the Presidency College, where they are cramped for room, to the business part of the city. It is unreasonable to expect business men after a long day's work to travel any considerable distance for the purpose of attending the evening classes.

26. The commercial education provided at the Presidency College aims only at turning out men qualified to be good clerks. If the present scheme proves a success, it will obviously be necessary to provide before long for a superior commercial education such as will fit a man to conduct a business on his own account. Meantime, the proposal recently made by the Government of India to send scholars to England for an advanced course of commercial education will meet a distinct want in this Province.

Industry.

27. The Government of India have sanctioned the opening of a Weaving School at Serampore, and it is hoped that it will be possible to commence work in the coming cold weather. The object of the scheme is, firstly, to bring home to the ordinary artisans the latest improvements in respect of weaving apparatus, and, after supplying them with the necessary instruction, to give them advances of money in order to enable them to purchase the necessary apparatus; and, secondly, to train up higher class students with the object of enabling them to become teachers of improved methods in outlying centres or to start businesses of their own in the weaving line.

28. These schools increased during the year from 30 to 41. There is a great opening here for development, but no substantial results can be expected until a special officer is appointed to have charge of all the technical and industrial schools. These schools at present languish for want of encouragement. As indicated above, a proposal is now under consideration for the appointment of a special officer for the purpose.

Education of Indian girls in secondary and primary schools, and zanana education.

29. As I stated above in connection with the urgent need for respectable and well qualified women teachers and inspecting agents and the proposal to establish training colleges in order to meet that need, everything points to the fact that we are on the eve of a large expansion of education for women and girls. The people are willing to welcome such an expansion provided that progress proceeds on lines that are not antagonistic to their conservative instincts, with which sympathy should be shown. The policy must not be destructively radical, but progressively conservative. We can only advance by devising measures which are not inconsistent with prescription, to which in the past insufficient concessions have been made. We must not run amuck against tradition, but must carry tradition with us on the lines of progress. The recent history of this branch of education in Egypt throws a vivid light on the question as it affects India. There, as the report of His Majesty's Agent and Consul-General for the year 1905 tells us, the reluctance of parents to send their daughters to school has already been largely overcome. I quote the following passage from the report:—

"It is to be observed that the steady output of boys from Secondary Schools and Higher Colleges has distinctly stimulated the movement for female education, for the younger generation are beginning to demand that their wives should possess some qualifications other than those which can be secured in the seclusion of the harem. The interaction of the two branches of education does not stop here, for not only has the growth of education among boys stimulated the desire for instruction to girls, but it has also tended to improve

the quality of education given to the girls by prolonging the period of instruction. There appears good reason for supposing that, where education has made progress, the age of marriage has risen, and that, in consequence, the girls are allowed to remain longer than heretofore at school."

May we not hope that progress will follow the same lines in this country? Signs are not wanting that the advance in this Province will be general and not merely confined to the Bengali-speaking districts. In fact some of the most progressive districts in this respect are in Bihar, which is usually considered a backward part of the Province from an educational point of view.

Statistics.

30. During the year under review secondary and primary schools for girls increased from 2,563 to 2,877 and female students in such schools from 59,034 to 65,632, that is to say, by 12·3 and 11·15 *per cent.*; respectively; while the total number of girls under instruction in primary and secondary schools for girls and boys increased from 102,546 to 109,078, or by 6·37 *per cent.* Simultaneously, expenditure in connection with secondary and primary girls' schools has increased by Rs. 42,731.

European education.

Backward condition.

31. Last year when reporting on the general condition of European education in Bengal the Inspector spoke in no doubtful terms of its unsoundness and urged the unwisdom from a political point of view of allowing this unsoundness to continue. In reviewing these remarks the Government of Bengal stated in its Resolution that the political consequence of such a state of things could not be regarded with indifference, because, restricted as Europeans and Eurasians are in their choice of the means of livelihood, their educational fitness is a matter of great importance. Judged by the results of the year under review European education in the Province, except in the case of a few superior schools, cannot be considered to be satisfactory. Of the 74 candidates who entered for the High School Examination, 20, or 27 *per cent.* only, passed. Of 81 candidates who entered for the Middle School Examination 14, or 17·2 *per cent.* only, were successful. Still more significant perhaps is it that out of 49 boys who, having completed their school education, were sent up for the Middle School examination before being sent out into the world, only 5, or 10·2 *per cent.*, were able to pass. The Inspector of European Schools remarked in his report for 1904-1905 "that a certain amount of proficiency was obtained by boys in elementary arithmetic, but that, with this exception, the work was poor and slovenly to a degree." His criticism still holds good. The picture presented is, as far as the past is concerned, indeed gloomy from every point of view. Some of the leading schools of the Province are still struggling under a burden of debt which makes any real progress impossible. Many are working in buildings which are admittedly quite unsuitable, while all practically are striving to accomplish tasks for the performance of which their resources are inadequate. Inspectors have told us that the work of the schools is bad, and employers of labour have testified to the truth of this criticism.

Hope for future.

32. The question therefore to be answered is what is to be done. The reply seems to me to be that we must have a better scheme of work and better teachers. Dark as the past has been, I am thankful to say that the future is not without hope. Proposals for revised courses of study, approved by a representative conference of school managers, teachers and others interested in European education, have already been submitted to Government, and, when these are approved, we shall at least know that the system upon which we are working is sound. In order however to give a sound education on the revised lines we must have better qualified teachers, and in this respect we should indeed have been in bad case had not the Government of India come to our rescue and begun to make special provision for European education. Gradually the circumstances of each school will be systematically overhauled, and such assistance as is required will be given in order to enable it to work up to a higher standard. The work has already begun, and, slow though the progress may be at first, I am full of hope that the corner has been turned and that a new era has begun.

Muhammadan Education.

33. It is very satisfactory that the reaction reported last year has been arrested. In the years 1902-1903 and 1903-1904 the increase in the number of Muhammadans attending all classes of educational institutions was 5·8 and 11·7 *per cent.* respectively, and a hope was expressed that a real and lasting awakening had occurred on the part of the Muhammadan community to the advantages of education. In the year 1904-1905 however there was a sudden decline of 3·1 *per cent.* The increase in the year under review of 3·0 *per cent.* is therefore encouraging. A further impetus may also be anticipated in the near future because a scheme for bringing under the grant-in-aid system the indigenous Muhammadan primary schools which exist throughout the Province is now being brought into full operation. These schools will be aided on condition that they conform to simple departmental standards.

Education of Special Classes.

34. There is a wide field awaiting exploration in connection with aboriginal and backward races and tribes, and indigent Muhammadans and Hindus. These people can only be reached by an extensive development of primary education, and this can only be done as a result of considerable expenditure. We have already reached the better classes and the more accessible tracts of country, and any step now taken in advance will, for obvious reasons, be more costly. At present, if we had the money, the experiment would be of doubtful value, for we have not the necessary supervising staff. As soon however as that staff has been strengthened, the time will have arrived for a forward move.

35. The most satisfactory feature of the year's working was the marked improvement in respect of discipline and conduct in the reformatory schools. There is no doubt that this result is due to the policy laid down by Government that the boys are to be treated as if they were at school and not as if they were in jail. In pursuance of this humane and civilising policy, many important reforms are now in process of development. The chief of these are:—

(1) the project for the removal of the Alipore Reformatory School from its present site near the Alipore Jail to a site in the suburbs, where there will be no jail associations and where there will be plenty of room for play-grounds;

(2) the development of the industrial training given at the schools, and especially at the Alipore School, on more advanced and scientific lines:

(3) an improved and more conciliatory system of watch over discharged boys; and

(4) last, but certainly not least, a proposal to replace, as far as possible, the present illiterate guards by resident teachers qualified to influence the lives of the boys for good.

Hostels and Messes for Indian students.

36. A strong forward movement is being made in regard to the provision of hostel and mess accommodation for students of all classes. Both in Calcutta and in the Mufassal steps have been taken by Government to provide students, who do not live with their parents or guardians, with some kind of residence under supervision. The project is in an experimental stage at present and it would be rash to pronounce upon it. There is good reason however to believe that it will gradually develop into an orderly scheme which will be of the greatest benefit to students. The new Calcutta University regulations make residence in either a hostel or mess under supervision compulsory and so set the seal to a scheme which was initiated in anticipation of their enactment. The next step to be taken will be to inaugurate a scheme of residence for school boys who do not reside with their parents or guardians. This will be an easier matter, because in the case of such students a large proportion come from the immediate neighbourhood of the schools and hence do not require provision to be made for them. In some places what is chiefly required in

regard to schools is the provision of hostels so as to enable boys from the interior of the districts to take advantage of higher education. This they are at present unable to do owing to the absence of the necessary facilities.

37. The number of hostels increased from 310 to 377, the number of inmates from 9,478 to 11,424 and the expenditure from Rs. 3,24,457 to Rs. 3,77,403. All this is satisfactory, and it is also satisfactory that the bulk of the money expended, viz. Rs. 3,36,122, came from private sources.

The Central Text-Book Committee and the Calcutta School Book Society.

38. The working of the Central Text-Book Committee has recently been adversely criticised, the main objections raised being:—

(1) that the preliminary examination of text-books which is required under standing orders before their submission to the Text-Book Committee should not, as heretofore, be conducted in a confidential manner, but that the names of the persons consulted should be made public,

(2) that members of the Text-Book Committee should be remunerated for their work, and

(3) that the exclusion from the Text-Book Committee of persons who are authors or who have any interest in the production of text-books has the effect of depriving the Committee of the services of the very persons whose services would be of real use.

These questions are now under consideration in connection with a proposal which has been made by certain publishing firms in Calcutta that the School Book Society should be abolished on the ground that it interferes with private trade. The functions of the School Book Society and the Text-Book Committee are interconnected, and the questions raised will be dealt with together.

CHAPTER II.

CONTROLLING AGENCIES.

Managing Agencies.

39. Of the 38,781 institutions for public instruction which were in existence during the year under review, 950 were under public, and 37,831 under private, management. Of the 37,831 institutions under private management, 30,472 were aided by Government and 7,359 unaided. The bulk of the primary schools of the Province were under private management. Thus, of a total number of 36,533 primary schools, as many as 35,961 were under such management, 29,193 of these being aided by Government and 6,768 unaided. The proportions were very similar in regard to secondary schools. The total number of such schools was 1,534. Of these 1,314 were under private management, 987 being aided by Government and 327 unaided. Again, as regards colleges, although in this case the proportion under public management was greater, more were under private, than were under public, management. Thus, of 49 colleges, 18 were under public, and 31 under private, management; while no less than 25 of the colleges privately managed were unaided. It is only as regards training schools that Government took the lead, managing 112 such schools, as against 26 which were under private management.

The appointment of an Assistant Director of Public Instruction.

40. The appointment of an Assistant Director of Public Instruction was sanctioned in the year 1902-1903 with the object of enabling the Director to devote more attention to important cases and to enable him to carry out better his duties of inspection. The work to be done has however increased so largely in recent years, owing to the much greater amount of attention that is being paid to education and the enhanced expenditure incurred thereon, that this appointment is not at the present time, I consider, sufficient. As indicated in the chapter on Professional and Technical Education, the appointment of a

tion; and I am of opinion that the time is [illegible] recognised that the Director requires other officers to assist him, possibly a Deputy Director for secondary, and another for primary, education. At the present time it is only by excessive strain upon the Director and Assistant Director that the work is done at all, and I am fully conscious that even in this way it is not done as it should be. To take one branch of the duties of the Director as an example, the Director has only been able to absent himself from Calcutta on inspection duty, since the date of the appointment of an Assistant Director, for, on an average, 41 days a year. This is, I consider, quite insufficient; but the explanation lies in the fact that the work to be done by him is excessive.

The Reorganisation Scheme.

41. The sanction of His Majesty's Secretary of State was received during the year under review to the scheme of reorganisation of the Provincial and Subordinate Educational Services, and for the creation of a Lower Subordinate Educational Service to include the large majority of the ungraded educational appointments. The lowest grade in the Provincial Educational Service has been raised from Rs. 150 to Rs. 200, the number of appointments in the higher grades has been increased, and a new grade on Rs. 350 has been created. In the Subordinate Educational Service 163 appointments have been added, 163 ungraded men being included in that service. Lastly, a Lower Subordinate Educational Service has been created with five grades, carrying incremental salaries, for men who hitherto have been on fixed salaries outside any graded service. The cost of the scheme, as regards this Province, comes to Rs. 1,41,147 a year. The scheme, which will take effect from the 10th September 1905, will shortly be promulgated by Government. The distribution of the staff between Eastern Bengal and Assam and this Province, and the consequent necessity of making references to the former Government, has been the cause of the delay in the publication of the project.

Increase of the inspecting agency.

42. The Indian and Provincial Educational Services are at the present time undermanned and unable to cope satisfactorily with the work to be done. The pay and prospects of the men in the Provincial Educational Service have been improved by the reorganisation scheme above referred to, but the number of appointments in that service has not been enhanced. The numerous educational reforms which have been initiated in recent years have entailed upon these services a large amount of additional work; but the additional appointments made to the services in question have not been by any means commensurate with the increased responsibilities involved. A scheme for increasing the inspecting agency has recently been sanctioned by His Majesty's Secretary of State, and, when it is brought into operation, a much needed relief will be afforded in one branch of work. The scheme provides, subject to the allotment of the necessary funds by the Local Government, for the appointment of 9 Inspectors, 14 Assistant Inspectors, 50 Deputy Inspectors, 160 Sub-Inspectors, and 100 Assistant Sub-Inspectors, of Schools. Inasmuch however as the scheme was proposed with reference to the needs of Bengal prior to the Partition, the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam is entitled to a share of these appointments, which may roughly be taken at one-third. The cost of the scheme, as regards this Province, is Rs. 4,00,750 a year.

Inadequacy of the professorial staff.

43 The question of the adequacy of the professorial staff has still to be considered. The Commission appointed by the University of Calcutta to inspect Calcutta and mufassal colleges has recently reported that the professorial staff is decidedly undermanned. The Commission has thus expressed itself at page 22 of its Report on Mufassal Colleges :—

"It follows that if we are convinced of the expediency of changing the type of education given we must greatly strengthen the teaching staff. For the adequate carrying out of the new type of instruction the staff needs almost everywhere to be increased in number.

"If we now bring forward the other claims of the new ideal and lay down that in addition to more exacting forms of class work the staff of a college is also to be responsible for the general, physical and moral well-being of all its students, the inconformity between aspiration and resources is pushed still further. We have very greatly increased the load of work and responsibility on our staff by introducing new conceptions of duty; we have done nothing to lighten the burden. It becomes still clearer that the old scale of staff is no longer adequate."

The Commission then goes on to recommend that for the present a proportion of 1 to 15 between the staff and students should be regarded as the lowest proportion of teachers that is compatible with efficiency. Definite proposals have been called for by me from Principals of colleges, and a report will shortly be submitted to Government making suggestions as to the increase which is required in the Indian and Provincial Educational Services.

The transfer of Sub-Inspectors of Schools from the control of the District Boards and Municipalities.

44. During the year under review Sub-Inspectors of Schools in the employ of District Boards and Municipalities were transferred to the Department. Great difficulties were experienced as regards the transfer and promotion of Sub-Inspectors of Schools as long as their appointment rested with the local authorities. Invidious distinctions were also created under the old system between the pay and the prospects of departmental and non-departmental Sub-Inspectors. Further, it was felt that the responsibility for inspecting schools should, as in other Provinces, rest with the Department and not with the local authorities which were charged with the duties of maintaining and aiding schools. The prospects of the Sub-Inspectors have been materially improved by the change.

Female Inspecting Agency.

45. In a recent report to Government I pointed out the very rapid increase in the number of girls' schools, and that, owing to the inadequacy of the inspecting agency, many schools and much zanana teaching work went altogether uninspected. I stated that in my opinion at least thirteen additional Assistant Inspectresses were required; but that I was constrained, owing to lack of funds, to limit my application to the immediate appointment of three such officers. I also shewed the necessity of appointing an additional Inspectress of Schools and foreshadowed the probable need, before many years had elapsed, for an Inspectress of Schools in each Division in which there is an Inspector of Schools. Government has since sanctioned the appointment of the three additional Assistant Inspectresses, while the question of appointing an additional Inspectress is under consideration. I have in the chapter on the Education of Indian Girls commented on the pressing need of more well-qualified female inspecting agents, and, as soon as funds are available, I shall submit a further representation to Government on the subject.

Functions of District Officers and their Assistants.

46. Important circulars were issued during the year under review both to educational and executive officers inviting their attention to the instructions which had been issued from time to time by the Government of India and the Local Government concerning the duties of executive officers in regard to educational work and reminding them of the necessity for mutual co-operation in all branches of education, and specially in the matter of primary and secondary education. These instructions were in certain quarters regarded as likely to cause undue interference by executive officers in educational matters. The misconception, where it existed, was, I think, due to a want of appreciation of the fact that the special knowledge of a district which an executive officer possesses is indispensable to the organisation of school education. In this connection it may be observed that in the Resolution of the 28th October 1899 on Mr. Cotton's Review, the Government of India observed:—

"Revenue officers are in no way relieved of that duty (*i.e.*, inspection) by the transference of schools from their charge to the charge of Local Boards. The District Officer has many a burden laid on him, but village schools' inspection is a very necessary duty and must be insisted on. Where Revenue Officers cease to interest themselves in the cause of

ld specially observe how far it is performed."

That a great improvement has been effected in this respect is clear from the fact that I am able to record my marked appreciation of the very valuable services which are being rendered to the Education Department by executive officers of all ranks.

District Board and Municipal Management.

47. It has been generally reported that District Boards and Municipal Committees have worked harmoniously with educational officers during the year under review. There was a larger expenditure on education from both District and Municipal funds—in the case of the former the increase has been from Rs. 11,50,315 to Rs. 11,77,325, or by 2·35 *per cent.*, and in that of the latter from Rs. 1,01,831 to Rs. 1,05,520, or by 3·6 *per cent.* In not a few cases, however, it is reported that Municipal Committees failed to expend the prescribed proportion of their income, viz., 3·2 *per cent.*, on primary education. The necessary explanations are being called for.

Inspection Work.

48. The late Director was only able to spend 35 days on tour during the year under review. This was presumably owing to the fact that he was much detained in Calcutta during the cold weather in connection with the framing of the new regulations of the Calcutta University. I spent 17 days on tour after joining the office of Director towards the end of the year and before taking over formal charge on the 31st March 1906. The work of inspecting officers of all grades was generally very satisfactory. Explanations are being called for from certain Sub-Inspectors who failed to conform to the standing orders as regards the amount of touring required of them, and due notice will be taken in cases in which the explanations submitted are unsatisfactory.

CHAPTER III.

THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY AND COLLEGIATE EDUCATION.

The Calcutta University.

new regula-s.

49. The University was unable to finish its work in connection with the new regulations under the Universities Act, 1904, before the close of the year under review. The completion of the work was therefore assigned to a special committee appointed by the Government of India. The new regulations were approved by that Government on the 11th August 1906.

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50. A very important event of the year as regards collegiate education was the systematic inspection of colleges by a Commission appointed by the Senate of the University. The report submitted by the Commission has brought to light numerous defects in the administration of colleges, and in particular has laid stress on the inadequacy of the professorial staff and the insufficiency in many cases of the accommodation and equipment. The Commission's report will be of great value when steps are taken to enforce the new University regulations.

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51. During the year under review a grant of Rs. 30,000 was made by the Government of India to the University for the purpose of improvements to privately managed Colleges. In making the grant the Government of India observed that it was important that adequate arrangements should be made for the residence of students who do not lodge with their parents, guardians or relations and for the supervision of resident students. Mention was also made of improvement in teaching as a proper object of expenditure. Pending the receipt of the report of the Commission referred to in the last paragraph, the Syndicate was unable to submit its recommendations on the

subject, and hence no expenditure was incurred during the year under review. The sum referred to has however been regranted, and will, with a further sum of Rs. 80,000 granted for the current year, shortly be distributed among the colleges by the Local Government after consideration of the recommendations of the Syndicate on the subject. I have expressed a hope elsewhere in this report that these grants may chiefly be utilised in making a beginning towards the provision of hostel accommodation for students. I know of no more urgent need.

General Statistics of Arts Colleges.

52. The total number of Arts colleges during the year under review was 34. The Doveton College has submitted no returns and apparently has no collegiate classes at present. Of the 34 colleges, 10 were under public, and 24 under private, management. Of the 10 colleges under public management, 8 were Government colleges and 2 were managed by local authorities. Of the 24 colleges under private management, 6 were aided and 18 unaided. Of the 34 colleges, as many as 17 are in Calcutta, 4 being Government, 4 aided, and 9 unaided, colleges. N

53. There has been but little change as regards expenditure. Of the total expenditure of Rs. 7,65,695, Rs. 2,77,480 were derived from public, and Rs. 4,88,215 from private, funds, *i.e.*, 36 and 64 *per cent.*, respectively. The large proportion of the cost of higher education paid from private sources is very noteworthy. E

54. The cost *per annum* of educating a student is rising considerably. It was Rs. 110 in 1903-1904, Rs. 124 in 1904-1905 and Rs. 136 in the year under review. The difference in the cost at the several colleges is most striking, the highest rates being Rs. 458, Rs. 304, and Rs. 264 at the Sanskrit, Patna, and the Presidency Colleges, respectively, and Rs. 31 at the Ripon College and the Church Missionary Society's College. At the Bethune Ladies' College, where the number of students is small, the cost rises as high as to Rs. 608. C

Attendance.

55. The total attendance at colleges has declined from 6,400 to 5,675. The decline occurred chiefly at aided and unaided colleges. Of the number of boys of a school-going age, 1 in every 695 was in an arts college during the year under review, as against 1 in every 711 when the Fourth Quinquennial Review was written. Of the total number of students, 1,413 were in colleges under public management; of these again, 1,334 were in Government colleges, a small balance of 79 being in colleges managed by local authorities. Of the 4,262 students in privately managed colleges, 1,381 were in aided, and 2,881 in unaided, colleges. G

The Presidency College.

56. The Presidency College had 698 students on its rolls on the 31st March 1906. The Principal reports that the class rooms are seriously overcrowded and that the college is not capable of accommodating with advantage more than 400 to 500 students. I cite below what the Commission referred to above has said on the subject:— C

"The Presidency College is considerably the largest, and, in certain respects, by far the best equipped college in Calcutta. The class-room accommodation is not, however, enough for the great number of students attending the college, and the rooms are faulty in arrangement. The numbers in the Arts classes have greatly increased since the college was built, and latterly the numbers have been further swelled by the addition of commercial classes. The class-room accommodation remains unaltered, and consequently there are not class-rooms enough for all purposes, and some classes are so large as to overcrowd the existing class-rooms. Classes that were formerly divided into sections are now kept undivided, and as the size of the class-rooms has not expanded, the inevitable result has been overcrowding. This overcrowding is an evil in two ways. Students have to sit so close together that they cannot write with any comfort or ease. The classes are too large for satisfactory teaching, and even the maintenance of order is made difficult. The present congestion of numbers is a grave defect and calls for immediate remedy.

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Either the numbers must be reduced, or the college must be enlarged and extended or rebuilt on a more open site."

Proposals for improvement.

57. Proposals are now under consideration either for largely extending the college on its present site or removing it to another site in the neighbourhood of Calcutta. This is a question in which the public is interested and in regard to which it will, no doubt, be fully consulted.

Accommodation at Government colleges generally.

58. The general subject of accommodation at Government colleges will also be considered together with that of strengthening the professorial staff. The first question to be decided in each case will be how many students each college is, or should be made to be, able to accommodate with advantage, and then what staff is required in order to give that number effective teaching.

The Principalship of the Presidency College.

59. Closely connected with the working of the Presidency College is the question of the Principalship. This is what the Commission referred to above says on the subject:—

"The Principal's position is most unsatisfactory, if he may be regarded as the head of a learned society, and as invested with the control and management of the largest and most advanced body of students in the Presidency. He is over-burdened with routine work of a multifarious description, which leaves him little leisure for the consideration of questions truly educational and the adequate discharge of his responsibility for the intellectual and moral welfare of seven or eight hundred students.

This is at once evident if the position and duties of the Principal of the Presidency College are compared with those of the head of an educational institution on the same scale and of the same character out of India. Until this anomaly is altered, it is idle to look for a really satisfactory carrying on of the Presidency College as an educational institution. To effect a change for the better the Principal must be relieved, wholly or in part, of his grave financial responsibilities and of the bulk of that routine office work which consists of signing his name and checking items of expenditure. However great may be the departmental convenience of the present arrangement, it is fatal to real educational efficiency, and the Presidency College is first and foremost an *educational* institution. A separate (fully responsible) officer is needed for the purely business work of the College. The Principal of the Presidency College is also at present, quite unaccountably, President of a Reformatory. The connection between this responsibility and the management of a great college is difficult to understand. In all these respects the position of the Principal of the Presidency College contrasts unfavourably with the position of the Principal of every other college affiliated to the University."

In my opinion not only should the views of the Commission be adopted—and their views are receiving my attention—but the Principal of this college should be given an allowance over and above his ordinary pay. We want one of the best men in the service for this post, but at present we penalise him (1) by giving him exceptional responsibilities and (2) by making him live in the most expensive place in Bengal. This aspect of the question will also receive my consideration when I submit proposals as regards increasing the professorial staff.

The Patna College.

60. Extensive improvements are in process of development in respect of this college. In the first place, a considerable area of land in the neighbourhood of the college is being acquired in order to make the college premises more compact and to provide room for additional buildings. Secondly, arrangements are almost complete for the construction of a hostel for Hindu students to be called the "Minto Hindu Hostel," to be built with money subscribed by the Maharajas of Darbhanga, Gidhour and Sonbarsa, the Raja of Khaira and the Maharanis of Bettiah, Dumraon and Hatwa in honour of the visit to Bankipore of His Excellency the Viceroy during the year under review. Further plans involve the construction of a hostel for Muhammadans, new Science Laboratories, houses for the Principal and for one of the professors of the college, and a gymnasium.

Examinations.

61. The Entrance Examination results were exceptionally bad, the percentage of success in regard to this Province being 26·4 only; and a cry has been raised that innocents have been massacred. A special committee of the Senate has been appointed to investigate the subject. Unaided colleges did much better both in the F.A. and B.A. examinations, the percentages of success being 31·29 as against 23·76 in the year 1904-1905 in the former, and 20·8 as against 15·8 in the latter, case.

Collegiate Education for Women.

62. The Bethune College, Calcutta, is the only college for ladies in Bengal. There are however University classes attached to Loreto House, Calcutta. The number of students from these institutions fell off during the year under review from 32 to 19. The examination results of the Bethune College are however strikingly good. Out of 7 candidates sent up for the F.A. examination 6 passed; while out of 4 candidates sent up for the B.A. examination 2 passed.

Residence, Common-rooms, Games and Discipline.

63. I am recording what I have to say under these heads in the chapter on "Physical and Moral Training."

Laboratories and Accommodation for Scientific Departments.

64. Mr. Cunningham, Professor of Chemistry, Presidency College, strongly urges the claims of his department to radical reform. He lays special stress on the want of accommodation, the interruption of lectures caused by the noise from the surrounding streets and bazaar, the dirty state of the chemical laboratory owing to the dust and dirt of the neighbourhood, the inadequacy of the funds supplied for carrying on the work of the laboratory, and the insufficient pay of the menial staff. He also reports that important groups of magnetic and electrical measurements cannot be made within an area surrounded by electric trams, and that therefore the use of such instruments cannot be taught to students. The want of accommodation for the Science Departments of this college has been amply demonstrated by the Commission which recently inspected colleges. As indicated above, proposals are under consideration either for largely extending this college on its present site or removing it to another site in the neighbourhood of Calcutta. The urgency of this matter will be at once apparent when it is remembered that the Intermediate examination in Science will be held for the first time in accordance with the new regulations in 1909. The regulations include an insistence that all students presenting themselves for this examination shall produce a certificate stating that they have completed a course of practical work in each science. The teaching for this examination will begin in July 1907. The first batch of students will have to be satisfied with beginning their practical work in July 1908; but in subsequent years it will be necessary to get through some of their laboratory work in their first year. Thus, entirely new practical classes will have to be provided for in addition to a much more thorough training during subsequent years in remodelled or newly constructed laboratories. The other questions raised by Professor Cunningham are, I hope, capable of easy solution: they are receiving my attention. Professor Cunningham also makes serious complaint as regards the delay caused by the present system of indenting for apparatus for the laboratory. In this connection I may mention that the Commission has pointed out how seriously Government colleges are handicapped in this respect as compared with private colleges. I have discussed this matter in the chapter on "Professional and Technical Education," and stated that I would make a representation on the subject to Government.

Scholarships.

65. The Education Commission of 1882 recommended that Local Governments should be asked "to consider whether it was necessary to assign for scholarships tenable in Arts Colleges a larger proportion of the Provincial grant for education than 2 *per cent.*" This proposal was confirmed by the Government of India in their Resolution on the report of the Education Commission, and orders to the same effect were reiterated by that Government in their Resolution on Mr. Cotton's Third Quinquennial Review of Education, in which it was pointed out that the 2 *per cent.* limit had been considerably exceeded in Bengal. Accordingly, in the year 1900 the Bengal Government reduced the value of both the Senior and Junior Scholarships so as to conform to the orders of the Government of India. The reduction gave rise to much discontent, and in the year 1904 the whole question was again discussed. It was then found

that, owing to the increase in the amount of the Provincial grant for education, the values of the scholarships could be raised to their former amounts, and also that the number of the scholarships could be increased without infringing the prescribed limit of expenditure. A scheme submitted to that effect by the Director was therefore approved, subject to the allotment of the necessary funds. Hitherto it has been found impracticable to give effect to the proposal owing to numerous calls upon available funds. I am however now referring the matter to Government, and at the same time am suggesting that a reference on the subject should be made to the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, so that both the Provinces may take similar action in the matter. I am of opinion that there is urgent need that the scheme provisionally sanctioned in the year 1904 should be given effect to as soon as possible. The new regulations of the University make greater demands upon students than those previously in force, and I consider it essential that poor scholars should have the fullest measure of consideration meted out to them.

Oriental Colleges.

66. Indigenous institutions for the study of Sanskrit and Arabic are dealt with in the chapter on "Private Institutions." I now deal with those oriental colleges which are returned as public institutions. These are the Sanskrit College, Calcutta, and the Arabic Department of the Calcutta Madrassah.

67. It is satisfactory to note that students are now beginning to take up for the Sanskrit Title Examination the more difficult and abstruse subjects, such as law and philosophy, instead of the easier subjects, such as literature and grammar.

68. The Principal of the Sanskrit College is charged with the duty of supervising the examination of candidates sent up, on the recommendation of certain recognised Associations, from institutions for advanced Sanskrit learning which conform to approved methods of teaching. These examinations lead up to the Title Examination referred to in the last paragraph. A question has recently been raised whether representative persons should not be associated with the Principal of the Sanskrit College in the superintendence of the several Sanskrit examinations. This matter is now under consideration.

69. The Calcutta Madrassah and private Madrassahs are mentioned in the chapter on Muhammadan Education.

CHAPTER IV.

SECONDARY EDUCATION FOR INDIAN BOYS.

70. As stated in the Fourth Quinquennial Review, the secondary stage of general education extends from the end of the primary stage, that is to say, the upper primary stage, to the end of the school course. In this Province it is a simple prolongation of the primary stage, and the pupil proceeds to the secondary course after traversing the full primary course, and often without change of school.

71. The middle school has all the primary classes, and merely carries the pupil two classes beyond the primary stage. Middle schools may however at option teach English as a language in the four top classes. A high school has all the classes of a middle school, but carries the pupil four classes higher, teaching through the medium of English in those classes. Boys studying in these four classes are considered to be in the high school stage.

Scope of the Chapter.

72. Following the method adopted in the Fourth Quinquennial Review, I deal in this chapter chiefly with the secondary stage of education, leaving the primary stage, even when the instruction is given in secondary schools, to the next chapter. Similarly, I relegate the secondary education of girls to the chapter on the Education of Indian Girls. Three hundred and sixty girls were reading in secondary schools for boys during the year under review.

These are included in the statements which purport to deal with the numbe of *pupils* in boys' schools. In other respects, this chapter deals only wit schools for boys and boys in secondary schools.

Secondary Schools.

73. The total number of secondary schools declined from 1,464 to 1,456, or by 8, in the year under review. The number of Middle English schools remained stationary, that of High schools increased by 2, and that of Middle Vernacular schools declined by 10. The decline in the number of Middle Vernacular schools is the inevitable outcome of the small value which attaches to a purely vernacular education. In years gone by a Middle Vernacular pass qualified a student for admission to Medical and Survey schools and to the Mukhtiyarship examination. This is no longer the case. The steady decline in the popularity of these schools must, in my opinion, culminate in their abolition as a separate class of schools. As indicated in the next chapter, there is only one examination held in this Province, that is to say, that held at the end of the middle vernacular course. It is however termed the "Primary Examination." It would be consistent therefore to consider all Middle Vernacular schools as Primary schools, as in the Bombay Presidency. This is a subject which is engaging my attention, and I shall, if necessary, make a reference to Government in regard to it. General stati of English a Vernacular s for boys.

74. In paragraph 316 of the Fourth Quinquennial Review the cheapness of an English Secondary school is commented upon. It is stated that the cost of such a school in the year 1901-1902 was Rs. 191 a month. This calculation evidently proceeds on the assumption that all Middle English schools should be classed as Secondary English schools. It has to be borne in mind however that no subjects are taught through the medium of English in these schools, but that English is taught merely as a language in the four top classes. These schools are really therefore Vernacular to a much larger extent than they are English. The monthly cost of a High school in the year under review was Rs. 362, and that of a Middle English school Rs. 67. On the other hand, if both these classes of schools be considered as English Secondary schools, as in the Fourth Quinquennial Review, the cost was Rs. 178, as against Rs. 191 in the last year of the last quinquennial period. Cost of Englis schools.

75. If we reckon Middle English schools as Secondary English schools, we find that of 1,029 such schools, 73 were under public, and 956 under private, management. Of the 73 schools under public management, Government itself only maintained 41, the rest being managed by the District Boards and Municipal Committees. The bulk of the schools maintained by Government are High schools, in pursuance of the established policy that there should be one Government High school in each district. Management o English Secon schools.

76. Of the 427 Middle Vernacular schools, 121 were under public, and 306 under private, management. Of the 121 schools under public management Government itself however maintained only 17. Management o Middle Vernac schools.

77. Of 956 privately managed English Secondary schools, 655 were aided, and 301 unaided. The proportion of aided schools was much greater in respect of Middle Vernacular schools. Thus, of 306 such schools, 263 were aided and 43 only unaided. The inference is obvious. People want schools where English is taught, and therefore contribute readily enough towards that form of education. Aid to privately managed Engli and Vernacula Secondary schools.

Statistics of Pupils.

78. Pupils in secondary schools increased from 145,094 to 147,516, or by ·66 *per cent.* Of the 147,516 pupils in secondary schools, 65,385 were in the secondary, and 82,131 in the primary, stage of education. The primary stage pupils are included in the statistics given in the chapter on Primary Education and are not taken into account in this paragraph. Of the 65,385 pupils in the secondary stage of education, 61,254 were in English, and 4,131 in Vernacular, Secondary schools. Again, of the 61,254 pupils in the secondary stage in English schools, 33,805 were in the high, and 27,449 in the middle, stage of instruction. One pupil was in the secondary stage of instruction in an English Secondary school to every 63 pupils of a school-going age, as against 1 to every 71 at the close of the last quinquennial period. On the Pupils in Sec dary schools and the secondary st of education.

other hand, 1 pupil was in the secondary stage of instruction in Vernacular schools to every 949, as against 1 to every 830 at the close of the last quinquennial period. The falling off in the latter case is due to the unpopularity of Verpacular schools noticed above.

Expenditure.

General statistics of expenditure.

79. There was very little change as regards either the expenditure on Secondary schools for boys or the sources from which that expenditure was derived. The total expenditure increased from Rs. 23,90,040 to Rs. 24,29,130. Of the last-named sum, Rs. 4,43,970 were contributed from public, and Rs. 19,85,160 from private, funds.

Cost of educating a boy.

80. The average annual cost of educating a boy in a High, Middle English and Middle Vernacular, School respectively during the year under review was Rs. 22, Rs. 12, and Rs. 9.

Subjects and methods of teaching.

Revision of the vernacular scheme of education as touching the lower classes of High schools.

81. I deal in the next chapter with the question of the revision of the vernacular scheme of education which was sanctioned by Government in 1901. As there stated, that scheme has resulted in comparatively empty lower classes in Government and aided High schools. Parents are anxious enough to send their boys to these schools as soon as they are fit for entry into the classes where the medium of instruction is English, because in general the teaching is better at such schools; but they not infrequently get them educated up to that stage in privately managed schools which are not subject to the vernacular system of education. It is hoped that the revision of the courses which is now to be taken in hand will result in modifying this anomalous state of affairs.

The teaching of English in the lower classes of High schools.

82. There is another reason for the preference for the teaching as given in privately managed schools. This is because in such schools more importance is attached to the teaching of English in the lower classes. It is true that in a Government or aided High school English is taught as a language in four classes below the fourth class, in which teaching through the medium of English begins. The transition from the fifth to the fourth class is however too abrupt, and it is long before the student begins to have any idea of what is being taught him through the medium of a foreign tongue. In fact, I am afraid that the teaching through the medium of English in this class is often a mere sham. As indicated in the next chapter, a revision of the courses of studies in the classes below the high school stage is under consideration, and this question will then be carefully considered. Possibly some system of oral instruction in English in the lower classes will be suggested, which will not at the same time cause undue interference with the main course of instruction, which is rightly given through the medium of the vernacular.

The teaching of English in the four top classes of High schools.

83. I comment in the chapter on Training Colleges and Schools on the urgent need for the training of teachers for High and other secondary schools, and allude to the steps that are being taken for the opening of training colleges for such teachers. The wonder seems to me to be not that so few students pass the Entrance examination as in the present year, but that so many are usually able to do so. I have in the last paragraph observed that it takes a boy a long time after entry into class IV of a High school to understand at all the instruction given through the medium of English. I fear that in a similar way boys who have passed the Entrance examination often have so little real knowledge of English as to make it impossible for them to understand their college lecturers when they first join a college. This is a complaint which I have frequently heard made. If, however, as may be hoped, the proposed Training Colleges are a success, there should before long be a great improvement in this respect.

Special instruction at selected Government High schools.

Industrial classes in High schools.

84. Under a scheme sanctioned by the Government of Bengal in the year 1900, boys who wish to enter an industrial career may, at certain selected High schools, instead of following the ordinary literary course up to the end of their school life, specialise during their last two years at school. Such

students take up as their subjects (1) Modern English, (2) Mathematics, (3) Drawing and practical geometry, mensuration, elementary engineering and surveying, and (4) Manual training. Those who are successful pass on to either a technical school affiliated to the Sibpur Engineering College or to the Apprentice Department of that college. Seven out of the ten High schools in which this system prevails are now in the Province of Eastern Bengal and Assam, but the Principal of the Sibpur Engineering College, in accordance with the wishes of the Lieutenant-Governor of that Province, still supervises the working of these classes. On the whole the classes have not been a success, especially in the schools which now remain in Bengal. These classes require very careful fostering, and in present circumstances they do not receive the attention which they require. If however a special officer is appointed, as suggested in the chapter on Professional and Technical Education, to supervise technical and industrial schools, these classes will come under more effective control and there should be a decided improvement.

Commercial c in High sch

85. In accordance with the scheme referred to in the last paragraph, boys who wish to enter a commercial career may, at certain selected High schools, instead of continuing the ordinary literary course up to the end of their school life, specialise during their last two years at school. The course has recently been revised, and comprises at present the following subjects:—

(1) Mathematics,
(2) Modern English,
(3) History and geography,
(4) Drawing and practical geometry, and
(5) A vernacular.

These classes have hitherto not proved successful. I have lately placed them under the general supervision of the Professor in charge of the Presidency College classes, and it is hoped that this measure may tend to increase their efficiency. As explained however in the chapter on Professional and Technical Education, the classes at the Presidency College, up to which they lead, are themselves in the experimental stage.

Agricultural classes in Hi schools.

86. At certain selected High schools provision has similarly been made for specialisation as regards agriculture during the last two years of the school course; practical training being given at the neighbouring experimental farms which are under the control of the Director of Agriculture. These classes have hitherto not been under expert supervision, and it is impossible therefore to say what success has attended them. The Director of Agriculture has kindly consented to supervise them in future, and the question of the instruction to be imparted at them is under his present consideration.

Examinations.

The Entranc examination the Middle S (now called Primary) examination.

87. I have in the last chapter commented on the results of the Entrance examination. The percentage of success for the year under review was 26·4 only. At the Middle School examination, out of 10,248 candidates, 7,761, or 75·7 *per cent.*, passed. The popularity of this examination has been enhanced by the decision to grant leaving certificates as a result of success at it. As indicated in the next chapter, no public examinations are held at the upper and lower primary stages, and the figures given in General Table VI against these examinations represent merely the results of class examinations.

CHAPTER V.

PRIMARY EDUCATION FOR INDIAN BOYS.

Scope of the Chapter.

Primary scho and primary departments Secondary sc

88. As stated in the Fourth Quinquennial Review, primary education may be regarded in either of two aspects, in the first place as the education given in primary schools, and in the second place as the primary stage of instruction, in whatever grade of institution that instruction may be received. This chapter is generally concerned with primary schools only; but, when the

courses of instruction in primary schools are discussed, the remarks made apply generally in regard to the lower classes of secondary schools in which primary instruction is imparted.

Primary schools for boys and girls.

89. There were 33,665 primary schools for boys and 2,843 primary schools for girls in the year under review. Over 24·7 *per cent.* of the male, and nearly 2·7 *per cent.* of the female, population of a school-going age are in the primary stage of education. Following the procedure adopted in the Fourth Quinquennial Review, I have relegated the subject of the primary education of girls to the chapter on Female Education, on the ground that it would mislead and confuse to amalgamate statistics for boys and girls. Owing however to the system of co-education which prevails in this Province, the figures for the pupils in boys' schools include a certain percentage of girls studying in such schools. The total number of such girls in the year under review was 43,086. This number is comparatively small and is included in statements which purport to deal with the number of *pupils* in boys' schools.

Primary Schools.

General statistics.

90. The number of public primary schools for boys rose from 33,298 to 33,665 and the pupils attending them from 909,971 to 929,163, or by 1·1 *per cent.* and 2·1 *per cent.*, respectively. In the Government Resolution on last year's annual report, it was remarked, in connection with the decrease that had occurred in that year in the number of primary schools and pupils attending them, that the policy, introduced within the last few years, of insisting on a certain degree of efficiency before putting a school on the aided or stipendiary list, had no doubt resulted in a considerable decrease in the number of schools and of boys attending them. Later on in this chapter I discuss at some length removeable causes which, I think, are operating to retard the progress of primary education both in primary schools and in the primary departments of secondary schools. I think it is a sign of the vitality of these schools that, notwithstanding our insistence on a higher standard of efficiency and the existence of the drawbacks to which I allude, their number and the number of pupils attending them now show a tendency to rise. The increase in schools and pupils is generally shared by all Divisions, except the Burdwan and Chota Nagpur Divisions. In the former the loss of schools amounted to 2·6 *per cent.* and that of pupils to 1·1 *per cent.* In the latter the number of schools decreased by 1·7 *per cent.*, while that of pupils attending them increased by ·2 *per cent.*

Upper and lower primary schools.

91. The bulk of pupils do not study beyond the primary stage and are taught in primary schools. Of the 33,665 primary schools of this Province, 2,867 are upper primary, and 30,798 lower primary, schools. Both classes of schools have increased, and with the increase in the number of schools, there has been a corresponding increase in the number of pupils attending them. Thus, upper primary schools have increased from 2,747 to 2,867 and the number of pupils attending them from 122,624 to 133,639; while lower primary schools have increased from 30,551 to 30,798 and the number of pupils attending them from 787,347 to 795,524.

Schools according to management.

92. Of the 33,665 primary schools which existed in the year under review, 204, or ·6 *per cent.*, were under public management. Of the 33,461 privately managed schools, 26,760 were aided by Government and 6,701 were unaided.

Statistics of pupils in the primary stage of instruction, whether in Primary or Secondary Schools.

General statistics.

93. As explained above the statistics of pupils may be regarded in either of two ways; firstly, with respect to pupils in primary schools and, secondly, with reference to pupils in the primary stage of instruction whether in primary or secondary schools. The number of pupils in the primary stage in primary and secondary schools in the year under review was 1,011,290, as against 1,001,324 in the previous year. This figure gives the most correct view of the general condition of public primary instruction. If the number of girls studying in boys' schools is excluded, 1 in every 4 boys of a school-going age is in the primary stage of instruction.

94. In the year under review 246 boys per thousand of a school-going age were in the primary stage of instruction in public schools. The figures for male literacy, estimated according to the present population, works out however to 107 per thousand only. As explained in the Fourth Quinquennial Review, the rudimentary character of the instruction given in many of the Bengal village schools may have some bearing on this circumstance. Proportion under instr and male li

Finance.

95. The total expenditure on boys' primary schools shews but a slight increase, the figures being Rs. 23,63,767 for 1904-1905 and Rs. 24,09,456 for 1905-1906. The last-named sum does not however take into consideration the expenditure incurred on the construction of buildings for primary schools referred to in the next paragraph. General sta

96. A large grant for primary education was made in the year under review by the Government of India. Out of this grant Rs. 5,03,598 were assigned towards the construction of suitable buildings for primary schools. Further sums, amounting in all to Rs. 75,381, were expended on various improvements connected with primary education, the chief of which was the development of indigenous Muhammadan schools (*maktabs*). A balance of Rs. 88,021 was not utilised during the year; but this sum will be available for expenditure in future years. The grant of Rs. 6,67,000 for primary educatien.

97. Of the total expenditure of Rs. 24,09,456 on primary schools for boys Rs. 8,45,663 were derived from public, and Rs. 15,63,793 from private, sources. Of the expenditure from public funds, Rs. 1,54,257 were derived from Provincial Revenues, Rs. 6,34,414 from District Funds, and Rs. 56,992 from Municipal Funds. The bulk of the money allotted to aided primary schools is given by District Boards. Thus, of Rs. 7,98,048 distributed by way of grants-in-aid to these schools, Rs. 1,33,976 were contributed by Provincial Revenues, Rs. 6,08,413 by District Funds, and Rs. 55,659 by Municipal Funds. Expenditure public and p sources.

Distribution grants by Go ment and by District Boar Municipaliti

98. A rule still exists that District Boards are required to spend not less than 10 *per cent.* of their ordinary income on primary education. Inasmuch however as the amounts which District Boards must spend on education have recently been fixed by orders of Government, the question whether this rule should be retained or be replaced by some other rule is now under consideration. Municipal Committees are required to spend 3·2 *per cent.* of their income on primary education, and, until this condition is fulfilled, they may not devote their funds to the aid of secondary schools. Rules regard District Boar Municipal ex penditure.

99. Reporting officers are unanimous that the present system of payment of teachers of primary schools, partly by a subsistence allowance and partly by subsequent annual lump payments, is working as well as it can be expected to do in present circumstances. The system will however work much more effectively when the inspecting staff is strengthened. Grant-in-aid s

100. The average cost of educating a pupil in a boys' primary school amounted, as in the previous year, to Rs. 2-9 a year. Cost of educ a pupil in a b primary schoo

101. The extraordinary cheapness of Indian primary schools has often been made the subject of remark. The average cost of a primary school in this Province for the year 1905-1906 was Rs. 6 a month, while the average cost of an unaided primary school was Rs. 3 a month. It is essential to bear the cheapness of these schools in mind when treating of problems concerning them and the teachers employed in them. Cost of a sch

Primary Education in the Darjeeling Hills.

102. At an important conference of officials and representatives of the planting community held in Darjeeling after the close of the year, the question of extending elementary education among the hill population was discussed, and it was decided that steps should be taken in that direction; the understanding being that Government should give liberal grants-in-aid, and that tea garden managers on the other hand should provide the sites and the school buildings and keep the latter in repair. The matter has since been discussed by the Darjeeling Planters' Association, and the conclusions arrived at by the conference have been endorsed. Steps are therefore being taken to provide Conference at Darjeeling.

for the training of teachers for the proposed new schools, and it is hoped that the current year will see a commencement of a forward movement.

Night and Continuation schools.

Night schools.

103. As will appear from the Fourth Quinquennial Review the night school system has never had much success in this country, and the number of schools and pupils in the three Presidencies (Madras, Bombay and Bengal) in which the system referred to has been tried, has gradually been declining. The decline still continues in Bengal, the number of schools and pupils having fallen from 784 and 16,081 to 773 and 15,873, respectively. Circumstances are altogether against the system in India. Owing to climatic conditions the very people who would derive benefit from these schools, if they were able to attend them, are fatigued at the end of a day's work, and have no inclination to study at night. Then there is the difficulty about lighting. The ordinary Indian country lamp gives a very bad light, and it is doubtful whether it is wise to encourage schools of this kind, except in big towns, where proper lighting arrangements can be made.

Continuation schools.

104. A real attempt is, however, being made in the Presidency Division, in which the town population is large, to develop continuation schools with classes held either by day or night, the subjects to be taught being chiefly book-keeping, correspondence, mathematics and science. The number of such schools increased during the year under review from 19 to 31, and I have recently sanctioned the opening of 24 more schools of this type. I have at the same time circulated copies of the correspondence on this subject to the Commissioner of the Presidency Division and the District Officers of the Division soliciting their co-operation in working out this important experiment.

School Buildings.

105. Bengal has hitherto had the unenviable reputation of being the most backward of all the Provinces in the matter of school buildings. Substantial progress was however made in the year under review, the Local Government assigning a sum of Rs. 5,03,598 towards the construction of suitable buildings on condition that a reasonable proportion should be contributed from local sources. During the current year and in future years very little expenditure in this direction will, I anticipate, be possible owing to the urgent calls for money in numerous other directions; nor am I personally of opinion that further money should be expended in this way. Government has set an example in the matter, and I consider that the most advantageous procedure to follow in future will be to promise specially favourable grants-in-aid where the residents of any locality are prepared to supply the funds necessary for building a school-house and to undertake to keep it in repair. I propose to work out a scheme on these lines as soon as practicable and to submit it for the consideration of Government.

Subjects and the methods of teaching.

General scope of the changes proposed.

106. As stated in the chapter on "Educational Conferences," much progress has been made with the revision of the vernacular scheme of education, as sanctioned by Government in the year 1901, in so far as it concerns lower primary schools. The system, as hitherto in force, is one of the causes to which I have alluded above as operating to retard the progress of primary education both in primary schools and in the primary departments of secondary schools. The effect of the system has been particularly noticeable in high schools. The four highest classes of these schools, in which instruction is imparted through the medium of English, are generally crowded; whereas the attendance in the lower classes, in which the vernacular system of education is in force, is very small. What happens not infrequently is that boys in private schools, in which the vernacular system is in force, and then join the higher classes of a high school. This is one of the commonest ways in which the scheme is evaded.

Simplification the text-book courses of stu

107. The first measure to be taken is to produce proper text-books. Loud complaints have been made that the present text-books are not written in simple language, commonly used by the people, but in an unfamiliar literary style. The subject-matter of these books also is not free from criticism. Steps are accordingly being taken to bring out, at the expense of Government, text-books in which, it is hoped, these defects will not be found. This does not of course mean that Government intends to monopolise the production of text-books. It will merely give the lead by showing the kind of books which are required; and if private enterprise can produce equally good or better books these will be accepted. The next point is that the existing courses, as far as lower primary schools in rural areas are concerned, are too long, too advanced and too diversified, and that for all classes of lower primary schools the present syllabus presents too many and too difficult subjects. As regards lower primary schools in rural areas, the compulsory course according to the revised syllabus will extend to three hours daily only; but instruction will be given in certain supplementary subjects, of which those who wish to do so may avail themselves. In lower primary schools in other than purely rural areas, the combined compulsory and optional subjects will constitute the prescribed course.

Reduction in number of cl

108. At present there are three Infant classes in a lower primary school, in addition to the two classes which read the courses of study prescribed for standards I and II. It is considered that two Infant classes will be quite sufficient. Instead therefore of three Infant classes, as heretofore, for the ages of 5-6, 6-7, and 7-8, there will be two classes, the first for infants aged from 5-7 years and the second for those aged 6—8. The remaining two classes will, as heretofore, be termed standards I and II and be for children aged about 8 and 9, respectively. This reduction of the number of classes is not a matter of small importance in view of the fact that in the vast majority of these schools there is only one teacher. Even thus, each teacher will have to look after four classes; and it will more than tax his strength to do this even moderately well.

A brief account of the revised Syllabus.

Introductory remarks.

109. In the preparation of the revised syllabus the instructions, as laid down by the Government of India in paragraphs 20, 21, and 25 of their Resolution, entitled "Indian Education Policy" of the 11th March 1904, have been carefully borne in mind. Full advantage has also been taken of that excellent publication entitled "Suggestions for the consideration of teachers and others concerned in the work of public elementary schools" which was issued by the Board of Education, London, in the year 1905. The syllabus opens with an Introduction on the function of education as regards the formation of character. Two typical paragraphs of this introduction are quoted in the chapter on Physical and Moral Training.

Observation expression l

110. Much attention is paid to observation and expression lessons. The former will take the place of the subjects which are set down in the present syllabus under the names of Botany, Natural History, Agriculture, Physics and Chemistry. The existing science primer, which condenses these subjects into a few pages, will be abolished; for it is believed that the result of this system has been rote teaching and mechanical learning, that is to say, teaching from treatises about objects and not from objects. Children of this age are incapable of learning science, for generalising from facts belongs to a later stage of mental discipline, and instruction with this aim can only be given if the power of intelligent and accurate observation has been first developed. The cultivation of this power, which is the chief aim of the revised syllabus, is impossible, unless children are taught to observe, compare and contrast the objects which are around them. This they can never do so long as they merely read about objects. The existence of the Science Primer and the use to which it has been put has defeated the whole object with which the vernacular scheme of education was introduced. The object was to discourage rote teaching and to develop faculties, other than those which are exercised by reading and learning by heart; but the faculty of observation is not developed by reading unintelligently and committing to memory for the sake of examinations pseudo-scientific treatises. The books have been bad and the result of teaching from them so disastrous that numerous schools have declined to teach the

syllabus and have thus cut themselves off from the Government system; while many others, though nominally following the syllabus, have really ignored that part of it which was concerned with the so-called teaching of Science. In connection with the study of plant life, which will be one of the main features of the Nature observation work, especially in rural schools, an extract is given in the syllabus from Mr. Sly's valuable "Note on school gardens." In that note it is stated that the "real object of a school garden should be to supply materials for object lessons in which pupils can study the growth of plants," and that "the garden should be one, where 'Nature is studied in its relations to the child, from the child's standpoint by the teacher with the children.'" It is true that the new system will make great demands upon the teachers. Lack of knowledge on the part of teachers, however, cannot be made good by putting into their hands a book dealing in a condensed manner with scientific subjects. To do this is to abandon the object which we have now set before us. Want of knowledge on the part of teachers can only be made good by careful and systematic training, and, as indicated in the chapter on Training Colleges and Schools, steps are being taken so that gradually all the teachers will come under such training. Meantime, although we must not expect too much from the teachers, we shall, however, have the satisfaction of knowing that the revised syllabus indicates to them the right lines on which to make a beginning.

111. I have mentioned the observation and expression lessons first, because they predominate in the infant stages. In standard I reading, writing and arithmetic, with oral composition, drawing, modelling, simple hygiene and elementary drill are added, while in standard II geography is first introduced.

112. To illustrate the character of the syllabus under the head of reading, I cannot do better than quote the instructions on the subject for standard I, which runs as follows:—

"The main purpose of teaching to read is to enable the pupils to master printed or written matter for their own information. Silent reading should, therefore, be practised from the first, and the teacher will soon get the children into the way of this, if, to begin with, he gives them short pieces to read and after a little time goes round to the children individually and asks for an account in their own words of what has been read. Such pieces should be full of incident and interest. As regards reading aloud clearness of utterance and fluency should always be kept in view, but it is also essential that children should be taught to read intelligently. The teacher should make the gist of the piece clear before it is read, so that the general meaning may be mastered before it is read out in the class. Without this the reading must be mechanical, because it is unintelligent. It is advisable that the teacher should occasionally read out a passage to the class by way of illustration; but in this case also the class should go through the piece beforehand. The reading material put into the hands of children is of the greatest importance. The Primer should contain nothing which is not written in good language, and in words which will be easily intelligible to all. The arrangement of each piece must be logical, and the language must be good in so far as each sentence must express clearly and straightforwardly the meaning which it is intended to convey. The Primer should contain stories which fall within the range of the children's comprehension and interest; descriptions of the various scenes and episodes of rural life should also be included. Provision should also be made in the Primer for acquainting the children with some of the more impressive stories of English and Indian history. The whole should be written in an easy narrative style. A passage having been prepared beforehand and the difficulties elucidated, the actual reading lesson should be as little as possible interrupted by the teacher, and all long disquisitions on points suggested by the subject-matter should be avoided. At the end of every reading lesson the children should be questioned on the subject-matter individually, and should be trained to give individually in their own words an account of what has been read."

113. It is unnecessary to say much on the other subjects of the curriculum; but it may be mentioned that in standard II, that is to say, the standard at which the mass of pupils leave school, the object aimed at is to send away the pupils with their intelligence awakened, with a fair knowledge of the three "R's," and with some acquaintance with weights and measures, land measurements, the village accounts and the ordinary land-record documents with which they will be confronted in after-life.

114. After protracted discussion it has been decided that it is both impracticable and unnecessary to frame separate curricula for urban and rural schools. In rural areas only a short course of studies will be made compulsory, with optional supplementary courses for those who wish to take them; whereas in urban areas all the subjects will be compulsory. Generally speaking,

it is not in respect of the subjects taught, but of the method of teaching these subjects that any distinction is possible in urban and rural areas. The teaching, in order to be effective, must have reference to the environment of the schools and the scholars. The syllabus makes due provision for this, and so will the text-books which are to be written in accordance with it. One of the great advantages to be gained by this decision will be that the duplication of text-books will be obviated. The enormous difficulty of securing suitable text-books is so well known that it is needless to dwell on the advantages of avoiding unnecessary duplication.

115. As soon as the revision of the vernacular scheme of education, as sanctioned by Government in the year 1901, has been carried into effect as far as the lower primary school courses are concerned, that is to say, up to standard II, similar steps will be taken as regards the courses in the higher standards (III to VI). A committee has already been appointed by Government to deal with this subject and to submit proposals. When the committee has submitted its report, the public will no doubt be consulted in regard to the proposals made, in the same manner as it was consulted concerning the courses of study for lower primary schools.

Upper and Lower Primary Examinations.

116. Another cause which has undoubtedly had a depressing effect on primary education has been the abolition of the public examinations held at the end of the lower primary and upper primary courses. I have no wish to suggest a revival of the examinations as previously held with all their attendant evils. I recognise however that the abolition has had at any rate temporarily a very discouraging effect on primary education. The orders of the Government of India, as contained in paragraph 12 of their Resolution, entitled "Indian Educational Policy," of the 11th March 1904, are that there are to be only two examinations preceding the University courses. The first of these, the primary examination, will mark the completion of the lowest stage of instruction, and will test the degree of proficiency attained in the highest classes of primary schools. But it will no longer be a public examination held at centres to which a number of schools are summoned. It will be conducted by the inspecting officer in the school itself. Now, in this Province the first examination is held, under orders passed by this Government in the year 1902, at the end of the middle course, which comprises two classes above the Upper Primary stage. Hence there is no examination of any kind, except the ordinary class examinations, for the mass of boys who do not go beyond the Lower Primary standard, nor even for those who proceed as far as the Upper Primary standard. I am looking into this question and propose to submit a report on the subject to Government. Whatever may be decided in this respect, I am satisfied from enquiries made that the abolition of the examinations for the Lower and Upper Primary standards has withdrawn a distinct stimulus which once existed. As stated above, I have no wish to suggest a revival of the examinations as previously held; but, as at present advised, I do think that it would be desirable to organise a system of leaving certificates for the lower and upper primary standards based on the reports of the school authorities and a private examination conducted in the school itself by the inspecting officer. Such a system could very well be arranged as soon as the inspecting staff is strengthened. Leaving certificates are at present only given at the end of the middle course as a result of the examination which is held at the end of that stage.

The Teaching of English.

117. Instruction through the medium of English and the teaching of English as a language are prohibited in all primary schools; but the teaching of English as a second language is allowed in middle schools in the classes corresponding to the two top classes of an upper primary school. I have discussed certain important questions connected with the teaching of this language in the chapter on secondary education.

CHAPTER VI.

TRAINING COLLEGES AND SCHOOLS FOR INDIAN TEACHERS.

Training Colleges for Teachers in High and other Secondary Schools.

118. The prime need of the Province under this head is the establishment of training colleges for teachers who impart instruction through the medium of English. The deplorable results of the last Entrance examination have very naturally led to discussion, and a cry has been raised that innocents have been massacred. At the instance of the Principal of one of the colleges of Calcutta, the Senate of the Calcutta University has appointed a committee to examine this question. I cannot say that I anticipate that this enquiry will prove fruitful. The results of the Entrance examination must, for obvious reasons, vary considerably from year to year, and no one has thought it necessary to call in question the work of the examiners in years in which the results have been abnormally good. I do however anticipate good results when the University begin to overhaul High schools under the new regulations, because the investigation thus made must bring forcibly to notice the necessity of securing better teachers in these schools. It is not difficult for those who have personal knowledge of the working of such schools to understand why there are many failures at the Entrance examination. I lately visited an important High school, and found that the Head Master could with difficulty understand English when addressed in that language. This man had to teach the students through the medium of English. Comment is superfluous. If they do these things in a green tree what shall be done in the dry? In making the above remarks I do not wish it to be understood that I am decrying the masters in High and other secondary schools as a body of workers. Many—I might say a large majority—are well educated men interested in their work, while many are devoted labourers. What is wanted however is that teachers should not only be well educated but also be properly trained before they are allowed to take up the important work of secondary education. To this end the Secretary of State has already approved the establishment of a training college for graduates and a normal college for under-graduates for this Province, and it is hoped that this most important project will shortly be inaugurated.

Training Schools for Teachers in the higher classes of Vernacular Schools and the Vernacular classes of High Schools.

119. As regards the training of teachers for the higher classes of vernacular schools and the vernacular classes of High schools, we are in a far better position. We already have six excellent training schools for the purpose, and we are now establishing a model school of the same kind with provision for a Principal and a Master of Method, both of whom will be Europeans trained in the latest methods of teaching. In addition to his work at the school this officer will supervise the working of the six existing schools above referred to.

Training Schools for Teachers in Primary Schools.

120. Most interesting is the experiment now being made as regards the training of the lowest grades of teachers of the country, that is to say, the teachers of the ordinary village schools. The task is a gigantic one, not only on account of the large number of teachers who require training—some thirty to forty thousand—but also on account of the very poor attainments of the men to be trained. The subject has engaged a great deal of my attention, and I have the satisfaction of being able to say that Government has recently approved several important proposals for improving the training schools for these teachers. The fundamental idea underlying the system hitherto in vogue has been that the teachers of primary schools will not give up their school work during the period of their training and devote themselves exclusively to their training. Hence a system was elaborated according to which training schools were established in the neighbourhood of the teachers

to be trained, the object in view being to attract teachers to the schools during the few spare hours when they were not engaged in their schools. The intention was that after the teachers of a given neighbourhood had been trained, the training school should be moved on to another area, and that the building thus vacated should then be utilised for the purpose of a primary school. The defects of such a scheme are apparent. The teacher, poorly endowed by nature and with the slenderest educational equipment, was expected not only to keep his school going during the period of his training, but also during his spare hours to improve his own general education and learn the art of teaching.

121. The next point in respect of which the scheme was open to criticism was that as long as these training schools were considered to be of a temporary character, it was impossible to spend money on building hostels for the students and quarters for the teachers or to organise any system of nature study in combination with school gardening. These defects will now be rectified. At the same time, in order to compensate teachers for the loss sustained by them in having to give up their school while under training, the amount of the stipend to be held by them during that period will be increased so as to give them a bare means of subsistence. There is ample evidence that the new scheme will be appreciated, and I regard it as one of the most hopeful and useful of the educational projects now in process of development. It is only necessary to add that these training schools will receive for instruction men who wish to become teachers of primary schools, as well as those who have already taken up the profession of teaching.

Statistics in respect of schools for teachers.

122. All classes of training institutions for male teachers being considered together, the total expenditure during the year under review amounted to Rs. 1,34,180, of which Rs. 1,19,229 were provided from Provincial Revenues, Rs. 949 from District Funds, Rs. 4,403 from fees and fines, and Rs. 9,599 from other sources. Eight new schools for the training of teachers for primary schools were opened during the year.

Proposed Training Colleges for Female Teachers.

The great trained tea

123. I now come to the momentous subject of the training of female teachers—a subject which has been engaging my assiduous attention since I joined the office of the Director of Public Instruction early in the year. There are at the present time in Bengal, as now constituted, more than four million girls of a school-going age. What are we doing to provide teachers for this vast number? Hitherto our work has practically been confined to aiding a few training classes, the best of which are concerned with the training of Christian girls. Now, good though the work done by the Christian Mission Training Schools is, these classes may practically be left out of account, because they provide teachers almost entirely for Christian girls' schools. Moreover, strenuous objection is raised nearly everywhere to Christian women teachers, while even Brahmo women teachers are not by any means universally welcome. The crying want is therefore for good Hindu and Muhammadan female teachers. Speaking of the training that is at present given in the aided training schools, Miss Brock, the Inspectress of Schools, has observed that the opening of proper training colleges in Bengal is, in her opinion, one of the most pressing educational needs of the Province. So strongly does she feel the necessity of such institutions that she does not believe that any material progress can be made until steps are taken in that direction. She adds that the training that is at present being given in the case of Hindu, Muhammadan and Brahmo female teachers is of the poorest description, and that there is extraordinary waste of time, teaching power and money in the process. She observes that Hindus are constantly imploring her to find well-trained teachers, and that the two branches of the Brahmo Somaj are constantly addressing her on the subject of efficient instruction for their women teachers.

124. It is not too much to say that the need for properly trained women teachers has now become exceedingly acute. Government has sanctioned schemes for peripatetic teaching by lady teachers. It has also sanctioned a scheme by which girls in villages and towns can be instructed at central gatherings by

lady teachers. The success, however, of these schemes and of numerous others, such as utilising the services of Muhammadan *a'lus* (lady teachers), training the wives of school-masters as teachers, etc., depends upon the question whether the people who are training others to teach are themselves properly taught. At the present time not only are properly qualified teachers not available, but it is impossible to obtain the services of ladies even with the kind of qualifications which we are at present obliged to consider as passable. To cite an illustration of the seriousness of the situation, I may observe that Government lately sanctioned the opening of a Middle English School for girls at Bankipore in order to meet the urgent need felt by the Hindus of that place for the education of their female children. The whole scheme, however, is blocked, owing to the fact that suitable teachers cannot be procured either in Bengal or elsewhere. Again, the Board of Revenue have sanctioned the employment of governesses in Wards' Estates for *parda-nashin* ladies and children; but they are finding the greatest difficulty in supplying the need. In fact we have begun at the wrong end. We have started schemes for teaching without providing for qualified teachers, and we are wasting money and doing much harm to the cause of education by employing unqualified teachers. It is still, however, not too late to make amends for past neglect.

125. I will now endeavour to make clear what kind of training we wish ed. to impart. The existing aided training classes for Hindu, Muhammadan and Brahmo girls are not even capable, under present conditions, of turning out teachers qualified to impart a good primary education to girls, while no attempt is being made to train teachers qualified to teach in secondary schools. We may leave alone for the present any attempt to train female teachers who will be able to teach English in high schools for girls. The number of such schools is at present very limited, and the English classes in them are at present mostly staffed by English women. In course of time we shall, no doubt, have to train Indian ladies to teach English; but, for the present, no attempt need be made in that direction. We shall have plenty to do for some time to come if we are to succeed in turning out properly qualified vernacular teachers.

ng 126. Deeply impressed therefore with the urgent necessity of establishing thoroughly efficient Government training colleges for women teachers, I have endeavoured to develop, with the aid of influential Indian gentlemen and Government officials, a movement for the establishment of two training colleges, one in Calcutta and the other at Bankipore. The scheme has been provisionally approved by the Government of Bengal, but, owing to financial difficulties, has not yet been submitted by that Government for the approval of the Government of India. Convinced as I am that the future of female education in Bengal very largely depends on the success of this project, and knowing, as I do, that this belief is shared by many who have the cause of female education at heart, I am confident that the time is not far distant when these colleges will be opened. The first step in advance has already been taken, with the approval of the Government of India, in the sending to England of two Indian lady scholars to be trained for two years at an English training college. These ladies, it may be added, have been accompanied by a third Indian lady who intends to undergo a similar course of training at her own expense, so that, on her return to India, she may be able to undertake the training of women teachers for primary schools in Orissa.

Statistics in respect of Existing Training Classes for Female Teachers.

127. During the year under report there were 17 aided training schools with 806 pupils, and 1 unaided training school with 32 pupils; the total expenditure on all the schools being Rs. 68,972, of which Rs. 26,679 were contributed from Provincial Revenues, Rs. 56 from District Funds, Rs. 143 from Municipal Funds, Rs. 2,723 from fees and fines, and Rs. 39,171 from other sources. The comparatively large contribution from "other sources" is chiefly expenditure incurred by the Christian Missions, the good work of which has been mentioned above.

Statistics in respect of Training Schools for Teachers, Male and Female, taken together.

128. Training schools of all classes for teachers, both male and female being taken together, the total expenditure has increased in the yea under report by Rs. 31,903. Schools for males, and male pupils, hav increased by 8 and 206 respectively; while, though schools for females hav declined by 1, the number of female pupils has increased by 74. The year ha been one of progress, but the progress can only be considered as a mere instal ment towards what is to come.

CHAPTER VII.

PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

Law.

129. There is not much of interest to be said under this head. There i no central law college in this Province, but classes for the purpose of impartin egal instruction are attached to Arts colleges. The chief work in connectio with legal instruction is done at the Ripon College, Metropolitan Institution City College and the Bangabasi College, all of these institutions being i Calcutta. The official verdict hitherto has been that there is very little rea eaching in these classes and that "the students rely solely on their ow unaided efforts to pass the University examinations, and attend lectures merel or the purpose of obtaining the certificate of attendance which is required b he University." It may also be mentioned that hitherto the students have no sually had access to any law library. The new University regulations, i ddition to raising the standard of the Bachelor of Law Degree, make provisio or a Degree of Master of Law. They also make it incumbent on every colleg ffiliated in Law to make suitable provision for a law library, so as to enable it tudents to have access to the reports or other books in which leading cases are t e found. The Law classes have hitherto usually been entirely self-supporting nd in many cases have been regarded as valuable adjuncts to Arts Colleges ecause the receipts from them have exceeded the expenditure incurred on them t remains to be seen how the position will be affected under the new onditions imposed by the regulations. The results of the B. L. examinatio uring the year under review were very poor, only 86 out of 512 candidates 16·7 *per cent.*, being successful.

Medicine.

130. It is not clear why the Director of Public Instruction ha therto included statistics in regard to the Medical College, Calcutta, and the edical Schools in his reports and commented on the working of these insti tions. He has no personal knowledge of the working of these institutions, nd any remarks which he makes in regard to them can only be the result o condhand information. Moreover, this very information, which consists o opies of the reports of the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals and the ccompanying statistics, is, at the time when the Director writes his report, nder the consideration of Government. Possibly the retention of these tistics in the Director's report is a survival of the time when he had control the Medical College and Medical Schools; and in this connection it is interesting note that lately when examining the old history of the Sanskrit College I und that the first medical teaching given in Bengal was given at that college. n the other hand, if it is considered desirable that the Director should include e statistics referred to in his report, it is not clear why he is not required to clude the statistics relating to Veterinary Science, which is included under e head of Professional and Technical Education in the Fourth Quinquennial eview. A similar question will soon have to be considered in regard to griculture. At present an Agricultural Department is attached to the Sibpur ngineering College; but, as soon as the Bengal Provincial Agricultural ollege is opened, the Director of Public Instruction will no longer have any

control, over Agricultural education. These questions will be made the subject of a reference to Government, and are only noticed on the present occasion, because I do not understand how I can with any advantage follow the practice hitherto followed in the Annual Report in respect of the Medical College and Schools.

The Sibpur Civil Engineering College.

University regulations as they affect engineering.

131. The recently published regulations of the Calcutta University have in view the following objects as regards Engineering:—

(1) modernising the Engineering Course,

(2) affording specialised instruction in

(*a*) Civil Engineering,

(*b*) Mechanical and Electrical Engineering, and

(*c*) Mining Engineering,

(3) facilitating the affiliation of schools of Engineering up to the First (or Intermediate) Engineering Examination.

The Principal of the Sibpur College anticipates good results from these changes.

Mining instruction.

132. The most important development made at the College during the year under review was the inauguration of classes for students who intend to take up mining as a profession. These classes have already been opened under a Professor of Mining recruited from the University of Birmingham, which is considered to be one of the best, if not the best, centre of mining instruction in England. Further, another Professor has been appointed to instruct persons actually engaged in the mining industry; and four centres of instruction have been selected—two in the Raniganj, and two in the Jheria, coalfield. It may also be mentioned that in addition to the schemes referred to above, a certain number of students from Bengal are each year being sent by the Government of India to go through a course of mining instruction at the Birmingham University. Four such students were sent home in the year 1904 and two in the year 1905.

Mechanical testing.

133. A question of considerable importance was under discussion during the year under review in connection with the establishment at the College of a laboratory for mechanical testing. Work of this nature has been carried on at the College on a small scale for some time past; but the amount of work to be disposed of has increased so largely that a proposal to appoint a whole-time officer to deal with it is now under consideration. It is expected that the chief volume of work will come from Departments of Government; but it is proposed to make the laboratory available to the public, subject to the payment of fees according to a scale to be approved by Government.

Board of Examiners for the College and its affiliated schools.

134. Another important question, which has been under discussion during the year, is a proposal to establish a Board of Examiners for the College and its affiliated schools. Hitherto this work has been done by the Principal of the College and his staff. It is felt that, now that the affiliated schools have increased both in number and importance, it is desirable that the control of the examinations should rest with an independent body of examiners specially selected for their interest in, and knowledge of, the problems with which these institutions have to deal.

Delays in the receipt of apparatus.

135. The Principal (Mr. Heaton) deplores the delays which occur owing to the system in force as regards sending indents for apparatus to England. He observes that such delays hinder research work and often make it impossible; for, having conducted his research to a certain point, and finding a certain instrument indispensable, an officer not infrequently has to throw up his research, knowing that he is not likely to receive the instrument in time for it to be of any use. Similar complaints are also made by Dr. Bose, C. I. E., and Mr. Cunningham, Professors of the Presidency College, who carry on research work. I am decidedly of opinion that the rules are too stringent and that a relaxation is called for in favour of (*a*) officers engaged in research work and (*b*) selected officers in charge of important institutions, and I propose to make a reference to Government on the subject.

136. The results of the B. E. and F. E. examinations were satisfactory. In the former the percentage of success was 34·6, as compared with 25·9 and 46·1 in the two preceding years (1904-1905 and 1903-1904); while in the latter it was 53·3, as against 25 and 60·8 in the same years. The attendance at the College (82·2 *per cent.*) was not as good as in the previous year, when it was 92·5 *per cent.* This was owing to the fact that the year under review was a very unhealthy one at Sibpur; the daily average number of students under treatment, chiefly on account of malaria, being 22. The total expenditure of the College was Rs. 1,57,916, of which Rs. 1,29,249 were contributed from Provincial revenues, Rs. 22,405 from fees and Rs. 6,262 from other sources. Results of examination expenditure

The Bihar School of Engineering.

137. This is an extremely important school, which teaches up to the Overseer standard. It had 171 students on the rolls at the commencement of the session. The Head Master reports that all the students who have passed out of the school in recent years have, as far as is known, easily obtained employment. The great success of this institution renders it likely that, before many years are past, this school will be raised to the status of a College. It is very satisfactory to notice that the establishment of a boarding-house attached to the school has developed in a marked degree a corporate and social life among the students: in this respect the school is a model which many colleges in Bengal could follow with great advantage. The results of the Overseer and Sub-Overseer examinations were satisfactory, 10 out of 13 students sent up passing by the former, and 20 out of 32 students sent up passing by the latter, examination. Expenditure increased from Rs. 27,613 in the year 1904-1905 to Rs. 34,311 in the year under review. Of the last-named sum Rs. 29,222 were contributed from Provincial revenues and Rs. 5,089 from private sources.

The Cuttack Survey School.

138. This school at present turns out Surveyors and men of the Amin class. It is in contemplation however to raise its status to the Overseer standard at an early date, and for this purpose a considerable sum of money has been raised locally.

Preliminary technical education in schools.

139. In certain selected High Schools the course of studies in the two highest classes is arranged so as to lead naturally to the instruction provided in technical schools which prepare students up to the Sub-Overseer standard. The results hitherto attained have been very disappointing. These classes, as well as all aided technical and industrial schools, are under the inspection of the Principal of the Sibpur Engineering College. It is generally thought that the time has now come when a special officer should be appointed to inspect, foster and develop technical and industrial education throughout the Province; and proposals to this effect are under discussion.

Draftsman Classes.

140. A strong need having been felt for the establishment of classes for draftsmen, steps were taken during the year under review, with the help of representatives of leading Railway Companies and Engineering firms, to establish such a class; and it is hoped that the scheme will be brought into operation during the current year.

Motor Car Driver Class.

141. At the instance of the Automobile Association of Bengal a scheme is under the consideration of Government for the establishment of a class at the Sibpur Engineering College with the object of giving to men intending to become drivers of motor cars a mechanical training such as will enable them to execute all ordinary repairs.

Industrial Chemistry.

142. In order to meet the growing industrial needs of the Province a scheme is under consideration for the establishment of classes for imparting instruction in Industrial Chemistry at the Sibpur College. The details of the scheme have still to be worked out.

Agriculture.

143. A class for instruction in Agriculture is attached to the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur. The course extends over a period of two years. Out of 11 students who were presented for the diploma examination, 7 were successful; while all obtained immediate employment under Government. This class will be transferred to the Provincial Agricultural College as soon as that institution is established.

Commercial Classes.

144. A new scheme of Commercial Education, which was elaborated in consultation with the Bengal Chamber of Commerce and the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce was inaugurated at the Presidency College on the 1st July 1905. The scheme consists of two parts, the one comprising a day course, every part of which is obligatory, extending over a period of two years, and the other a series of evening lectures on certain subjects, any one or more of which may be selected at option. The following are the subjects prescribed for the day course :—

(*i*) English (modern), and especially English correspondence, including commercial correspondence, letter-drafting and *précis*-writing;
(*ii*) arithmetic, including commercial and mental arithmetic;
(*iii*) one of the following languages, namely, Bengali, Hindi, Urdu, Uriya, French, German or Latin;
(*iv*) one of the following subjects, namely, book-keeping, shorthand-writing or type-writing; and
(*v*) commercial history and geography.

The following are the subjects prescribed for the evening course :—

(*i*) outlines of political economy;
(*ii*) banking and currency;
(*iii*) commercial and industrial law;
(*iv*) annuities and insurance;
(*v*) book-keeping;
(*vi*) shorthand-writing;
(*vii*) type-writing; and
(*viii*) English (modern).

It is too early yet to judge how far this scheme will prove effective and adequate. The day course is the principal one; and, as stated above, it extends over two years. The first examination of students under the new scheme for the day course will therefore not take place till April 1907. The evening classes have hitherto not proved a success, and in fact it is doubtful whether in this climate such classes can be expected to achieve results such as are obtained in Europe. The immediate need in respect of these classes is to remove them from the Presidency College, where they are cramped for room, to the business part of the city. It is unreasonable to expect business men after a long day's work to travel any considerable distance for the purpose of attending the evening classes.

145. The commercial education provided at the Presidency College aims only at turning out men qualified to be good clerks. If the present scheme proves a success, it will obviously be necessary to provide before long for a superior commercial education such as will fit a man to conduct a business on his own account. Meantime, the proposal recently made by the Government of India to send scholars to England for an advanced course of commercial education will meet a distinct want in this Province.

146. Commercial education is also provided at the Kurseong Victoria Boys' School and at several Government and aided high schools. In the case of the latter schools the course of study leads up to the day course prescribed for the commercial classes at the Presidency College. Besides the above mentioned schools at which commercial instruction is given, there are three privately managed commercial schools, one aided and two unaided which teach shorthand and type-writing.

The Calcutta Art School and Art Gallery.

147. At the instance of Mr. Havell, the Principal of the School of Art, a Japanese artist of the Tokio Art School was engaged temporarily during the year under review to give lessons in the Japanese method of brush work and flower painting. The class in the school which gives the most promise is the Advanced Design Class. It is hoped that students from this class will be able to undertake the decoration of the new Art Gallery building which is now in process of construction. Pending the completion of the building referred to, the collection of Indian paintings belonging to the Art Gallery is stored in the Art School premises. These paintings were inspected during the year under review by a party of Japanese artists and Art experts, who declared them to be the best collection of Indian paintings to be seen in India. The increase of expenditure during the year under review (Rs. 21,464), shown under the head of "Schools of Art," was due to large purchases made for the Art Gallery of old Tibetan banner pictures, Buddhist statues, valuable textile fabrics, etc. Some of the inscriptions on the statues and paintings are said to be of considerable archæological interest.

The Serampore Weaving School.

148. The Government of India have sanctioned the opening of a Weaving School at Serampore, and it is hoped that it will be possible to commence work in the coming cold weather. The object of the scheme is, firstly, to bring home to the ordinary artisans the latest improvements in respect of weaving apparatus, and, after supplying them with the necessary instruction, to give them advances of money in order to enable them to purchase the necessary apparatus; and, secondly, to train a higher class of students with the object of enabling them to become teachers of improved methods in outlying centres or to start businesses of their own in the weaving line.

Industrial Schools.

149. These schools have increased in number from 30 to 41, chiefly owing to the activity displayed in this connection in the district of Hazaribagh by the present Deputy Commissioner, Mr. Radice. As stated above a special officer is required for the effective supervision of technical and industrial education. The example set by Mr. Radice in Hazaribagh shows how quickly this branch of education could be developed if there were an officer whose whole time could be devoted to the subject. I regard this as an essential step towards future progress. The total expenditure increased from Rs. 32,535 to Rs. 36,853. Of this latter sum, Rs. 7,954 were contributed from Provincial Revenues, Rs. 6,745 from District Funds, Rs. 314 from Municipal funds, and Rs. 21,840 from fees and fines and other sources.

CHAPTER VIII.

EDUCATION OF INDIAN GIRLS IN SECONDARY AND PRIMARY SCHOOLS, AND ZANANA EDUCATION.

General Remarks.

150. So preponderating is the need for trained female teachers that though I have expressed my views on the subject at length in the chapter on Training Colleges and Schools, it is impossible to avoid a reference to the same subject when considering the question of the education of girls in secondary and primary schools and the zanana. It is very generally admitted that there is an urgent need for training colleges in Bengal. A criticism has however been made in this connection that "it is only in higher schools and in large towns that the need for well-qualified female teachers is so pressing, and that for many years to come such luxuries will have to be dispensed with in the upper and lower primary girls' schools, where use must yet be made of the local *guru* or *pandit*." Now, though it is undoubtedly true that we cannot for many years to come dispense with the local male teacher, and that a large extension of the system of mixed schools is very desirable, I cannot at all admit that the urgent need

Need for female

for well-qualified female teachers is by any means limited to the higher schools and to large towns. In the first place, there is a very general and marked aversion on the part of a large proportion of the population to sending girls to school at all, not because the people are indifferent to the education of their female children, but because they do not like sending them to schools where there are male teachers, that is to say, schools where the *pardah* is not observed. In the second place, even if girls are allowed to go to school, they are, for the reason just given, removed from it at a very early age. Thirdly, if we are to instruct girls only up to the age when they are removed from school, I fear that our efforts will be largely wasted: the little instruction thus given is soon forgotten. I hold that the education of girls should not be abandoned at this early age, but should be continued in the zanana. Here we are immediately met face to face by the most pressing need for female teachers; and, if good results are to be secured, these teachers must generally be neither Christians nor Brahmos, but Hindus and Muhammadans. Christian Missions have doubtless done much good work, and Government is greatly in their debt for what they have effected in the way of popularising female education and sending out Christian female teachers. The Missions themselves would, however, be the first to admit that their sphere of usefulness as regards the development of this branch of education is not unlimited.

151. Referring to the want of progress in respect of the education of women in Bengal in the last quinquennial period (1897-98—1901-02), Sir Alexander Pedler observed:—

"The chief causes for the slow progress of this branch of education in this country are:—(1) The conservatism of a great portion of the people; (2) the fact that the education of their female children is a matter of great indifference to a large proportion of parents and guardians, as they usually do not take the same amount of care and interest in the education of their female wards as they do in that of boys; (3) the system of early marriage which presents an almost insurmountable barrier to education beyond the primary stages; (4) the want of educated female teachers; (5) the want of a system for educating zanana ladies; and (6) the want of adequate State aid and aid from other public funds."

152. Without wishing to dispute the large measure of truth contained in these observations, I am distinctly of opinion that they do not constitute quite a complete, or in some respects fair, account of the position. I quote below what Miss Brock, the Inspectress of Schools, said in her report for the year 1904-1905:—

"I found from visiting zananas and from the expression of native opinion that there was no prejudice against the education of girls, but a strong feeling against any relaxation of the *pardah* system for higher caste girls. In support of this is the fact that recently a meeting was held at Muzaffarpur of the more educated classes, with a view to opening a strictly *pardah* school for Hindus. In some parts of Bihar education would be welcome did it not bring with it the presence of male officials. What is needed is a far greater extension of the zanana system of teaching for higher caste girls as a preliminary step to schools, and for lower class girls strictly *pardah* schools. These would of necessity have to be wholly inspected by women"

153. I also give below some very interesting extracts from that lady's report for the year 1905-1906:—

"The most important question in relation to female education still remains the problem of obtaining and adequately training teachers. Only as regards the staffing of Mission Schools is the outlook at all promising. As regards Hindu, Muhammadan and even Brahmo schools, the difficulty remains unsolved * * * *"

"As regards zanana teaching I am obliged to draw a sharp distinction between Hindu and Muhammadan work. I am quite convinced that as soon as we can command trained female teachers, orthodox and of good family, education will make remarkable progress among Bengali Hindu *pardah* women. I am repeatedly struck by the fact that in large towns Hindu gentlemen are in the habit of trying to induce European ladies to give instruction, including teaching in English, to their girls, and are often willing to pay good fees. On the other hand, even entrance into Muhammadan zananas is very difficult, and the education of women is regarded with extreme suspicion * * * * * *"

"In the immediate future, if adequate assistance is afforded, I anticipate a great increase in the number of girls' schools. From month to month it is increasingly impressed upon me that many of the supposed difficulties with regard to Hindu female education do not exist, and that the real obstacles we have to encounter might be overcome by a more intimate knowledge of Indian social life as it affects women. A very large number of Bengalis would not oppose female education were it offered in a form which would be acceptable. This was the opinion I stated a year ago. During this past year this view of the matter

has been expressed to me again and again by Indian gentlemen. In the work of understanding local needs I consider the work of women assistant officials would be invaluable and can only be afforded by them. As regards higher caste girls the way to them lies through zanana teaching, and one of the most promising points of female educational work the impetus that is being given to this method of teaching * * * ."

"As regards primary schools under Mission management endeavour is being made to draft untrained members of teaching staffs into good training classes and to staff primary schools entirely with trained female teachers. I have good hopes that in Calcutta at all events before long both these objects will be attained in these schools. Primary schools under Hindu management still continue to be, for the most part, in the hands of *pandits*, but the request is everywhere being made by them for a competent female teacher to be added to the staff. The difficulty in meeting this demand is however very great, even when the teachers are forthcoming. Christian and Brahmo girls, where accepted, demand high salaries and for the most part will not work in the districts and in primary schools. Should the Government training colleges be started, one of the greatest difficulties will be to induce the girls after a training in Calcutta and Bankipore to return to the village primary school. If Hindu and Muhammadan women however are secured the difficulty will vanish. They will expect to return to their own villages or towns * * * ."

"I have this year seen more of Muhammadan schools and come more into touch with Muhammadan zanana life. Education both in the schools and in the zanana is of the most meagre description. In the former this is undoubtedly due to the early age at which girls are withdrawn, not for marriage, but within the *pardah*: in the latter it is owing to the almost utter lack of training and education in the teachers. From what I have observed I consider that in the case of Muhammadans the work has not yet been attempted on the right lines for success. The majority of Muhammadans will no doubt for years to come view the movement for the education of women with dislike; but that will be no bar, if certain conditions are allowed, to the progress of education both in the zanana and the school. Muhammadan schools must be altogether *pardah*, and all local male officials entirely withdrawn from the schools. A conveyance grant for the schools is necessary if high class Muhammadan girls are to be secured. Women of good family must be obtained as teachers for the schools, but above all for the zanana. These teachers must be able to speak good Urdu. Lastly, one of the most important points is, I consider, the giving of certain concessions with regard to the curriculum. The text books above all should be such as are acceptable to the Muhammadans. I am convinced that if we could obtain teachers capable of giving an acceptable course of instruction, a large number of zananas would be at once accessible."

154. I think that Miss Brock's remarks throw a great deal of valuable light on a most difficult question. It seems to me that if the education of women is presented, as Miss Brock says, "in an acceptable form" "the conservatism of a great portion of the people" which was referred to by Sir Alexander Pedler as being the first cause of slow progress, would gradually be won over to the side of progress. Miss Brock's report also shows—and enquiries made by me corroborate her view—that the people are not so indifferent to the education of their female children as is usually supposed: there is a considerable awakening in this respect. This was the second cause referred to by Sir Alexander Pedler as hindering the progress of female education.

155. The third cause assigned by Sir Alexander Pedler for the want of progress was the system of early marriage, which he stated presented an almost insurmountable barrier to education beyond the primary stage. My reply to this is that the barrier itself will yield to the influence of education. It has already done so in the case of the Brahmo community, whose girls marry later in life and consequently attend school longer than Hindu and Muhammadan girls. Most instructive in this respect are the remarks made by His Majesty's Agent and Consul-General in Egypt in his Administration Report for the year 1905, from which I quote the following passage:—

"The remarkable and continuous progress of female education in Egypt marks very clearly the changes of custom and alteration of ideas which are taking place in the country. When the first efforts to promote female education were made, they met with little sympathy from the population in general. Parents sent their daughters to school reluctantly, and took them away early. In order to encourage the education of girls, it was necessary to admit a large number of free pupils. Most of these came from the poorer classes, and left early, either to be married or because it was thought unbecoming for a girl to attend school after she had passed the earliest years of childhood. The reluctance of parents to send their daughters to school has now been largely overcome. Free education in the Government Primary Schools has been practically abolished. Demands are frequently made for the establishment of other schools in different parts of the country. The number of private schools for girls has also greatly increased of late years. Further, it is to be observed that the steady output of boys from the Secondary Schools and Higher Colleges has distinctly

stimulated the movement for female education, for the younger generation are beginning to demand that their wives should possess some qualification other than those which can be secured in the seclusion of the harem. The interaction of the two branches of education does not stop here, for not only has the growth of education among boys stimulated the desire for instruction to girls, but it has also tended to improve the quality of education given to the girls by prolonging the period of instruction. There appears good reason for supposing that, where education has made progress, the age of marriage has risen, and that, in consequence, the girls are allowed to remain longer than heretofore at school."

156. I invite particular attention to the last sentence of the quotation just given. Surely Egypt and India are not so different that it is unreasonable to expect that, where education makes progress, the age of marriage will rise, and that in consequence girls will be allowed to remain longer than heretofore at school.

157. Three further causes were given by Sir Alexander Pedler as presenting a hindrance to the progress of the education of women, viz., (1) the want of educated female teachers, (2) the want of a system of educating zanana ladies, and (3) the want of adequate State aid and aid from other public funds. Sir Alexander Pedler stated however that a considerable increase in the expenditure had been incurred in recent years, and that more energetic measures were being taken to foster the spread of female education. I have also shown in this report that active steps are being taken to supply the need of trained female teachers both for girls' schools and for the zanana.

158. To sum up the matters above discussed, I venture to say that, as far as Bengal is concerned, the chief cause at the present time operating to hinder the progress of the education of women is the want of qualified and respectable Hindu and Muhammadan female teachers and inspecting agents, and the consequent inability to organise the kind of schools or the type of zanana education which the people require. We still want money of course, but it is not immediately so much needed for increasing the number of schools for girls and zanana centres of instruction as for producing suitable teachers. Given these, I feel that a vast field lies ready for exploration. I have ample evidence of this in the various schemes for imparting instruction to females which are being put forward.

159. One of the most hopeful is a project which has been quite recently brought forward by Mrs. Roy, wife of Dr. P. K. Roy, late of the Indian Educational Service. This is a scheme for the award of scholarships and rewards with the object of encouraging instruction in the zanana. Committees of ladies, European and Indian, assisted by advisory Committees of men, are to be formed at suitable local centres. These Committees will work out syllabuses of instruction suitable to the various classes of the community and frame scales of scholarhips and rewards. It is said that a system of this sort was widely in vogue and very popular some years ago in the Dacca Division, but that it eventually languished owing to want of encouragement by Government. An indirect, but very substantial, by-product of this project will be the formation of the committees referred to. Such committees will not only be useful for the purpose of the project above sketched, but will also be of great value in other directions, such as helping and advising in the work of local girls' schools, aiding and encouraging zanana instruction of all kinds, helping the female inspecting agency as regards their work in training classes and the selection of teachers for training, etc., etc. I regard this latest development as most hopeful.

160. In short, the direction which progress must take must not be antagonistic to the conservative instincts of the people with which sympathy must be shown. Our policy must not be destructively radical but progressively conservative. We can only advance by devising measures which are not inconsistent with prescription, to which in the past insufficient concessions have been made. We should not run amuck against tradition, but should carry tradition with us on the lines of progress.

Statistics in respect of secondary and primary schools.

161. During the year under review secondary and primary schools for girls taken together increased from 2,563 to 2,877, and students in such schools from 61,432 to 67,755, that is, by 12·3 and 10·3 *per cent.*, respectively. If the number

of boys in girls' schools be deducted, the actual figure as regards girls in girls' schools comes to 65,632, as against 59,034 in the previous year, the percentage of increase being 11·15. In addition to the 65,632 girls in girls' schools, there were 43,446 girls in boys' schools; the total of girls under instruction being 109,078, as against 102,546 in the previous year, and the percentage of increase being 6·37. One in every 36 girls of a school-going age, or 2·7 *per cent.*, was under instruction, as against 1 in every 58, or 1·7 *per cent.*, at the close of the last quinquennial period. It may be explained in this connection that each centre where zanana instruction is imparted is counted, for the purpose of the statistical returns, as a primary school and the girls under instruction as students in such schools. In future, however, I shall show figures for zanana education separately in the returns.

Distribution between the primary and secondary stages of instruction.

162. Almost all the girls under instruction were in the primary stage of instruction. Thus, of the total number of schools for girls (2,877) all except 34 were primary schools; and of the total number of girls under instruction (109,078) all except 402 were in the primary stage.

Expenditure.

163. Expenditure in connection with secondary and primary girls' schools increased by Rs. 42,791; and of the total expenditure incurred, viz., Rs. 3,99,837, Rs. 1,17,031 were contributed from Provincial Revenues, Rs. 69,753 from Local Funds, Rs. 46,440 from fees, and Rs. 1,66,613 from other sources.

Results of examination.

164. The results of the examination held at the end of standard VI were satisfactory, 66 candidates appearing, of whom 52 passed, as against, in the previous year, 64 candidates, of whom 49 passed. There are no formal examinations at the end of the upper primary and lower primary courses, as explained in the chapter on "Primary Education for Indian Boys"; but the class examinations held at the end of these stages show a large falling off in the number of candidates appearing, with, however, a large increase in the percentage of successful candidates. The combined figures for these two stages show that, whereas in the year 1904-1905 of 2,098 candidates 1,358 were successful, in the year under review of 1,595 candidates 1,297 were successful. The general causes for the unpopularity of these examinations have been discussed in the chapter above quoted.

Technical and Industrial Training.

165. Very little technical and industrial work for women is at present aided by Government, but a comparatively large amount is being done in different parts of the Province, chiefly by Mission agencies. The lace-industry at Kalimpong, which is aided by Government, is already a success, and it is proposed to extend it to parts of the Chota Nagpur Division and the Sonthal Parganas. The work requires fostering, and when our female inspecting staff is increased, this will be possible.

CHAPTER IX.

EUROPEAN EDUCATION.

Introductory.

The term "European."

166. The term "European," as used in this chapter, signifies any person of European descent, pure or mixed, who retains European habits and modes of life; and for the purpose of the grant-in-aid rules all except 15 *per cent.* must answer to the above definition.

The Partition.

167. Although the Partition was given effect to from the 16th October 1905, European education in the Divisions transferred to the new Province remained in charge of the Bengal Education Department till late in the year under review. As a result of the separation of these Divisions this Province has lost 6 schools. This report primarily concerns the schools which are left with this Province, but the statistics given in respect of the annual examinations concern candidates from Bengal and Eastern Bengal and Assam, inasmuch as these examinations were held for both Provinces by the Bengal Education Department.

Collegiate Education.

168. Collegiate education for Europeans is practically non-existent. Loreto House, Calcutta, which has University classes attached to it, returned only one student. The Bethune College for ladies returned two European students.

Schools.

169. This report deals with 69 schools, of which 2 are managed by Government, 62 are aided and 5 are unaided. It is much to be regretted that the Inspector has failed to secure returns from the Armenian College, which is not included in the 5 unaided schools above referred to. The Armenians, though a small community, form an important element in the complex society of Calcutta, and the education given at the college is not a matter of indifference to Government. Of the 69 schools referred to, 44 were secondary, and 25 primary, schools. Of the 44 secondary schools however only 14 taught up to the high school stage, the rest being middle schools.

Pupils.

Vocational institutions of all kinds.

170. The total number of pupils in educational institutions of all kinds for Europeans was 7,925, of whom 301 were in institutions managed by Government, 6,782 in aided institutions and 842 in unaided institutions. In addition, there were 209 European pupils studying in institutions for Indians. These pupils are not however included in the statistics dealt with in this chapter, which refers solely to institutions for Europeans and pupils of such institutions.

Secondary and primary schools.

171. The total number of pupils undergoing general education in secondary and primary schools on the 31st March 1906 was 7,803, as against 8,286 on the 31st March 1905. If however allowance is made for the transfer of 6 schools to the new Province and for the fact that the Armenian College has submitted no returns, there appears to have been no loss, but a gain of some hundred or more pupils. Of the 7,803 pupils referred to, 2,098 were in the secondary, and 5,705 in the primary, stage of education. Of the 7,803 pupils above referred to, 7,133 were of European, and 670 of Indian, parentage.

Secondary and primary schools and scholars according to management.

172. Of the 7,133 European pupils in secondary and primary schools 57·17 *per cent.* were in schools controlled by the Roman Catholic Church; while 28 out of the total number of 69 schools, or 40·6 *per cent.*, were under the management of that Church. Next comes the Church of England with 17·28 *per cent.* of the total number of pupils and with 11 schools out of the total number of 69. It is interesting to note on the other hand that the census figures show that out of the total European population 51·4 *per cent.* belong to the Anglican Communion, and 36·2 *per cent.* only to the Roman Catholic Church. These figures are to some extent vitiated by the inclusion in the census figures of the British forces; but it is well known that a large number of Protestant children study in Roman Catholic schools.

Finance.

Unreliability of accounts.

173. The total expenditure amounted to Rs. 14,15,562, of which, according to the returns submitted, Rs. 3,43,683 were derived from Provincial Revenues, Rs. 2,754 from the Calcutta Corporation, Rs. 6,80,325 from fees, Rs. 2,44,812 from subscriptions and donations, and Rs. 1,43,988 from endowments and other sources. I regret to say however that the figures returned for subscriptions and donations are totally unreliable. It is needless in this report to enter into details, but it may be stated that the amount reported under this head is probably at least a lakh of rupees in excess of the amount actually contributed. On the assumption that that is the case, it appears that not much more than about Rs. 1,00,000 were subscribed by the general public; for, included in the figures under this head, are sums of Rs. 30,451 received from the Bruce Institution for the maintenance and education of its wards and Rs. 9,230 paid by Railway Companies in grants to Railway schools. As an illustration of the general unreliability of the returns, I may mention that the expenditure returned under the head of

"Boarding Charges" has declined by Rs. 1,59,302, whereas no material change of circumstances has in fact occurred. The decline is apparently to be accounted for by the vagueness of the information received from the schools and by the absence in the Inspector's office of any settled principle for the distribution of the expenditure among the various heads of the statistics. This unsatisfactory state of the returns will continue till all school accounts are kept in some rational way common to all and audited by some one who has an expert knowledge of account-keeping. This question, together with that of a proper system of auditing accounts, was discussed by the Hill Schools' Committee in their report, and the subject is engaging the attention of the Government of India. Meantime, I have with the assistance of Mr. Chapman, lecturer for the Commercial classes, Presidency College, had a modified form of return prepared, which is under consideration.

Total expenditure.

174. The total expenditure returned last year was Rs. 14,50,414. The expenditure for the year under review being Rs. 14,15,562, the decrease amounts to Rs. 34,852. This decline is attributable to the transfer of 6 schools to the new Province and to the fact that returns have not been received for the Armenian College this year.

Examinations.

Departmental examinations.

175. The results of the examinations could scarcely be worse. Of 74 candidates that appeared at the High School and Scholarship Examination 20, or 27 *per cent.* only, passed. At the Middle School examination, of 81 candidates who appeared 14, or 17·2 *per cent.* only, passed. The position perhaps becomes still clearer when it is stated that of 49 boys who, having completed their education, were sent up for the Middle School examination before being sent out into the world, only 5, or 10·2 *per cent.*, were able to pass. It is true that owing to the fact that several schools now take the Cambridge University Examinations, some of the best teachers in European schools are now available as examiners, and this circumstance may have led to a raising of the standard. The fact however to be faced is that the verdict of a specially able body of examiners has been most unfavourable. A certain amount of good work was shown in arithmetic, and this mostly by boys; otherwise the results of these examinations seem to bear out the truth of the following remark made by the Inspector in his report for 1904-1905:—"A certain amount of proficiency is obtained by boys in elementary arithmetic. With this exception the work is poor and slovenly to a degree." I reserve my remarks as to what can be done to set matters right to a later part of this chapter.

The Cambridge Local Examinations.

176. La Martinière College, Calcutta, for boys and girls, the Diocesan Girls' School, Darjeeling, and the Pratt Memorial School, Calcutta, did well at these examinations. La Martinière secured 2 passes at the Senior Local, 9 at the Junior Local, and 18 at the Preliminary Local, examination.

Calcutta University Entrance Examination.

177. From Loreto House 2 candidates passed the Entrance Examination, while from St. Xavier's College 9 were successful.

The training of female teachers.

178. The attempt to train female teachers at Kurseong and at the Welland Memorial Kindergarten, Calcutta, has up to date been a dismal failure. The mistake has been made of endeavouring to train students as teachers with inadequate and insufficiently qualified staffs. At Kurseong the staff employed has been neither adequate nor sufficiently qualified, and at the Welland Memorial Kindergarten the conditions of work are quite unsuitable. The mistake is being rectified, but much valuable time has been lost. It is now proposed that a separate training college should be established at Kurseong with an adequate staff, and that in future the least qualifications that members of the teaching staff shall possess shall be those of a person who has not only had a secondary school education and secured a University degree, but who has in addition had some experience on the staff of a secondary school. As students have not hitherto had a fair chance, I refrain from giving details in regard to the depressing results hitherto obtained. We are, I believe, now upon the right path.

Professional and Technical Education.

The Sibpur Engineering College.

179. Engineering is one of the best openings for European boys. On the 31st March 1906 there were 47 such boys at the Sibpur Engineering College, viz., 4 in the Engineering, and 43 in the Apprentice, Department. One European passed the B. E. Examination and two the First Examination in Engineering. Four Europeans passed the overseer, and 4 the sub-overseer, examination; while 2 passed the survey final examination.

Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong.

180. Twelve boys were under instruction in the technical classes which are attached to the Victoria Boys' School, Kurseong. Five boys were sent up for the last sub overseer examination of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, this being the first batch of candidates presented from this school. The result of the examination was satisfactory. Out of the 5 candidates sent up, 3 were successful, one obtaining the first place on the list, while the other two stood 7th and 16th respectively. The failure of the two remaining candidates was reported to have been due to their having contracted a severe type of the fever while going through their practical training in surveying in the Darjeeling Terai in November 1905. Orders have since been passed that in future the survey camp is not to be held in the Terai.

The East Indian Railway Technical School.

181. The East Indian Railway Technical Night School at Jamalpur continues to give instruction in steam engine and machine construction, applied mechanics, algebra and mensuration, and it is reported that it is proposed to extend the work of the school. The average nightly attendance at this institution during the year under review was 51·3.

St. Andrew's Colonial Homes, Kalimpong.

182. St. Andrew's Colonial Homes, Kalimpong, give a certain amount of training in carpentry and farm work. Both boys and girls are trained to domestic work by being made to do all the work which is required for the management of the Homes.

St. Helen's Convent, Kurseong.

183. At St. Helen's Convent, Kurseong, there is a well equipped department for instruction in cookery, needle-work, dress-making, sick-nursing and the compounding of medicines. It is to be regretted however that though girls are willing to join the Technical Department, they are not as a rule inclined to devote to it time or attention sufficient to enable them to master any single subject. In order to meet this defect orders have recently been issued that no Government grant will be paid on account of any student of this department who has not attended 75 *per cent.* of the total number of school meetings held during a school session.

Other schools for girls.

184. Some other schools for girls attempt a certain amount of instruction in cookery and dress-making, but in all this technical work for girls there is a lack of organisation and definiteness of aim which deprives it of a great deal of its value. In order to meet this evil it is proposed to open at the suggested Training College for female teachers at Kurseong a Technical Department for the training of a small number of teachers in Technical subjects.

185. A commercial class was opened at the Kurseong Victoria School for boys at the beginning of the current session (1906) with a master specially recruited from England for the purpose. Commercial education of an elementary character is also given at several other schools. The work suffers however from lack of organisation and supervision. I shall endeavour to arrange some system of general control, as I have already done in the case of commercial classes in Indian schools.

Volunteering.

186. Eleven hundred and fifty-four cadets became efficient during this year.

General Remarks.

187. Last year when reporting on the general condition of European education in Bengal the Inspector spoke in no doubtful terms of its unsoundness and urged the unwisdom from a political point of view of allowing this unsoundness to continue. In reviewing these remarks the Government of Bengal stated in its Resolution that the political consequence of such a state of things could not be regarded with indifference; because, restricted as Europeans and Eurasians are in their choice of the means of livelihood, their educational fitness is a matter of great importance. The picture

presented by the various facts recorded in this report is, except in the case of a few superior schools, gloomy indeed from almost every point of view. Other features of the problem which have not been referred to are equally discouraging. Some of the leading schools of the Province are still struggling under a burden of debt which makes any real progress impossible. Many are working in buildings which are admittedly quite unsuitable, while all practically are striving to accomplish tasks for the performance of which their resources are inadequate. Inspectors have told us that the work of the schools is bad and employers of labour have testified to the truth of this criticism. Three years ago a partner of one of the leading Engineering firms of Calcutta stated before the Hill Schools Committee that in his opinion European boys educated in India never had more nor better opportunities of getting on if they would only apply themselves to work and take advantage of their opportunities. Then, after pointing out that an engineering firm most emphatically does not expect boys to come to it technically trained, he declared that, in spite of their opportunities, European boys educated in India did not get on in Engineering work owing mainly, he thought, to their total ignorance of elementary practical mathematics and geometry and their hopeless want of application.

188. The question is what is to be done. To my mind the answer is clear. We must have a better scheme of work and better teachers. I am thankful to be able to say that, dark as the past has been, the future is not without hope. We have now attained to a position from which, if we will use our eyes, we can see the goal which we wish to reach and at the same time make out the path which, if we follow them consistently, will lead us to it. Last year the Government of India, in returning to Local Governments the Revised Code of Regulations for European Schools, expressed themselves as dissatisfied with the curriculum laid down, and desired Local Governments to examine it with a view to its consolidation in the various classes of schools. This letter was sent to the Inspector of European Schools, who submitted in reply an exhaustive criticism of the present system, in which he pointed out that under present conditions only one class of school is recognised, and that the only difference between such divisions of schools as do exist lies in the fact that certain schools are permitted to take the whole of what purports to be a complete school course, whereas others are only allowed to take certain parts of it. Now, if only one class of schools is recognised, it is obviously futile to attempt to consolidate the courses in various classes of schools. Consequently, Mr. Hornell first of all suggested how in his opinion schools should be classified; and, having laid down the principle that, for the future, recognition should mean recognition as a school of a certain class, he proceeded to make proposals for the curriculum of each class. Mr. Hornell's proposals were then placed before a representative conference of school managers, teachers and others interested in European education. The classification proposed by him the conference was not prepared to accept; his criticisms it did not attempt to gainsay. It accepted the principle that European schools should be classified into elementary and secondary; and, having laid down two excellent curricula, one for elementary and the other for secondary schools, it proposed that under ordinary circumstances no school should be recognised either as an elementary or as a secondary school unless it could show that it could teach efficiently the whole of the curriculum prescribed. It further agreed that any school applying for recommendation as a secondary school should in the first instance be inspected by a board of three Inspectors, of whom the Inspector of European Schools should be one. The proposals put forward by the conference have since been referred to Government for orders.

189. In these resolutions of the conference, it appears to me, lies the hope of the future. We can make no advance until we know first of all what we desire to teach and secondly what schools there are which can impart this instruction. To the first stage we may claim to have attained when the conference unanimously proposed curricula for elementary and secondary schools which from an educational point of view leave practically nothing to be desired. To the second stage we cannot hope to attain until we learn from a competent authority what schools can teach the secondary, and what schools can teach the elementary, curriculum. This information we may hope to get when the proposed Board of Inspectors has done its work.

190. When the real facts are before us and when the defects are laid bare we cannot of course stop. On the contrary it is at this point that the work of reconstruction must begin, and the lines on which that work will have to proceed will be the raising of particular schools to a condition in which they will be able to undertake efficiently the work which in the interests of the community in general it is incumbent on them to attempt. The extra expenditure incurred will probably have to be borne very largely by the State, and it is fortunate that we have already begun to receive the necessary pecuniary assistance from the Government of India. It will obviously be impossible to raise at once all the schools which require assistance. This being so, complaints may perhaps arise that this policy is likely to prove in actual working both invidious and unfair. I have little doubt, however, that if the Education Department proceeds tactfully and fairly, with due regard to the needs of the community as a whole and to vested interests, the Managers of European schools in Bengal will gladly sink to some extent their individual ambitions for the good of the general cause. The Government of India have recognised the advisability of giving State assistance on the basis of the particular needs of individual schools. In Article 38 of the Revised Code they have empowered Local Governments to make supplementary grants to schools for the efficient maintenance of which the ordinary grants are not sufficient. No one who has followed the history of European education in India will question the justice or the wisdom of this principle. It must never be forgotten that though the responsibility of the British Government in the matter of the education of the domiciled European community is great, the resources which it can apply to this work are necessarily small; and that therefore while Government cannot allow the boys and girls of the European and Eurasian community to be educated in schools which are through lack of resources unable to undertake efficiently the work which they are attempting, it cannot afford to spend on any school a single rupee more than that school actually requires.

191. Having decided what secondary and what elementary schools we want, and having ascertained clearly how far and in what particulars the existing schools fall short of our requirements, we shall begin the work of reconstructing individual schools on the basis of these considerations. An efficient teaching staff will be everywhere the first consideration; and, as I fear that a sufficient number of efficient teachers will not at first be forthcoming, it will be necessary in not a few instances, for the present at any rate, to arrange that the managers of schools may be in a position to recruit from England. I recognise however that the necessity for this importation is not a healthy sign; for, though the occasional introduction of new blood from England will doubtless be always desirable, the bulk of the schools ought obviously be to able to recruit the majority of their teachers in India. The Training College at Kurseong will supply us with the necessary number of female teachers; while, as regards the training of male teachers we must look to the establishment of the proposed Training College at Allahabad. We have ascertained by experiment that for the present at any rate there is no hope of such a college being successful if confined to this Province only.

192. On the whole therefore we may fairly say that, dark as the past history of European Education in Bengal has been, we are beginning to leave that past behind. The corner has been turned and we may hope that a new era has begun.

CHAPTER X.

MUHAMMADAN EDUCATION.

General Remarks.

193. Owing to the Partition the proportion which the Muhammadan population bears to the general population has been considerably curtailed. The Muhammadan population of the Province is at present 9,034,949 and represents only 17·2 *per cent.* of the general population.

194. In the case of the general population 108 per mille of males and 5 per mille of females are literate. In the case of the Muhammadans the proportions are only 81 and 3 respectively. Present state of Muhammadan literacy.

195. As stated above, the Muhammadan population is 17·2 *per cent.* of the general population. On the other hand the percentage of Muhammadan pupils to pupils of all creeds is only 13·9, or if the figures returned by private institutions are, for the reasons given in Chapter XII, excluded as unreliable, the percentage is exactly 13. The percentage of Muhammadan pupils under instruction in public institutions in the year under review to Muhammadan children of a school-going age was 11·2; while the corresponding percentage for the general population was 14·8. It is however when we come to analyse the figures as regards the higher stages of instruction that the backwardness of the Muhammadans comes out more clearly. Thus, though the percentage of Muhammadans in primary schools is 13·7, and though this figure bears a fair proportion to the percentage of the Muhammadan population (17·2), in the higher stages of instruction the percentages fall off in a striking manner. Thus, in secondary schools the percentage is 8·7 only, in professional colleges, 4·2 only, and in arts colleges, 6·3 only. From all points of view therefore the Muhammadans have much ground to make up. Pupils under instruction.

Progress.

196. The total number of Muhammadans attending all classes of educational institutions increased from 166,781 in the year 1904-1905 to 171,905 in the year under review, or by 3·0 *per cent.*, as against an increase of 2·2 *per cent.* in the total number of pupils of all religions. On account however of the unreliability of the statistics returned by private institutions it is safer to make the comparison by reference only to pupils attending public institutions. In that case the increase in respect of Muhammadan pupils is 2·45 *per cent.*, as against an increase of 2·16 *per cent.* in respect of the total number of pupils of all religions. The result is satisfactory so far as it goes. In the Government Resolutions on the Director's reports for the years 1902-1903 and 1903-1904 the hope was expressed that, in view of the increase in those years of 5·8 and 11·7 *per cent.* respectively in the number of Muhammadan pupils under instruction, a real and lasting awakening had occurred on the part of the Muhammadan community to the advantages of education. In the year 1904-1905 however the total number of Muhammadans attending educational institutions declined by 3·1 *per cent.*, as against a decrease of 1·5 *per cent.* in the total number of pupils of all religions. It is not wise therefore to expect too much: on the whole there is a steady, though slow, improvement, and it is possible to hope that it may be maintained.

The Calcutta, Hooghly and Murshidabad Madrassahs.

197. A proposal is under consideration for the establishment of a Title Examination for Madrassahs on the lines of the Sanskrit Title Examination referred to in the chapter on University and Collegiate Education. A scheme to this effect was recently submitted by Dr. Ross, late Principal of the Calcutta Madrassah, and is now under consideration. The Sanskrit Title Examination has been so eminently successful in stimulating Sanskrit learning that it is not too much to hope that considerable enthusiasm will be evoked in regard to Muhammadan lore, if the examination referred to is established. I have already mentioned, in the chapter on "Education of Special Classes," that His Highness the Nawab of Murshidabad has submitted proposals for the amalgamation of the Murshidabad Madrassah with the local Government High school.

Indigenous Schools.

198. A scheme which affords much cause for hope in connection with Muhammadan education is one which was elaborated in the year 1903-1904 by a conference over which Dr. Ross presided, for developing the indigenous Muhammadan primary schools which exist throughout this Province. This scheme was sanctioned in the year referred to, and was partially brought into force in the year under review. It is only in the current year however that it has been found possible to provide the necessary funds

for giving effect to the complete project, the recurring charges of which amount to Rs. 18,542. I trust that even this will prove to be only the beginning of a wider scheme for bringing these schools under Government recognition. It is certain that that recognition will increase the number of pupils, and that the financial aid afforded will give stability to a deserving class of institutions.

Results of Examinations.

199. Muhammadan candidates did considerably better in the B. A. and F. A. examinations than in the previous year, notwithstanding the fact that in that year the results of the B. A. examination were exceptionally good. In the M. A. examination however and in all other examinations the results were very disappointing.

CHAPTER XI.

EDUCATION OF SPECIAL CLASSES.

Education of Chiefs and Nobles.

Education of the sons of Chiefs and Zamindars.

200. The Nawab of Murshidabad's Madrassah is intended for the education of the descendants and relations of the Nawab Bahadur of Murshidabad. As such, it has been a failure. Mixing only with their equals and removed from outside influences, these lads have no incentive to improvement. So convinced of this is His Highness that he has agreed to a proposal that the Madrassah should be amalgamated with the local Government High School. He hopes that by mixing with other boys in the High School the Nizamat boys will be stimulated to make better use of their time at school. The Nawab Bahadur has expressed a wish that any money saved by the amalgamation may be devoted to the furtherance of the proposed Ranchi Arts College Scheme. In Orissa the sons of Chiefs are educated chiefly at the Ravenshaw Collegiate School; while in the Chota Nagpur Division they are mostly sent to the Government High Schools.

Aboriginal Races and Tribes.

Number receiving education.

201. It was stated in the Fourth Quinquennial Review that out of the 6¼ million aborigines found in the area dealt with in that review, 2¼ million belonged to Bengal. This figure is scarcely affected by the Partition. The homes of these people are chiefly to be found in the Chota Nagpur, Bhagalpur and Orissa Divisions, the Orissa Tributary Mahals, and the Birbhum and Bankura districts of the Burdwan Division. The aboriginal population of a school-going age, at the usual calculation of 15 *per cent.*, comes to 337,500; and of this number 43,320 (9,342 Christians and 33,978 non-Christians), or 12 *per cent.* only, are receiving instruction. The increase in the number of pupils during the year under review was 2,021. This is satisfactory, but there is ample room for improvement. Government is much indebted to the various Missionary agencies which have done so much for the education of these people. There is however a wide field which those agencies cannot cover and which will have to be explored by the Education Department as funds become available.

Examination results.

202. As observed in the Fourth Quinquennial Report, Christian aboriginals secure better results in the examinations than non-Christian aboriginals. The examination results for the year 1905-1906 are so striking in this respect that I quote them below:—

Caste and creed of the pupils.	Total number of pupils attending educational institutions.	Standard VI or Middle Standard.				Standard IV or Upper Primary Standard.				Standard II or Lower Primary Standard.			
		Number passed.		Number gained scholarships.		Number passed.		Number gained scholarships.		Number passed.		Number gained scholarships.	
		Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
Christian Aboriginals	9,342	81	0	3	1	163	18	3	2	338	86	6	3
Non-Christian Aboriginals	33,978	49	...	2	...	145	...	1	...	745	8	33	...

Indigent Classes.

203. The number of pupils of these classes (both Hindu and Muhammadan) increased from 65,564 in the year 1904-1905 to 66,011 in the year under review, a result which is satisfactory so far as it goes. Indigent Muhammadans require particular care. Of the Hindu indigent classes the Domes, Chandals, Bagdis, Muchis and Haris deserve special attention. Of these five castes alone there are 2,485,211 in this Province; the Bagdis numbering 1,012,600, the Chandals 539,864, the Domes 323,956, the Muchis 357,919 and the Haris 250,872. At the usual calculation of 15 *per cent.*, the population of a school-going age of these five castes comes to 372,781. Here too therefore there is a wide field for improvement as funds become available.

Other Backward Races.

204. These races are shown in the returns as the Tharus, Lepchas, Oraons (*i.e.*, those members of the race that are Hindus) and Paharyas. The population of these tribes is 110,282, and the number of these people of a school-going age, at the usual calculation of 15 *per cent.*, is 16,542. Of this number 237, or 1·4 *per cent.* only, are receiving instruction. There is therefore ample scope for improvement in this direction also; and one of the first duties to be assigned to the inspecting staff, when it is strengthened, will be that of making a careful survey of the educational needs of the aboriginal races and tribes, indigent classes and backward races referred to in this and the last two paragraphs.

The Reformatory Schools at Alipore and Hazaribagh.

205. Inasmuch as a separate report has been submitted to Government in regard to these schools, it is unnecessary to give any detailed account of them in this report. The most satisfactory feature of the year's working was the marked improvement in respect of discipline and conduct. There is no doubt that this result is due to the policy laid down by Government that the boys are to be treated as if they were at school and not as if they were in jail. In pursuance of this humane and civilising policy, many important reforms are now in process of development. The chief of these are:—

(1) the project for the removal of the Alipore Reformatory School from its present site near the Alipore Jail to a site in the suburbs, where there will be no jail associations and where there will be plenty of room for play-grounds;

(2) the development of the industrial training given at the schools—and especially at the Alipore School—on more advanced and scientific lines:

(3) an improved and more conciliatory system of watch over discharged boys; and

(4) last, but certainly not least, a proposal to replace, as far as possible, the present illiterate guards by resident teachers qualified to influence the lives of the boys for good.

Miscellaneous Schools.

206. While deaf-mutes receive a certain amount of attention from Government, next to nothing is done for the blind. The Calcutta Deaf and Dumb School provides for 39 inmates, and a large share of the expenditure incurred is met by Government. On the other hand, the blind are much neglected. The Aided Anglican Mission School for the blind at Ranchi provides for some 19 pupils; but Calcutta, which might reasonably be expected to take the lead in such a matter, has only two small aided schools, viz., the London Mission Society's school,—called "ST. Anthony's School,"—with about 100 pupils, and the Elliott Road "Industrial Home for Blind Children" with about 13 pupils. There is certainly an opening here for beneficence, and it is to be hoped that the opportunity may not be neglected.

CHAPTER XII.

PRIVATE INSTITUTIONS.

Meaning of the term.

207. As stated in the Fourth Quinquennial Review the term "Private Institutions" includes "all schools which have not accepted Departmental or University standards, and do not submit to any public test." Care must be taken not to confuse these institutions with the schools "under private management," whether aided or unaided, which are recognized by the Department and which form the bulk of the public institutions shown in the statistical returns. These institutions are divided in the statistical returns attached to this report thus:—

(1) Advanced Institutions; teaching (*a*) Arabic, (*b*) Sanskrit, and (*c*) other Oriental languages.

(2) Elementary Institutions; including (*a*) Koran Schools, and (*b*) schools teaching a vernacular only or mainly.

(3) Other schools not conforming to departmental standards.

Under the head of advanced institutions teaching Sanskrit are included only those Sanskrit "tols" which do not conform to departmental standards. Those which do so conform are returned under the head of "School Education—Special—Miscellaneous," and are discussed in the chapter on collegiate education.

Statistics

208. The statistics furnished in regard to these institutions are necessarily unreliable. The Education Department has no control over the institutions in question, and there is no means of checking the figures returned by them. The justification for including such figures in the returns lies in the fact that it is very important to keep some account of these institutions, because they are for the most part schools in the making which may sooner or later be expected to improve their methods of teaching. As shown in the chapter on Muhammadan Education, many of the indigenous Muhammadan schools, called "*maktabs*," will henceforth be brought under the grant-in-aid system. At present, however, owing to the inadequacy of the inspecting staff, it is impossible for the Department to influence the bulk of the private institutions to any great extent. When the inspecting staff is increased, it will be feasible to do much in this direction; and one of the first duties then to be assigned to the local educational officers will be the preparation of an accurate survey of these schools. There are no great variations to report in regard to the number of schools or pupils in respect of the different classes of private institutions. Schools are reported to have increased from 5,141 to 5,215 and pupils from 54,841 to 57,021.

CHAPTER XIII.

PHYSICAL AND MORAL TRAINING.

Hostels and Messes.

Calcutta Mess Scheme for College Students.

209. As stated in the Fourth Quinquennial Review, hostels may be placed high in the list of influences on which reliance can be placed in moulding the character of students, because the existence of a well-arranged boarding-house affects fundamentally the character of the discipline and training afforded by a college or school and gives greater scope than anything else for the operation of other educational influences. I am glad to be able to say that the scheme inaugurated a few years ago for the improvement of the residence of college students in Calcutta is advancing. As stated in last year's report, Government has taken upon itself the responsibilty of finding mess accommodation for all college students in Calcutta, who are not certified by the Principals of their colleges to be living either with their parents or recognised guardians. According to this scheme each college has its own mess or messes; that is to say, students from different colleges are not allowed to congregate together where they please, but are told off to messes which are under the control of the Principals of their

colleges. On the other hand, the Principals of colleges undertake to recover, as far as possible, from the students in the shape of rent the expenditure incurred by Government. A certain amount of loss necessarily accrues to Government in the carrying out of this scheme, owing to various causes, such as the estimated accommodation taken on lease being more than what is actually found to be required, unexpected loss of students, &c. During the year under review the loss incurred by Government amounted to Rs. 6,423.

210. Towards the close of the year under review Government intimated to the University its consent to continue the scheme above referred to for four years, that is to say, until such time as the University should be able to take over from Government the control of a matter which primarily concerns that authority rather than Government. At a conference of Principals of colleges held by me in March last it was held that if the scheme was to be a success, the appointment of Superintendents to control the messes was essential. Arrangements have been made accordingly during the current year, the Superintendents having been appointed by the Principals of the colleges concerned; and Government has been asked to contribute an average sum of Rs. 20 a month in each case towards the pay of these officers. The officers selected as Superintendents are professors of colleges, teachers, graduates, or other qualified persons duly approved by the Principals.

211. The scheme is still in an experimental stage, and it would be rash to pronounce upon it. I hope however that it will develop into an orderly scheme which will be of much benefit to the students. Under the new University regulations residence either in hostels or messes and the appointment of resident superintendents at hostels and messes are compulsory. A Students' Residence Committee also is to be appointed, and Government may reasonably expect to receive valuable advice from this body as to the lines on which future developments should proceed. Whatever it may be possible to do in the immediate future, there can be very little doubt that the creation of collegiate hostels is the goal towards which progress points. I trust that a fair share of the money which Government is allotting to the University for the improvement of colleges may be spent in this way.

Mufassal Mess Scheme for College Student

212. At the instance of Government a scheme on lines similar to those followed in Calcutta has during the current year been initiated at all the important colleges in the mufassal. For this purpose Mr. Tipping, the officer who inaugurated the Calcutta Mess Scheme, was placed on special duty for three months early in the year. The colleges which have been dealt with are the Patna College, the Burdwan College, the Bankura Wesleyan Mission College, the Berhampore College, the Krishnagar College, the Midnapore College and the Ravenshaw College, Cuttack. The Hooghly College is already provided with hostel accommodation. This scheme is of course in its initial stage; but I am satisfied from inspections made by myself that it is a hopeful project.

Hostels for High Schools.

213. I hope that during the current year the Department will be in a position to take up the question of developing a proper system of residence for school-boys. Hitherto the working out of a scheme of residence for college students—a matter which primarily concerns the University—has devolved upon the Department owing to the inability of the University to deal with the matter. It will be a great relief when that authority is able to undertake the control of this subject and leave the Department to deal with that of residence for school boys. This will be a somewhat easier task, because in the case of such students a larger proportion come from the immediate neighbourhood of the schools and live with their parents. In some places what is chiefly required in regard to schools is the provision of hostels so as to enable boys from the interior of the districts to take advantage of higher education. This they are at present unable to do owing to the absence of the necessary facilities. It is for this purpose that an amendment of the Local Self-Government Act is in contemplation so as to permit District Boards to contribute towards the construction of hostels and the payment of hostel Superintendents. Lastly, I may mention that the new University regulations make it incumbent on the authorities of affiliated High Schools to see that all pupils, who are not resident with either parents or guardians,

live either in a hostel or mess under the control of some person responsible to the Head Master of the School for the discipline and well-being of such pupils. I am instructing Inspectors of Schools to draw the attention of Managers of aided High Schools to the regulations and to inform them that the question of hostel and mess accommodation will be taken into consideration when applications for grants-in-aid are received.

General remarks as regards hostels for colleges and schools.

214. Some of the messes at which students reside in the mufassal, in places where it has not been possible as yet to organise special arrangements, have been visited by me during the course of my tours, and I have no hesitation in saying that immediate reform is called for. It is scarcely conceivable that parents can know of the squalid dens in which their sons reside; and, whether they know or not, a very large measure of responsibility in this matter rests on the authorities conducting schools. The fact cannot be blinked that infinitely more harm may be done to boys in these so-called messes, than good can be done to them in the colleges or schools.

Statistics as regards boarding-houses, hostels and messes for European and Indian Students.

215. The number of hostels increased during the year under review from 346 to 410, and the number of inmates from 12,416 to 14,655. The decline in expenditure from Rs. 9,40,100 to Rs. 8,20,372, which occurred entirely under the head of boarding charges in European schools, is due to causes explained in the chapter on European Education.

Statistics as regards Hostels and Messes for Indian Students.

216. The number of hostels increased from 310 to 377, the number of inmates from 9,478 to 11,424 and the expenditure from Rs. 3,24,457 to Rs. 3,77,403. The bulk of this money, viz., Rs. 3,36,122, came from private sources, and Rs. 41,281 only from Provincial Revenues and District and Municipal Funds. This is satisfactory in view of the orders of the Government of India that hostels should, as far as possible, be self-supporting. It is also satisfactory to note that receipts from private sources increased by Rs. 37,728. The large increase in the number of hostels, inmates of hostels and expenditure on account of hostels is due (1) to the introduction of the Calcutta Mess Scheme for college students as described above, and (2) to the general impetus which has been given in recent years to the hostel movement.

Social Intercourse between Teachers and Students in Common-rooms and on Play-grounds.

217. Perhaps in no department can the good influence of professors and teachers be exercised on students more effectively than in common rooms and on play-grounds. Such influences can however only be brought to bear fully and effectively when social life has been evolved by teachers and students living near each other under the conditions of a residential institution. It is gratifying however to find that even in present circumstances the heads of not a few colleges and schools have been successful in promoting social relations between the students and the staff. This has been notably the case, as regards Government colleges, at the Patna, Madrassa and Sanskrit colleges, and the Bihar School of Engineering.

Physical Exercise and Games.

Physical Directors.

218. Two important proposals have been under consideration during the year, the one for the appointment of a Physical Director for Calcutta and the other for a similar officer for the Mufassal. The intention is that the officers to be appointed should be men of superior qualifications who have studied physical exercise from a scientific point of view. Such appointments are not uncommon in America, and the proposal as regards the appointment of such an officer for Calcutta came from an American source. I think that these appointments are very necessary, and, as soon as funds allow, I shall make a representation on the subject to Government. We are groping very much in the dark in the matter of calisthenics. The *Desi Kasrat*, or Indian system of gymnastics adopted from the Central Provinces, is in force in this Province. It is quite impossible, however, without expert advice, to say how far this system is a sound one. Many applications come up from Inspectors of Schools asking for large expenditure as regards the training of gymnastic teachers. I am declining to entertain these applications till we have some authority to whom we can look for advice as to how our money can best be spent.

219. There is nothing of special interest to be said this year as regards games and drill at colleges and schools. Physical exercise of some kind is compulsory, but in some cases I have found Head Masters of schools negligent of their duties in this respect. In Orissa the Inspector reports that the organisation of games is said to be hampered by the want of suitable playgrounds. A special report will be called for from him on this subject. Games and

Moral Training.

220. I have already dealt with the training of teachers in Chapter VI. As stated in the Fourth Quinquennial Review, the maintenance of a high standard of discipline depends chiefly on this training and on the character of the persons who enter the teaching profession. The formation of character is of course one of the main aims of education, and this is being very strongly emphasised in the revised syllabus of studies which is now under issue in respect of lower primary schools. Similar stress will be laid on the subject when the revision of the syllabus for the higher standards is undertaken. The revised syllabus above referred to begins with an Introduction which illustrates what I have said above, and I cannot do better than cite the two concluding paragraphs, which run thus:—

"Above all school life must prevent children from forming bad habits, and this it can only do by training them in good habits and, if possible, in good conduct, by which is meant something wider than the mere cheerful observance of school regulations. In the matter of this moral training the most important factor will be the habitual conduct of the teacher in the school. If he is thorough, patient, kind but firm, and scrupulously fair, these traits will evoke similar traits in his pupils, and will give point and force to any moral instruction he may attempt. A teacher who is obviously slipshod and lazy, discoursing to children about the value of industry and thoroughness, is an absurdity which cannot but prove morally disintegrating to a child. Stories in readers designed to inculcate morals tend, if silly, as they frequently are, to make moral instruction ridiculous. Even if they are good, they are of little value unless they are backed by personal example.

"The every-day incidents of school life will enable the teachers to impress upon the children the importance of punctuality, of good manners, of cleanliness and neatness, of cheerful obedience to duty, of consideration and respect for others, and of honour and truthfulness in word and act. Children will notice such details in the conduct of a teacher as punctuality, order, neatness and gentleness, and they will imitate what they see and hear. They are quick to observe; and if the teacher's conduct is in these respects defective, his example must almost certainly have a disastrous effect on the habits of the pupils. Thus, the punctual and methodical performances of duties, even in matters of trivial routine, will impress upon the children better than any lesson the importance of orderliness; and the good habits of the teacher will be even more powerful than his express requirements in shaping his pupils for the proper conduct of life."

In the course of this chapter the influence of the teachers employed, the influence resulting from the nature of the teaching imparted, and the influence of hostel life have all been mentioned. As, however, the Government of India pointed out in a letter issued during the year under review in reply to a memorial from certain residents of this Province, the greatest of all influences is that of home life, that is to say, of parents, relations and guardians. As that Government observed, that is an agency entirely independent of Government, and the State can neither call it into existence nor direct its operation; and it rests with the Indian people themselves to see that a proper moral atmosphere prevails in the Indian home.

Discipline at Colleges and Schools during the year under review.

221. Two grave breaches of discipline occurred at the Presidency College soon after effect was given to the Partition. Discipline at the Sibpur Civil Engineering College also suffered at the same time. It is reported that when the students joined the College in November 1905 they were suffering from the effects of political agitation, that a spirit of turbulence manifested itself, and that two of the ringleaders had to be expelled before order could be restored. The grant-in-aid of the Garbhawanipur High English School in the district of Howrah has been withdrawn on account of a bad case of boycotting by the students of that school. At the Hooghly College two students were punished for unruly behaviour in a public thoroughfare. At the Krishnagar College discipline has not been satisfactory. The district of Khulna also came unfavourably to notice on account of Breaches of discipline.

disturbances caused by students; and the Khulna Zillah School and the Daulatpur High School were deprived of the privilege of competing for Government scholarships for a year.

222. The question of the control of masters of schools over the conduct of boys beyond the school premises has recently formed the subject of discussion in Bombay, and an important Press Note has recently been issued by the Government of that Presidency, an extract from which, as reported in the newspapers, I quote below. It is a ruling of much importance.

"It is quite a mistake to suppose that the Head Master's authority over day boys does not extend beyond the school premises. In certain cases it is obvious that he is bound to take notice of misconduct, and in other matters though the necessity for his interference may not be so obvious, it is still unquestionable that an order given to a pupil must be obeyed. If any parent or guardian is dissatisfied with any order of the kind, it is always open to him to apply to higher authority, in which case he may be quite sure of a careful enquiry into the circumstances. But he should never counsel disobedience, which can only injure the boy whose welfare he desires to promote. Such disobedience would not be tolerated in any well regulated school in England, and cannot, in justice to the pupils, be permitted in this country. The importance of discipline, whether in the family or in the school, is a matter which can hardly be disputed, and the small minority who take a different view cannot reasonably expect others to agree with them. When disobedience occurs, it must be punished by the ordinary school methods."

CHAPTER XIV.

EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCES.

Revision of the scheme of vernacular education.

223. THE most important conferences held during the year under review were those in connection with the revision of the vernacular scheme of education which was brought into force in the year 1901, in so far as it affects lower primary, and especially rural lower primary, schools. This subject had been considered in the year 1904 by a conference specially convened by the Lieutenant-Governor. The results of that conference formed the subject of the Resolution of Government No. 658, dated the 7th February 1905, in which the public was invited to submit criticisms in regard to the scheme proposed. The replies received were then considered by a further conference, appointed by His Honour, which submitted a report to Government on the 3rd August 1905. The working out of the details of the scheme, as provisionally approved by the conference just referred to, was then referred to a special committee, which brought its labours to a conclusion at the close of the year under review. The views of the special committee were submitted by me to Government with my letter No. 86T., dated the 14th May 1906, and the orders of Government generally sanctioning the proposals made by the committee were received in Government letter No. 1800, dated the 5th July 1906. Active steps are now being taken to carry out the necessary reforms. A full account of the changes to be initiated has already been given in the chapter on Primary Education.

Conference at Darjeeling.

224. An important conference was held at Darjeeling shortly after the close of the year in connection with a proposal to extend primary education amongst the hill population. The results of this conference have been mentioned in the chapter on Primary Education.

Mufassal Educational Conferences.

225. Numerous useful conferences were held during the year by educational officers on various matters demanding concerted action. It is unnecessary to refer to the subjects discussed at these conferences; but I am glad to notice that officers of all grades are fully alive to the advantages of meeting together to deliberate over educational questions in which special difficulties are encountered.

Delegation of powers to Inspectors of Schools.

226. I hope during the course of the current year to be able to hold a conference of Inspectors of Schools with the object of deciding in what directions a delegation of the powers of the Director is at present feasible. The stress of work has been so great ever since I joined the office of Director in January 1906 that I have not as yet been able to convene a meeting. Probably it will not at present be possible to effect any

large delegation of powers; because of the well-known inadequacy of the Inspectorate. A beginning should however be made as soon as practicable; and, when the Inspectorate is strengthened, a further devolution of powers will be considered.

CHAPTER XV.

TEXT-BOOK COMMITTEES AND THE CALCUTTA SCHOOL BOOK SOCIETY.

The Central Text-Book Committee.

227. The working of the Central Text-Book Committee has recently been adversely criticised, the main objections raised being

(1) that the preliminary examination of text-books which is required under standing orders before their submission to the Text-Book Committee should not, as heretofore, be conducted in a confidential manner, but that the names of the persons consulted should be made public,

(2) that members of the Text-Book Committee should be remunerated for their work, and

(3) that the exclusion from the Text-Book Committee of persons who are authors or who have any interest in the production of text-books has the effect of depriving the Committee of the services of the very persons whose services would be of real use.

These questions are now under my consideration in connection with a proposal which has been made by certain publishing firms in Calcutta that Government support should be withdrawn from the School Book Society on the ground that the operations of the Society interfere with private trade. The functions of the School Book Society and the Text-Book Committee are interconnected, and it will be convenient to deal with all the questions raised together.

228. Meantime, I wish merely to say on the present occasion that I think that the functions of the Text-Book Committee have been somewhat misunderstood. These functions are strictly limited to *advising* Government as to which of certain books presented to them for examination are fit to be used in schools. That advice in practice merely amounts, as far as I can gather, to recommendations being made in favour of all books with any pretence to merit or suitability. The Committee has no power, even if it considers that the books submitted to it for examination are not as good as they should be, to take steps to secure the production of suitable books. In short, the production of text-books has been left to unguided private speculation. As shown however in the chapters on Secondary and Primary Education, this system has signally failed in respect of the production of suitable text-books for certain classes of schools, and Government has decided to bring out certain books itself, by the exercise of a power which is specially reserved to it under the rules. This does not of course mean that Government intends to monopolise the production of text-books. It will merely give the lead by showing the kind of books which are required; and, if private enterprise can produce equally good or better books, these will be accepted.

The Calcutta School Book Society.

229. The sales of the Calcutta School Book Society amounted during the year under review to Rs. 1,33,777, as against Rs. 1,66,338 in the year 1904-1905.

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Abstract Statement of Colleges, Schools, and Scholars in the Lower Provinces of Bengal for the Official year 1905-1906.

(For details, see General Table III.)

Area and Population.			Institutions and scholars.	Public Institutions.						Total.	Private Institutions.			Grand Total.	Percentage of—
				Collegiate education.		School education, general.		School education, special.							
Total area in square miles.	Number of towns and villages.	Population.		Arts colleges.	Professional colleges.	Secondary schools.	Primary schools.	Training schools.	All other special schools.		Advanced.	Elementary.	Total.		
1	2	3	4	5	3	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
194,432, including 14,257 square miles of Orissa Tributary States and 3,764 square miles of Sambalpore, and excluding the Rajshahi Division minus the district of Darjeeling, the district of Malda and the Dacca and Chittagong Divisions.	Towns, including municipalities 143 Villages ... 150,002 Total 150,148	Males ... 26,124,320 Females ... 26,545,049 Total ... 52,669,369 Number of population of school-going age— Males ... 3,913,723 Females ... 3,961,757 Total ... 7,906,480	Institutions. For males ...	32	15	1,471	33,672	118	525	35,833	1,669	3,501	5,170	41,003	Institutions to number of towns and villages. 27·89
			For females ...	2	...	63	2,861	20	2	2,948	...	45	45	2,993	2·00
			Total ...	34	15	1,534	36,533	138	527	38,781	1,669	3,546	5,215	43,996	29·89
			Scholars. Males ...	5,656	2,143	151,055	888,568	1,784	12,313	1,061,513	17,191	37,261	54,452	1,115,970	Male scholars to male population of school-going age. 23·67
			Females ...	19	17	5,593	167,921	393	261	113,739	169	2,469	2,638	116,393	Female scholars to female population of school-going age. 2·93
			Total ...	5,675	2,159	156,648	995,689	2,072	12,514	1,175,247	17,351	39,670	57,021	1,232,378	15·59

	Total direct expenditure on Public Instruction.						
	Collegiate education.		School education, general.		School education, special.		
	Arts colleges.	Professional colleges.	Secondary schools.	Primary schools.	Training schools.	All other special schools.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1.—Institutions { For males ...	7,51,718	4,69,128	26,81,856	24,51,013	1,34,180	4,85,478	69,73,373
1.—Institutions { „ females ...	13,977	...	4,05,293	3,27,494	70,858	2,791	8,20,513
Total ...	7,65,695	4,69,128	30,87,149	27,78,507	2,05,038	4,88,169	77,93,886
2.—(a) Percentage of provincial expenditure, included in columns 2—17, to total provincial expenditure on public instruction	6·1	10·8	14·9	7·5	4·4	8·4	54·1
(b) Percentage of district fund expenditure, included in columns 2—17, to total district fund expenditure on public instruction	·1	...	13·1	58·8	·1	·8	72·9
(c) Percentage of municipal fund expenditure, included in columns 2—17, to total municipal fund expenditure on public instruction ...	1·1	...	16·9	64·9	·1	3·6	86·6
(d) Percentage of total expenditure, included in columns 2—17, to total expenditure on public instruction ...	6·9	4·3	28·0	25·2	1·8	4·5	70·7
3.—Average annual cost of educating each pupil in—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Government institutions. { Cost to Provincial revenues	178 10 8	376 4 8	20 7 0	5 0 2	78 11 9	123 13 10	57 11 11
Government institutions. { Cost to district and municipal funds...	...	...	0 0 5	0 1 0	0 10 2	...	0 1 2
Total cost from all sources ...	280 1 11	447 4 11	42 7 5	5 8 1	82 6 6	142 9 8	81 7 6
Municipal and District Board institutions. { Cost to Provincial revenues	10 2 10	...	0 3 3	0 0 2	...	...	...
Municipal and District Board institutions. { Cost to district and municipal funds ...	24 8 8	...	5 0 1	3 2 3	...	41 12 0	4 7 3
Total cost from all sources ...	168 4 0	65 11 0	11 5 3	3 7 1	...	54 11 0	8 11 1
Aided institutions. { Cost to Provincial revenues	22 15 2	...	3 5 5	0 4 8	29 6 2	5 7 10	0 10 10
Aided institutions. { Cost to district and municipal funds...	...	...	1 6 8	0 14 9	0 3 0	1 8 0	0 15 7
Total cost from all sources ...	131 7 5	...	19 11 2	3 1 6	76 2 3	20 12 10	5 0 7
Unaided institutions—Total cost from all sources.	64 5 1	25 14 10	17 12 10	2 1 3	42 4 0	16 10 3	7 14 6
Total cost to Provincial revenues ...	43 14 0	167 14 10	3 4 10	0 4 4	57 1 7	23 10 11	1 10 7
„ municipal and district funds.	0 5 10	...	1 2 0	0 13 1	0 7 1	1 0 11	0 15 8
Total cost from all sources ...	135 14 1	214 8 1	20 3 6	2 15 9	79 1 8	40 7 9	7 0 8

GENERAL TABLE II.

Provinces of Bengal for the Official year 1905-1906.

General Table IV.)

TOTAL INDIRECT EXPENDITURE ON PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.								Total expenditure on public instruction.	REMARKS.
University.	Direction.	Inspection.	Scholarship.	Buildings.	Special grants for furniture and apparatus.	Miscellaneous.	Total.		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1,60,944	92,366	5,17,294	2,10,960*	11,52,803	1,09,155	9,88,141	32,31,663	1,10,25,349	
1,60,944	92,366	5,17,294	2,10,960*	11,52,803	1,09,155	9,88,141	32,31,663	1,10,25,349	
	2·7	8·6	4·2	25·7	1·4	3·3	45·9	100·0	
	...	18·2	3·1	·5	·7	4·6	27·1	100·0	
	...	3·6	·8	1·8	1·2	6·0	13·4	100·0	
1·5	·8	4·7	2·0	10·4	1·0	8·9	29·3	100·0	

Excluding Rs. 9,941, Assam Government scholarships, and Rs. 388, Central Provinces Government scholarships

EDUCATION—

Return of Colleges, Schools and Scholars in the

CLASS OF INSTITUTION.	PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS												
	UNDER PUBLIC MANAGEMENT.												
	Managed by Government.				Managed by District or Municipal Boards.				Maintained by Native States.				Aided by or Mu
	Number of institutions.	Number of scholars on the rolls on 31st March.	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Average daily attendance.	Number of institutions.	Number of scholars on the rolls on 31st March.	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Average daily attendance.	Number of institutions.	Number of scholars on the rolls on 31st March.	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Average daily attendance.	Number of institutions.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
ARTS COLLEGES.													
COLLEGIATE EDUCATION. — English	8	1,334	1,397	1,216	2	79	84	64	...	...	...	...	6
COLLEGES FOR PROFESSIONAL TRAINING.													
Law	4	63	61	39	1	27	29	22	...	...	...	...	...
Medicine	1	448	546	539	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Engineering	1	321	342	281	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agriculture	1	23	24	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Colleges	15	2,184	2,373	2,093	3	106	113	86	...	...	...	...	6
SECONDARY SCHOOLS.													
SCHOOL EDUCATION—GENERAL. — *For Boys*—													
High schools ... English	38	9,396	9,133	7,373	3	1,270	1,209	972	2	349	314	247	188
Middle ... English	4	454	461	392	29	2,220	2,130	1,678	18	1,332	1,238	975	478
Middle ... Vernacular	17	1,194	1,077	813	104	6,538	6,134	4,852	3	176	156	102	263
Total for Boys' Schools	59	11,054	10,671	8,478	136	10,027	9,473	7,502	23	1,857	1,708	1,208	929
For Girls—													
High schools ... English	1	181	167	134	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12
Middle ... English	1	117	84	79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37
Middle ... Vernacular	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
Total for Girls' Schools	2	298	245	213	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58
GRAND TOTAL OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS	61	11,352	10,916	8,691	136	10,027	9,473	7,502	23	1,857	1,708	1,208	987
PRIMARY SCHOOLS.													
For boys ... Upper Primary	99	3,928	3,887	2,754	97	8,476	8,229	6,453	7	301	307	195	2,000
For boys ... Lower ,,	3	114	119	89	5	412	373	296	342	6,063	5,367	4,220	24,168
Total Primary Schools for Boys	102	4,042	4,006	2,843	102	8,888	8,602	6,749	349	6,364	5,674	4,415	26,767
For girls ... Upper Primary	6	435	416	336	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	196
For girls ... Lower ,,	1	18	16	14	...	...	...	...	12	219	207	155	2,230
Total Primary Schools for Girls	7	453	432	350	...	...	...	...	12	219	207	155	2,426
GRAND TOTAL OF PRIMARY SCHOOLS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS	109	4,495	4,438	3,193	102	8,888	8,602	6,749	361	6,583	5,881	4,570	29,193
SCHOOLS FOR SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.													
SCHOOL EDUCATION—SPECIAL. — Training Schools—													
(a) For masters	111	1,560	1,464	1,156	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
(b) For mistresses	1	20	20	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18
Schools of Art	1	248	201	191	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Law schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Medical schools	3	465	518	461	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Engineering or Surveying schools	2	216	225	207	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Industrial schools	1	81	69	59	6	116	121	87	...	...	...	...	25
Commercial schools	1(b)	65	82	71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Agricultural schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Other schools — Madrassahs	3	560	508	396	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Other schools — Reformatory schools	2	345	346	332	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other schools — Miscellaneous schools	1	68	68	41	...	...	...	...	8	120	106	64	220
Total	126	3,028	3,561	2,934	6	116	121	87	8	120	106	64	285
TOTAL SCHOOLS OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION	311	21,659	21,288	16,911	247	19,137	18,309	14,424	392	8,560	7,695	5,902	30,472

PRIVATE INSTITUTIONS ...

1. ADVANCED, teaching—
   (a) Arabic or Persian ...
   (b) Sanskrit ...
   (c) Any other Oriental Classic ...
2. ELEMENTARY, teaching a Vernacular only or mainly
3. ELEMENTARY, teaching the Koran ...
4. OTHER SCHOOLS not conforming to Departmental Standard

(a) Excluding Doveton Colleg
(b) Attached to the Presidency College, and doing work equ

ERAL TABLE III.

A Statement of Colleges for the Official year 1905-1906.

PRIVATE MANAGEMENT.																		
ment or by District Boards.		Unaided.						NUMBER OF SCHOLARS ON 31ST MARCH LEARNING—										
								English.			A classical language.			A vernacular language.				
Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Average daily attendance.	Number of institutions.	Number of scholars on the rolls on 31st March.	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Average daily attendance.	Grand total of institutions.	Grand total of scholars on the 31st March.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Number of girls in Boys' Schools.	Number of boys in Girls' Schools.
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24a	24b	24	25a	25b	25	26a	26b	26	27	28
1,302	1,157	(a)18	2,881	2,702	2,196	34	5,675	5,656	19	5,675	4,026	2	4,028	...	7	7	...	...
...	...	7	1,282	1,182	748	12	1,372	1,372	...	1,372	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	443	426	17	443	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	321	321	...	321	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	23	23	...	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1,302	1,157	25	4,163	3,944	2,944	49	7,834	7,798	36	7,834	4,026	2	4,028	...	7	7	17	...
30,924	23,520	165	38,112	37,257	28,045	396	80,008	74,536	1	74,537	38,312	...	38,312	48,519	7	48,526	7	
32,612	25,810	119	7,487	7,109	5,518	648	94,246	22,514	41	22,555	570	8	578	42,717	169	42,886	202	...
15,121	12,019	40	2,466	2,389	1,913	427	25,697	4,834	...	4,834	...	...	...	25,513	184	25,697	184	...
78,607	61,349	324	48,015	46,815	35,476	1,471	150,551	101,884	42	101,926	38,882	8	38,890	116,749	360	117,109	394	...
1,397	1,200	...	...	...	...	13	1,566	197	1,298	1,495	26	512	538	29	517	546	...	200
3,467	2,887	...	...	...	...	38	3,813	307	2,341	2,648	138	758	896	168	1,291	1,459	...	632
528	426	3	136	120	112	12	718	...	54	54	...	...	...	76	642	718	...	76
5,412	4,513	3	139	120	112	63	6,097	704	3,693	4,597	164	1,270	1,434	273	2,450	2,723	...	908
84,100	65,862	327	48,154	46,935	35,589	1,534	156,648	102,588	3,735	106,323	39,046	1,278	40,324	117,022	2,810	119,832	394	898
113,804	88,932	60	2,641	2,446	1,990	2,872	134,017	341	141	482	195	16	211	129,017	4,651	133,668	4,782	...
625,902	511,454	9,292	120,699	108,017	91,487	30,800	796,620	88	8	96	2,309	158	2,467	767,065	38,445	795,510	38,453	...
739,406	600,388	9,352	123,340	110,463	93,477	33,672	930,637	429	149	578	2,504	174	2,678	886,082	43,096	929,178	43,235	...
9,494	6,841	5	214	193	162	207	10,527	277	595	872	2	1	3	279	9,423	9,702	...	351
45,510	34,656	411	7,262	6,607	5,486	2,654	55,425	44	86	130	3	273	276	1,571	53,710	55,281	...	1,615
55,004	41,507	416	7,476	6,800	5,648	2,861	65,952	321	681	1,002	5	274	279	1,850	63,133	64,983	...	2,166
794,410	641,895	9,768	130,816	117,263	99,125	36,533	995,589	750	830	1,580	2,509	448	2,957	887,932	106,229	994,161	43,235	2,166
333	207	1	21	18	18	118	1,808	63	...	63	294	...	294	1,756	52	1,808	52	...
827	627	1	32	30	28	20	864	21	427	448	...	...	...	28	800	828	...	28
...	...	3	211	195	166	4	459	...	9	3	...	...	...	456	...	456	3	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	3	566	503	381	6	1,031	495	2	497	...	...	...	516	18	534	20	...
28	21	...	...	...	...	3	243	192	...	192	...	...	...	51	...	51	...	...
638	420	2	105	110	84	41	993	154	...	154	...	...	...	815	29	844	29	...
112	75	2	109	105	91	6	269	253	16	269	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	2	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...
177	137	7	528	478	423	13	1,248	283	...	283	1,212	...	1,212	249	...	149	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	345	6	...	6	...	...	...	345	...	345	...	...
4,803	3,405	213	3,572	3,122	2,609	451	7,918	174	25	199	6,837	43	6,880	967	133	1,100	66	...
6,311	4,854	239	4,844	4,651	3,760	665	15,186	1,641	479	2,114	8,343	43	8,386	5,086	1,032	6,118	168	28
886,124	719,806	7,369	187,077	172,793	141,417	38,781	1,175,257	112,777	5,080	117,851	53,924	1,771	55,695	1,010,040	110,078	1,120,118	43,814	3,092
...	...	...	...	...	...	934	19,744	12	...	12	10,368	160	10,528	216	...	216	160	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	735	6,097	...	...	...	6,602	...	6,602	5	...	5	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
or boys	...	...	...	...	...	2,787	20,774	37	...	37	92	...	92	26,289	440	26,729	440	...
girls	...	...	...	...	...	5	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	42	45	...	3
or boys	...	...	...	...	...	450	6,010	...	...	...	5,583	398	5,983	205	29	234	406	...
girls	...	...	...	...	...	16	287	...	...	...	36	210	246	11	41	52	...	42
or boys	...	...	...	...	...	374	5,382	1,495	3	1,498	429	...	429	4,824	134	4,958	134	...
girls	...	...	...	...	...	24	1,142	...	18	18	...	285	285	...	1,142	1,142	...	...
				Total	...	5,815	57,021	1,534	21	1,555	23,112	1,053	24,165	31,553	1,893	33,381	1,140	45
				GRAND TOTAL FOR 1905-1906	...	43,996	1,232,278	114,311	5,101	119,406	77,036	2,824	79,860	1,041,593	111,906	1,153,499	44,954	3,137

not furnished any return.
standard equal to intermediate or First Arts examination.

EDUCATION—GENERAL TABLE IIIA.

Number of Scholars on the 31st March 1906, in the Lower Provinces of Bengal, classified according to sex, race or creed, for 1905-1906.

		Europeans and Eurasians.	Native Christians.	Hindus. Brahmans.	Hindus. Non-Brahmans.	Muhammadans.	Buddhists.	Parsis.	Others.	TOTAL.
COLLEGIATE EDUCATION.										
Arts Colleges.										
English	Male	28	77	1,885	3,392	361	6	3	4	5,686
	Female	3	3	1	12	...	...	...	...	19
Colleges for Professional Training.										
Law	Male	4	7	465	823	70	2	...	1	1,372
	Female	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Medicine	Male	65	8	89	248	15	1	...	...	426
	Female	12	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	17
Engineering	Male	47	3	106	155	9	...	...	1	331
	Female	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Agriculture	Male	1	...	3	19	...	...	...	...	23
	Female	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total	160	102	2,549	4,649	455	9	4	6	7,834
SCHOOL EDUCATION—GENERAL.										
Secondary Schools.										
For Boys—										
High Schools	Male	1,609	1,431	23,300	46,969	7,072	96	64	140	80,681
	Female	...	...	5	2	...	...	...	...	7
Middle Schools—										
English	Male	1,169	902	10,442	26,044	4,192	4	29	370	44,043
	Female	32	20	61	87	3	...	...	...	203
Vernacular	Male	1	380	6,022	16,173	2,446	...	...	491	25,513
	Female	...	...	59	123	2	...	...	...	184
For Girls—										
High Schools	Male	180	18	11	7	...	...	4	10	200
	Female	732	208	132	562	3	1	13	15	1,366
Middle Schools—										
English	Male	365	65	33	78	3	2	3	73	622
	Female	1,737	633	150	501	11	1	26	112	3,191
Vernacular	Male	...	25	3	46	...	...	...	2	76
	Female	...	329	59	253	4	...	...	...	645
	Total	5,795	4,028	40,177	91,465	13,736	104	180	1,213	156,646
Primary Schools.										
For Boys	Male	329	7,642	94,937	633,070	126,416	296	1	31,711	886,402
	Female	149	1,130	7,390	30,656	3,286	16	...	728	43,255
For Girls	Male	290	279	267	1,173	129	...	13	25	2,166
	Female	600	3,372	12,948	41,871	4,740	2	18	535	63,786
	Total	1,368	12,423	115,532	696,350	136,571	314	32	33,999	995,589
SCHOOL EDUCATION—SPECIAL.										
Training Schools	Male	...	188	458	928	139	...	...	71	1,784
	Female	26	797	6	55	...	...	...	4	888
Schools of Art	Male	2	3	163	277	9	2	...	...	456
	Female	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Law Schools	Male	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Female	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Medical Schools	Male	4	9	310	566	119	1	2	...	1,011
	Female	2	15	...	3	...	...	...	...	20
Engineering and Surveying Schools.	Male	...	...	64	155	24	...	...	...	243
	Female	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Industrial Schools	Male	...	195	57	474	209	...	...	34	969
	Female	...	15	...	...	13	...	...	1	29
Commercial Schools	Male	24	3	87	120	19	...	...	...	253
	Female	16	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	16
Agricultural Schools	Male	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
	Female	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Schools — Madrasahs	Male	...	...	...	...	1,248	...	...	...	1,248
	Female	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Schools — Reformatory Schools.	Male	6	5	9	300	119	...	...	6	345
	Female	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Schools — Miscellaneous Schools.	Male	1	93	6,494	868	328	1	1	...	7,785
	Female	...	31	4	36	65	...	...	...	(a)133
	Total	84	1,353	7,652	3,684	2,390	4	3	116	15,186
Total of Scholars in Public Institutions		7,407	17,906	165,910	796,048	153,052	431	169	34,334	1,175,257
PRIVATE INSTITUTIONS.										
Advanced Teaching—										
(a) Arabic or Persian	Male	...	...	29	2,213	8,242	...	...	...	10,584
	Female	...	...	...	1	159	...	...	...	160
(b) Sanskrit	Male	...	...	6,493	115	...	...	...	...	6,607
	Female	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(c) Any other Oriental Classic.	Male	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Female	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elementary Teaching—A Vernacular only or mainly—										
For Boys	Male	...	95	2,796	20,813	2,550	...	...	165	26,324
	Female	...	14	54	346	22	...	...	3	440
For Girls	Male	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	3
	Female	...	...	7	35	...	...	...	...	42

(a) Including 34 girls in two miscellaneous schools for girls in Calcutta.

GENERAL TABLE IIIA.—*concluded.*

Number of Scholars on the 31st March 1906, classified according to sex, race or creed, etc.—concluded.

	Europeans and Eurasians.	Native Christians.	Hindus.		Muhammadans.	Buddhists.	Parsis.	Others.	TOTAL.
			Brahmans.	Non-Brahmans.					
PRIVATE INSTITUTIONS—*concld.*									
3. Elementary Teaching—The Koran only—									
For Boys ... ... { Male	...	...	...	4	5,630	...	...	...	5,634
{ Female	...	...	...	1	405	...	...	...	406
For Girls ... ... { Male	...	...	...	...	42	...	...	...	42
{ Female	...	...	...	...	245	...	...	...	245
4. Other schools not conforming to Departmental Standards—									
For Boys ... ... { Male	1	254	697	2,849	1,418	5	...	24	5,248
{ Female	...	91	1	34	6	2	...	...	134
For Girls ... ... { Male	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Female	...	8	334	766	34	...	...	...	1,142
Total Scholars in Private Institutions ...	1	462	10,320	27,167	18,613	...	...	181	57,021
GRAND TOTAL ...	7,408	18,368	176,230	823,235	171,905	438	169	34,525	12,32,278

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Return of Expenditure on Public Instruction in the Lower

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE.	UNDER PUBLIC MANAGEMENT.																
	Managed by Government.							Managed by District or Municipal Boards.							Maintaine		
	Provincial revenues.	District funds.	Municipal funds.	Fees, including fees paid from Mohsin Fund.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	Provincial revenues.	District funds.	Municipal funds.	Fees, including fees paid from Mohsin Fund.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	Native States' revenues.	Local Funds in Native States.	Municipal Funds raised in Native States.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
DIRECT EXPENDITURE.																	
COLLEGIATE EDUCATION.																	
Arts Colleges.																	
English	2,42,614	...	...	1,46,111	...	2,609	3,91,334	855	900	1,161	4,888	175	5,734	13,713	...	..	..
Colleges for Professional Training.																	
Law	...	...	...	4,751	...	...	4,751	...	...	...	1,905	...	...	1,905	...	...	...
Medicine	2,39,954	...	.	34,834	...	...	2,64,788	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Engineering	1,29,249	...	...	22,405	..	6,262	1,57,916	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agriculture	8,057	...	...	1,040	...	...	9,097	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for professional Colleges ...	3,67,260	.	...	63,050	...	6,262	4,36,572	...	...	...	1,905	...	...	1,905	...		...
Total for Colleges ...	6,09,874	...	...	2,09,161	...	8,871	8,27,906	855	900	1,161	6,793	175	5,734	15,618	.	.	...
Secondary Schools.																	
For Boys—																	
High Schools ... English	1,51,963	...	...	2,13,738	4,120	3,829	3,73,655	1,800	250	..	25,220	...	...	27,270	7,172	...	...
Middle ,, ... English	28,096	...	..	9,047	...	...	37, 43	100	9,903	782	16,514	3,627	21	24,347	14,294	...	..
Middle ,, ... Vernacular	7,498	...	323	1,946	308	33	10,168	64	36,273	930	15,351	3,244	21	55,883	1,047		
Total for Secondary Schools for Boys ...	1,87,162	...	323	2,24,731	4,488	3,862	4,21,566	1,964	46,706	1,712	57,145	6,771	42	1,07,340	22,511	..	
For Girls—																	
High Schools ... English	16,751	...	...	3,890	...	...	20,641	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Middle ,, ... Vernacular	18,195	...	...	3,170	...	...	21,365	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total for Secondary Schools for Girls ...	34,946	...	...	7,060	...	...	42,006	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total Secondary Schools for Boys and Girls	2,23,108	...	323	2,31,791	4,488	3,862	4,63,572	1,964	46,706	1,712	57,145	6,771	42	1,07,340	22,511	..	...
Primary Schools.																	
For Boys—																	
Upper Primary	19,666	224	48	1,809	5	15	21,787	126	25,363	679	2,361	...	...	28,529	617	...	...
Lower ,, ...	489	12		75	...	..	586		402	606	121	...	..	1,129	5,064	...	...
Total for Primary Schools for Boys ...	20,155	236	48	1,884	5	15	22,373	126	25,765	1,285	2,482	...	...	29,658	5,681	...	...
For Girls—																	
Upper Primary	2,087	...	...	...	...	...	2,087	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lower ,, ...	12	...	..	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	480	...	..
Total for Primary Schools for Girls ..	2,099	...	...	...	...	...	2,099	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	480	..	...
Total Primary Schools for Boys and Girls ..	22,254	236	48	1,884	5	15	24,442	126	25,765	1,285	2,482	...	...	29,658	6,161	...	..
SCHOOLS FOR SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS.																	
Training Schools for—																	
(*a*) Masters	1,14,959	949	...	4,403	7	93	1,20,111	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(*b*) Mistresses	1,886	...	...	...	...	...	1,886	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Schools of Art	59,508	...	...	5,947	...	...	67,455	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Law Schools		...	...		...			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Medical Schools	75,104	...	...	13,953	...	568	89,621	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Engineering and Surveying Schools	33,365	...	..	4,710	..	1,566	39,637	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Technical and Industrial Schools	4,524	...	...	482	...	8 0	5,856	...	4,812	240	1,007	...	482	6,541	...	...	...
Commercial Schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agricultural ,, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Schools—																	
Reformatory Schools	52,980	...	...	...	...	4,987	57,967	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madrassas	31,702	...	..	2,727	...	2,752	37,181	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous Schools	...	...	...	...	...	457	457	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,659	...	...
Total ...	3,74,118	949	..	32,224	7	11,133	4,18,491	...	4,812	240	1,007	...	482	6,541	1,659	..	...
Total of Direct Expenditure ...	12,29,364	1,18	371	4,75,070	4,500	23,931	17,34,411	2,945	77,183	4,398	61,427	6,946	6,258	1,59,157	30,331	...	...

L TABLE IV.

Bengal for the official year 1905-1906.

ITUTIONS.												TOTAL EXPENDITURE FROM—						
	UNDER PRIVATE MANAGEMENT.															ALL OTHER SOURCES.		
	Aided by Government or by District or Municipal Boards.							Unaided.									Public.	
Total.	Government allowance.	District funds.	Municipal funds.	Fees, including fees paid from Mohsin Fund.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	Fees, including fees paid from Mohsin Fund.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	Provincial revenues.	District funds.	Municipal funds.	Fees, including fees paid from Mohsin Fund.	Private.	Native States' Revenues.	Imperial contributions.
28	29	34	35	36	37	38	39	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	39a
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
...	31,959	...	...	59,185	43,457	43,457	1,82,999	1,01,993	4,506	71,819	1,77,649	2,75,619	966	1,161	3,21,286	1,76,780	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29,325	...	1,326	30,651	...	...	...	35,961	1,926	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,39,954	...	...	34,554	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,29,240	...	...	22,405	6,262	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,057	...	...	1,049	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29,325	...	1,326	30,651	3,67,250	...	...	94,969	7,988	...	...
...	31,959	...	...	59,185	43,457	43,457	1,82,999	1,30,557	4,506	73,145	2,08,300	6,42,879	966	1,161	4,05,686	1,84,687	...	...
7,972	1,16,127	2,619	6,237	4,55,991	79,960	40,678	7,03,474	5,74,302	53,323	1,21,691	7,48,326	2,69,945	2,869	6,237	13,79,994	3,63,789	7,178	...
14,690	45,241	66,214	5,463	1,08,231	1,06,818	27,955	4,54,031	29,990	39,200	9,884	79,104	74,667	91,427	6,244	2,37,339	1,79,305	14,322	...
1,082	14,396	23,727	2,019	64,315	31,658	63,711	1,37,726	4,716	6,636	3,484	14,856	21,853	59,980	3,372	84,358	49,180	1,047	...
23,644	1,75,764	1,92,570	13,718	7,07,449	3,18,536	71,444	12,86,231	6,08,339	91,159	1,34,759	8,34,256	3,68,340	1,54,276	15,753	15,92,291	6,89,282	22,520	...
...	43,089	...	384	85,021	15,900	23,230	1,67,620	...	...	...	...	59,840	...	384	86,021	39,930	...	...
...	59,536	126	1,323	76,066	41,568	13,998	1,88,641	...	...	...	...	77,751	120	1,323	76,066	34,966	...	...
...	2,541	106	356	363	2,301	143	5,653	5	1,968	...	1,973	2,541	106	356	326	3,711	...	...
...	1,05,166	232	2,055	1,62,410	59,669	36,368	3,61,914	5	1,968	...	1,973	1,40,132	226	2,055	1,62,475	97,603	...	...
23,683	2,80,930	1,92,802	15,773	8,69,859	3,78,205	1,07,810	16,57,145	6,08,344	93,556	1,34,759	8,35,229	5,08,472	1,54,504	17,808	17,58,866	6,88,886	22, 11	...
893	53,096	1,27,197	15,189	1,85,235	49,532	24,108	4,04,357	3,121	5,262	2,546	10,929	72,878	1,62,784	15,916	1,92,715	75,388	6,884	...
18,554	95,476	4,71,216	40,608	8,91,917	78,401	1,20,584	16,97,292	1,74,206	13,002	24,779	2,11,987	95,975	4,71,030	41,214	10,79,217	2,25,160	11,382	...
19,447	1,48,572	6,08,413	55,797	10,77,152	1,22,023	1,44,692	21,56,649	1,77,327	18,264	27,325	2,22,916	1,68,853	6,34,414	57,130	12,71,932	3,00,448	18,266	...
...	38,606	3,861	4,305	12,717	35,819	26,073	1,21,471	970	3,446	525	4,942	40,783	3,861	4,305	13,687	65,110	754	...
636	44,777	54,344	7,083	17,445	32,554	25,778	1,82,080	402	14,365	1,491	16,366	44,789	54,344	7,083	17,937	72,714	2,128	...
636	83,473	58,205	11,387	30,162	68,473	51,851	3,03,551	1,372	17,811	2,025	21,208	85,572	58,205	11,387	31,624	1,37,824	2,882	...
20,083	2,32,045	6,66,618	67,184	11,07,314	1,90,496	1,96,543	24,59,200	1,78,699	36,075	29,350	2,44,124	2,54,423	6,92,619	68,517	13,03,556	4,38,272	21,118	...
...	4,270	...	...	...	7,951	...	12,221	...	1,548	...	1,548	1,19,239	949	...	4,403	9,599	...	...
...	26,679	56	143	2,723	13,194	25,587	68,493	...	480	...	480	28,765	56	143	2,723	39,171	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,794	48	8,350	13,192	59,508	...	...	10,741	8,398	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26,285	500	...	26,785	75,494	...	...	40,244	1,008	...	...
...	406	...	...	14	...	...	420	...	...	...	...	33,771	...	...	4,780	1,516	...	...
...	3,430	1,933	74	284	17,018	6,917	29,656	200	...	620	820	7,954	6,743	314	1,973	19,867	...	...
...	200	...	...	917	612	2,041	3,770	4,676	...	158	4,834	200	...	...	5,593	2,811	...	...
...	...	360	...	...	...	...	360	...	...	...	...	...	360	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	180	48	60	50	296	12	646	602	6,177	4,187	10,966	52,680	48	60	3,379	4,987	...
1,082	24,080	1,849	3,370	1,858	21,481	25,938	78,316	1,112	8,193	10,701	20,007	24,080	31,683	1,849	3,370	3,671	13,424	4,187
1,082	59,845	4,386	3,847	5,546	54,462	60,495	1,87,851	37,670	16,944	24,016	78,632	4,33,565	10,047	3,897	70,457	1,65,986	4,187	...
45,178	6,04,349	7,79,702	86,604	30,37,874	5,68,400	4,13,303	44,88,228	9,55,370	1,50,176	2,61,270	13,66,715	18,36,639	8,58,070	91,373	35,43,735	15,16,053	47,8	...

EDUCATION—

Return of Expenditure on Public Instruction in the Lower Pro

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE.	UNDER PUBLIC MANAGEMENT.																	P
	Managed by Government.							Managed by District or Municipal Boards.							Maintained by			
	Provincial revenues.	District funds.	Municipal funds.	Fees, including fees paid from Mohsin Fund.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	Provincial revenues.	District funds.	Municipal funds.	Fees, including fees paid from Mohsin Fund.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	Native States' revenues.	Local Funds in Native States.	Municipal Funds raised in Native States.	Fees.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
INDIRECT EXPENDITURE.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs
dings	2,97,162	108	...	...	...	15,630	3,12,900	440	2,016	...	...	329	256	3,041	2,810	...	...	...
niture and Apparatus (Special Grants ly).	39,066	...	2	...	...	...	39,068	...	3,522	346	...	...	...	3,868	1,321	...	...	...
Total ...	3,36,228	108	2	...	...	15,630	3,51,968	440	5,538	346	...	329	256	6,909	4,131	...	...	...
rersity	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ction	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
nection	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
olarships or ipends held	Arts Colleges	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Medical College	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Other Professional Colleges	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Secondary Schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Primary ,, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Medical ,, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Technical and Industrial Schools.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Other Special Schools ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Charges for Scholarships ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ellaneous—																		
Hostel (Boarding charges)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Charges for abolished Schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Charges for conducting examinations ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Stipends, Prizes and Rewards to unrecognised Tols	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Stipends, Prizes and Rewards to Maktabs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Payments to other private Schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Contingencies and Miscellaneous	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Miscellaneous Charges ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Indirect Expenditure ...	3,36,228	108	2	...	...	15,630	3,51,968	440	5,538	346	...	329	256	6,909	4,131	...	...	...
TOTAL EXPENDITURE ON PUBLIC INSTRUCTION IN 1905-1906	15,65,582	1,253	373	4,75,070	4,500	39,5[illegible]	20,86,379	3,385	82,721	4,744	61,427	7,275	6,514	1,66,066	34,462	...	...	14,

TABLE IV—*concluded.*

ngal for the official year 1905-1906—concluded.

UTIONS.												TOTAL EXPENDITURE FROM—							
	UNDER PRIVATE MANAGEMENT.																		
	Aided by Government or by District or Municipal Boards.							Unaided.								ALL OTHER SOURCES.			
																	Public.		
Total.	Provincial revenues.	District funds.	Municipal funds.	Fees, including fees paid from Mohsin Fund.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	Fees, including fees paid from Mohsin Fund.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	Provincial revenues.	District funds.	Municipal funds.	Fees, including fees paid from Mohsin Fund.	Private.	Native States' revenues.	Imperial contributions.	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	39a	
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
2,810	5,71,991	2,861	1,872	24,962	50,689	78,508	7,39,903	13,801	739	79,709	94,149	8,71,608*	5,005	1,872	38,763	2,28,165	7,390	...	11,5
1,331	7,846	4,706	897	14,461	5,545	19,141	52,596	1,979	139	10,174	12,292	47,212†	8,368‡	1,245	16,440	31,412	1,458	...	1,0
4,141	5,79,837	7,567	2,769	39,423	65,234	97,649	7,92,499	15,780	878	89,783	1,06,441	9, 8,820	13,373	3,117	55,203	2,62,577	8,848	...	12,6
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,60,944‡	...	...	...	1,
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	92,306	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,91,328	2,14,259	3,810	...	159	7,738	...	5,
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	62,000§	...	...	...	15,790	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,014‖	...	...	...	4,324	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,500¶	1,329	531	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44,817	16,980	197	...	2,671	2,181	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,753	13,579	...	...	175	544	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,852	844	...	...	1,066	115	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,127	3,548	139	...	278	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,930	720	...	...	2,536	430	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,42,993	37,000	857	...	26,840	3,370	...	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	68,668	6	1,221	5,13,197	2,32,130	150	...	8
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,693	18,809	728	...	134	62	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,892	377	3	1,947	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	51	436	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	213	3	408	...	18	108	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,081	3	940	...	598	6	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28,120	36,654	2,627	10,387	50,35	...	...	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,12,847	54,603	6,363	5,30,471	2,83,531	326	...	1
4,141	5,79,837	7,567	2,769	39,423	65,234	97,649	7,92,499	15,780	878	89,783	1,06,441	15,58,354	3,19,255	14,147	7,46,618	5,73,107	20,162	...	3
49,319	11,84,177	7,87,299	89,378	20,77,297	6,31,654	5,10,954	52,80,724	9,71,050	1,51,053	3,51,053	14,73,156	33,94,903	11,77,325	1,06,520	42,90,383	19,89,150	67,998	...	1,1

* Including Rs. 2,015 paid to unaided schools from Provincial Revenues.
† Including Rs. 300 paid from Provincial Revenues and Rs. 160 from District Fund to unaided school.
‡ University saved Rs. 886.
§ Excluding Rs. 6,940, Assam Government scholarships.
‖ Excluding Rs. 45, Assam Government, and Rs. 388 Central Provinces Government scholarships.
¶ Excluding Rs. 3,956, Assam Government scholarships.

EDUCATION—

Return of the Stages of Instruction of Pupils in Public Schools for Secondary and Primary

Class of Schools.		Number of schools.	Number of pupils on the rolls on 31st March.	High Stage. Comprising all pupils who have passed beyond the Lower Secondary (Middle) Stage, but have not passed the Matriculation Examination, or an examination of an equivalent standard.			Middle Stage. Comprising all pupils who have passed beyond the Upper Primary Stage, but have not passed beyond the Lower Secondary (Middle) Stage.		
				1			2		
				Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Secondary Schools for Boys. (*English and Vernacular.*)									
Government	English	42	9,860	5,411	...	5,411	1,916	...	1,916
	Vernacular	17	1,134	...	...	...	206	...	206
District Fund	English	27	2,471	345	...	345	554	...	554
	Vernacular	102	6,349	...	...	...	1,145	...	1,145
Municipal	English	5	1,098	496	...	496	201	...	201
	Vernacular	2	179	...	...	...	27	...	27
Native States	English	20	1,891	104	...	104	282	...	282
	Vernacular	2	176	...	...	...	25	...	25
Aided	English	666	94,925	12,912	...	12,912	14,618	15	14,637
	Vernacular	263	15,333	...	...	...	2,413	...	2,413
Unaided	English	264	45,549	14,815	...	14,815	10,891	...	10,891
	Vernacular	40	2,456	...	...	...	419	..	419
	Total	1,471	150,551	34,083	...	34,083	32,696	15	32,696
Secondary Schools for Girls. (*English and Vernacular.*)									
Government	English	2	296	....	47	47	...	85	85
Aided	English	49	5,081	4	188	192	21	838	849
	Vernacular	9	579	...	...	...	4	25	25
Unaided	English	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...
	Vernacular	3	139	...	...	...	...	28	28
	Total	63	6,097	4	235	239	25	969	994
Total Secondary Schools for boys and girls		1,534	156,648	34,087	235	34,322	32,613	984	33,597
Primary Schools for Boys.									
Government		102	4,042	...	...	...	...	...	...
District Fund		95	6,440	...	...	...	...	...	...
Municipal		7	408	...	...	...	...	...	...
Native States		349	6,564	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aided		26,767	787,003	...	...	..	4	...	4
Unaided		6,358	123,340	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total	33,678	929,837	...	...	...	4	...	4
Primary Schools for Girls.									
Government		7	453	...	...	..	...	...	...
District Fund		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Municipal		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Native States		12	219	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aided		2,496	57,804	...	...	...	...	10	10
Unaided		616	7,479	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total	3,031	65,955	...	...	...	...	10	10
Total Primary Schools for boys and girls		36,633	995,792	...	...	...	4	10	14
TOTAL FOR 1905-1906 FOR SECONDARY SCHOOLS.		33,067	1,152,337	34,057	235	34,292	32,917	994	33,611

General Table V.

Education in the Lower Provinces of Bengal at the end of the official year 1905-1906.

Upper Primary Stage.			Lower Primary Stage.						Total.		
Comprising all pupils who have passed beyond the Lower Primary Stage, but have not passed beyond the Upper Primary Stage.			Comprising all pupils who have not passed beyond the Lower Primary Stage.								
			Reading printed books.			Not reading printed books.					
3			4			5					
Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
1,745	...	1,745	760	...	760	28	...	28	2,533	...	2,533
295	...	295	492	1	493	20	...	200	1,108	1	1,104
679	3	682	692	11	703	114	2	116	2,335	16	2,351
1,339	...	1,341	2,952	6	2,958	358	7	365	6,334	15	6,349
221	2	221	204	...	204	6	...	6	1,098	...	1,098
17	...	17	122	...	122	13	...	13	179	...	179
415	2	417	624	1	625	242	11	253	1,667	14	1,681
27	...	27	95	...	95	29	...	29	176	...	176
17,145	19	17,164	16,380	76	16,456	3,058	48	3,106	64,107	158	64,265
3,615	5	3,620	7,071	88	7,159	2,172	64	2,236	15,176	157	15,333
9,238	...	9,238	3,760	7	3,767	1,203	15	1,218	45,527	22	45,549
592	1	593	1,075	2	1,077	378	8	386	2,455	11	2,466
35,948	32	35,980	39,237	192	39,419	8,341	155	8,496	150,157	394	150,551
...	83	83	...	83	83	...	...	...	...	298	298
93	836	929	642	2,090	2,732	62	317	379	833	4,259	5,092
11	73	84	35	240	275	21	167	188	71	508	579
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	4	4	5	72	77	...	30	30	5	134	139
104	996	1,100	682	2,485	3,167	83	514	597	898	5,199	6,097
36,052	1,028	37,080	39,909	2,677	42,586	8,424	669	9,093	151,055	5,593	156,648
765	...	765	2,292	12	2,304	966	7	973	4,023	19	4,042
1,703	29	1,732	4,871	668	5,539	976	233	1,209	7,550	930	8,480
8	...	8	291	...	291	109	...	109	408	...	408
52	...	52	3,410	80	3,481	2,697	135	2,832	6,149	215	6,364
19,959	119	20,089	456,619	14,615	471,234	274,247	21,449	295,696	750,820	36,183	787,003
645	10	655	64,254	1,765	66,019	50,553	4,113	60,666	117,452	5,888	123,340
23,123	158	23,281	527,727	17,140	544,867	335,548	25,937	361,485	886,402	43,235	929,637
...	62	62	...	274	274	...	117	117	...	453	453
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	8	51	59	19	141	160	27	192	219
54	804	858	1,248	29,555	30,803	659	25,183	25,183	1,962	55,852	57,804
1	65	66	64	3,243	3,307	122	3,981	4,103	187	7,289	7,476
55	931	986	1,320	33,123	34,443	791	29,723	30,513	2,166	63,786	65,952
23,177	1,089	24,267	529,047	50,263	579,310	336,339	55,659	391,998	888,568	107,021	995,589
59,230	2,117	61,347	568,956	52,940	621,896	344,763	56,328	401,206	1,039,623	112,614	1,152,237

EDUCATION—GENERAL TABLE VI.

Return showing the Results of the Prescribed Examinations in the Lower Provinces of Bengal for the official year 1905-06

NATURE OF EXAMINATION.	NUMBER OF INSTITUTIONS SENDING EXAMINEES.		NUMBER OF EXAMINEES.				NUMBER PASSED.					RACE OR CREED OF PASSED SCHOLARS.				
												Hindus.				
	Institutions under management.	Aided	Total.	Institutions under management.	Aided	Institutions under public management.	Aided	Institutions under management.	Aided	Total.						
	10		12			15	16	17	18	19						24
I.—ARTS COLLEGES—																
1. Master of Arts		86	38	10	185	32								38	2	
2. Bachelor of Arts		361	349	776	1,579	123		164		400				202	33	
3. Bachelor of Science ...		18			18	12				12		4				
4. First Examination in Arts	10	19	377	836	1,032	1,874	180	152	323	47	702	20	269		33	
II.—COLLEGES FOR PROFESSIONAL TRAINING.																
(a)—Law—																
1. Honours in Law																
2. Bachelor of Law					475	512							36	43		
(b)—Medicine—																
1. Preliminary Scientific L.M.S. { boys / girls			34			34	24				24					
2. First L.M.S. { boys / girls											47	...				
Scientific and First L.M.S. ... { girls																
4. Second L.M.S. and Re-examination ... ... { boys / girls						172	95				93		28	60		
													9	23		
5. Preliminary Scientific M.B. { boys / girls																
6. First M.B. ... ... { boys / girls																
7. Combined Scientific and First M.B ... ... { boys / girls							26				26			14		
8. Second M.B. ... ... { boys / girls																
9. Honours in Medicine ... { boys / girls																
10. Doctor in Medicine ... ... { boys / girls																
(c)—Engineering—																
1. B.E.																
2. First Examination in Engineering.											16					
(d)—Agriculture—																
1. Higher class examination ...						11										
III.—SCHOOLS FOR GENERAL EDUCATION.																
Matriculation ... { For boys	176	148	365	803	1,902	1,906	3,896		315	395	10	2,626		321	57	50
" girls			6	5	19		24					5		2		
R. class examination... " boys			2	8			8					2				
C. ditto ... " boys			3				13									
High School Honours { " boys																
examination ... { " girls																
High School examination for Europeans { " boys			6		24				10			13	13			
" girls	9		10					3	4			7	7			
Middle School examination. { " boys	180	851	1,363	545	6,247	2,456	10,248	1,230	4,690	1,841		7,761		2,417	4,45[illegible]	694
" girls		23	34		56	10	66	...	46	6		52		6	11	...
Upper Primary examination. { " boys	26	2,904	3,440	903	12,717	3,058	13,678	1,566	9,781	2,414		13,761		3,511	8,496	1,468
" girls		105	108		255	17	274	2	209	13		223		33	87	4
Lower Primary examination. { " boys		14,910	16,096		48,985	3,921	55,398	2,136	34,370	2,966		39,344		7,156	26,05[illegible]	4,515
" girls		560	574	37	1,260	24	1,321	34	1,017	23		1,074		210	592	24
IV.—SCHOOLS FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION.																
Training Schools for Masters. { English ...																
{ Vernacular			6	291	17		408					248		75	151	13
School of Arts examination. ...			1	156			156					41		17	89	8
Vernacular Medical examination			8	122			122					77		20	40	10
Overseer examination ...			2	48			48					38		10	17	6
Sub-Overseer examination ...			5	73			76					55		11	38	5
Junia class final examination			1	25			25					22		7	15	4
Survey final examination			1	32		75	107					49		13	34	2
Accounts examination .							109					10		5	5	...
Sanskrit Title examination .							163*					68*		63	2	...
" second examination .							1,146*					317*		291	20	...
" first examination .							2,050*	...				748*		694	49	...
Madrassah Central examination				96			101	68				69				69

* Details of these figures have not been received.

EDUCATION—G

Return showing the Distribution of District Board and Municipal Expenditure

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE.	EXPENDITURE BY DISTRICT BOARDS ON PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.														
	IN INSTITUTIONS MANAGED BY DISTRICT BOARDS.											IN INSTITUTIONS MANAGED BY—			
	Number of institutions.	Number of scholars on the rolls on the 31st of March.	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Average daily attendance.	Provincial revenues.	District funds.	Municipal funds.	Fees.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	The Government.	Municipal Boards.	Private persons or Associations.	Total District Fund expenditure on public instruction.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
COLLEGIATE EDUCATION.					Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Arts Colleges	1	32	28	20	...	900	950	1,217	175	3,886	7,128	...	...	...	
Professional Colleges	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for Collegiate Education	1	32	28	20	...	900	950	1,217	175	3,886	7,128	...	...	...	
DIRECT EXPENDITURE.															
SCHOOL EDUCATION, GENERAL.															
Secondary Schools.															
For Boys—															
High Schools English	1	523	536	419	...	...	...	12,178	...	...	12,178	...	250	2,619	2,
Middle ,, English	26	1,878	1,770	1,391	100	8,933	...	8,444	2,690	21	20,218	...	240	82,284	21,
Middle ,, Vernacular	103	6,349	5,939	4,[illegible]	64	36,253	...	14,911	3,244	21	54,493	...	...	23,727	59,
For Girls—															
High Schools English	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Middle ,, English	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	120	...
Middle ,, Vernacular	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	198	
Total Secondary Schools	129	8,750	8,245	6,310	164	45,186	...	35,533	5,934	42	86,889	...	490	1,05,798	1,54,
Primary Schools.															
For Boys Upper Primary	93	8,342	8,077	6,351	33	25,303	...	2,18[illegible]	...	...	27,576	224	...	1,37,197	1,63,
For Boys Lower ditto	2	138	139	10	...	402	...	2,	...	...	429	12	...	4,71,216	4,71,
Total Primary Schools for Boys	95	8,480	8,216	6,[illegible]60	33	25,705	...	2,20[illegible]	...	...[illegible]	28,0[illegible]5	236	...	6,08,413	6,34,
For Girls Upper Primary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,861	3,
For Girls Lower ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	54,344	54,
Total Primary Schools for Girls	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58,205	58,
Total Primary Schools for Boys and Girls	95	8,480	8,216	6,[illegible]60	33	25,765	...	2,207	...	...	28,005	236	...	6,66,618	6,92,
SCHOOL EDUCATION, SPECIAL.															
SCHOOLS FOR SPECIAL INSTRUCTION.															
Training Schools—															
(*a*) For Masters	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	949	...	...	
(*b*) For Mistresses	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	
Schools of Art	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Law Schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Medical Schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Engineering and Surveying Schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Technical and Industrial Schools	6	116	121	87	...	4,812	240	1,007	...	482	6,541	...	...	1,933	6,
Commercial Schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agricultural Schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	403	
Other Schools Madrassahs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Schools Miscellaneous Schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...[illegible]	...	...	...	...	...	1,889	1,
Total	6	116	121	87	...	4,812	240	1,007	...	482	6,541	949	...	4,286	10,
INDIRECT EXPENDITURE.															
Buildings	...	...	...	...	40[illegible]	2,016	...	...	329	256	3,001	108	...	2,881	6,
Furniture and apparatus (special grants only)	...	...	...	...	...	3,522	...	...	...	...	3,522	...	...	4,866	8,
Total	...	...	...	...	400	5,538	...	...	329	256	6,523	108	...	7,747	13,
Inspection	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,14,
Scholarships held in—															
Arts Colleges	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Medical College	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Professional Colleges	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,
Secondary Schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,
Primary ,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,
Medical ,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Technical and Industrial Schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,
Other Special Schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total Charges for Scholarships	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37,
Miscellaneous	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	56,
GRAND TOTAL FOR 1905-1906	231	17,878	16,610	13,077	597	82,231	1,190	39,964	6,428	4,666	1,35,086	1,292	490	7,87,449	11,77,

REAL TABLE VII.

Public Instruction in the Lower Provinces of Bengal for the official year 1905-1906.

EXPENDITURE BY MUNICIPAL BOARDS ON PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.																
IN INSTITUTIONS MANAGED BY MUNICIPAL BOARDS.											IN INSTITUTIONS MANAGED BY—					
Number of institutions.	Number of scholars on the rolls on the 31st of March.	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Average daily attendance.	Provincial revenues.	Municipal funds.	District funds.	Fees.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	The Government.	District Boards.	Private persons or Associations.	Total Municipal expenditure on public instruction.	Total expenditure of District and Municipal Boards on public instruction.	REMARKS.
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	47	36	44	855	211	...	3,671	...	1,848	6,585	...	950	...	1,161	2,061	
1	27	29	33	...	...	...	1,905	...	...	1,905	...	...	...	...	...	
2	74	65	66	855	211	...	5,576	...	1,848	8,490	...	950	...	1,161	2,061	
2	756	673	553	1,800	...	250	13,042	...	...	15,092	...	...	6,781	6,781	9,669	
5	342	360	287	...	783	340	2,130	837	...	3,989	...	...	4,903	5,750	97,177	
6	179	195	152	...	930	...	440	...	...	1,370	323	...	2,949	3,272	63,383	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	284	284	284	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,383	1,383	1,466	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	338	338	446	
7	1,277	1,228	992	1,800	1,713	490	15,612	837	...	20,451	323	...	15,579	17,606	1,72,813	
4	134	152	102	93	679	...	181	...	...	953	48	...	15,180	15,216	1,76,700	
3	274	234	187	...	606	...	94	...	...	700	...	...	40,608	41,214	6,13,844	
7	408	386	289	93	1,285	...	275	...	...	1,653	48	...	55,797	57,130	6,91,544	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,305	4,305	8,166	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,082	7,082	61,426	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,387	11,387	69,592	
7	408	386	289	93	1,285	...	275	...	...	1,653	48	...	67,184	68,517	7,61,136	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	949	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	143	143	199	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	240	74	314	7,059	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	408	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	60	60	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,370	3,370	5,359	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	240	3,647	3,887	13,934	
8	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	...	40	...	...	1,872	1,872	6,877	
...	...	...	...	...	346	...	...	...	...	346	2	...	897	1,245	9,633	
...	...	...	...	40	346	...	...	...	...	386	2	...	2,769	3,117	16,510	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,810	2,16,069	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	321	1,850	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	197	17,177	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,879	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	844	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	139	3,687	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	730	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	837	37,857	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,363	60,966	
16	1,759	1,699	1,347	2,788	3,554	490	21,463	837	1,848	30,980	373	1,190	39,373	1,05,530	13,92,845	

EDUCATION—GENERAL TABLE VIII.

Return showing the Attendance and Expenditure in Hostels or Boarding-houses in the Lower Provinces of Bengal for the official year 1905-1906

CLASS OF HOSTELS BOARDING-HOUSES.	NUMBER OF—		NUMBER OF BOARDERS WHO ARE STUDENTS OF—					EXPENDITURE FROM—						REMARKS.
	Hostels or boarding-houses.	Boarders.	Arts colleges.	Colleges for Professional Training.	Secondary schools.	Primary schools.	Special schools.	Provincial revenues.	District or Municipal funds.	Subscriptions and endowments.	Fees.	State Native revenues.	Total expenditure.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Males—								Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Managed by Government.	29	1,560	328	...	542	8	682	35,582	...	2,296	75,315	..	1,13,193	
Managed by District or Municipal Boards.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Aided by Government or by District or Municipal Boards.	81	3,325	904	...	1,432	393	596	10,917	1,227	66,261	1,23,232	...	2,00,637	
Maintained by Native States.	3	31	...	...	43	18	...	...	...	...	...	150	150	
Unaided	240	5,844	34	5	3,513	1,786	506	...	...	85,334	1,48,514	...	2,33,848	
Total ...	353	10,790	1,266	5	5,530	2,205	1,784	46,499	1,227	1,53,891	3,46,061	150	5,47,828	
Females—														
Managed by Government.	3	176	6	20	132	12	...	15,771	...	...	13,420	...	29,191	
Managed by District or Municipal Boards.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Aided by Government or by District or Municipal Boards.	31	2,287	7	15	1,644	562	59	6,398	...	38,529	1,57,818	...	2,02,745	
Maintained by Native States.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Unaided	23	1,402	...	..	275	1,095	32	...	...	39,700	908	..	40,608	
Total ...	57	3,865	13	35	2,051	1,669	91	22,169	...	78,229	1,72,126	...	2,72,344	
GRAND TOTAL ...	410	14,655	1,279	40	7,587	3,874	1,875	68,668	1,227	2,32,120	5,18,187	150	8,20,372	

EUROPEAN EDUCATION—GENERAL TABLE III.

Return of Schools and Scholars in Euro

Class of Institutions.	PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.																
	Under Public Management.												Under Private Ma				
	Managed by Government.				Managed by District or Municipal Boards.				Maintained by Native States.				Aided by Government or by District or Municipal Boards.				
	Number of institutions.	Number of scholars on the rolls on 31st March.	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Average daily attendance.	Number of institutions.	Number of scholars on the rolls on 31st March.	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Average daily attendance.	Number of institutions.	Number of scholars on the rolls on 31st March.	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Average daily attendance.	Number of institutions.	Number of scholars on the rolls on 31st March.	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Average daily attendance.	Number of institutions.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Arts Colleges	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(a) 1
School Education, General.																	
Secondary Schools.																	
For Boys—																	
High schools ... English	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	922	905	832	3
Middle „ ... „ ...	1	164	167	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1,123	1,093	1,007	...
Total for boys schools ...	1	164	167	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	2,045	1,998	1,839	3
For Girls—																	
High schools ... English	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	988	1,013	898	...
Middle „ ... „ ...	1	117	84	79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	2,234	2,090	1,824	...
Total for girls schools ...	1	117	84	79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	3,222	3,103	2,722	...
Grand Total of Secondary Schools for Boys and Girls.	2	281	251	238	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	39	5,267	5,101	4,561	3
Primary Schools.																	
For Boys—																	
Upper primary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	378	373	305	...
Lower „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	96	84	76	...
Total Primary schools for boys ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	474	457	381	...
For Girls—																	
Upper primary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	819	818	645	1
Lower „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	121	86	66	1
Total Primary schools for girls ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	940	899	711	2
Grand Total Primary Schools for Boys and Girls.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	1,414	1,356	1,092	2
Schools for Special Instruction.																	
Training Schools—																	
For Mistresses	1	20	20	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(b) 1	6	6	6	...
Commercial Schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	95	112	75	...
Total ...	1	20	20	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	101	118	81	...
Total Schools and Colleges of Public Instruction.	3	301	271	258	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66	6,782	6,575	5,734	6

(a) Loreto House.
(b) The Kindergarten Training Depc

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Schools for the offici l year 1905-1906.

MENT. / sided.				Number of Scholars on the 31st of March learning—											
				English.			A classical language.			A vernacular language.					
Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Average daily attendance.	Grand total of institutions.	Grand total of scholars on the 31st of March.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Number of girls in Boys' schools.	Number of boys in Girls' schools.	Remarks.
20	21	22	23	24	24a	24b	25	25a	25b		26a	26b	27	28	29
6	5	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
742	653	7	1,748	1,748	..	1,748	928	...	928	9	...	9	...	...	
...	..	8	1,287	1,253	34	1,287	332	8	340	...	...	...	34	...	
742	653	15	3,035	3,001	34	3,035	1,260	8	1,268	9	...	9	34	...	
...	...	7	988	171	817	988	24	469	493	...	...	...	...	171	
...	...	22	2,351	454	1,897	2,351	138	730	868	...	...	...	...	454	
...	...	29	3,339	625	2,714	3,339	162	1,199	1,361	...	...	...	...	625	
** 742	653	44	6,374	3,626	2,748	6,374	1,422	1,207	2,629	9	...	9	34	625	
...	...	5	378	237	141	378	9	14	23	19	10	29	141	...	
...	...	2	96	88	8	96	13	8	21	...	...	...	8	...	
...	...	7	474	325	149	474	22	22	44	19	10	29	149	...	
7	5	14	825	272	553	825	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	272	
8	6	4	130	44	86	130	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	
15	11	18	955	316	639	955	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	316	
15	11	25	1,429	641	788	1,429	24	23	47	19	10	29	149	316	
...	...	2	26	...	26	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	3	95	79	16	95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	5	121	79	42	121	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
763	669	75	7,925	4,346	3,579	7,925	1,446	1,230	2,676	38	10	38	183	941	

of the Welland Memorial School, Calcutta.

European Education—General Table IIIA.

Number of Scholars on the 31st March 1906, classified according to sex, race, or creed.

	Europeans and Eurasians.	Native Christians.	Hindus.		Muhammadans.	Buddhists.	Parsis.	Others.	Total.
			Brahmans.	Non-Brahmans.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Collegiate Education.									
Arts Colleges ... Male	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Female	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Total ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
School Education—General.									
Secondary Schools.									
For Boys—									
High Schools ... Male	1,602	3	26	21	32	...	62	13	1,749
Female	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Middle Schools—									
English ... Male	1,168	5	8	9	31	2	20	10	1,253
Female	32	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	34
For Girls—									
High Schools Male	150	7	1	...	...	...	3	10	171
Female	732	11	51	...	...	1	8	14	817
Middle Schools—									
English ... Male	365	7	6	...	...	2	3	71	454
Female	1,737	12	8	...	8	1	25	111	1,897
Total ...	5,786	45	100	32	56	6	121	228	6,374
Primary Schools.									
For Boys ... Male	314	7	2	...	...	...	...	2	325
Female	146	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	149
For Girls ... Male	290	4	3	...	...	...	13	6	316
Female	597	17	2	...	...	...	15	8	639
Total ...	1,347	30	7	...	...	...	28	17	1,429
School Education—Special.									
Training Schools ... Male	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Female	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26
Commercial Schools Male	23	2	20	31	2	...	...	...	78
Female	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16
Total ...	65	3	20	31	2	...	...	...	121
Grand Total ...	7,199	78	127	63	58	6	149	245	7,925

EUROPEAN EDUCATION—GENERAL TABLE IV.

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Return of Expenditure on Public Instruction in Europea

OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE.	UNDER PUBLIC MANAGEMENT.																
	Managed by Government.							Managed by District or Municipal Boards.							Maintained by Native		
	Provincial Revenues.	District Funds.	Municipal Funds.	Fees, including fees paid from Mohsin Fund.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	Provincial Revenues.	District Funds.	Municipal Funds.	Fees, including fees paid from Mohsin Fund.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	Native States revenues.	Local Funds in Native States.	Municipal Funds raised in Native States.	Fees.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
DIRECT EXPENDITURE.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
COLLEGIATE EDUCATION.																		
Arts Colleges	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SCHOOL EDUCATION, GENERAL																		
Secondary Schools.																		
For Boys—																		
High schools ... English	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Middle ,, ... Ditto	21,451	...	...	6,756	...	...	28,207	...	...	...	...	..	.	...	...	...	...	...
Total for Secondary Schools for Boys ...	21,451	...	...	6,756	...	...	28,207	...	..	..	...	..	...	...	.	..	...	...
For Girls—																		
High schools ... English	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
Middle ,, ... Ditto	18,195	...	...	3,170	...	...	21,365	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Total for Secondary Schools for Girls ...	18,195	...	...	3,170	...	...	21,365	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Total Secondary Schools both for Boys and Girls.	39,646	...	...	9,926	...	...	49,572	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	...
Primary Schools.																		
For Boys—																		
Upper primary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Lower ,, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for Primary Schools for Boys ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
For Girls—																		
Upper primary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lower ,, ...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for Primary Schools for Girls ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Primary Schools both for Boys and Girls.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SCHOOLS FOR SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS.																		
Training schools for Mistresses	1,886	...	...	...	...	...	1,886	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Commercial schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	1,886	...	...	...	...	...	1,886	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
Total of Direct Expenditure ...	41,532	...	...	9,926	...	..	51,458	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
INDIRECT EXPENDITURE.																		
Buildings	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Furniture and apparatus (special grants only)	9,226	...	...	...	...	...	9,226	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Total ...	9,226	...	...	...	...	...	9,226	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Inspection	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
Scholarships or stipends held in—																		
Secondary schools	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	
Total charges for scholarships ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Miscellaneous—																		
Boarding charges	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Charges for conducting examinations ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Payments to European cadets	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Contingencies and miscellaneous	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total Miscellaneous Charges ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total of Indirect Expenditure ...	9,226	...	...	...	...	...	9,226	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
TOTAL EXPENDITURE ON PUBLIC INSTRUCTION IN 1905-1906.	50,758	...	...	9,926	...	...	60,684	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

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TABLE IV.

Bengal for the official year 1905-1906.

TUTIONS—																		
UNDER PRIVATE MANAGEMENT.											TOTAL EXPENDITURE FROM—							
Aided by Government or by District or Municipal Boards.							Unaided.								All other sources.			GRAND TOTAL.
Provincial Revenues.	District Funds.	Municipal Funds.	Fees, including fees paid from Mohsin Fund.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	Fees, including fees paid from Mohsin fund.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	Provincial Revenues.	District Funds.	Municipal Funds.	Fees, including fees paid from Mohsin Fund.	Private.	Public.		
																Native States' revenues.	Imperial contributions.	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	39(a)	40
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
43,546	...	...	47,310	...	91	90,947	47,630	...	27,058	74,697	43,546	...	...	94,949	27,149	...	...	1,66,6
6,408	...	494	12,021	6,629	13,323	58,875	...	...	...	...	47,859	...	494	18,777	19,952	...	...	87,0
69,954	...	494	59,331	6,629	13,414	1,49,822	47,639	...	27,058	74,697	91,405	...	494	1,13,726	47,101	...	...	2,53,7
27,209	...	...	71,755	14,198	15,907	1,29,129	...	...	...	...	27,209	...	...	71,755	30,165	...	...	1,29,1
48,750	...	1,030	67,323	17,115	9,346	1,43,564	...	...	...	...	66,945	...	1,030	70,493	20,461	...	...	1,64,9
75,959	...		1,39,078	31,313	25,313	2,72,693	...	...	...	...	94,154	...	1,030	1,42,248	50,626	...	...	2,94,(
1,45,913	...	1,524	1,98,409	37,942	38,727	4,22,515	47,639	...	27,058	74,697	1,85,559	...	1,524	2,55,974	1,03,727	...	...	5,46,7
13,283	...	45	4,543	18,062	849	36,782	...	...	...	...	13,283	...	45	4,543	18,911	...	...	36,
1,313	...	93	282	3,087	...	4,775	...	...	...	...	1,313	...	93	282	3,087	...	...	4,
14,596	...	138	4,825	21,149	849	41,557	...	...	...	...	14,596	...	138	4,825	21,998	...	...	41,
12,775	...	1,008	6,783	6,398	4,652	31,615	850	500	526	1,876	12,775	...	1,008	7,692	12,076	...	...	33,
1,744	...	84	779	1,208	959	4,774	...	627	...	627	1,744	...	84	710	2,704	...	...	5,
14,519	...	1,092	7,561	7,606	5,611	36,389	850	1,127	526	2,503	14,519	...	1,092	8,411	14,870	...	...	38
29,115	...	1,230	12,336	28,755	6,460	77,946	850	1,127	526	2,503	29,115	...	1,230	13,236	36,868	...	...	80
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,886	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
200	...	...	917	612	2,041	3,770	...	...	...	...	200	...	...	917	2,653	...	...	3
200	...	...	917	612	2,041	3,770	...	...	...	...	2,086	...	...	917	2,653	...	...	1
1,75,228	...	2,754	2,11,712	67,309	47,228	5,04,231	48,489	1,127	27,584	77,200	2,16,760	...	2,754	2,70,127	1,43,248	...	...	6,3
48,100	...	...	24,092	36,137	40,362	1,49,591	13,801	...	7,692	21,493	48,100	...	...	38,703	84,191	...	...	1,7
1,705	...		14,451	4,317	14,634	35,107	1,979	...	6,016	7,995	10,931	...	...	10,440	24,957	...	...	5
49,805	...	...	39,423	40,454	54,996	1,84,698	15,780	...	13,708	29,488	59,031	...	...	55,203	1,09,148	...	...	2,2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,092	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,908	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,910	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23,614	...	...	3,44,346	83,381	...	...	4,
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,473	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,924	...	...	...	482	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,971	...	...	10,649	52,541	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43,982	...	...	3,54,995	1,36,404	...	...	8
49,805	...	...	39,423	40,454	54,996	1,84,698	15,780	...	13,708	29,488	1,26,923	...	...	4,10,198	2,45,552	...	...	7
2,25,033	...	2,754	2,51,135	1,07,763	1,03,224	6,88,899	64,269	1,127	41,292	1,06,688	3,43,683	...	2,754	6,80,325	3,88,800	...	...	14,

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EDUCATION—GENERAL TABLE V.

Return of the Stages of Instruction of Pupils in Public European Schools for Secondary and Primary Education in Bengal at the end of the official year 1905-1906.

CLASS OF SCHOOLS.	Number of schools.	Number of pupils on the rolls on 31st March.	HIGH STAGE. Comprising all pupils who have passed beyond the Lower Secondary (Middle) Stage, but have not passed the Matriculation examination, or an Examination of an equivalent standard.			MIDDLE STAGE. Comprising all pupils who have passed beyond the Upper Primary Stage, but have not passed beyond the Lower Secondary (Middle) Stage.			UPPER PRIMARY STAGE. Comprising all pupils who have passed beyond the Lower Primary Stage, but have not passed beyond the Upper Primary Stage.			LOWER PRIMARY STAGE. Comprising all pupils who have not passed beyond the Lower Primary Stage.						TOTAL.		
												Reading printed books.			Not reading printed books.					
			1			2			3			4			5					
			Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
SECONDARY SCHOOLS FOR BOYS.																				
English and Vernacular.)																				
Government ... English ...	1	164	...	...	...	84	...	84	48	...	48	32	...	32	...	...	...	164	...	164
Aided ... ,, ...	11	2,045	117	...	117	608	13	619	561	12	573	727	9	736	...	...	...	2,011	34	2,045
Unaided ... ,, ...	3	826	131	...	131	320	...	320	269	...	269	106	...	106	...	...	...	826	...	826
Total ...	15	3,035	248	...	248	1,012	13	1,023	878	12	890	865	9	874	...	...	...	3,001	34	3,035
SECONDARY SCHOOLS FOR GIRLS.																				
English and Vernacular.)																				
Government ... English ...	1	117	...	...	...	...	53	53	...	39	39	...	25	25	...	...	...	...	117	117
Aided ... ,, ...	28	3,222	4	78	82	21	671	692	88	638	726	512	1,210	1,722	...	...	...	625	2,597	3,222
Unaided ... ,, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	29	3,339	4	78	82	21	724	745	88	677	765	512	1,235	1,747	...	...	...	625	2,714	3,339
Total Secondary Schools for boys and girls.	44	6,374	252	78	330	1,031	737	1,768	966	689	1,655	1,377	1,244	2,621	...	...	...	3,626	2,748	6,374
PRIMARY SCHOOLS FOR BOYS.																				
Aided	7	474	...	...	...	...	...	...	76	48	124	249	101	350	...	...	...	325	149	474
Unaided	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	7	474	...	...	...	...	...	...	76	48	124	249	101	350	...	...	...	325	149	474
PRIMARY SCHOOLS FOR GIRLS.																				
Aided	16	940	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	144	184	270	486	756	...	...	...	310	630	940
Unaided	2	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	5	8	13	...	...	...	6	9	15
Total ...	18	955	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	145	186	275	494	769	...	...	...	316	639	955
Total Primary Schools for boys and girls.	25	1,429	...	...	...	...	...	...	117	193	310	524	595	1,119	...	...	...	641	788	1,429
GRAND TOTAL FOR 1905-1906 of Secondary and Primary Schools	69	7,803	252	78	330	1,031	737	1,768	1,083	882	1,965	1,901	1,839	3,740	...	...	...	4,267	3,536	7,803

REPORT OF THE COTTON CROP OF BENGAL, 1906.

THE following note is published for general information.

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The 19th December 1906.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

REPORT ON THE COTTON CROP OF BENGAL, DECEMBER 1906.

[On an average of the five years ending 1904-1905, the area under cotton crops in the territory to which the present forecast relates has represented some 0·6 per cent. of the total area under cotton crops in India.]

Explanatory.—The forecasts of the cotton crop issued in August and October dealt with the area sown with cotton this year, and with the general condition of the crop. The present forecast deals with revised estimates of the area sown, and furnishes also an estimate of the probable outturn.

Character of the season.—Of the early cotton-growing districts of Bengal, the Sonthal Parganas, Sambalpur, Manbhum, Singhbhum and Angul are the most important. The climatic conditions in these districts, covering 81 per cent. of the entire early cotton area, as well as in the other early cotton districts, Sambalpur excepted, were favourable throughout the season. In the last-named district, some little damage was done to the crop by heavy rain during the flowering season in October.

In Saran, the most important of the late cotton districts, and also in Champaran, Darbhanga, and in the Sadar subdivision of Muzaffarpur where late cotton only is almost entirely grown, the crops suffered to a very considerable extent from excessive rain and floods. From the other late cotton districts, the prospects are reported to be satisfactory.

Area sown.—The area sown with early cotton this year is estimated at present at 37,428 acres against 37,400 acres shown in the October forecast, and against 36,504 acres estimated in December last year. The area sown with late cotton amounts to 32,376 acres up to date. Sowings are reported to be still going on in Cuttack.

Outturn.—The outturn of early cotton, calculated from the data furnished by District Officers, comes to 5,763 bales of 400 lbs. each, and that of late cotton, similarly calculated, to 9,361 bales. Supplementing this produce with an additional 5 per cent. crop for the fibre grown in the Native

States, for which statistics are not available, the total aggregate outturn for the Province works out as follows:—

	Bales.
Early cotton	6,051
Late „	9,831
Gross total of both varieties ...	15,882

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CALCUTTA;
The 11th December 1906.

Forecast of the cotton crops of Bengal, December 1906.

District.	Area (in acres).							Yield (in bales of 400 lbs. each).							Figures from the Cadastral Survey.			Remarks by District Officer.
	Of current year's crops (1906-07).	Of previous year's crops (1905-06).	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+) or is less than (—) area in—			Of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+) or is less than (—) yield in—			Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which the cadastral survey took place.	Area found under cotton during the cadastral survey.	
					Column 3.							Column 8.						
						Column 4.							Column 9.					
1	2	3	4		5	6		7	8	9		10	11		12	13	14	15
			Five years.	Ten years.		Five years.	Ten years.			Five years.	Ten years.		Five years.	Ten years.	Acres.		Acres.	
Bankura ... Early ...	365	...	...	...	...	...	...	183	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	The condition of the crop is good.
Bankura ... Late ...	1,700	1,700	1,600	1,790	...	+6·25	−5·03	1,360	1,360	845	916	...	+60·95	+48·47	15,210	1889-92 to 1894-1900.	Not available.	
Midnapore ... Early ...	1,700	1,700	1,880	1,980	...	−9·57	−9·57	113	113	573	502	...	−80·28	−77·49	35,342	1893 to 1898.	383	The October rain has damaged the crop to a certain extent. The outturn will therefore be very poor.
Midnapore ... Late ...	1,600	1,700	2,120	2,090	−5·88	−24·53	−23·44	148	590	927	914	−74·92	−84·03	−83·81				
Patna ... Early ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Early cotton is not grown in this district.
Patna ... Late ...	1,300	1,500	1,100	1,520	−13·33	+18·18	−14·34	163	187	248	426	−12·83	−34·27	−61·74	73,164	1900-01	5	The general condition of the crop is good.
Shahabad ... Early ...	62	30	...	...	+106·67	...	...	12	10	...	...	+20·00	...	...	...	...	...	The general condition of the crop is reported to be good so far.
Shahabad ... Late ...	1,200	1,100	...	...	+9·09	...	...	465	234	...	...	+98·72	...	...	...	...	...	

District.		Area (in acres).							Yield (in bales of 400 lbs. each).						Figures from Cadastral Survey.			Remarks by District Officer.
		Of current year's crop (1906-07).	Of previous year's crops (1905-06).	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+) or is less than (—) area in—			Of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+) or is less than (—) yield in—			Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which cadastral survey took place.	Area found under cotton during the cadastral survey.	
						Column 5.	Column 6.						Column 10.	Column 11.					
1		2	3	4		5	6		7	8	9		10	11		12	13	14	15
				Five years.	Ten years.		Five years.	Ten years.			Five years.	Ten years.		Five years.	Ten years.	Acres.		Acres.	
Saran	Early	500	525	...	...	−4·76	...	...	144	210	...	...	−31·43	...	...	1,633,435	1893 to 1901.	14,839	Since the submission of the October forecast, the prospect of the crop has not improved for want of rain.
	Late	13,900	13,875	14,440	25,220	+0·18	−3·74	−5·23	3,396	5,550	6,322	9,206	−28·00	−36·79	−56·59				
Champaran	Early	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	The excessive rain of August damaged the crop considerably.
	Late	1,067	923	2,040	2,120	+15·60	−47·69	−49·67	187	72	733	866	+159·72	−74·49	−78·41	2,259,840	1892 to 1899.	2,094	
Muzaffarpur	Early	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	In the Sadar Subdivision floods did great damage in some places and in others the crop was benefited. Figures returned by local officers for column 7 are very discrepant.
	Late	3,600	4,051	6,107	5,703	−38·94	−50·88	−47·94	1,500	1,013	2,111	1,939	+48·08	−29·11	−22·64	1,942,400	1891-92 & 1899-1900.	6,100	
Darbhanga*	Early	105	16	...	...	+343·75	...	...	15	2	...	...	+650·00	...	...	...	...	...	
	Late	3,607	3,212	1,880	5,360	+12·30	91·86	−32·70	415	368	477	1,635	+12·46	−13·00	−74·62	2,142,800	1896 to 1903.	2,300	
Monghyr...	Early	100	100	280	330	...	−61·54	−69·70	18	9	58	66	+100·00	−69·97	−72·73	985,552	1901 to 1906.	Not recorded	
	Late	300	300	820	630	...	−63·42	−52·36	30	26	170	133	+15·38	−82·35	−77·45				

Kharagpur	Early	300	300	4,746	7,800	...	−93·67	−96·15	60	90	1·74	2,344	−33·33	−96·93	−97·44	1,057,948	1902 to 1904.	43	The decrease in the outturn is due to some damage caused by floods.	
	Late	...	...	...	1,965	...	...	...	...	11	280	357	...	...	...					
Sonipal Farasnasi	Early	10,700	10,700	10,320	11,620	...	+5·37	−7·11	2,000	1,947	3,145	3,345	+5·81	−34·50	−38·42	2,756,190	1898 to 1898 and 1896 to 1903.	14,519	The general condition of the crop is good.	
	Late	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					
Cuttack	Early	500	700	2,840	2,720	−28·57	−82·39	−81·62	87	131	655	695	−33·58	−86·72	−86·15	2,088,437	1887 to 1895 and 1899 to 1901.	2,604	Scanty rainfall at the time of sowing and also at the time of growth has affected the outturn this year. The sowing of late cotton will continue till the end of December in this district.	
	Late	...	3,100	4,040	4,020	...	...	...	...	504	936	998	...	...	...					
Balasore	Early	65	65	355	635	...	−82·0	−90·05	0	9	142	238	...	−93·66	−96·17	1,095,778	1891-92 and 1894-95.	111	The general condition of the crop is good. The date of sowing was normal.	
	Late	200	200	180	153	...	+11·11	+30·72	26	26	43	30	...	−36·59	−13·33					
Angul	Early	2,000	2,000	2,600	...	...	...	−33·08	375	375	305	504	...	+22·85	−28·60	863,540	1888-90	...	Although the Sadar subdivision was cadastrally surveyed, separate figures were not ascertained under each head of crops. Cotton is not grown in the Khondmals subdivision. The present condition of the cotton crops is good.	
	Late	...	...	1,360	1,440	...	...	...	...	...	207	284	...	...	...					
Puri	Early	235	232	1,900	3,170	+1·29	−87·03	−92·59	35	43	307	490	−16·67	−38·60	−39·71	1,590,360	1888-89	422		
	Late	302	420	1,120	1,740	−25·09	−76·86	−89·64	23	29	168	231	−90·09	−86·31	−90·04					
Sambalpur	Early	7,700	7,582	9,404	7,976	+23·06	+2·17	+21·61	725	631	711	599	+23·15	+2·32	+21·54	2,433,280	1884 to 1887 and 1897-97.	36,690	The cotton plants were in good condition before flowering, but excessive rain in October has caused loss.	
	Late	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					
Hazaribagh	Early	800	738	3,660	5,580	−32·35	−86·34	−91·04	168	166	1,147	1,634	+1·20	−55·35	−89·72	...	...	...	The general condition of the crop is very much	
	Late	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					
Kanchi	Early	1,700	1,700	2,540	4,960	...	−40·19	−65·70	213	204	806	1,822	+4·41	−73·57	−83·[illegible]	The district is being surveyed.		...	The season is favourable to the crop.	
	Late	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					
Pannan	Early	1,000	1,000	4,320	5,900	...	−76·85	−83·05	145	62	1,049	1,444	+133·87	−86·18	−89·26	12,520	1896-97	1,434	The weather was more favourable than last year	
	Late	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					

District.		Area (in acres)							Yield (in bales of 400 lbs. each)						Figures from Cadastral Survey.			Remarks by District Officers.
		Of current year's crops (1906-07).	Of previous year's crops (1905-06).	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+) or is less than (−) area in—			Of current year, *i.e.*, of area in column 2.	Of previous year, *i.e.*, of area in column 3.	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+) or is less than (−) yield in—		Total area of the district which has been cadastrally surveyed.	Years during which cadastral survey took place.	Area found under cotton during the cadastral survey.	
						Column 5.		Column 6.					Column 8.		Column 9.				
1		2	3	4		5	6		7	8	9		10	11		12	13	14	15
				Five years.	Ten years.		Five years.	Ten years.			Five years.	Ten years.		Five years.	Ten years.	Acres.		Acres.	
Manbhum	Early ...	3,900	3,400	7,440	9,380	+14·71	−47·58	−58·42	780	680	1,724	1,930	+14·70	−54·76	−60·80	...	...	...	The low outturn is due t want of timely rain.
	Late ...	1,200	1,200	1,200	3,650	...	...	−67·12	600	600	538	1,310	...	+11·52	−54·20	...	...	...	
Singhbhum	Early ...	4,000	4,000	4,300	4,370	...	−6·98	−17·86	620	620	1,396	1,475	...	−55 59	−57·97	1,761,984	1895 to 1897 and 1900 to 1902.	1,813	The general condition o the crop is good.
	Late ...	3,000	3,000	2,700	2,580	...	+11·11	+16·29	450	450	1,071	957	...	−57·98	−52·98				
Total	Early ...	37,428	35,086	56,184	69,381	+6·68	−33·38	−46·05	5,763	5,261	13,492	18,768	+9·54	−57 29	−65·22	...	...	...	
	Late ...	32,376	36,356	41,982	59,983	−10·95	−22·88	−46·02	9,363	11,021	15,059	20,139	−15·04	−37·82	−53 49	...	...	...	

OLUTION ON THE EMBANKMENT AND DRAINAGE REPORTS FOR THE YEAR 1905-1906.

No. 2598*I.*

Government of Bengal

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

IRRIGATION.

Dated Calcutta, the 22nd December 1906.

RESOLUTION.

The Embankment and Drainage Reports for the year 1905-1906.

A summary of the expenditure incurred on works and repairs (exclusive ok charges for establishment and tools and plant) during the year on nkments and drainage works in Bengal is given in the following nent:—.

	1905-1906. Rs.
I.—Embankments—	
Class A.—Government embankments in Orissa ...	49,195
Class B.—Schedule D and other Government embankments	2,63,654
Class C.—Maintained by Government under contract with zamindars	1,06,082
Class D.—Maintained by Goverament with an annual apportionment of charges on estates benefited ...	7,166
II.—Works undertaken under the provisions of the Drainage Act, VI (B.C.) of 1880	11,916
III.—Works undertaken under the provisions of the Sanitary Drainage Act, VIII (B. C.) of 1895	1,81,254
IV.—Drainage works carried out under the provisions of the Embankment Act, II (B. C.) of 1882	39,228
V.—Drainage works carried out at the cost of Government, but not under the provisions of any Act	24,025
Total ...	6,82,520

2. *Lengths of Embankments and areas protected.*—The lengths of embank in each class and the areas to which they give protection are shown :—

Circle.	Class.	Length.		Areas protected.
1	2	3		4
		Miles.	Feet.	Acres.
... ...	A	516	1,565	644,691*
	B	315	1,793	446,880
	C	6	1,146	44,800
	D	Nil.		Nil.
	Total ...	837	4,504	1,136,371
Western ...	A	Nil.		Nil.
	B	762	3,793	2,028,108
	C	236	1,014	252,646
	D	8	1,456	79,571
	Total ...	1,007	983	3,260,325

addition to this area 540,000 acres are efficiently protected by the flood banks of the Orissa Canals, the tota which is 293 miles 4,678 feet.

Circle.	Class.	Length.		Areas protected.
1	2	3		4
		Miles.	Feet.	Acres.
Gandak	A		Nil	Nil.
	B		Nil	Nil.
	C	234	100	4,069,680
	D	56	2,740	196,320
	Total ...	290	2,840	4,236,000
Northern	A		Nil	Nil
	B		Nil*	...
	C		Nil	Nil.
	D	6	1,694	17,042
	Total ...	6	1,694	17,042
Abstract	A	516	1,565	644,691
	B	1,078	306	3,374,988
	C	476	2,260	4,337,126
	D, ...	71	610	292,933
	Total ...	2,141	4,741	8,649,738

* 1,681 feet of spur embankments, Panar river, were maintained during the year at Government expense.

There has been a net increase of 1,673 feet in the length of the class A embankments in Orissa, mainly due to the construction of retired lines. In the South-Western Circle, there was an addition of 507 feet to the length of schedule D embankments owing to the construction of a cross bund at Mowah in the district of Murshidabad connecting the Bhagirathi left embankment with the Bhagawangola retired line. The Rampur-Boalia embankments (Schedule D, Nos. 55, 56, 56A and 56B) in the district of Rajshahi were transferred to the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam during the year, as also the embankments in the districts of Malda, Pabna and Bogra. The aggregate length of these embankments is 10 miles and 2,050 feet.

3. *Floods.*—During the year, the monsoon floods in the Orissa rivers were low and no damage was done to any of the Government works except two small breaches in the left embankment of the Bhargovi river. These were promptly closed. There was, however, a very unusual winter flood in the Brahmini and Kharsua rivers which caused some damage to the *dalua* rice crop. In the Gandak Circle there were no heavy floods during the year. The Gandak river rose on 30th July to 240·60 at Siswa, 242·40 being the highest recorded flood level. The flood level in the Ganges at *Bazitpur* was 4·05 lower than that of the previous year. The highest flood in the Bagmati in September rose to 185·32, at Belahiaghat against 190·40, the recorded flood level of 1893. The Burgandak river at Secunderpur rose to 176·40 on 12th August. This was only 1·30 below the highest recorded reading.

There were heavy floods in the South-Western Circle and the embankments were damaged. The highest flood of the year in the Cossye river occurred on the 30th September. The highest flood in the Selye and Rupnarain (or Darkeswar) rivers was on the 29th July. There were three floods in the Damodar between July and September. The highest was on the 29th July, when the gauge at Edilpur read 16 feet 6 inches, which is the same as the maximum recorded flood level of 1902. No serious damage was done to the embankment, but the bamboo spurs at the base of the removed embankment on the right bank at Nathu, Sadipur and Srikistopur were slightly damaged. The flood in the Ajai river on 29th July was 3 feet 9 inches lower than the highest recorded level of 1899. The river protective works were slightly damaged. The floods in the rivers in the Purnea and Bhagalpur districts were of ordinary character and caused no injury to the embankments.

4. *Surveys and investigations.*—In the Orissa Circle investigations were made into the existing village irrigation system in the district of Puri, while the possibilities of further irrigation from the Salia river were under investigation. Investigations in regard to the question of the maintenance of the channels of approach to and discharge from all the sluices in the embankments were completed. In the Gandak Circle surveys in connection with a proposal for a sluice and channel from the Bya river were carried out. In the South-Western Circle surveys were made of the schedule D embankments with the object of establishing a record of the formation level of the crests of those embankments. Surveys were also made of the villages exposed to inundation by the removal of the Laltakuri marginal embankment in the Murshidabad district.

5. *Original works.*—The outlay of the year (without charges for establishment and tools and plant) under this head amounts to Rs. 64,473 distributed over the different classes of embankments as under:—

	1905-1906.	1904-1905.
	Rs.	Rs.
Class A	15,385	20,560
„ B	49,088	16,674
„ C	Nil.	Nil.
„ D	Nil.	1,104
Total ...	64,473	38,338

The more important works are briefly noted:—

In the Orissa Circle the two escapes on the Kushbhadra river referred to in last year's report were completed at a total cost of Rs. 13,470, the expenditure of the year being Rs. 11,680. The stone paving at the head of Tantighai on the right bank of the river Khursuah was in progress at the end of the year. The construction of a permanent escape at Achootpore in the 5th mile Bhargovi left embankment, was completed during the year, the total cost being Rs. 22,250.

In the South-Western Circle an expenditure of Rs. 29,160 was incurred on raising the embankment on the left bank of the Hooghly. The work was nearly completed at the close of the year. A sum of Rs. 15,638 was expended on the embankments along the Nadia rivers principally on the strengthening of the Bhagwangola retired line.

In the Gandak Circle the construction of the drainage sluice in the 6th mile of the Bazitpur embankment referred to in last year's report was completed except the outfall and the approach channels.

6. *Ordinary repairs.*—The expenditure on repairs (without book charges for establishment and tools and plant) aggregated Rs. 3,32,049, which is distributed under the different classes of embankments as follows:—

	1905-1906.	1904-1905.
	Rs.	Rs.
Class A	33,810	26,689
„ B	2,14,566	2,36,572
„ C	1,06,082	1,27,828
„ D	7,166	5,058
Total ...	3,61,624	3,96,147

The expenditure on repairs to the Orissa embankments was Rs. 33,810, against Rs. 26,689 in the previous year. The total cost of repairs to the schedule D embankments (class B) in the Midnapore district which are in the Orissa Circle was Rs. 29,012, of which Rs. 3,452 were expended on retired lines of embankments, Rs. 5,028 on making a diversion cut of the Raniakhal at the 20th mile of the sea-dyke.

In the South-Western Circle, the expenditure on ordinary repairs to Schedule D and other embankments was Rs. 1,42,392, against Rs. 1,02,629 in the previous year. The excess took place chiefly in the districts of Burdwan, Hooghly, Midnapore, Murshidabad and 24-Parganas.

The heavy expenditure in the Burdwan district was due to repairs done to the Damodar left embankment. The excess in the Hooghly district was due to repairs and extensions of the stone revetments in the Rupnarain left embankment and the Damodar left and right embankments. The comparatively heavy expenditure in the Murshidabad district was chiefly due to extensive repairs to the Bhagirathi embankment.

On (class C) *takavi* embankments under contract in the Midnapore, Muzaffarpur, Saran and Champaran districts, a sum of Rs. 1,06,082 was expended during the year, as compared with the contract provision of Rs. 1,05,070. The outlay incurred on the maintenance and special repairs of the Gandak embankments was Rs. 66,984, against Rs. 65,286 in the preceding year. The amount spent on special repairs was Rs. 48,894, against Rs. 43,317 in the preceding year. The expenditure on repairs to the Midnapore embankments in the Cossye and Balasore Divisions was Rs. 39,098, against Rs. 60,303, of the previous year.

On (class D) *takavi* embankments the outlay incurred on repairs was Rs. 7,166, against Rs. 5,058 in the previous year.

7. *Breaches.*—In the Orissa Circle only two small breaches occurred in the Bhargovi left embankment.

In the South-Western Circle 15 breaches occurred in the schedule D embankments and three in the takavi embankments. The total expenditure incurred in closing breaches and in making good damage caused by flood was Rs. 34,443, against Rs. 32,693 in the previous year. There were no breaches in the embankments in the Gandak and Northern Circles.

8. *Retired lines.*—In the Orissa Circle the amount expended in constructing retired lines of embankments, including in this head slope-cutting which is an alternative measure, was Rs. 6,546, against Rs. 5,064 in the previous year. In the South-Western Circle the cost of constructing retired lines in the Burdwan, Midnapore, Murshidabad and 24-Parganas districts was Rs. 8,100, against Rs. 63,165 in the previous year. No retired lines were constructed in the Gandak and Northern Circles.

9. *River protective works.*—In the Orissa Circle the total outlay incurred on repairs to the revetment and river protective works was Rs. 4,883, against Rs. 675 in the preceding year. The expenditure on river protective works in the Gandak Circle amounted to Rs. 4,110, against Rs. 6,482 of the year before.

10. *Financial.*—The actual outlay during the year on the Orissa embankments (class A) maintained as agricultural works, exclusive of charges for establishment and tools and plant was Rs. 33,810, against Rs. 26,689 in the previous year, the average rate per mile being Rs. 65. The expenditure on class B Government embankments was Rs. 2,14,566, against Rs. 2,36,572 in the previous year, the average rate being Rs. 199, against Rs. 217 in 1904-1905.

Government has contracted to maintain certain embankments on behalf of the persons benefited at a fixed annual charge in the districts of Saran, Champaran, Muzaffarpur and Midnapore. The following statement shows the expenditure incurred on these embankments as compared with the contract payments:—

Year.	Midnapore District.		Saran District.		Champaran District.		Muzaffarpur District.	
	Maintenance charge.	Contract amount.	Maintenance charge.	Contract amount.	Maintenance charge.	Contract amount.	Maintenance charge.	Contract amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1900-1901 ...	...	...	14,704	23,900	...	...	...	...
1901-1902 ...	31,100	56,291	5,949	23,900	...	...	...	...
1902-1903 ...	26,899	56,291	12,353	23,900	...	...	...	...
1903-1904 ...	27,295	56,291	25,503	23,900	4,815	20,000	7,451	10,418
1904-1905 ...	60,303	50,755	43,587	23,900	12 394	20,000	11,544	10,418
1905-1906 ...	39,098	50,755	26,105	23,900	20,874	20,000	11,905	10,418
Total ...	1,84,695	2,70,383	1,28,201	1,43,400	47,083	60,000	30,900	31,254

Note.—The figures in this table under column "Maintenance charge" represent the cash outlay on maintenance and repair without any book charges for establishment or tools and plant.

11. *Works undertaken under the provisions of the Drainage Act, VI (B. C.) of 1880.*—The Dankuni, Howrah, Rajapur and Burajalla drainage works in

the Hooghly district in charge of the Executive Engineer; Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, were maintained in good order during the year. The cost of their maintenance compared with the previous year is below :—

	1904-1905.	1905-1906.	Annual amount fixed for maintenance.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Dankuni ..	... 1,119	1,126	4,300
Howrah ...	... 3,071	5,303	2,000
Rajapur ... Brrajalla ...	7,828	7,753	5,000
Total	... 12,018	14,182	11,300

There was some loss of crops in a small area in Rajapur basin, due overflow from Ampta basin which is at present undrained. The income derived from land-rent, fisheries, tolls on boats and other sources has hitherto been credited to the Civil Department. It has since been decided that all receipts shall be finally adjusted in the books of this Department.

Towards the close of the year a proposal was sent up by the Collector of Nadia for the drainage of the Choriucole swamp near Kumarkhali in the Kushtia subdivision of the district under the provisions of the Bengal Drainage Act, VI (B. C) of 1880. The project which will be carried out through the agency of the District Board, Nadia, has received administrative sanction at an estimated cost of Rs. 24,644 and Drainage Commissioners have been appointed.

12. *Works undertaken under the provisions of the Sanitary Drainage Act, VIII (B. C.) of 1895.*—The only work taken up under the Sanitary Drainage Act is the Magra Hât drainage scheme in the 24-Parganas district. It is designed to drain the swamps around Magra Hât in the central portion of the tracts enclosed by the 24-Parganas embankments. The swamps are mainly those along the Kaorapukhar khal, near Hotar, those connected with the Surjipur sluice, those at Joynagar and along the Srichandra and Sangrampur khals, as well as north of the railway near Sangrampur and at Dhosa and Habka. The rough estimates amounting to Rs. 17,39,000 have been approved by the Municipal Department of this Government. The work being very urgently required has been put in hand in anticipation of the sanction of the Secretary of State which has been applied for.

During the year under review Rs. 1,68,775 were spent on work and Rs. 12,479 on the acquisition of land.

13.—DRAINAGE WORKS CARRIED OUT UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE EMBANKMENT ACT, II (B. C.) OF 1882.

Original works.—In the South-Western Circle, the embankment on the left bank of the Peali river with two sluices was completed during the year at a total cost of Rs. 71,979, the expenditure of the year being Rs. 6,596. Work was in progress during the year on the construction of a sluice at Dhutkhali in the 108th mile of the 24-Parganas embankment. The expenditure during and to end of the year was respectively Rs. 9,588 and Rs. 15,412. Arrangements were made to start work during the year on the construction of a sluice at Fulbagicha in the 131st mile of the schedule D embankment, No. 78. A scheme was prepared for improving the drainage of the Arapanch basin in the 24-Parganas, which involved a new length of embankment and a new sluice. The matter is still under consideration. In the meantime the outfall channel leading from the existing sluice in the embankment has been cleared which will give relief for some years. In the Orissa Circle the silt-clearance of the Kunjapur and other khals was completed during the year at a total cost of Rs. 19,432, the expenditure of the year being Rs. 3,872. A project for the drainage of the lands within the Argoal circuit embankment was commenced during the year and a sum of Rs. 14,669 was expended. The construction of the sluices in the 15th mile of the Kalinagar Hassia embankment (schedule D, No. 45) and in the 12th mile of the Jalpai embankment (schedule D, No. 53) referred to in the previous year was completed.

Maintenance and repairs.—The Charrial khal drainage scheme was maintained in good condition during the year at a cost of Rs. 2,492, against Rs. 854 in the previous year. With a few exceptions all the sluices in the schedule D embankment, 24-Parganas district, were efficiently maintained during the year at a total cost of Rs. 1,634. The Kumrool sluice and channel in the 53rd mile of the Damodar left embankment were repaired and maintained during the year at a cost of Rs. 377.

14.—DRAINAGE WORKS CARRIED OUT AT THE COST OF GOVERNMENT, BUT NOT UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF ANY ACT.

Original Works.—A commencement was made in the improvement of the drainage channel from Daudpur to Utterpadima, known as the Tajpur drainage project, in the Contai subdivision of the Balasore Division.

On the Bullee Bhil in the South-Western Circle Rs. 5,066 were expended on repairs and maintenance. In the Balasore Division the Balliaghye main drain was kept open to traffic throughout the year, while the branch drain from 0 mile to the 6th mile post was closed to traffic for silt-clearance from 1st January 1906 till the end of the year. A sum of Rs. 8,139 was spent on silt-clearance and the work was in progress at the close of the year. The outlay on the silt-clearance of the khas tahsil khals in charge of this Department was Rs. 9,217.

Order.—Ordered that a copy of the Resolution and of its appendices (A and B) be published in the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette* and submitted to the Government of India, Public Works Department, for information.

Ordered also that copies of the Resolution and of its appendices (A and B) be forwarded to the Revenue and Financial Departments of this Government; the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces; the Commissioners of the Presidency, Burdwan, Patna, Bhagalpur, Chota Nagpur and Orissa Divisions; the Director-General of Commercial Intelligence; the Superintending Engineers of the Orissa, South-Western, Sone, Gandak, and Northern Circles; and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Bengal, for information.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

W. A. INGLIS,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

APPENDIX A.

List of Public Embankments in Bengal, in charge of Government officers showing their lengths and actual cost of repairs (without charges for Establishment and Tools and Plant) during the year 1905-1906.

Name of Civil Division.	District.	Miles of Embankments.					Total miles of embankments.	Expenditure of the year on Repairs.							
		Maintained at the expense of Government.		Maintained at the expense of the persons benefited.				Class A.		Class B		Class C.			Class D.
		Class A.	Class B.	Under Contract. Class C.	By annual apportionment of charges. Class D.	Total.		Total.	Rate per mile.	Total.	Rate per mile.	Total.	Rate per mile.	Contract rate.	Total.	Rate per mile.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
		M. Ft.	M. Ft.	M. Ft.	M. Ft.	M. Ft.	M. Ft.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	ORISSA EMBANKMENTS MAINTAINED UNDER ACT XXXII of 1855.															
ISA ...	Balasore	251 3,220	..	...	...	...	251 3,220	6,607	128	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Cuttack	215 4,284	...	...	...	...	215 4,284	17,494	81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Puri	248 4,021	.	...	...	...	248 4,021	9,709	39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total Orissa Embankments.	516 1,565	...	...	...	...	516 1,565	33,810	65	...	...	...	.	...	...	...
	EMBANKMENTS OTHER THAN ORISSA MAINTAINED UNDER ACT II (B.C.) of 1882.															
	Muzaffarpur ...	...	...	52 400	27 2,740	79 3,140	79 3,140	...	...	...	...	11,005	211	10,415	1,411	81
	Darbhanga ...	...	...	...	17 3,960	17 3,960	17 3,960	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,360	77
	Saran	...	...	118 5,222	...	118 5,222	118 5,222	...	...	...	...	26,105	219	23,990	...	...
	Champaran ...	...	...	64 5,038	...	62 5,038	62 5,038	...	...	...	...	29,874	474	20,000	...	...
	Total ...	..	...	234 100	45 1,420	279 1,520	279 1,520	...	...	...	...	66,984	286	54,315	2,771	61
AL-	Bhagalpur ...	...	...	...	3 2,960	3 2,960	3 2,960	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	536	148
	Purnea	...	0 1,600*	...	2 4,014	2 4,014	3 400	...	...	1,009	3,196	...	...	...	127	46
	Monghyr ...	...	..	...	11 1,320	11 1,320	11 1,320	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	735	67
	Total ...	..	0 1,600	...	17 3,014	17 3,014	17 4,680	...	...	1,009	3,196	...	..	...	1,408	79
I-	Murshidabad ...	...	74 877	..	..	..	74 877	...	...	17,376	234	...	...	...	...	...
Y.	Nadia	...	1 17	...	...	...	1 17	...	...	51	54	...	...	...	...	...
	24-Parganas ...	...	209 2,582	...	2 1,320	2 1,320	211 3,902	...	...	40,700	194	...	...	...	595	264
	Total ...	..	284 3,476	...	2 1,320	2 1,320	286 4,796	...	..	58,130	204	...	...	...	595	264
	Burdwan	...	32 1,100	...	...	...	32 1,100	...	...	36,294	441	...	...	...	...	...
	Birbhum	...	3 1,320	...	...	...	3 1,320	...	...	861	265	...	...	...	...	...
	Hooghly	...	164 3,366	...	6 0	6 0	170 3,365	...	...	39,799	241	...	...	...	...	...
	Midnapore ...	...	543 1,805(a)	242 2,160(b)	0 136	242 2,296	785 3,901	...	...	78,473	144	39,098	161	5 ,755	2,833	390
	Total ...	...	793 2,110	242 2,160	6 136	248 2,296	1,041 4,406	..	...	1,55,427	196	39,098	161	50,755	54 2 392	2,096 397
	Total Embankments other than Orissa.		1,078 1,972	476 2,260	71 610	547 2,870	1,625 4,842	...	..	2,14,866	199	,06,082	223	1,05,070	7,166	101

(a) Includes 315 miles, 1,793 feet of Schedule D embankments in the Balasore Division.
(b) Includes 6 miles, 1,146 feet of Jaki embankment in the Balasore Division.
* Spur embankments constructed to protect the Civil Station of Araria.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

APPENDIX B.

Statement showing the outlay incurred, recoveries made, and balance outstanding on account of Embankments and Drainage works (class D) maintained during the year 1905-1906.

CIRCLE.	Names of embankments and drainage works.	District.	Balance at the end of 1904-1905.	Outlay during 1905-1906.	Total outlay to the end of 1905-1906.	Amount recovered and adjusted by Civil Department during 1905-1906.	Balance unadjusted on 31st March 1906.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	EMBANKMENTS.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
GANDAK ...	Turki embankment ...	Muzaffarpur	...	1,594	1,594	1,594	...
	Daudpur ditto	Ditto	...	204	204	204	...
	Bazitpur ditto	Darbhanga	...	1,663	1,663	1,663	...
	Monghyr ditto	Monghyr	...	925	925	925	...
	Madarikhal ditto	Hooghly	...	2,338	2,338	2,338	...
SOUTH WESTERN.	Tolly's Nala ditto	24-Parganas	...	595	595	595	...
	Pearl left ditto	Ditto	...	6,596	6,596	6,596	...
	Rajbundi bund	Midnapore	81	54	135	63	72
	Hooghly right embankment from Ulubaria to Champa Khal.	Ditto	...	8,639	8,639	...	8,639
NORTHERN ..	Chandan embankment ...	Bhagalpur	842	607	1,449	862	607
	Belwa ditto	Purnea	66	127	193	60	127
	Total ...		1,009	23,342	24,351	14,906	9,445
	DRAINAGE WORKS.						
	Kumrul sluice	Hooghly	...	377	377	377	...
	Charrial drainage works ...	24-Parganas	...	2,492	2,492	2,492	...
	Srinagar ditto ..	Ditto ...	...	256	256	256	...
	Petty repairs to takavi sluices	Ditto	...	1,378	1,378	1,378	...
	Daiman sluice	Midnapore	23	133	156	154	2
	Total ...		23	4,636	4,659	4,657	2
	GRAND TOTAL ...		1,032	27,978	29,010	19,563	9,447

(COMPILED BY THE BOARD OF REVENUE.)

Statement of recoveries made during the year ending 31st March 1906 on account of embankments (class C) maintained under the contract system.

DISTRICT.	Annual demand.	Arrear due from previous years.	Advance payment at credit.	Net demand.	COLLECTIONS.				Balance.
					Current.	Arrear.	Advance.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Saran (Gandak embankment)..	23,608(a)	10,008(c)	850	32,766	15,514	9,351	923	25,763	7,991
Champaran (ditto) ...	20,009	5,524	14	25,519	16,593	5,480	323	22,396	3,445
Muzaffarpur (ditto) ...	8,308	6,611(d)	1,518	13,401	2,171	5,026	1,43 3	8,610	4,364(f)
Darbhanga (ditto) ...	2,115	1,356	167	3,304	867	1,040	113	2,020	1,397
Midnapore (Midnapore embankment).	50,757(b)	36,621(e)	3,986(e)	83,392	24,275	36,621	4,264	65 159	21,758(g)
Total ...	1,04,797	60,120	6,535	1,58,382	59,420	57,428	7,041	1,23,848	40,790
	1,64,917				1,16,848				

(a) The difference of Rs. 3 in column 2 as compared with the last year's return is due to the increase of Rs. 3 in embankment cess demand owing to increase in the land revenue jama of certain estates by resettlement.

(b) The difference compared with the last year's return is due to the actual annual demand having been shown here.

(c) The difference of Rs. 3 in column 3 is due to the correction made in the assessment of two estates.

(d) The decrease of Re. 1 is due to partitions and omission of fractions of a rupee less than eight annas.

(e) The difference of Rs. 111 and Rs. 351 in the figures shown in columns 3 and 4 as compared with the figures shown in columns 10 and 8 of the last year's return is due to the transfer of some advance amounts to the arrears due from certain estates.

(f) Out of this a sum of Rs. 340 has been collected since the close of the year and for the remaining action will be taken under the certificate procedure.

(g) This balance has been arrived at by deducting Rs. 745 due from Government on account of khas mahals benefited by the embankment.

PRICES-CURRENT (*RETAIL*) OF FOOD-GRAINS AND SALT

IN THE

HEAD-QUARTERS STATION BAZARS OF THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL DURING THE FORTNIGHT ENDING THE 15TH DECEMBER 1906.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			JOWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.
BURDWAN DIVISION.													
1	Burdwan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 10	8 4	13 0	...	...	...
2	Birbhum ...	7 0	9 0	11 4	...	...	...	New 8 4 Old 7 2	New 9 0 Old 7 2	13 8	...	...	...
3	Bankura ...	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	9 0	New 8 Old 8 12	New 15 0 Old 14 0	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	10 0	10 0	9 0	...	...	...	New 9 0	New 10 0	14 0	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	8 8	8 8	8 8	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	10 0	...	...	...
6	Howrah ...	...	...	12 0	...	...	...	8 0	7 12	11 8	...	...	...
PRESIDENCY DIVISION													
7	24-Parganas ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	...		...	9 0	9 0	11 8	...	...	...
8	Calcutta ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	12 14	12 14	12 4	8 14	9 14	7 0	...	...	...
9	Nadia ...	10 8	11 0	14 8	...	13 5	...	8 8	8 10	12 4	...	...	...
10	Murshidabad ...	11 0	11 0	14 8	8 0	15 0	22 0	8 12	8 8	13 0	...	...	...
11	Jessore ...	8 0	8 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	11 4	8 0	8 0	11 0	...	...	...
12	Khulna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	10 0	...	...	...
	BIHAR.												
PATNA DIVISION.													
13	Patna ...	11 12	11 12	11 8	13 4	13 4	20 0	7 6	7 8	10 0	14 4	14 4	...
14	Gaya ...	11 4	11 12	12 5	14 5	13 5	20 8	New 9 11	8 11	New 1 14 Old 14 5	14 13	11 14	18 7
15	Shahabad ...	11 0	11 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	10 8	New 9 2 Old 8 0	15 8	...	...	...
16	Saran ...	11 8	11 4	11 0	15 0	14 8	18 0	9 0	9 0	14 0	...	...	15 0
17	Champaran ...	10 0 to 11 0	10 0	14 0	13 0	13 0	20 0	9 4	9 0	15 8	...	...	...
18	Muzaffarpur ...	10 8	10 8	11 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	8 0	8 0	11 0	...	...	...
19	Darbhanga ...	11 0	11 0	14 4	13 3	13 3	17 9	6 0	7 11	15 6	...	...	...

A. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Katwa 16 seers 8 chitaks; Raniganj 16 seers Kalna 17 seers.

B. At Rampur Hat the retail price of salt is 16 seers.

C. At Vishnupur the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee.

D. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Contai 16 seers; Tamluk 16 seers; Ghatal 17 seers 8 chitaks.

E. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Serampore 16 seers (Liverpool); Arambagh 16 seers (Karkatch).

F. At Ulubaria the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee.

G. In the marts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—(Chetla 16 seers; Barasat 16 seers; Baduria 16 seers (crushed); Mograhat 16 seers; Barrackpore return not received.

H. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kushtia 15 seers (panga); Chuadanga 18 seer (karkatch); Meherpur 16 seers (karkatch); Ranaghat 12 seers (crushed).

Station Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 15th December 1906.

INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR (*dál*) OR THUR, CADJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*).			SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS. SALT.			DISTRICTS	Number.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	BENGAL.	
..	..	..	8 0	8 4	9 0	A 17 12 Karkatch	17 0	16 8	2 4 0	2 6 0	2 3 6	Burdwan.	1
..	..	..	5 4	4 8	8 4	B 15 0 Karkatch.	15 0	14 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 10 0	Birbhum.	2
..	..	..	8 4	8 0	10 1	C 16 0	16 0	16 8	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 7 0	Bankura.	3
..	..	..	6 8	6 8	8 8	D 13 12 Panga.	13 12	14 0	2 5 0	2 5 0	2 6 0	Midnapore.	4
						14 0 Crushed.	14 0	16 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0		
..	..	..	8 0	8 0	9 0	E 17 0 Panga.	17 0	16 0	2 3 0	2 3 0	2 6 0	Hooghly.	5
..	..	..	7 12	8 8	9 0	F 17 0	16 0	16 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	Howrah.	6
..	..	..	7 8	7 8	10 8	G 16 0 Panga.	16 0	18 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 0 0	24 Pargannas.	7
13 0	13 0	12 4	6 11	6 14	8 0	16 0 Panga.	16 0	14 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 8 0	Calcutta.	8
..	..	..	8 0	6 6½	8 0	H 16 0 Karkatch.	16 0	16 0	2 5 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	Nadia.	9
..	..	..	7 0	7 0	8 0	I 16 0 Karkatch.	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	Murshidabad.	10
..	..	..	10 0	10 0	13 4	J 16 0 Panga	16 0	12 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	Jessore.	11
..	..	..	8 0	8 0	9 0	K 15 0 Panga.	15 5	13 8	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Khulna.	12
												BIHAR.	
13 0	12 12	16 0	7 8	7 8	9 8	L 16 0 Panga.	15 2	16 0	2 8 0	2 7 0	2 8 0	Patna.	13
13 13	13 5	18 7	7 3	7 3	9 3	M 15 14 Panga.	15 14	15 11	2 9 0	2 9 0	2 8 6	Gaya.	14
13 0	12 8	19 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	N 16 0	16 0	16 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	Shahabad.	15
12 8	12 6	17 0	7 8	7 8	9 0	O 16 0 Panga.	16 0	16 0	2 7 6	2 8 0	2 8 0	Saran.	16
12 8	11 5	18 0	6 12	6 12	10 8	P 15 0	15 0	15 0	2 10 9	2 10 9	2 13 0	Champaran.	17
13 0	12 8	17 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	Q 14 8 Panga.	14 8	14 0	2 10 6	2 10 6	2 12 0	Muzaffarpur.	18
12 1	12 1	17 9	6 0	5 8	14 4	R 14 4	14 4	14 4	2 13 0	2 13 0	2 14 0	Darbhanga.	19

PRESIDENCY DIVISION. BURDWAN DIVISION. PATNA DIVISION.

I. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jangipur 16 seers; Lalbagh 14 seers; Kandi 15 seers.
J. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jhenida 13 seers 12 chitaks (karkatch); Magura 12 seers (karkatch); Bangaon 16 seers (panga) and Sarail 14 seers 3 chitaks (panga).
K. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are Bagerhat 12 seers (karkatch); Satkhira 16 seers.
L. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Barh 16 seers; Bihar 14 seers.
M. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jahanabad 16, Nawada 13 and Aurangabad 16 seers.
N. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Buxar 16 seers; Bhabua 14 seers and Sasseram 16 seers.
O. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are Siwan 15 seers; Gopalganj 15 seers 14 chitaks (panga).
P. At Bettia the retail price of salt is 14 seers 8 chitaks per rupee.
Q. In the subdivisions the prices of salt per rupee are—Sitamarhi 15 seers; Hajipur 15 seers.
R. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are Samastipur and Madhubani return not received.

PRICES-CURRENT (retail) of Food-grains and Salt in the Head-quarters

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN														
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, COMMON.			COWAR OR CHOLUM (*Sorghum Vulgare*).					
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	BIHAR—*concluded.*															
BHAGALPUR DIVISION.	20 Monghyr ...	11 0	10 8	12 9	Not sold.	13 0	...	8 8	9 0 New.	14 8	...	...	...			
	21 Bhagalpur ...	11 6	11 6	13 14	12 10	12 10	20 4	9 8 Old 5 12 New	8 14 Old 5 8 New	14 8 Aus 14 0 Now	...	...	...			
	22 Purnea ...	9 0	9 8	13 5	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	13 0	...	...	...			
	23 Darjeeling ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	10 0	...	...	...			
	24 Southal Parganas	9 0	9 8	10 0	11 8	13 0	18 0	10 0	11 4	15 0	...	...	...			
	ORISSA.															
ORISSA DIVISION.	25 Cuttack ...	11 13	10 8	11 13	...	...	...	11 2½	10 8	14 7	...	...	...			
	26 Balasore ...	11 12	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	9 0	10 0	13 0	...	...	...			
	27 Angul ...	6 0	6 0	9 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	13 0	...	...	...			
	28 Puri ...	9 13	9 13	11 7	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	12 7	...	...	...			
	29 Sambalpur ...	13 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 8	12 0	16 6	...	...	...			
	CHOTA NAGPUR															
CHOTA NAGPUR DIVISION.	30 Hazaribagh* ...	...	10 0	10 8	...	14 0	17 8	...	9 0	13 0	...	...	...			
	31 Ranchi ...	9 8 to 10 8	9 8 to 10 8	8 0 to 10 0	11 0	14 0	15 0	11 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...			
	32 Palamau ...	10 11	11 4	14 10	13 8	12 6	...	9 1	10 2	15 12	...	...	...			
	33 Manbhum ...	10 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	10 8	13 0	10 0	10 0	15 0	...	...	...			
	34 Singhbhum ...	10 0	10 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0	...	...	...			

* Return not received.

8. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt (panga) per rupee are—Jamui 16 seers; Begusarai return not received.

T. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Banka 12½ seers; Madhipura return not received and Supaul 14 seers.

U. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kishanganj 14 seers; Basantpur 14 seers.

V. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kurseong 11 seers and Siliguri 10 seers 8 chitaks.

W. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Jamtara 13 seers; Pakour report not received. Deoghar 16 seers and Rajmahal and Godda return not received.

CALCUTTA,
The 21st December 1906.

Station Bazars of the districts of Bengal on the 15th December 1906 —concld.

INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR (*dál*) OR TUR, CADJAN PEA (*cajanus indicus*).			SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS. SALT.			DISTRICTS.	
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	BIHAR—*concluded.*	
11 12	11 8	18 0	6 12	6 8	8 6	S 15 11	15 11	15 0	2 10 4	Panga. 2 10 0	2 10 0	Monghyr	20
12 0	12 0	20 4	6 15	7 0	8 14	T 15 8	15 8	15 12	2 6 9	Panga. 2 6 9	2 8 0	Bhagalpur	21
10 8	10 8	21 0	6 8	6 8	8 0	U 13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0 0	Panga. 3 0 0	3 0 0	Purnea.	22
12 0	12 0	13 0	5 8	5 8	6 4	V 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	Darjeeling	23
13 8	14 8	22 0	11 0	9 0	New 17 0	W 14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12 0	Panga. 2 12 0	2 12 0	Sonthal Parganas.	24
												ORISSA.	
...	...	...	11 24	11 13	14 7	X 18 0	18 0	16 0	2 3 0	Karkatch. 2 3 0	2 8 0	Cuttack.	25
...	...	...	7 0	8 0	9 0	Y 17 0	16 0	17 0	2 4 0	Parga. 2 5 0	2 6 0	Balasore	26
...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	Z 10 8	10 8	10 8	3 0 0	Karkatch. 3 0 0	3 0 0	Angul.	27
...	...	...	6 9	6 9	8 8	a 19 0	18 0	15 0	2 1 0	2 2 0	2 8 0	Puri	28
...	...	...	7 0	7 8	9 0	b 13 0	13 0	11 8	3 0 0	Karkatch. 3 0 0	3 0 0	Sambalpur.	29
												CHOTA NAGPUR.	
...	15 0	19 8	..	6 14	8 0	...	12 8	12 8	...	Panga. 3 1 3	3 1 3	Hazaribagh.	30
18 0	18 0	20 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	c 15 0	13 0	12 13	3 0 0	Panga 3 0 0	3 1 0	Ranchi.	1
14 10	15 12	27 0	8 0	9 0	11 4	15 8	15 3	15 3	...	...	...	Palamau.	2
15 0	15 0	20 0	8 0	8 0	10 8	d 13 0	15 0	13 0	2 10 0	Panga. 2 10 0	2 8 0	Manbhum.	33
...	...	...	8 0	8 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0 0	Panga. 3 0 0	3 0 0	Singhbhum	34

X. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Kendrapara 16 seers ; Jajpur 16.
Y. At Bhadrak the retail price of salt is 16 seers per rupee (panga).
Z. In the parts in the interior of the district the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Saukhpur 11 seers (karkatch) ; Phulbani 12 seers.
a. At Kendrapara the retail price of salt is 18 seers per rupee.
b. At Bargarh the retail price of salt is 11 seers (Bombay).
c. At Gumla the retail price of salt is 10 seers (panga).
d. In the subdivisions the retail prices of salt per rupee are—Gobindapur 16 seers (panga) ; Jhalda 11 seers.

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PRICES-CURRENT (wholesale) of Food-grains, Firewood, &c., in

PRICE PER MAUND OF

Number.	Marts.	Rice (best sort).			Common rice (*mota chaul*).			Wheat (*Triticum sativum*).			Barley (*Hordeum vulgare*).		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	pre	espondi return year.	ret e		Corresponding return last year
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	Calcutta	6 6 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	5 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 10 0
	Burdwan	5 14 0	5 12 0	3 8 0	4 10 0	4 13 0	3 0 0	..					
	Midnapore	6 4 0	6 4 0	3 12 0	Now 4 7 0	Now 4 0 0	2 13 0	...					
	Patna	6 0 0	6 0 0	4 0 0	5 6 0	5 3 0	2 8 0	3 5 4	3 5 3	3 8 0	2 15 0	2 15 0	2 0 0
5	Muzaffarpur	6 10 6	6 10 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	0 0	3 5 3	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 5 3	2 15 3	2 15 3	2 5 0
6	Bhagalpur	Now 5 4 0	7 1 0	3 15 0	Now 4 3 0	Nu 4 8 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	3 3 0	3 2 6	1 15
7	Cuttack	5 8 8	5 5 6	0 9	3 9 4	3 1 0	2 12 3	3 4 6	3 14 6	3 3 0			
	Sambalpur ...	4 8 0	4 3 0	4 2 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	2 6 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0			
	Ranchi	3 10 6 to 5 0 0	3 10 6 to 5 0 0	4 1 8	3 0	3 0	2 9 3	3 13 0 to 1 3 3	3 13 0 to 4 3 3	4 0 0 to 5 0 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 10

CALCUTTA,

The 20th December 1906.

STANDARD SERIES.

Juar or Cholum (*Sorghum vulgare*).			Bajra or Cumbu (*Pennisetum typhoideum*).			Marua or Ragi (*Eleusine coracana*).			Gram, Chana, Chola, Kadalay, or Sunaga (*Cicer arietinum*).		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
...	...	...	3 4 0	3 4 0	4 8 0	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 4
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 8 0	3 4
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4 0 to 3 12 0	3 4 0 to 3 12 0	3 0 to 3 8
12 0	3 4 0	...	2 12 0	2 8 0	...	...	2 12 0	...	3 5 0	3 6 0	2 10
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 5 3	2 3 6	3 3 0	3 3 0	2 13
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 3 0	3 3 0	2 7
									Biri or Kalai.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 9	3 3 6	2 8
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 12 0	3 11 6	3 0
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 10 6	3 10 6	3 1

PRICE PER MAUND O

INDIAN-CORN OR MAIZE (*Zea mays*).			ARHAR DAL OR THUR—CADJAN PEA (*Cajanus indicus*).			LINSEED.			MUSTARD AND RAPESEED.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
2 14 0	2 14 0	2 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 12 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	4 6
...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	...	...	...	8 0 0	7 8 0	5 12
									Black Mustard.		
...	...	...	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 12 0	8 8 0	7 8 0	6 0
									Rapeseed.		
									6 8 0	6 8 0	4 4
3 1 0	3 3 0	2 8 0	5 5 3	5 5 3	4 3 6	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 2 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 4
3 3 0	3 3 0	2 1 6	5 5 0	5 5 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
									Mustard.		
3 5 0	3 5 0	1 15 6	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	5 10 0	4 9 6	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 9
									Rapeseed.		
									7 8 0	...	6 6
...	...	...	3 9 4	3 9 0	2 12 3	...	...	...	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 12
..	...	...	5 8 0	5 4 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	5 4 0	5 8 0	4 12
...	...	...	6 2 6	6 10 6	6 10 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 6 6 to 6 10 6	6 10 6	5 11 to 5 14

Til or Jinjili seed						Sugar (raw)						Cotton (cleaned)						Jute					
Present return.			Next preceding return.			Present return.			Next preceding return.			Present return.			Next preceding return.			Present return.			Next preceding return.		
Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
6	8	0	6	12	0	4	8	0	6	4	0	3	12	0	6	4	0	19	8	0	19	8	0
									5	0	0	5	0	0	5	4	0						
...									0	0	0	5	0	0	7	0	0	20 to 24	0 to 0	0 to 0	20 to 24	0 to 0	0 to 0
7	0	0	7	0	0	6	14	0	4	11	6	4	4	0	4	2	0	17	8	0	17	0	0
									4	0	0	4	0	0	4	7	0						
									4	0	0	4	8	0	4	3	0	20	0	0	20	0	0
5	7	0	5	11	6	5	5	3	4	0	0	3	10	0	6	8	0	20	5	0	20	5	0
4	8	0	5	8	0	6	0	0	6	0	0	6	0	0	5	4	0						
--									5	11	6	5	11	6	5	11	3	22	12	0	22	12	0

Jute					
Present return.			Next preceding return.		
Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
10	12	0	10	12	0
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7	0	0	7	0	0
6	4	0	6	4	0

Jute			
Corresponding return of last year.			
Rs.	A.	P.	
7	0	0	
7	0	0	
6	0	0	

PRICE PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.

Ghi (clarified butter).			Tobacco Leaf.			Hides (cow).			Grass.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
						Per 100 pieces.					
45 0 0	40 0 0	39 0 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 0 0	400 0 0	430 0 0	500 0 0	1 4 0	1 4 0	2 0 0
42 0 0	42 0 0	36 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	—
			Madhukhali.			Uncleaned per piece.					
			7 0 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	2 12 0 to 3 12 0	2 12 0 to 3 12 0	2 12 0 to 3 12 0			
43 0 0	43 0 0	38 8 0	Pulta.			Cleaned per piece.			—	—	—
			9 8 0	9 0 0	8 8 0	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	3 0 0 to 4 0 0	3 0 0 to 4 0 0			
38 0 0	38 0 0	36 0 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 8 0	...	...	—	0 4 6	0 4 6	...
40 0 0	40 0 0	35 9 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 9 0	...	...	—	—	...	...
41 12 0	40 10 0	40 0 0	6 6 4	6 6 4	6 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
						Per maund.					
38 1 6	38 1 6	38 1 6	6 1 6	6 1 6	6 1 6	30 0 0	30 0 0	25 0 0	0 7 0	0 7 6	0 7 0
						Per maund.					
40 0 0	40 0 0	36 4 0	15 0 0	16 0 0	16 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	...	...	...
						Per piece.					
40 0 0 to 42 10 0	37 8 0 to 40 0 0	33 11 0 to 37 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	10 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	0 5 4	0 5 4	0 4 0

	Straw.			Juar stalks.			PRICE PER MAUND OF 40 STANDARD SEERS.										
							Iron.			Firewood.			Salt.				
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1. Calcutta	0 14 0	Per maund. 0 14 0	1 0 0	...	...	...	6 2 0	6 2 0	5 12 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	2 2 0	Panga. 2 2 0	2 8 0	
2. Burdwan.	0 6 6	Per pad. 0 6 0	0 6 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 5 3	2 4 0	Karkatch. 2 5 0	2 3 6	
3. Midnapore.	0 8 0	Per maund. 0 8 0	0 8 0	...	...	...	2 8 0 to 4 8 0	2 8 0 to 4 8 0	2 8 0 to 4 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	2 5 0 / 2 4 0	Panga. 2 5 0 / Crushed. 2 4 0	2 6 0 / 2 3 0	
4. Patna.	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 10 0	4 10 0	4 0 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	2 9 0	Panga. 2 7 0	2 7 0	
5. Muzaffarpur.	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 11 6	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 4 0	2 10 6	Panga. 2 10 6	2 12 0	
6. Bhagalpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	2 6 9	Panga. 2 6 9	2 8 6	
7. Cuttack.	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 2 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	2 2 0	Karkatch. 2 2 0	2 8 0	
8. Sambalpur.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 3 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	3 0 0	Karkatch. 3 0 0	3 0 0	
9. Ranchi.	0 10 6	1 0 0	0 8 0	...	...	...	5 11 6	5 11 6	5 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 0 0	Panga. 3 0 0	3 1 0	

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Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Bloc

Whence imported	Food-grains								Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total	Jute, raw	Gunny bags†	Linseed	Mustard seed
	Rice	Paddy*	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	372,896	246,344	526,855	1,207	493	17,084	851	547,070	4,853	120,497	3,922	3,321
Birbhum	459,728	5,205	462,081	8	17	1,071	718	464,708	.....	19,075	2,046	3,970
Bankura	183,786	64,155	193,893	.....	.....	12	.....	194,005	69	15,050	.....	.....
Midnapore	958,335	268,051	1,125,867	786	.....	21,893	16	1,148,562	7,147	84,976	5,695	1,202
Hooghly	477,142	123,799	558,268	2,012	87	15,583	1,127	577,075	158,160	17,583,318	12,023	1,120
24-Parganas	927,894	50,022	968,868	52	.....	8,288	.....	977,208	885,683	58,510,377	5,226	237
Nadia	27,381	2,751	29,075	10,264	2	170,292	15,094	224,727	225,110	111,283	99,728	2,508
Murshidabad	87,594	2,393	89,090	10,542	573	27,514	2,817	130,536	94,423	31,435	13,940	22
Jessore	256	4,550	3,100	251	.....	12,303	896	36,550	80,894	28,535	16,217	682
Khulna	1,231	24,000	16,231	.....	119	3,202	.....	19,612	176,090	142,835	2,141	.....
Total Bengal	3,455,963	797,220	3,954,226	25,122	1,291	297,885	21,519	4,300,043	1,742,419	76,057,611	160,938	13,062
BIHAR												
Patna	7,016	23	7,030	2	.....	232,921	49,443	289,396	353	4,095	331,544	24,844
Gaya	27,661	.....	27,661	774	.....	199,707	6,725	234,867	80	41,135	84,497	4,272
Shahabad	18,315	.....	18,315	6,874	766	330,621	2,193	358,769	.....	1,575	78,737	6,881
Saran	832	.....	832	151	.....	6,067	5,959	13,009	82	14,840	95,309	11,523
Champaran	816	269	984	20	.....	4,049	41,705	46,758	1,560	3,325	121,202	22,912
Muzaffarpur	535	.....	535	.....	.....	1,629	19,721	21,885	584	2,100	240,055	9,015
Darbhanga	12	.....	12	549	.....	4,560	3,027	9,048	721	2,100	243,727	32,706
Monghyr	1,386	.....	1,386	21,422	9	167,783	7,350	197,950	.....	2,870	124,434	59,901
Bhagalpur	6,152	.....	6,152	6,315	.....	1,392	40,931	54,871	7,893	6,020	86,052	42,085
Purnea	260	.....	260	681	.....	1,343	764	10,048	583,016	123,585	6,505	8,079
Santhal Parganas	8,405	.....	8,405	17,010	.....	19,389	11,413	56,247	32,831	10,080	6,602	12,311
Darjeeling	.....	1	1	.....	.....	6	2	9	6,568	88,675	18	820
Cooch Behar	13	.....	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	13	46,042	840	.....	.....
Total Bihar	71,403	293	71,596	53,829	775	968,627	189,763	1,300,480	686,330	254,240	1,417,832	236,099
ORISSA												
Cuttack	96,881	52,986	129,907	.....	.....	3,649	.....	131,646	8,091	6,265	.....	1
Balasore	411,949	443,454	632,118	522	.....	6,036	.....	638,676	60,208	44,172	1,463	777
Puri	145,486	27,157	162,643	.....	.....	.....	.....	162,643	.....	4,585	.....	.....
Sambalpur	237,315	1,284	238,117	.....	.....	155	47	238,319	382	12,843	1,194	773
Mourbhanj State	44,256	8,326	49,449	.....	.....	251	36	49,707	.....	1,435	.....	80
Total Orissa	934,877	533,207	1,272,312	522	.....	10,071	83	1,282,988	68,680	69,302	2,567	1,630
CHOTA NAGPUR												
Hazaribagh	4,466	.....	4,466	.....	.....	342	.....	4,808	.....	980	1,002	.....
Palamau	339	.....	339	.....	.....	.....	.....	339	.....	21,955	22,072	826
Manbhum	68,830	14,446	77,870	.....	259	14	.....	78,142	.....	3,040	346	393
Singhbhum	205,927	16,749	216,595	.....	.....	264	6	216,865	.....	11,235	1,345	218
Gangpur (Tributary State).	835	.....	835	.....	.....	.....	.....	835	.....	455	.....	.....
Total Chota Nagpur	280,367	31,235	299,895	.....	259	619	6	301,079	.....	48,225	25,365	1,637
Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	4,746,610	1,362,955	5,598,029	79,473	2,325	1,792,102	211,371	7,193,220	2,497,438	77,029,418	1,606,702	252,428
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES												
Burma	2,522,759	175,465	2,654,990	721	467	25,581	6,646	2,688,348	.....	14,320	.....	.....
E B and Assam	122,257	538	122,503	3,218	64	52,234	2,275	180,294	4,963,859	996,000	53,176	183,120
U P of Agra and Oudh	30,264	689	30,795	1,656,817	43,835	388,761	28,646	2,147,767	3,189	7,315	644,731	867,625
Punjab	39,67	.....	39,967	349,178	32,274	398,654	19,116	749,789	.....	18,700	672	290,255
Sind and British Baluchistan.	23,471	8,944	31,061	.....	408	.....	..	31,469	.....	1,090	.....	258
Central Provinces and Berar.	143, 62	50,055	175,021	233,031	5	370,018	834	778,909	771	13,125	76,825	4,771
Bombay	145,800	.....	145,800	.....	.....	3	203	146,006	.....	.....	.....	28,248
Madras	53,702	80,035	102,754	150	61,09	174	167,113	92	5,470	61	98,013	
Rajputana and Central India.	4,681	300	4,890	2,337	.....	1,213	.....	8,441	.....	525	12,613	73,596
Port Blair	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1906	7,833,873	1,692,877	8,885,071	2, 24,485	79,528	3,512 677	269,275	14,071,576	7,465,949	78,076 163	2,393,720	1,706,714
GRAND TOTAL 1905	6,177 187	730,586	6,637,551	4 720,307	57,077	3,175,125	229 011	15,088,571	6 665,919	49,434,265	2,339,376	2,064,888
GRAND TOTAL 1904	4,344,25	1,023,492	4,989 757	9,876 039	50,860	3,723,155	124 415	18 834,224	6,705,621	14,859,878	6 723,577	2,507,132

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the six months of April to September 1906

Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	SUGAR		TOBACCO		Whence im
					Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured	
Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	
1	36	.....	38,979,851	.....	26	17	256	68	Burdwan
.....	272	350	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	Birbhum
.....	198	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	66	876	Bankura
.....	712	325	11,828	.....	84	14,060	4,598	148	Midnapore
3	1,557	.....	17,936	.....	475	24,499	30,707	4,387	Hooghly
.....	15,243	.....	50,266	.....	74,048	62,826	6,184	3,184	24-Parganas
.....	4,191	182	.....	.....	4	5,635	11,766	6	Nadia
136	368	5,502	16,667	.....	112	517	252	.....	Murshidabad
.....	1,084	67	.....	.....	372	65,638	3,865	8	Jessore
.....	321	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,126	245	.....	Khulna
140	23,962	6,226	39,076,518	.....	76,123	187,318	57,939	8,667	Total Bengal
									BIHAR
7	858	.....	.....	2	.....	2,363	17,785	4,261	Patna
1	202	.....	.....	6	.....	1,442	5	5,119	Gaya
.....	35	.....	.....	.....	1,043	5,693	..	6	...habad
.....	44	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,477	341	.....	Saran
.....	95	.....	.....	.....	.....	267	.....	.....	Champaran
2	1,599	.....	.....	6	.....	276	3,721	.....	Muzaffarpur
.....	49	.....	.....	.....	.....	453	12,734	.....	Darbhanga
.....	1,278	.....	.....	.....	.....	728	954	285	Monghyr
.....	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	2	Bhagalpur
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90,139	.....	Purnea
.....	52	11	.....	.....	.....	2	1,543	4	Santhal Parganas
114,263	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,936	.....	Darjeeling
179	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,181	.....	Cooch Behar
114,493	4,412	12	.....	14	1,043	13,611	135,174	9,677	Total Bihar
									ORISSA
	53	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Cuttack
.....	220	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,103	.....	Balasore
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Puri
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Sambalpur
.....	184	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mourbhanj State
1	457	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,103	.....	Total Orissa
									CHOTA NAGPUR
.....	.....	.....	780,430	.....	.....	.....	.....		Hazaribagh
.....	.....	.....	4,070	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Palamau
71,252	.....	.....	30,629,172	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Manbhum
.....	36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	Singhbhum
.....	189	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Gangpur (Tributary State)
1,252	225	.....	37,413,672	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	Total Chota Nagpur
115,836	29,056	6,238	76,490,190	14	76,166	209,929	194,280	18,344	Total of the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal
									OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES
30	16,583	.....	.....	.....	408	.....	787	182	Burma
870,389	101,078	1,634	41,590	.....	32	1,453	141,275	26	E B and Assam
343	18,954	20	.....	12	1,186	6,172	369	109	U P of Agra and Oudh
3	36,049	.....	.....	.....	.....	55	8	.....	Punjab
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	262	Sind and British Baluchistan
7	103,816	.....	.....	.....	.....	450	5	64	Central Provinces and Berar
32	11,557	17	.....	.....	42,836	.....	337	237	Bombay
108	96,189	.....	.....	.....	72,763	.....	146	1,047	Madras
.....	4,097	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	Rajputana and Central India
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Port Blair
986,647	392,279	7,909	76,631,780	26	193,981	208,759	337,146	20,284	1906
987,105	512,619	8,870	71,999,085	804	167,004	202,008	386,405	22,025	1905 } GRAND TOTAL
1,098,803	204,517	7,395	63,255,275	1,830	1...744	311,405	417,813	20,441	

No. II

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No I were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the six months of April to September 1906

Routes		Food-grains						Fibrous products		Oilseeds	
		Rice	Paddy	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Jute, raw	Gunny-bags	Linseed	Mus-se
		Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No	Mds	M
By boat		1,597,002	106,633	23,276	83	209,902	8,224	1,476,219	71,484,660	95,295	1
,, river steamer ...		118,089	10,759	4,284	36	51,344	15,360	1,009,073	210,840	15,733	17
,, rail	E. I. Railway	933,538	327,733	2,085,754	77,653	1,659,896	222,423	711,805	77[illegible],360	2,097,110	1,47
	E. B. S. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	200,898	495	1,522	720	123,741	15,373	3,954,750	2,890,580	103,476	
	A.-B. Railway	17	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	32,467	99,715	215	...
	B.-N. Railway	1,696,379	815,993	228,874	155	212,905	1,009	22,935	135,660	79,738	
	Bombay Railways	...	.....	.....	.....	165,025	.....	.....	1,015	853	...
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways†	2,448	213	.....	1	25	.....	5,400	20,685	105	....
,, road ...		475,129	54,549	4	.....	3,003	.....	175,593	2,430,323	698	105
,, sea		2,810,373	366,498	721	875	86,226	6,886	76,207	29,325	475	21,742
Total ...	1906 ...	7,833,873	1,682,877	2,324,435	79,528	2,512,667	269,275	7,465,349	78,076,163	2,393,720	1,706,714
	1905 ...	6,177,187	736,586	4,720,307	55,977	3,435,725	239,011	6,669,919	9,434,265	2,339,370	2,064,888
	1904 ...	4,346,325	1,029,492	9,876,099	50,800	3,723,155	194,413	6,795,621	14,859,878	6,723,577	2,507,132

Routes.		Tea, Indian	Cotton, raw	Silk, raw	Coal and coke	Indigo	Sugar		Tobacco	
							Refined	Unrefined	Unmanufactured	Manufactured
		Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By boat		3	17,333	9	24,175	.....	4,667	121,915	47,276	2,788
,, river steamer ...		604,091	43,439	2,841	58,257	.....	72	1,444	16,320	2,108
,, rail	E. I. Railway	1,117	131,954	576	57,246,755	26	2,293	19,902	31,996	6,270
	E. B. S. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	296,703	11,883	4,466	999	.....	383	19,936	256,821	.....
	A.-B. Railway	79,142	11,111	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	129	4
	B.-N. Railway	670	8,917	.....	19,155,754	.....	.....	150	228	1,401
	Bombay Railways	.....	96,583	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	253	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways†	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23	.....	.....
,, road		.....	3,474	.....	45,840	.....	69,970	45,389	12,170	6,68
,, sea		5,011	74,585	17	.....	.....	116,597	.....	1,953	1,039
Total ...	1906 ...	986,647	399,270	7,909	76,531,780	26	193,981	208,759	337,146	20,364
	1905 ...	1,037,105	312,619	8,870	71,919,085	894	167,004	302,028	336,405	22,025
	1904 ...	1,098,803	204,547	7,345	63,255,275	1,830	186,744	311,405	41[illegible],813	20,441

No III

Imports of certain Articles into Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the six months of April to September 1906.

	Cotton piece-goods		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil
	European	Indian	European	Indian		
	Rs.	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
From Foreign Countries—						
United Kingdom	8,59,80,128	.....	59,451	.....	3,217,529	[illegible]
Other countries	54,80,564	.....	3,312	.....	2,507,614	807,[illegible]
Total ...	9,14,60,692	.....	62,743	.....	5,825,143	808,786
Coastwise—						
Bombay	1,01,776	27,09,805	.....	57,502	275,990	.....
Sind and British Baluchistan	2,532	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras	761	4,40,336	.....	593	.....	.....
Other ports in Madras	.....	3,760	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alleppy	.....	.....	.....	73	.....	.....
Pondichery	713	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burma	36,492	20,033	.....	94	.....	1,314,433
Other ports	.....	.....	.....	42	.....	.....
Total ...	1,42,273	31,73,914	.....	58,304	275,990	1,314,433
Total ... 1906 ...	9,16,02,965	31,73,914	62,743	58,304	6,201,133	2,123,636
Total ... 1905 ...	9,71,66,304	31,86,101	73,773	59,045	5,548,132	2,129,556
Total ... 1904 ...	8,58,14,023	29,25,477	46,969	77,498	7,034,226	2,616,229

No IV

Exports of Principal Articles from Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign countries) in the six months of April to September 1906

	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-	Total	Jute,	Gunny-bags
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	No
Bombay	54,241		54,241	119		584	136	55,080	69	8,690,15
Sind and British Baluchistan ...	709		709					709	....	3,413,50
Madras	630		630	424	11,950	91,089	7,405	111,498		703,20
Other ports in Madras ...	139,474		140,040		7,390	20,143		167,573		1,423,65
Kattywar										
Pondichery					1,925	1,035		2,960		93,20
Goa										
Alleppy	3,522	.....	3,522					3,522		13,50
Burma	18,667	.....	18,667	1,322	146,159	121,335	10,488	297,971	225	11,387,81
Other Indian ports	9,618	.....	9,618	244	7,446	8,299	20	25,627	1	106,94
Total	226,951	905	227,517	2,109	174,870	242,485	18,049	665,030	240	25,761,96
To Foreign countries—										
United Kingdom	225,006	4	225,008	120,474	.....	185,549	99	540,130	1,861,552	26,400,83
Other countries	2,422,374	13	2,422,382	28,508	34,053	15,752	29,295	2,661,790	2,542,147	272,502,85
Total ...	2,647,380	17	2,647,390	167,982	34,053	236,101	29,394	3,201,920	4,403,699	298,903,68
Total ... 1906	2,874,331	922	2,874,907	160,091	208,923	578,586	47,443	3,869,950	4,403,825	324,671,647
Total ... 1905	5,027,047	44,980	5,655,158	2,544,405	240,183	1,540,077	93,537	10,083,329	4,154,692	311,002,602
Total ... 1904	3,929,208	3,347	3,931,299	7,251,373	261,015	2,058,249	62,927	13,565,863	3,551,059	279,732,071

	Linseed	Mustard seed	Tea, Indian	Cotton raw		Indigo		Sugar Refined	Sugar Unrefined	Tobacco Unmanufactured	Tobacco Manufactured
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
Bombay ...			14,435	661	25	16,388,014	24	5,450	.....	.....	68
Sind and British Baluchistan ...		.....	570		.....	7,082,624	.....	.....	.....	1,077	380
Madras			742		.....	2,333,065	.....	1,264	11	.....	59
Other ports in Madras ...			246		.....	1,543,781	.....	13	.....	.....	397
Kattywar ...					.....	147,136	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pondichery ...					.....	103,771	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Goa ...					.....	174,967	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alleppy ...					.....	82	.....	.....	.....	.....	6
Burma			3,771		74	5,733,246	54	7,744	7,084	65,431	1,734
Other Indian ports	10		2		.....	140,219	.....	13,625	49	3,225	48
	96	9,007	19,769	1,289	99	33,005,905	78	28,096	7,744	69,743	2,661
To Foreign countries											
United Kingdom	1,163,414	70,769	643,186	14,716	1,760	163	798	128	.....	29	91
Other countries	873,865	87,616	240,032	252,109	6,328	14,625,629	2,718	5,869	68	17,927	894
Total	2,036,270	158,385	883,218	266,825	8,028	14,625,792	3,516	5,997	68	17,956	986
Total ... 1906	2,036,375	167,392	902,987	268,114	8,127	47,631,701	3,594	34,293	7,812	87,699	3,647
Total ... 1905	2,123,423	149,768	895,555	250,589	6,917	42,173,782	7,297	23,689	8,051	181,408	8,654
Total ... 1904	5,695,053	670,938	937,490	142,551	5,792	35,192,518	13,360	18,930	9,273	160,694	4,854

No V

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the six months of April to September 1906

	Cotton piece-goods*		Cotton yarn		Salt	Kerosene oil		Gunn bag
	European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge Budget†	
Bengal	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	‡
Burdwan	14,57,323	1,03,282	1,989	9,291	276,482	8,307	47,360	44
Birbhum	10,98,578	26,142	594	8,395	99,583	50	13,693	24
Bankura	3,35,467	4,132	.....	5,260	42,863	5	.....	16
Midnapore	15,90,185	2,12,775	4,802	7,138	271,892	742	1,051	86
Hooghly	10,38,552	2,01,896	2,089	329	155,036	25,557	10,921	17
24-Parganas	13,89,073	2,82,904	2,185	331	113,118	70,053	21,323	10
Calcutta	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	390,545	.....
Nadia	19,72,628	30,028	6,656	2,945	188,648	5,185	62,207	15
Murshidabad	8,48,347	56,932	1,119	1,088	80,102	1,583	22,134	5
Jessore	5,63,635	1,96,256	3,856	1,727	97,405	17,049	17,088	2
Khulna	4,21,345	1,29,409	700	586	71,864	25,545	5,015	
Total Bengal	1,07,24,733	13,42,746	24,688	37,090	1,366,993	154,676	591,337	1,73
Bihar								
Patna	15,43,480	13,914	2,694	4,731	183,931	184	86,938	
Gaya	15,75,632	11,722	912	9,575	120,694	70	27,946	28
Shahabad	14,31,823	8,867	236	2,013	95,116	118	21,073	28
Saran	17,68,354	28,003	685	1,395	132,120	66	15,510	15
Champaran	22,87,589	18,812	199	1,098	139,085	147	25,876	16
Muzaffarpur	17,71,718	17,198	91	1,527	149,834	218	41,890	19
Darbhanga	20,51,478	11,961	71	4,395	177,749	126	45,708	22
Monghyr	10,91,035	6,426	503	5,280	120,430	313	35 785	33
Bhagalpur	17,63,388	45,775	632	3,583	168,224	132	36,068	28
Purnea	18,55,224	10,876	365	5,088	196,966	1,592	39,749	72
Santhal Parganas	10,53,309	4,172	1,177	6,431	126,261	115	51,305	12
Darjeeling	6,93,372	26,915	121	3,192	41,879	212	13,761	26
Cooch Behar	2,68,711	2,487	.....	184	17,029	59	636	5
Total Bihar	1,93,05,113	2,06,828	7,687	49,301	1,639,309	3,352	442,114	2,90
Orissa								
Cuttack	3,75,809	19,135	.....	10,355	6,152	80	888	15
Balasore	3,[illegible]8	4,106	1,023	23,046	197,369	79	11,712	42
Puri	62,[illegible]2	1,233	.....	73	2	103	....	5
Sambalpur	1,61,812	[illegible]046	3	889	11[illegible]9	97	272	18
Mourbhanj State	44,708	.....	.....	34	7, 7	13	.....	1
Total Orissa	9,62,979	26,520	1,026	34,397	222,409	452	12,872	830,7
Chota Nagpur								
Hazaribagh	4,16,638	5,310	3	2,095	50,198	110	8,734	3
Palamau	3,21,[illegible]56	4,[illegible]55	2	327	35,844	2	3,058	16
Manbhum	10,98,918	16,820	124	11,584	157,315	1,439	16,[illegible]69	117
Singhbhum	1,54,[illegible]76	2,147	.....	651	50,660	86	39	179
Gangpur (Tributary State)	46,775	.....	.....	44	16,370	65	11	5
Total Chota Nagpur	20,38,903	28,932	129	14,701	310,387	1,702	28,711	323
Total Exports to the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	3,30,31,788	16,05,026	34,330	135,489	3,539,188	160,182	1,075,034	5,794
Other Provinces and places								
Burma	4,76,706	69,151	3,498	24,872	54	.....	321	11,387
E B and Assam	2,00,83,[illegible]46	6,32,109	62,782	14,409	1,847,761	63,614	596,169	706
U P of Agra and Oudh	1,96,64,895	2,20,688	8,932	2,591	234,517	3,315	408,138	2,193
Punjab	41,98,998	91,511	3,481	169	44	234	17,733	2,687
Sind and British Baluchistan	14,027	1,586	30	25	.....	.....	.....	3,442
Central Provinces and Berar	6,55,924	15,808	100	755	2,797	457	11,836	441
Bombay	1,03,259	19,112	32	27	.....	.....	.....	10,817
Madras	6,15,665	3,088	36	7,988	.....	108	5,922	2,411
Rajputana and Central India	5,35,640	5,879	327	13	.....	134	6,598	71
Nizam's Territory	29,005	913	.....	181	.....	.....	.....	58
Mysore	.....	51	.....	30	.....	.....	.....	3
Alleppey	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13
Pondicherry	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	93
Port Blair	49,905	320	2	557	.....	...	171	.....
Grand Total 1906	7,94,29,287	26,65,842	1,13,560	187,196	5,624,361	228,024	2,121,948	40,211,7
Grand Total 1905	8,08,05,596	15,09,767	1,21,705	176,130	5,578,817	203,606	2,031,457	47,060,9
Grand Total 1904	7,35,05,912	5,96,496	1,15,687	159,568	5,326,952	292,891	2,654,060	54,067,6

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter

† Represents the trade registered at the traffic-registering stations only

‡ Including gunny-cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag

No VI

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No V were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the six months of April to September 1906

		Cotton piece-goods*		Cotton		Salt	Kerosene oil		Gi
		European	Indian	European	Indian		From Calcutta	From Budge-Budge	
			Rs	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	
By boat	...	8,30,000	2,77,900	3,823		846,773	110,105	8,183	1
,, river steamer	...	1,08,39,027	2,18,318	51,705	2,201	1,055,302	10,835	481,761	6
rail	E I Railway ...	4,36,83,789	5,89,881	15,520	70,708	2,009,161	15,230	953,124	6,8
	E S S Railway (including B O Railway)	1,52,00,095	8,29,257	24,149	19,158	1,021,031	19,097	645,523	5
	A-B Railway ...	13,52,582	1,88,515	6,803	3,786	72,713	1,353	1,561	
	B-N Railway	29,18,185	52,650	45	46,392	412,294	1,393	67,063	1,8
	N-W Railway ...	4,92,227	1,574	1,733	1		152		1,7
	Bengal Railways ...	12,26,031	18,028	843	3,836		30	20	26,
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sheakhala Light Railways‡	4,07,117		1,299		7,655			
,, road		14,01,068	4,03,653	2,667	2	64,698	68,...	2,4...	
		9,57,666	86,036	5,464	41,713	123,534		12,237	25,7
		7,94,29,287	26,65,843	113,559	1,97,196	5,624,361	228,024	2,121,9...	40,5
Total ...	1905	8,06,05,596	15,09,767	121,705	1,70,139	5,578,617	203,606	2,031,457	47,0
	1904	7,35,05,912	5,96,496	115,687	1,59,568	5,326,952		2,654,060	54,0

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter
† Including gunny-cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag
‡ Trade carried by these railways was not registered previous to April 1906

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December 22, 1906.

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an additional 3 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
ic for the week ...	54,473	36,250 0 0	2,90,410 0	39,706 0 0	5,618 0 0	81,5[illegible] 0 0	14,14[illegible]	16,9[illegible]	31,067
le of railway	70·93	47·20	376·67	51 50	7·29	1,5[illegible]·29	18·23	21·99	40·37
ous, 23 weeks of half-	1,065,055	6,54,840 0 0	87,03,298 0	12,18,495 0 0	1,41,033 0 0	21,11,368 0	275,[illegible]16	422,110	685,656
al for 23 weeks ...	1,120,528	6,91,090 0 0	90,53,638 0	12,58,201 0 0	1,46,[illegible]51 0 0	20 93,942 0 0	277,[illegible]6	439,083	716,723
COMPARISON.									
corresponding week of i year	47,579	30,403 0 0	2,18,134 0	34,016 0 0	4,392 0 0	[illegible],811 0 0	10,343	[illegible],121	[illegible],464
of railway corresponde- k of previous year	64·56	41·25	294·78	45·97	5·[illegible]	[illegible]·[illegible]	14·03	29·[illegible]	[illegible]·33
corresponding date of s year	929,634	5,94,429 0 0	61,22,111 0	9,56,021 0 0	1,21,3[illegible]2 0 0	16,7[illegible]3 0 0	240,255	[illegible],985	658,340

* Includes Nonkhali Railway earnings Rs. 35,894 and train-mileage 1[illegible],642.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts of the Assam-Bengal Railway

[illegible]TS FOR WEEK ENDING 9TH DECEMBER 1906.		RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 9TH DECEMBER 1905.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1906 TO 8TH DECEMBER 1906.			TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL 1905 TO 9TH DECEMBER 1905.			Total increase in 1906.	Total decrease in 1906.
[illegible]s.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Total receipts.	Per mile worked per week.		
	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.			Rs.		Rs.	
[illegible]99		740	68,811	93·16	771	30,27,775	...	740	23,75,810	...	6,51,965	.....

Approxim. BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY.

[illegible]n of Traffic for the week ending 8th December 1906 on 1,548 miles open.

	Coach[illegible]	[illegible]FIC.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.		Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
[illegible]affic for the [illegible]ek on [illegible] Miles open ...	206,300	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
[illegible]-mile of railway	172·03	(a) 1,19,480 77·18	24,070	(b) 1,63,440	(c) 23,530	3,05,450	47,258	(d) 43,884	91,14
previous 23 weeks of half- year (e)	[illegible],287,662	23,21,040	1,[illegible]661·93	105·58	14·55	197·32	.....	.....	.....
Total for 23 weeks ...	6,553,962	26,47,520	1,98,22	24,04,636	4,21,773	53,47,443	1,082,541	837,185	1,920,02
				25,68,076	4,44,303	56,52,893	1,132,099	886,069	2,018,16
COMPARISON.									
[illegible]tal for corresponding week [illegible] previous year on 1,467 miles [illegible]pen	253,508	1,20,608	8,56,373						
[illegible] mile of corresponding week f previous year	172·13	82·23	583·76	1·13	16,463	2,42,183	44,709	(f) [illegible],129	81,08
[illegible]al to corresponding date of revious year	5,963,613	24,41,195	1,74,27,713	[illegible]995	·11·22	165·03	.....	.....	.....
[illegible]nings per Coaching, Goods and [illegible]otal train-[illegible]mile respectively [illegible]ering the [illegible]k	.....	.....	.....	20,33,463	4,02,964	48,79,553	1,079,[illegible]3	1,779,8[illegible]	[illegible],859,0[illegible]
Ditto for corresponding [illegible]k of previous year	.....	2·43	.....	3·34	·25	3·11	.....	.....	.....
	.....	2·60	.....	3·53	·20	3·96	.....	.....	.....

(a) Increase in number with decrease in amount due to shorter lead traffic.
(b) Increase chiefly under foreign inward, grain for Bengal.
(c) Increase principally under steam-boat.
(d) Includes 3,510 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Ditto audited figures up to week ending 27th October 1906.
(f) Ditto 5,302 miles of ballast trains.